



Deer Run Community

A Place to Belong

Summer 2012
June/ July/ August

DRCO

Board of Directors

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Board Meetings

Meets monthly. If you wish to attend, please contact us by email or phone for date and time. All owners and renters are welcome.

Annual Meeting Recap

New Board Member Elected

Many thanks to new Board Member, Dori Murdock, for volunteering her time to serve our Deer Run community. Dori was elected as President at the annual meeting on May 16th, and joins dedicated Board Members Schalk Leonard, appointed as our new treasurer and Kathy Dobson, re-elected as secretary.

Approved Budget

The budget was approved, and passed.

Deer Run Improvements

The board has been busy sprucing up the common areas. Trees along the creek on Bjorn Sreet have been pruned, overgrown/ dying trees and shrubs at Noll and Bjorn have been removed. Repairs to the fence along Noll have been approved. And best of all, that puddle that forms on Bjorn along the creek every time it rains will no longer be a problem, a new drain is being installed.

Account Moving to Local Bank

The Board has moved Deer Run Funds to locally owned Kitsap Bank.



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Treasurer Report

Deer Run has approximately \$40,000 in total assets. This represents a healthy reserve and a good level of insurance.

Two households are in arrears for dues. The Board is taking necessary steps to bring these households current.

✓ **Important Dates!**

Annual Garage Sale
Sat., June 9th
start 8AM

Annual Picnic
Sun., Aug. 26th
Raab Park
Noon - 3PM

More info coming soon.



**Annual DRCO Picnic
Sunday, August 26th
Raab Park
Noon - 3PM**

Please mark your calendars for the annual tradition of the Deer Run Community Organization Picnic. Feel like you never see your neighbors? This is the perfect time to come together and reconnect, and get to know new neighbors who have moved in. Just bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share. There is no cost to attend and barbeque, drinks, condiments and supplies are all provided by the DRCO! The picnic will kick off with a parade through the neighborhood. Kids and kids-at-heart are all invited to march through the streets and celebrate as we parade to the park for the picnic!

Welcome to our new neighbors

Lizuca and Seph Coats, Justin and Sarah Krugerud, Havalah Crisp, Shawn and Larissa Roderick, David and Stacy Grundmeier, Lacy and Jessica Lodmell, and Kim Leeming.

Fireworks



Please follow the rules and be courteous to your neighbors. The loud fireworks can be very upsetting to pets and small children. Limiting their use in Deer Run would be greatly appreciated.

Poulsbo Municipal Codes govern the use of Fireworks

B. No person shall ignite, explode, use, burn, or discharge any fireworks at any time within the city except:

- 1. Between the hours of twelve noon and eleven p.m. on June 28th of each year;**
- 2. Between the hours of nine a.m. and eleven p.m. on each day from June 29th through July 4th of each year;**
- 3. Between the hours of nine a.m. and nine p.m. on July 5th of each year;**

PASTA SALAD

1 pound pasta shells

YUM YUM!!!

diced tomatoes

diced gr peppers

diced onions

sliced black olives

¼ pound pepporoni, cut into little squares.

¼ pound hard salami, cut into squares.

¼ pound mozzarella cheese, cut into squares.

¼ pound provolone cheese, cut into squares.

Dressing.

¾ c oil, ½ c vinegar, 1 T oregano, 1 T salt, and 1 Tsp. pepper.

Mix all ingredients together, enjoy! Makes: ALOT.



Garden Tips

Rhododendrons are in bloom... As the flowers fade, the time is right to prune and shape them for next year's flower display. If you are happy with the plants size and shape, all you need to do is dead head (remove the dead flower parts). This will cause the plant to put its energy into new growth rather than seed production. Rhodies can be cut back below the foliage if you cut above a healthy bud. Buds form at the base of leaves. Look for healthy buds on the stem that will grow in the direction you desire. Buds growing away from the center are best. New flower buds form in the fall to bloom in the spring. After severe pruning, it may take a year or two before the plant recovers enough to set flowers.

Sidewalk and Traffic Safety

Several neighbors have mentioned that some trees overhang the sidewalks and also intrude into drivers' lines of sight at a couple of our intersections. We urge homeowners that have trees bordering sidewalks and intersections to inspect their trees and prune them while tree trimming season is upon us. Additionally, moss and leaves on sidewalks makes walking difficult and is a potential liability for the homeowner.



Fun in the Sun

With summer approaching, it's time to plan get-togethers with family and friends. When having your parties please be respectful of your neighbors. Do not play music too loud or late at night.

Newsletter Contact Information

Do you have information for the Newsletter? Send newsletter inquiries/information to drnewsletter11@gmail.com. Thank you!



Want to paint your house?

To see the new and improved paint list. We have several colors to choose from.

Please contact Dori Murdock @18175 Miss Ellis Loop or call 360-930-8078.