



# Lake Desire News

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## Coming Up:

2/16/07

Sweetheart's  
Dance  
7 pm

3/16/07

St. Patrick's  
Event/Meeting  
6:30 pm

4/7/07

Easter Egg  
Hunt  
1pm

5/17/06

Clubhouse  
Cleanup Day  
5:30pm

### Online Newsletter

E-mail information for online newsletters to Heather Smith at [Heather@Smith.net](mailto:Heather@Smith.net) or call 425-917-9533. Send your E-mail and receive news online!

## Lake Desire Area Membership Benefits

**Events**—Last year the Lake Desire Community Club sponsored the following activities:

- St Patrick's Day Potluck and Dance
- Roadside Cleanup
- Clubhouse Cleanup
- Summer Hike
- Christmas Party

It is time once again to send in your membership fee for 2007.

**Clubhouse Rental** – The clubhouse features a full kitchen, tables and chairs to seat up to 40 people (max 60), and restrooms.

Members receive a discount on renting the community clubhouse. The normal rate is \$75 to rent the clubhouse for the whole day or (\$15 per hour - min. of 3 hours.) Members can rent the clubhouse at a discount for only \$60 per day.

**Scouting**- If you are involved with scouting, leaders who are members may use the clubhouse at no cost for regular meetings providing it is not already rented.

**Community Meetings** – The clubhouse is free for a member's use for any community meetings.

**Questions**— Please call Vi Anderson at 425-226-7005 or Heather Smith at 425-917-9533.



## St. Patrick's Potluck & Community Meeting— 3/16/07, 6:30pm



Join us for a fun St. Patrick's Day Event.

There will be a community potluck at the Lake Desire Community Clubhouse on Friday, March 16th at 6:30pm. The potluck will

begin at 6:30pm. The club will provide corned beef and cabbage, punch and coffee. Please bring a side dish such as potatoes, salad and desserts. There will be a community meeting at 7:30pm. All neighbors are invited and are welcome to bring their friends. At the meeting

we hope to have speakers regarding the **upcoming sewer, water and possible gas lines coming in the Lake Desire area.**

This should be a very informative meeting. You

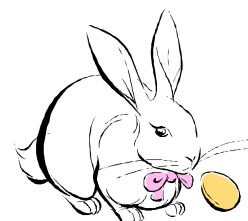


won't want to miss it!

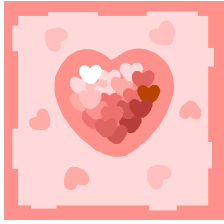
## Easter Egg Hunt—4/7/07

Join us for the annual Lake Desire Easter Egg Hunt on April 7th, 2007 at 1:00pm at the Clubhouse. The Easter Bunny will

make an appearance, and there will be prizes. Hot dogs, punch and cookies will be served. We hope to see you there!



# **Valentine Sweetheart's Potluck and Dance**



## **with Live Music Friday, February 16th 7pm—Potluck 8pm—Live Music**

Join us for a fun Valentine's Event. There will be a community potluck with live music at the Lake Desire Community Clubhouse (18118 172nd Ave SE, Renton) on Friday, February 16th. The potluck will begin at 7pm. The club will provide punch and coffee. Please bring your favorite dish or dessert.

There will be live music/dancing starting at 8pm. You won't want to miss this live country/country-rock band, "Pardners." All neighbors are invited, and are welcome to bring their friends. Cost is \$5 donation per couple/family to offset the band. See you there!



**Don't miss  
'The Pardners'  
Live Band!!**

Call Vi Anderson at 425-226-7005 or  
E-mail ([woodsinn@peoplepc.com](mailto:woodsinn@peoplepc.com)) for more information.



# Lake Desire Community Meeting

1/31/07

8:00 PM

Lake Desire Community Club

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**Meeting Called to Order at 8pm** – Those present were Vi Anderson, Nick Vacca, Melody Sieger, Tom Sill, Susan Hill, John Coates and Heather Smith.

**Treasurer's Report**– Tom presented the budget vs. actual for 2006. We did very well last year. We now have steady income from rentals with Ms. Mari's Martial Arts, AA, elections, and this year we have a new renter on Sundays. We were able to clear a good amount which has been budgeted for much needed repairs on the clubhouse this year. Members can contact Tom Sill at [Tom.sill@northwestu.edu](mailto:Tom.sill@northwestu.edu) if interested in seeing the budget or if you have any questions. All expenses and statements were audited by the trustees. The percentage fee was discussed for managing the rentals. It was decided to keep the percentage the same, as long as part of that money was used to clean the clubhouse once a month.

**Nominations for 2007 Officers** – Since the newsletter ballots worked so well last year, we decided to do this again. Here are the nominees:

- President – Vi Anderson, Nick Vacca
- Vice-President – Diane Nichols
- Treasurer – Tom Sill
- Secretary – Heather Smith
- Board – Susan Hill

#### **Committees Approved by the Board:**

- Clubhouse Rentals – Vi Anderson, Heather Smith
- Greeter – Susan Hill
- Maintenance – Nick Vacca
- Special Events – Vi Anderson, Heather Smith

#### **Trustee History**

- 2002-2007 – Vi Anderson
- 2003-2008 – Tom Sill
- 2004-2009 – Tony Sieger (resigned 2007 – Vi Anderson nominated to complete term)
- 2005-2010 – John Coates
- 2006-2011 – Nick Vacca
- 2007-2012 – Susan Hill nominated

**Clubhouse Maintenance** – Several improvements were discussed including the men's restroom and the outside faucet., and will be brought as a proposal to the next meeting.

#### **Upcoming Events**

- **Sweetheart's Dance** – 2/16 7pm - There will be a live band and a potluck. Vi is looking for volunteers and people to attend this event.
- **St. Patrick's Potluck** – 3/16 at 6:30pm. There will also be a community meeting to discuss sewer, water and gas lines coming.
- **Easter Egg Hunt** – 4/7 at 1pm.
- **Clubhouse Cleaning Day** – 5/17 5:30pm – Ms. Mari's Martial Arts Club, Brownie Girl Scout Troop #546 and community are invited to clean the clubhouse and grounds.
- **Summer Hike & Picnic**– 6/16 10am – We will hike in the area and have a picnic at the clubhouse afterwards with BBQ hamburgers.
- **Road Side Clean Up** – This will take place in the Fall again as soon as the brush is trimmed.
- **Christmas Party** – 12/8 1pm

# Lake Desire Neighborhood News

## Neighborhood Watch Alert!

Please be aware that a 9 year-old girl in the Lake Desire neighborhood was approached by an older man in a blue SUV or jeep a few weeks ago. She was riding her bike on Lake Desire Court SE (which is the raised corner of Woodside and Lake Desire Dr SE). An older man drove up in the turn around and told her to come over to him. She got scared and ran down her long driveway. The man sped off. Her mom called the police and they took a report.

Don't forget to talk to your kids about strangers. This is a perfect reminder. Ridgewood sent home a letter shortly after they confirmed this police report. Please be on the lookout and don't hesitate to call 911.

## Scooter For Sale

"Fold N Go" 3-Wheel Scooter for sale for only \$550. Only 4 years old. Nearly new battery and horn. Call Susan Hill at 425-271-7465.

## Free Self-Defense Classes for Lake Desire Area Children

In light of this recent scare, Ms. Mari's Martial Arts Club is offering a free self-defense course for children ages 6-15 in the Lake Desire Area. A 2-part class will be held Saturday, March 3rd and Saturday, March 10th from 9am-12pm at the Clubhouse. Children will also learn how to avoid potential problems. Please contact Nick or Marichu Vacca at 425-271-2037, 425-306-2841 or [mnvacca@yahoo.com](mailto:mnvacca@yahoo.com).

## Lake Desire Greeter

Do you have new neighbors, know someone having a baby or someone ill who could use a visit? Please contact our Lake Desire Greeter, Susan Hill at 425-271-7465.


## Snow/Ice Accident

If you were involved in an accident with a white Toyota truck on Parkside during the last winter storm, please call Vicky Drake at 425-891-0848

## Water/Sewer/Gas Lines for Lake Desire

There are a lot of questions you may have regarding the new water lines, sewer and possible gas lines coming to Lake Desire. We hope to have speakers from both Soos Creek and PSE at our next Community Club Meeting March 16th at 7:30pm after the potluck. We all received a letter in November letting us know that the water main installed 40 years ago is in need of replacement (without any assessment fees to the current customers.) Since the water main will require extensive road work, Soos Creek Water District has decided to install the sewer main at the same time this summer to avoid the disruption of traffic in the future. The sewer main will be paid for as property owners connect to the sewer system. They estimate the total connection fees to be between \$12,000 and \$17,000 per connection, but it is not required. Please call Darci at Soos Creek Water & Sewer District at 253-630-9900 for any questions or [www.sooscreek.com](http://www.sooscreek.com)

Puget Sound Energy is interested in seeing if Lake Desire residents would like to add gas lines at the same time. If enough residents want gas lines, then they will work to coordinate with Soos Creek. Natural gas can help reduce your energy cost while increasing your comfort and resale value of your home. If you are interested, please contact Kim Gray at [kim.gray@pse.com](mailto:kim.gray@pse.com), 425-456-2418.

 <p><b>New Life Christian Preschool</b></p> <p>Maple Valley Presbyterian Church 22659 Sweeney &amp; Petrovitsky (425) 432-5876, ext. 56 <a href="http://www.mvpc.net/preschool">www.mvpc.net/preschool</a></p>	<p><b>Open House ~Tours</b></p> <p>4's &amp; Jr. K Feb.12th—12:30 pm 3's Feb.13th—9:30 am</p> <p>Small Classes - Reasonable Prices Modified Co-Op</p> <p><b>2007-08 Registration</b></p> <p>Feb. 27— Currently Enrolled &amp; Church Members 10:00 am Preschool Alumni 1:30 pm</p> <p>Feb. 28 General Public 10:00 am</p>
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# Vote for Lake Desire Officers 2007

Please vote for the 2007 Lake Desire Community Club officers. You must be a member to vote, and the deadline is February 28th, 2007. Please send this along with the membership form below. Feel free to enter a write in candidate, and let us know if you are interested in helping out in any way. Thanks for your help on this!

**President:**

- Vi Anderson
- Nick Vacca
- Write In \_\_\_\_\_

**Vice President:**

- Diane Nichols
- Write In \_\_\_\_\_

**Trustee: (Vote for 2)**

- Susan Hill
- Vi Anderson (Replace Tony Sieger)
- Write In \_\_\_\_\_

**Secretary:**

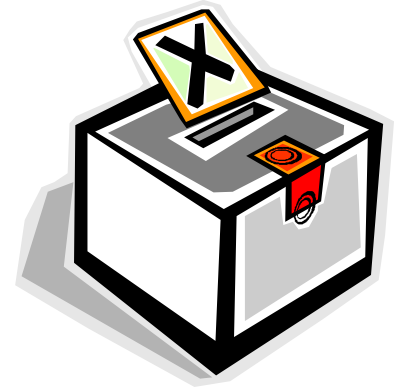
- Heather Smith
- Write In \_\_\_\_\_

**Treasurer:**

- Tom Sill
- Write In \_\_\_\_\_

**Ways you would like to be involved:**

- Special Events
- Maintenance
- Other \_\_\_\_\_



## Lake Desire Community Club Membership Application 2007

Dues: \$15.00/Individual & Family

\$10.00/Senior over 65

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address if you would like to receive community news via E-mail:

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In addition to our dues, we are also making a contribution in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to help with club expenses.

Please make checks to Lake Desire Community Club. Please send this form back in the enclosed envelope to Vi Anderson, 17232 174th Ave SE, Renton, WA 98058. Thanks!



## Wanted!!!

1. Stay-at-home or working moms who are interested in earning an income from home.
2. Anyone interested in trying products to combat aging, eczema, rosacea, weight problems and acne.



Call for info or free samples!

Farrah Gerber- Fairwood Resident

Independent Consultant

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