

July 2012

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Community Council Meetings

- January 18, 2012
- February 15, 2012
- March 21, 2012
- April 18, 2012
- May 16, 2012
- June 20, 2012
- July 18, 2012
- August – No Meeting
- September 19, 2012
- October 17, 2012
- November No Meeting
- December- No Meeting

Facebook: Licton Springs Neighborhood
www.lictonsprings.org

**Community Council
Meetings are open to the
public.**



Licton Springs CURRENTS

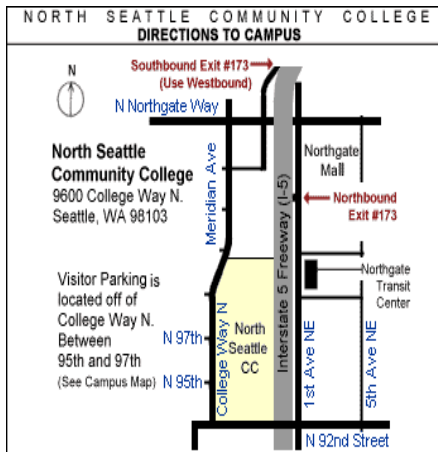
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“NEVER DOUBT THAT A SMALL GROUP OF THOUGHTFUL, COMMITTED CITIZENS CAN CHANGE THE WORLD.
INDEED, IT IS THE ONLY THING THAT EVER HAS.” —Margaret Mead

**Next Meeting is on Wed. July
18th Licton Springs Community**

Council Meetings are held the 3rd
Wednesday of each month except
for August and November and
December at 7 PM at **North
Seattle Community College
OCE&E Building Room 230**

Directions to Campus



**LSCC meeting NEW location
Directions are as follows:**

The Opportunity Center for
Employment and Education
building, The OCE&E building,
new blue building, is located on
the south end of the NSCC
campus. Please enter at the lower
eastside doors, take the elevator
to the 2nd floor and continue
down the hall to **room 230**.

**Please park on the east side of the
OCE&E and enter the building**

**from the lower east doors. There
is an elevator inside the lobby.**



Hello Neighbors!

We have a new meeting location.
Please make sure to read the info
on the left for the details. It's
very exciting to have a space in
the new building on the NSCC
Campus. We are so grateful for
partnership with NSCC in
allowing us to use the space.

We would love to see our
neighbors participate and
remember we do not meet in
August.

~ The LSCC Board

Volunteer Help Wanted

Licton Springs Community Council
is need of a new Web Master.
Our website needs updating and
we need to add a payment button
for donations. If anyone is
interested in donating 1-2 hours a
month to our website we would
love to hear from you. Please
email us at:
lictonsprings@hotmail.com

Licton Springs Park



HAVE FUN, GET FIT and Contribute to your Neighborhood.

Join FRIENDS OF LICTON
SPRINGS for our monthly work
parties. Get yourself and Licton
Springs Park in shape!

Liven up your fitness plan with:

- Canary Reed pulls!
- Mulch barrow jogs!
- Wood chip bends!
- Planters' squats!
- Bramble root digs!

Work Party Dates 2012

- February 11
- March 10
- April 14
- May 12
- June 9
- July 14
- August 11
- September 8
- October 13
- November 10
- December 8

Meet at the "comfort station" in
the park, 97th and Ashworth:

- 2nd Saturday of each month
- 10 am to 2 pm – rain or shine

For more information call:
Liz Kearns (206) 525-5243
Want to contribute but can't
make the work parties?
Ask about needed donations!

Tools and gloves provided. Wear
appropriate clothing.
(Muck boots recommended)

P-Patch Corner

For more information please
contact:
Diana Meeks
NSCC Sustainability Office
NSCC P-Patch Project
(360)961-0433
diana.meeks@seattlecolleges.edu

PLANTING SEEDS

*A new section on ideas or thing
about the NSCC P-Patch*

We may need your assistance and
supplies for our P-Patch shed. We
are hoping neighbors have scrap
wood and tools lying around and
later this year will want to come
out and help us build a shed.

www.kingcounty.gov/weeds

<http://www.seattle.gov/neighborhoods/ppatch/>

Community News

From Seattle PUD

<http://atyoursevice.seattle.gov/>

Annual Report Card In

*Online and in mailboxes this
summer*



The Annual Report Card is about
providing value and being
accountable to you.

Every year, Seattle PUD set
performance goals to ensure that
we're continuously improving
while providing friendly and
efficient customer service. In its
second year, the [Annual Report
Card](#) shows we are meeting many
of our goals, and also identifies
where we still need to do more
work.

A printed copy will be arriving in
mailboxes with utility bills this
July and August.

Stop Think Sort



Having a meal at your favorite
fast food restaurant?

Take a close look at the plates, trays and wrappers used to serve your food.

You'll find that many of them are compostable and that the rest are recyclable – the result of a Seattle law designed to stop the waste of single-use food service ware.

Instead of a single garbage can, your restaurant should now have three types of containers: one for compostable, one for recyclables, and one for garbage. Each one should be clearly marked with colorful signs, showing you which packaging and products are compostable and which are recyclable.

Take a moment at the end of your meal to stop, think and sort. Make sure that what's on your tray goes in the right bin, and place any leftover food into the compost container.

All of the fast-food service ware and packaging that used to be thrown away every year filled a one-mile, 100-car garbage train that we send to a landfill in Oregon. With your help and great cooperation from local restaurants, we're working our way toward zero waste.

Free Kitchen Compost Kits



Play & Win!

Seattle Public Utilities is giving away reusable bags, kitchen compost bags and kitchen compost containers for free at several events this month.

July 18 Bank of America Plaza
Out To Lunch Concert

July 19 Lake City Farmers Market

July 20 Bank of America Plaza
Out To Lunch Concert

July 20-22 Bite of Seattle

July 25 Westlake Park Out To
Lunch Concert

July 27 Waterfront Park Out To
Lunch Concert

Just stop by and play our Where Does It Go? Recycling Game and you can win!

Got Game? Take the Recycling Challenge



Seattleites of all ages have a fun way to learn how to dispose of waste in their homes. Play the Where Does It Go? Recycling Game and put your knowledge to the test. See how fast you can correctly sort your food and yard waste, recycling, or garbage into the correct cart!

2012 Arterial Paving Projects: N/NW 85th St and Greenwood Ave N

http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/pave_85th.htm

- Aurora Ave N will close at N 85th St from 10 p.m. Friday, July 13 through 6 a.m. Monday, July 16.
- All lanes on Aurora Ave N will be closed during this work; one westbound lane on N 85th St will be maintained. Drivers should expect delays, use alternate routes, and consider using alternative methods of transportation this weekend.
- Detour routes will be clearly posted. Southbound traffic will be detoured off Aurora Ave N at N 105th St and northbound traffic will be detoured off Aurora Ave N at Green Lake Way N. Local access to residences and businesses will be provided.

Next Week: July 16 – 20

Work hours: 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Phase 3 – Greenwood Ave N to Aurora Ave N

- Demolition, excavation and replacement of concrete roadway panels and some curbs and sidewalks continues on the north and south sides of N 85th St.
- Construction activities will temporarily affect access to driveways. You will be notified in advance if your driveway will be impacted.
- Access to/from N 85th St at Evanston Ave N (north side) will continue to be closed.

- Repairs to the base of the roadway will be completed in various locations throughout the Phase 3 project area.
- Eastbound closures between Greenwood Ave N and Aurora Ave N continue.

Coming Soon: Construction in Phases 4 & 5 and closures of the I-5 on- and off-ramps

Phase 4 – Aurora Ave N to Wallingford Ave N

- Construction activities in Phase 4 are anticipated to begin in early August. Stay tuned for additional details in the coming weeks.

Phase 5 – Wallingford Ave N to I-5

- Construction activities in Phase 5 are anticipated to occur in August.
- This work will affect access to I-5 on- and off-ramp at N 85th St. Stay tuned for additional details in the coming weeks.

Note: construction activities are weather dependent and subject to change.

Transit Information:

- King County Metro will post rider alerts to notify transit riders of detours and/or temporary bus stop closures.
- Sign up for Metro rider alerts (<http://metro.kingcounty.gov/signup/index.html>) or call (206) 553-3000 for the latest information on route changes.

Want to stay up-to-date with the latest construction information?

- Sign up to receive **email updates** by emailing pave_85th@seattle.gov
- Visit the **project website** at www.seattle.gov/transportation/pave_85th.htm
- Call the **24-hour project line** at (206) 496-9993
- Look for **construction flyers**, distributed regularly to homes and businesses near the work area

Send an email to pave_85th@seattle.gov to join our project email update list.

For questions about construction, call the 24-hour project line at **(206) 496-9993**, or send an email to pave_85th@seattle.gov

greenwoodseniorcenter.org

Summer Dinner & Dancing Events:

Fridays, July 20 & August 17, 7:30 pm

Festivals: Two Special Summer Dinners

Un Saludo a Espana – A Salute to Spain &
Un Saludo a la Argentina –A Salute to Argentina

Doors open at 6:45 pm, Dinner seating at 7:30 pm. \$25 per ticket including food, drinks and dance.

To purchase tickets, click [here](#). For further details call the GSC at 206.297.0875.

Thank you to our sponsors: Humana, Meridian Pharmacy, First Choice Auto Care, The Harvest Vine Restaurant, Umpqua Bank, and Windermere Real Estate

July Bingo Karaoke Night

Friday, July 27, 7-10 pm

Bingo Karaoke - a lively evening for folks age 21 and older that you won't want to miss!

To purchase tickets, click [here](#).

***Save the Date:** Last Friday of the month - August 31. This sells out quickly; reservations begin the Monday after each event. Thank you to our beer sponsor: Rock Bottom Brewery

Save The Date!

Do The Gumshoe 2012

An annual FUNdraiser for the Greenwood Senior Center, Greenwood Food Bank and Greenwood Elementary School PTA

Friday, August 3 - Sunday, August 12

Greenwood Senior Center Summer 2012 Events and Activities

Bingo/Karaoke Nights

Last Friday, July 27 and August 31, 7-10 pm. \$12 and \$15. Join us for an exciting evening of bingo, karaoke and good times for folks age 21 and older. Reserve your spot online by clicking [here](#). This sells out quickly; note that reservations begin the Monday after the previous event.

Sharing & The Pursuit Of Happiness Community Circle

Wednesdays, June 20-August 29*, 5:30-7 pm. Free. The Green Bean coffeehouse.

Join together with others to explore the basics of happiness: community, calling, celebration and control. In particular, we'll explore the new "sharing movement." Each week we'll discuss actions we can take for the well-being of people and the planet and the greater community. Facilitator is Cecile Andrews, author of Circle of Simplicity, Slow is Beautiful, and Less is More. Location: 8533 Greenwood Ave. N. For details, call 206.297.0875. *No class July 4.

Aurora Commons Monthly Meal Program

3rd Wednesdays, Dinner begins at 5:30 pm. Aurora Commons. Free. The GSC will be partnering with Aurora Commons to help provide a free meal program near the GSC at The Aurora Commons. This community outreach program begins in June and will be ongoing. We're still looking for volunteers, so please contact us if you'd like to be a part of this special program.

Questions? Call Carin Mack at 206.297.0875.

Century 21: 50th Anniversary World's Fair Celebration

Monday, August 13, 1 pm. By Donation. Join us at the Greenwood Senior Center as we explore the memories and meaning of Seattle's 1962 World's Fair. This lovely PowerPoint presentation with historic photos and artifacts from the fair will be put on by Museum Educator, Julia Swan, with MOHAI (the Museum of History & Industry). We will

examine the fair, the historic context of the early 1960s and what the fair meant to Seattle. There will be time for memories to be shared. Refreshments and time allotted for memories and personal experiences to be shared will be included. For details call 206.297.0875.

Old Fashioned BBQ Luncheon

Friday, August 10, noon. \$5 plus food bank donation. Who doesn't love a good old summer BBQ? We'll have our yearly GSC BBQ with burgers and all the fixings. RSVP for this luncheon at 206.297.0875. Sponsored by the GSC Social Committee.

Carkeek Park Hike

Wednesdays, 10-11 am. Carkeek Park, Eddie McAbee entrance. Free. Enjoy a 3+ mile loop hike through Carkeek Park using a variety of park trail. The Eddie McAbee entrance is located at 100th PI NW & 6th Ave NW. Call Mari at 206.684.4664 for further details. *This is a partnership program between GSC and the Parks Department.

GSC Daily Lunch Program

Monday-Friday, Noon. \$4-6. Hearty meals are prepared by GSC volunteer chefs with seasonal ingredients. Meal includes a salad, main entree and dessert. We have great variety, from soup and sandwich combos to classic meat and potatoes. Lunch sign-up is required by 10:30 am. Call to find out the menu for the day.

Film Series: Positive Images Of Aging

1st Fridays, 1-3:30 pm, September 7 (No film July and August). Free. Join us at the Greenwood Senior Center for our special monthly film offerings. Laugh and interact with others while enjoying some entertainment, interesting discussions and tasty snacks. This film series program is facilitated by Ruth McCormick. For film details, please call 206.297.0875.

<http://www.greenwoodseniorcenter.org/Special%20Events.htm>

Madison Beach Clinics 5:30-7 PM**


Wednesday August 1, course #88881

Wednesday August 8, course #88882

Learn how to swim in open water for a race or for fun! Your instructor, Steve Vela, will share his years of open water swimming experience.

Madison Beach clinics are located, where E. Madison St. meets the waters of Lake Washington. Meet us at the Lifeguard Building.

Please call Steve at 206-386-4282 if you have any questions.

Download flier for **more info.** 

<http://www.seattle.gov/parks/aquatics/currentschedule.htm>

LSCC MEMBERSHIP, DONATION AND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT THIS FORM, COMPLETE AND MAIL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

\$15 Start my Tax deductible Membership for 2012 \$15 Renew my Tax deductible membership for 2012

Sign me up for the Licton Springs Community Council List serve
(Please include your email address below)

Support work in the community with a tax deductible donation at one of the following levels:

\$10 Bubble \$25 Trickle \$45 Stream \$75 Spring
Other \$ _____

Donation to be used for:

Annual Halloween Event Mineral Springs Park
 Pilling's Pond Project Where Most Needed Other _____

I would like assistance with the following neighborhood improvement project:

Traffic Safety /Calming Neighborhood Block Watch
 Art project Neighborhood Clean Up Other _____

Project ideas or list assistance needed above

Name(s) as you would like it to appear *Phone*

Address

Email address

Make checks payable to and mail to: **Licton Springs Community Council**
c/o Debra Willendorf, 9736 Wallingford Ave N, Seattle WA 98103

Donations and membership are tax deductible under our 501c3 status.