

The Everest

THE EVEREST NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

<http://www.everestneighborhood.org/>

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Board Elections @ March Meeting

The Everest Neighborhood Association elections for two-year Board positions will take place at our March meeting. The following positions will be included:

- Chair
- Vice Chair
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- 2 Members At Large

If you have questions about any of the positions, are interested in serving on our Board, or know someone else who is, please contact any current Board member.

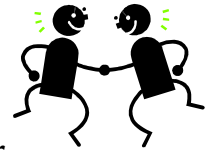


A SOCIAL EVENT TO WELCOME OUR NEW NEIGHBORS

Tuesday, January 27th, 7PM at Houghton Fire Station #22

With so many new folks in the neighborhood, the Board has decided to devote our regular January meeting time to a “Getting to Know You” social get-together.

If you are new to the Everest Neighborhood, please consider this your personal invitation to come meet neighbors and find out about our neighborhood and the Everest Neighborhood Association.



Folks who have been here a while – come help us welcome our new neighbors. It will be a great time to get acquainted with new neighbors and also to catch up with neighbors you know!

Just bring some cookies or other goodies to share and come celebrate the New Year with your neighbors. (Children welcome.) We look forward to seeing all of you on the 27th!

Neighborhood Food Drive Results

MANY THANKS to all of you who donated Bay, and Central Houghton neighborhoods. during the Food Drive! City-wide, over *ten* (The Market Neighborhood donated the *tons* of food were donated. Although we are most pounds of food per capita.) Your gentle smallest neighborhood in the City, we erosivity has helped replenish our Kirkland donated 849 lbs—that was more food than Food Bank shelves! the Juanita, N Rose Hill, NorKirk, Moss

Community Meetings and Information

City of Kirkland: (425) 587-3000, www.ci.kirkland.wa.us

Kirkland City Council meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at 7:30 PM in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 123 5th Avenue.

Kirkland Heritage Society Heritage Hall, 203 Market Street, www.kirklandheritage.org. Meetings are normally held on the last Wednesday of the month except when there are special events usually (July, November and December.) (Call 425 828-4095 to confirm time and place.)

Kirkland Alliance of Neighborhoods (KAN) meets 2nd Wednesday of odd months at 7PM in Heritage Hall. For more info contact Anna Rising (anna.rising@verizon.net).

Lake Washington School District (www.lwsd.org)

The School Board will meet at 7 PM on Jan 12th and Feb 9th and at 5:30 PM on Jan 26th at the District Resource Center in Redmond Town Center, 16250 NE 74th St., Redmond.

No School: Jan 19th, Feb 16-18th, or Mar 6th

More Dates and Events to Note in Kirkland:

JUANITA BAY PARK:

- **Wildlife Tour** – 1st Sunday of every month at 1:00 PM

Join the Juanita Bay Park Rangers for a free interpretive tour, viewing a variety of plant and animal species. Bring binoculars and meet in the parking lot. No registration is required. Details: 425.587.3312

- **Bird Walk** – 3rd Tuesday of every month at 8:00 AM

Join the East Lake Washington Audubon Society and the Juanita Bay Park Rangers for a morning walk in Juanita Bay Park, and look for birds in the area. Bring binoculars and meet in the parking lot. No registration is required. Details: 425.576.8805.

KIRKLAND SECOND THURSDAY ART WALK: 2nd Thursday of the month, 6–8 P.M.

Downtown galleries feature new artists and host receptions. For details: 425.889.8212 or www.howardmandville.com.

JAZZ NIGHTS IN KIRKLAND: 2nd Thursday of the month, generally 7-10P.M.

Venues include Wilde Rover, Zeeks Pizza, Hector's Restaurant, The Heathman Hotel, St. James Espresso, George's Place, and Market St. Café. Details: www.kirklanddowntown.org.

ARTLUCK: Last Friday of each month, Kirkland Arts Center

6:30 p.m.–Potluck; 7:30 p.m.–Friendly critique,

Here's an opportunity for all of you budding artists to meet with area artists and receive helpful, honest feedback on your art. Details:

www.kirklandartscenter.org.



Capital Improvement Projects in Kirkland

Several projects are scheduled in Kirkland - here's what's happening and where you can get more info:

Kirkland Library Expansion - Fall 2008- Fall 2009, Contact: Elsa Steele, Phone: 425-822-2459, Web: [King County Library System](http://www.kingcounty.gov/library)

3rd Street Traffic Signal Installation - February 2009, Contact: Rod Steitzer, Kirkland Public Works, Phone: 425-587-3825, Web: [Downtown On the Move](http://www.kirklandwa.gov/downtown)

Kirkland Transit Center Redevelopment - *Temporary relocation of transit operations: Summer 2009-Summer 2010 Construction: Late Summer 2009 - Fall 2010*, Contact: Roger Iwata, Sound Transit, Phone: 206-689-4904, Web: [Sound Transit](http://www.soundtransit.org) (Search: Kirkland Transit Center)

Kirkland Pump Station & Sewer Upgrade - Late 2010 – Late 2012, Contact: [Jennifer Kauffman](mailto:jkauffman@kingcounty.gov), King County Wastewater Treatment Division, Phone: 206-263-6029, Web: [King County](http://www.kingcounty.gov/wastewater) (Search: Kirkland Pump Station)

Coming Soon!

New Display in Everest Park Kiosk

Be sure to check the kiosk in the park around the first of February for a brief history and display of pictures regarding the housing project that used to be where the park is now.

We are indebted to Jackie Dille Richter for the information and the pictures. Jackie not only lived in the housing project as a child but continues to live in the Everest Neighborhood now.

Be sure to visit our neighborhood web site: <http://www.everestneighborhood.org/>

Comments, questions or suggestions about the Newsletter? Contact Anna Aubry at daaubry@hotmail.com.

Love Fresh Air and Strolling Through Our Neighborhood?

And, what about that New Year's resolution to get more exercise? Well, here's an opportunity you won't want to pass up!

Volunteer to help deliver our Newsletters!

Commitment is ~30 minutes every other month.

Contact Anna at daaubry@hotmail.com

