Community Newsletter

September/October 2022



NE Hazel Dell Nationally Recognized Newsletter By Neighborhoods USA Neighborhood Association







Neighborhood News

Meeting Schedule for 2022:

Meetings are canceled until further notice due to COVID-19 Pandemic. We will continue to keep you informed of local issues via the newsletter, e-mail notification and Facebook postings. Thank you and stay safe!



Newsletter Publication

The NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association will publish six issues of the newsletter each year. Here are the issue dates for the newsletter and deadlines for 2022 & 2023:

Deadline
October 7, 2022
December 10,2022
February 4, 2023
April 8, 2023
June 3, 2023
August 5, 2023
October 7, 2023

The deadline date is for submitting newsworthy items for publication. Thanks!

NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association is on Facebook

Check out our neighborhood association on Facebook:



https://www.facebook.com/NEHazel DellNeighborhoodAssociation

For the latest information about COVID-19 and cases in our area check these websites:

Clark County Washington Website:

https://www.clark.wa.gov/public-health/novel-coronavirus



Relay For Life

The 34th annual Relay for Life of Clark County is scheduled for Saturday September 17th at Esther Short Park! Relay For Life is a team event to raise funds to support the life-saving mission of the American Cancer Society. While this is a team event, you don't have to be a part of a team to participate. Register as an individual or if you are a cancer Survivor you can sign up to walk in the Survivor Lap. The Event will begin at 10AM with an opening ceremony followed by Celebrate our Survivors lap. Once our Survivors and Caregivers are around the loop the event will be fully underway with activities, the Parade of Teams, a Cake Walk, Disney Karaoke and much, much, more. Details at www.relayforlife.org/clarkcountywa

Reminder: View prior newsletters by visiting our neighborhoods county web page at www.clark.wa.gov/county-

manager/ne-hazel-dell. If you know of a neighbor or friend who would like to be added to the electronic distribution list, please email Bill Cline at nehdna2021@gmail.com
Why be left in the dark, sign up now!



School Contact Information in the Hazel Dell area for the 2022-2023 school year:

Vancouver School District Website: https://vansd.org/

Hazel Dell Elementary 511 NE Anderson Road Vancouver, WA 98665 360.313.2050 Main Office 360.313.2051 Fax

360.313.1416 Attendance Line

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Principal: Lisa Reed Associate Principal: Marjorie McCluer https://hazeldell.vansd.org/

Sacajawea Elementary
700 NE 112th Street
Vancouver, WA. 98685
360-313-2750 Main Office
360-313-1434 Attendance Line
Principal: Travis Bond
Associate Principal: Kevin Coffey

Anderson Elementary

https://sacajawea.vansd.org/

2215 NE 104th St.
Vancouver, WA 98686
360.313.1500 Main Office
360.313.1501 Fax
360.313.1474 Attendance Line
Principal: Nicole Reinfeldt
Associate Principals: Denisse Barba &
Kevin Coffey
https://anderson.vansd.org/

Gaiser Middle School
3000 NE 99th St.
Vancouver, WA 98665
360.313.3400 Main Office
360.313.3422 Attendance Line
Principal: Esteban Delgadillo
Associate Principals: Paul Lewis &
Katherine Howard
https://gaiser.vansd.org/

King's Way Christian Schools 3606 NE 78th Street Vancouver, WA 98665 Kindergarten – High School: 360-574-1613 https://www.kwcs.org/

Street Advertisement

Ever wonder who is responsible for those pop-up street advertisement signs like: GUN SHOW; BUY YOUR HOME: TAX SERVICE: BUY OR SELL THIS OR THAT; GARAGE SALE; etc... Well, these signs are illegal if placed on State or County or City or Private property without permission. If signs appear and are never taken down, you may contact Clark County Code Enforcement 360-397-2408 or fill out a form to report neighborhood or safety concerns at https://clark.wa.gov/communitydevelopment/report-safety-concern. Unclaimed signs are also a form of

litter and blight to the neighborhood. Violators can be subject to fines of \$103 per violation and/or community service.



Clark County Historical Museum Presents: Haunted Walking Tours

Haunted Walking tours are back starting in every Friday and Saturday night in October! Are you interested in hearing tales of haunted buildings in downtown Vancouver or interested in some strange sides to local history? Join up for a mile long walk downtown loaded with frequent stops and fascinating information. The tours happen rain or shine, so be sure to bring a flashlight and a jacket (or a costume)! For more information, please contact outreach@cchmuseum.org or 360.993.5679 Option 2.

Wishful Recycling

Effects 99 out of 100 citizens. This affliction causes people to place items in their curb side recycle bin that do not belong there. First off, Clark County does not go by the Universal Recycle Symbol or the recycle number on plastics. Not that Waste Connections does not want your stuff, it is just that they do not have



markets/vendors in our area to take your stuff. Other parts of the country might have vendors. A recent audit has

revealed that roughly 20% of what people are putting in their recycle bins is (10% garbage and 10% wishful recycling). In addition, China has tightened up their restrictions in that they only want quality recyclables. To that ends we all need to pitch in and make an extra effort to adhere to RECYCLING DONE RIGHT guidelines. When in doubt it is best to just throw it out. Non-recyclable items in the recycle bin end up taking the long way to the landfill. That is if they are caught in time. Otherwise, they contaminate the good recyclables. In

addition, Waste Connection truck drivers make anywhere between 400 to 1200 pickup stops with the average being 800 daily. Save yourself some time and energy by only putting your recycle bins out when they are 3/4 full or more. The same applies to the glass recycle bins. For more information on recycling in Clark County contact www.clark.wa.gov (or) www.wcnorthwest.com

School Bus Stop Rules

A new school year will be soon starting and many of our children will be riding the buses to and from school.

The Washington State Patrol (WSP) would like you to take a few minutes to refresh your knowledge on how to drive



safely around school buses as they are picking up and dropping off our children. The WSP has posted a video discussing rules of the road and driving safety around the school buses; when you have to stop and when you have to proceed. The School Bus Stop Rules video is posted at www.youtube.com/watch?v=moK9 MZVSIQY&feature=plep The law states the \$394 fine for failure to stop for a school bus cannot be reduced, suspended or waived. If you fail to stop for a school bus you will pay the full amount. We cannot stress enough how important it is to practice safe driving, especially when children are present. For more information about driver safety and other WSP information, please visit the WSP web site at http://www.wsp.wa.gov/

Inspirations

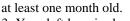
1- If there are no ups and downs in your life, it means you are dead.2- You never appreciate what you have till it's gone. Toilet paper is a good example.

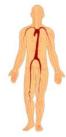
3- Life ... Available for a limited time only. Limit one per person. Subject to change without notice. Provided "as is" and without any warranties. Nontransferable and is the sole responsibility of recipient. May incur

damages arising from use or misuse. Additional parts sold separately. Your mileage may vary. Subject to all applicable fees and taxes. Terms and conditions apply. Other restrictions apply as well.

Body Of Facts

- 1- The average person has 67 different species of bacteria in their belly button.
- 2- Babies don't shed tears until they're





- 3- Your left lung is about 10% smaller than your right lung.
- 4- The only part of the body that has no blood supply is the cornea of the eye. It absorbs oxygen directly from the air.
- 5- A new born child can breathe and swallow at the same time for up to seven months.
- 6- Your skull is made up of 29 different bones.
- 7- A single human brain generates more electrical impulses in a day than all the telephones of the world combined.
- 8- The average human body contains enough sulfur to kill all the fleas on the average dog, enough carbon to make 900 pencils, enough potassium to fire a toy cannon, enough fat to make seven bars of soap and enough water to fill a 50-liter (13.2 gallon) barrel.
- 9- Women's hearts beat faster than Men's
- 10- Right-handed people live, on average, nine years longer than left-handed people. Only 7% of people are left-handed.
- 11- The average person forgets 90% of their dreams.
- 12- On average, a person's respiration rate is one third higher in spring than in autumn.
- 13- We lose 80% of our body heat from the head.
- 14- The average 4 year old child asks 450 questions a day.
- 15- Only 1 % of the bacteria can result in the human body becoming ill.

Dog Comments

1- A dog teaches a boy fidelity,

perseverance, and to turn around three times before lying down. Robert Benchley

2- I wonder if other dogs think poodles are members of a weird religious cult.



Rita Rudner 3- Dogs need to sniff the ground; it's how they keep abreast of current events. The ground is a giant dog newspaper,

containing all kinds of late-breaking dog news items, which, if they are especially urgent, are often continued in the next yard. Dave Barry

- 4- Anybody who doesn't know what soap tastes like never washed a dog. Franklin P. Jones
- 5- My dog is worried about the economy because Alpo is up to \$3.00 a can. That's almost \$21.00 in dog money. Joe Weinstein
- 6- Outside of a dog, a book is probably man's best friend; inside of a dog, it's too dark to read. Groucho Marx 7- Ever consider what they must think of us? I mean, here we come back from a grocery store with the amazing haul -- chicken, pork, half a cow. They must think we're the greatest hunters on earth! Anne Tyler

Origins of Phrases / Idioms

Give the cold shoulder - Meaning: Turning your back on someone; ignoring someone. Origin: Etymologist think the phrase originated from medieval etiquette. After a feast, host in England would subtly signal that the meal was over (and it was time for



guest to leave) by serving a cold slice of pork, mutton or beef shoulder.

It's no use crying over spilled milk -

Meaning: Being upset over something that has already happened and cannot be changed.

Origin: Is not very clear but it has been in use since the late 1800s.

Money can't buy happiness - Meaning:
Money can buy material things, but real happiness must be truly earned.
Origin: First appeared in the writings of Rousseau in 1750. Now often used

ironically. First appeared in the United States in the William & Mary College Ouarterly.

Pick the low hanging fruit first Meaning: Refers to the task, action, or
goals that maybe the most easily
achieved first. Origin: In farming,
easy-to-reach fruit can be found at the
lower end of a tree's branches. Also
popularized in business circles.

As pure as driven snow - Meaning:
Entirely pure. Origin: "Driven snow"
is snow that has blown into drifts and
is untrodden and clean. Snow is used
as a symbol for purity and whiteness.
Thank Shakespeare (The Winter's
Tale, 1611)

Rub the wrong way - Meaning: To bother or annoy someone. Origin: Early Americans, during the colonial times, would ask their servants to rub their oak floor boards "the right way." The wrong way (not wiping them with dry fabric after wet fabric) would cause streaks to form and ruin it, leaving the homeowner annoyed. Alternatively, it could have derived from rubbing a cat's fur the "wrong way" which annoys them.

Financial Support Needed

We need your continued financial support more than ever to cover our costs of operating the neighborhood association.

Enclosed is my gift of \$
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Please mail this form with your donation to:
NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood
Association,
2520 NE 88th Street
Vancouver, WA 98665



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Neighborhood Association Mission:

The residents of the Hazel Dell area established the NE Hazel Dell Neighborhood Association (NEHDNA) in order to unite the common interests and promote the welfare of the area. The association is involved with a variety of matters, which affect the livability of the neighborhood and community in general.

residents within All the association neighborhood boundaries or neighboring areas within an existing neighborhood association are welcome to attend participate in the association.



If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact one of the officers or board members listed on this page. The NEHDNA does not subscribe to any religious affiliation or political party. Our desire is to work together for the common good of neighborhood in which we all live. You don't have to live in the area to be a member or to come to the meetings! All are welcome.