

Directors:

Publicity Director

People who have held this position: Bev Bakos, Peggy Kimbell, Stephanie Rodden & John Cienki.

The Publicity director is responsible for using whatever means are available to publicize activities of the Society, primarily placing meeting and event notices in local newspapers, e.g. The Whidbey Marketplace, the South Whidbey Record, The Whidbey News Times, The Whidbey Examiner, and the Everett Herald. It includes updating local telephone directories, websites, and newspaper supplements to include the Society under “Clubs and Organizations.” The Publicity Director distributes Society brochures and flyers to bulletin boards in public places on Whidbey Island. At the 6/26/06 meeting the following locations were suggested: FHC, Chambers of Commerce, Clinton visitor centers, church bulletins, Post Offices, Senior Centers. The Outreach Committee distributes brochures to Whidbey libraries.

The Board has developed the following description to be used as a short, general description of GSSWI:

The Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island (GSSWI) has genealogy speakers at Trinity Lutheran Church from September through June at 1 p.m. on the 2nd Monday. Visitors are most welcome. Education classes and field trips are offered to members. Our members are researching family genealogies all over the world. Please see our website for more information.

Website: www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wagsswi

Meetings: 1 p.m. 2nd Mondays from Sept. through June at Trinity Lutheran Church

E-mail: genealogysociety@whidbey.com

Mailing Address: GSSWI; PO Box 1024; Freeland, WA 98249-1024

Contacts: Billie Barb (360-331-5715) or Ann Wright (360-579-2352)

News Releases in Local Newspapers: Keep copies of all releases so you’ll know what information you provided if they contact you. Keep a media notebook of all press clippings. **Find out the publication’s deadline date for submitting news releases** and be sure to include the following information:

- Organization: The Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island (GSSWI)
- Event and Speaker
- Date: day, month, date, year
- Time
- Location: Trinity Lutheran Church Chapel & Community Building – detailed directions are on our website
- Costs and/or deadlines
- Our website address: www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wagsswi
- Contact phones: Billie Barb (360-331-5715) or Ann Wright (360-579-2352)
- Email address: genealogysociety@whidbey.com

Bev Bakos has developed a current, comprehensive schedule of contacts, requirements, and deadlines that is found in the Publicity Director’s Job Guidelines notebook. Details below may have been changed.

1. **The South Whidbey Record** - The Record offices are located in Bayview. Meeting with the staff will prepare them for our notices and for inclusion in the “Social & Service Meetings - monthly”. E-mail editor@southwhidbeyrecord.com Be sure to meet the deadline for notices.

By request GSSWI meetings will be included in the S. Whidbey Schools & Events Calendar which comes out in August and the Whidbey Island almanac.

2. **The Whidbey News Times** – Submit a notice through the website www.whidbeynewstimes.com click on “submit your event” for their form. There is a web form for this..
3. **Whidbey Marketplace and Community Journal** – Offices are located at 6300 Storkson Drive Suite 2A (behind the Chevron off Bob Galbreth Road) – phone is (360) 341-5010. For event information e-mail editorial@whidbeymarketplace.com. Check submission form and instructions under “submissions” and “deadlines” at www.whidbeymarketplace.com
4. **Whidbey Examiner** – Submit a notice through the website www.whidbeyexaminer.com click on “Submit News & Events” for their form. There is also a section for our short statement under community organizations on their website. Jerry Case has submitted our information for this

MacGregor’s Whidbey Island Phone Book. This book comes out early in August. Contact them to get GSSWI into the Clubs & Organizations section in the front of the book.

Special Events/seminars:

Newspapers: Determine newspaper coverage policy for events. Would they send a reporter or photographer? Can you submit photos with an article?

Washington State Genealogical Society Newsletter: To be included in “Upcoming Events”, Check the WSGS Newsletter for deadlines and email address at www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wasgs/wsgssocs.htm . Also to other Societies in the area.

Brochures and flyers:

FHC, Chambers of Commerce, Oak Harbor & Clinton visitor centers, church bulletins, Post Offices, Senior Centers, ferry terminals

Feature Articles in The Record: Try to get publicity through more feature articles. Several articles have been published:

- “Discovering the Past” Harriet DeWolfe 4/26/2006
- “Freedom Bound” Doreen Johnson & Laura Roetcisoender 3/10/2004
- “Obituary Collection a Historical Triumph” Ralph Seefeld 3/15/2003

Stephanie L. Rodden and John J. Cienki
Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island
Co-Directors of Publicity 2008

March 2008

Publicity! That's an activity to take us back to our New York (but not Madison Avenue) roots! Our objective is to get the word out to the public about the great programs our Society has to offer, from monthly meetings with great speakers and educational programs, field trips, to special seminars, not to mention the company of like-minded people interested in sharing information about researching our own histories.

The Director(s) of Publicity participate in board meetings of the Society, both as contributors and as recipients of information to disseminate to the public. Our Program Chair has lined up eminent speakers an array of fields to appeal to our intellectual and practical interests, and they all deserve to attract as many members and future members as possible. In addition, it's important to keep in contact with the Education Directors, who offer a range of classes for beginning and more advanced genealogical researchers, based on the changing needs of Society members. Field trips are also an important component of our offerings, with a variety of venues showcasing different types of genealogy-related resources in our area.

Now for the down-to-earth part: the Publicity team needs to know which news sources will publish news releases about us, and what their deadlines are. Sometimes, in spite of filling out their forms directly online or by email, errors do occur, and we try to rectify these problems.

For those of us newer to Whidbey Island, it can be a challenge to get notices into as many possible news sources. Our best sources have included the *South Whidbey Record* (Langley) and their insert, "On Whidbey, *The Whidbey Examiner* (Coupeville), *Whidbey News Times* (Oak Harbor), and *Whidbey Marketplace & Community Journal*. We have also listed our events on the Oak Harbor Chamber of Commerce website calendar. Starting in April we will aim for inclusion in the *Everett Herald Examiner* as well as "Senior Currents," which is an insert in the *South Whidbey Record* and the *Whidbey News Times*. We welcome suggestions for other sources for publicizing our events.

This just in! We are proud to be a part of this energetic and talented group of people, and to share all the benefits with members by publicizing our activities. Who knows, maybe we'll find more notorious characters in our lineage, or at least expand our knowledge of our own histories. Besides, we can share our bond of interest in genealogy, and enjoy coffee and goodies every month too!

From the 2007-2008 GSSWI newsletter

SOCIAL & SERVICE MEETINGS

WEEKLY

Acoustic jam session: Every Thursday from 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Langley's Island Coffee House, 124 Second St. Bring your instrument/voice and jam on blues, country, folk, swing, etc. Call 221-2414 for more info.

Al-Anon: Friday, 7 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church Faith Room, Freeland; 341-2180.

Al-Anon: Sundays, starting Sept. 16 and every Sunday, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in Conference Room B at Whidbey General Hospital. For info, call Carole at 360-678-5801.

Alcoholics Anonymous: Every day, noon and 8 p.m., 432 Second St., Langley; 221-2070; Monday, 7:30 p.m., St. Peter's Lutheran Church, open, non-smoking; Monday, 7 p.m., House of Hope in Langley; Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, Freeland; Friday, 7 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church chapel sanctuary; 221-2070 or langleyfellowship@hotmail.com.

Chess and "Go" players: Monday, 7 p.m., Rockhoppers in Clinton. Contact John Goertzel for more info; 341-2434.

Co-Dependents Anonymous: Monday, 10 a.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, Freeland; 321-4337.

Community Youth Wind Ensemble: Tuesdays, 6:45 to 8 p.m. at the Scout building at the fairgrounds in Langley; 341-4490 for info.

Food Addicts Anonymous: Tuesday, 6 p.m., 432 Second St., Langley; 221-6314.

Geology of Whidbey Island: Wednesday, 9 a.m., e-mail for location; aardvark@whidbey.com or www.geocities.com/lovertonharold.

Immunization Clinic by Island County Health Department: Tuesday 1 to 4:30 p.m.; South Whidbey Community Health Services, 5475 S. Maxwellton, Langley; 321-5111, ext. 7269.

Kiwanis Club of South Whidbey: Thursday, 7 a.m. at Christian Missionary Alliance Church, Langley; 321-4448 for info.

Meditation Made Easy, a Path to Intuitive Enlightenment: Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; 331-7064, awaken@oraclewithin.com or www.oraclewithin.com.

Mothers' Circle: Tuesday, 10 a.m., House of Hope, Langley. New moms invited for tea and conversation. Informal. Call Bess Windecker-Nelson; 221-4767.

Narcotics Anonymous: Wednesday, 7 p.m., St. Augustine's in Freeland; Sunday, 6 p.m., House of Hope, across from fairgrounds in Langley; 800-805-3079.

Open mic night: Fridays at 6:30 p.m., Rockhoppers in Clinton.

All entertainers are invited to come and share their talent.

Overeaters Anonymous: Monday, 7 p.m., Coupeville; 360-678-9358 for location.

Rockhoppers Altered Book Group: Group meets Wednesdays, 7 p.m., noon, and Saturdays, 1 to 2 p.m.

Rotary of South Whidbey: Tuesday, 7:30 a.m., U.S. Bayview Country Club. For information on speakers and memberships, call 321-5867.

Senior Services of Island County: Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Bayview Senior Center. Meals, information and assistance, activities; 321-1600.

South Whidbey Co-operative Preschool playgroup: Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. all summer at Freeland Park. Bring the kids and learn more about the preschool, meet families and just have some fun.

South Whidbey Island LeTip: Wednesday (until Sept. 10 when it will be changed to Monday), 11:31 a.m. to 1:01 p.m. at China City in Freeland.

South Whidbey Knitters: every Tuesday, 2:30 p.m., St. Hubert. All knitters welcome, age 7-97; 321-5185.

State Health Insurance Benefits Advisor: Free one-on-one health insurance counseling for seniors or those under 65, including family coverage. Appointments are available from 9 a.m. to noon every Friday for a 45-minute session. Contact Bayview Senior Center at 321-1600.

Sunday market: Greenbank Farm hosts a Sunday market from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. through October. Vendors bring plants, produce and handcrafts of all kinds.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly: No. 534, Wednesday, 9 a.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, old building, Freeland, 360-678-1125 or 221-5193.

Weight Watchers: Thursday, 11:45 a.m. and 6 p.m., Deer Lagoon Grange, 5142 Bayview Road; 800-651-600.

MONTHLY

AA Monthly Speaker Meeting/Potluck: Sept. 8, 6 p.m. potluck, 7 p.m. speaker, St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Clinton; call 221-7777 for daycare, 331-7494 for information.

AAUW Whidbey Island Branch: Sept. 8, 10 a.m., Race Road Fire Station; call 221-3592 or 360-678-4298 for information.

Daughters of Norway, Esther Moe Lodge: Sept. 8, 9:30 a.m., St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Clinton; 331-1097 or 221-7841.

Bead Nuts of Whidbey Island: Sept. 9, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Freeland Library. E-mail nedlace@earthlink.net or call

360-720-9447 for info. At each meeting is usually a new beading project, stitch or technique taught by a member of the group. Open to everyone, without regard to age, gender or skill level.

Central Whidbey Sportsmen's Association: Sept. 10, 7:30 p.m., Clubhouse; 360-678-4868 or 360-678-0224.

Friends of the Langley Library: Sept. 10, 10 a.m., City Hall; 221-4383.

Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island: Sept. 10, 1 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church Annex Bldg., Freeland.

Masonic Lodge-Langley No. 218: Sept. 10, 7:30 p.m., South Whidbey Masonic Center; 331-5034 or 221-4430.

Quilters@Heart: Sept. 10, 6:30 p.m., Quilting By The Sea, Langley; 221-8171.

Stroke and Brain Injury Survivors Support Group: Sept. 10, 1 to 3 p.m., Bayview Senior Center; 321-1600.

Whidbey Island National Association for the Mentally Ill, support group: Sept. 10, 6:30 p.m., Freeland Library; 331-6774.

Women of St. Hubert's: Sept. 10, 10:30 a.m., St. Hubert Catholic Church, Langley; 221-6540.

ADHD Parent Support Group: Sept. 11, 7 p.m., Catholic Community Services, Oak Harbor; 888-280-8493.

Artists of South Whidbey: Sept. 11, 11:30 a.m., Brookhaven Hall, Langley; 221-8351.

Association of the Community at Holmes Harbor: Sept. 11 at 7 p.m. Call 331-7663 for meeting location and info.

Hepatitis C Support Group: Sept. 11, 7 to 8 p.m., Whidbey General Hospital; downstairs conference room, for info, call 360-678-6095, or e-mail janisi@whidbey.net.

Order of Eastern Star, Langley Chapter 159: Sept. 11, 7:30 p.m., Langley Masonic Temple; 331-5034.

Retired Public Employees of Washington: Sept. 11, 11:30 a.m., location alternates between Freeland and Oak Harbor; 360-679-7236 or 360-678-4188.

Spiritual Seekers: Sept. 11, 7 p.m., Fireside Room, Langley Methodist Church; 579-4350.

American Legion Post No. 141: Sept. 12, 6 p.m. Bayview American Legion Hall; 321-9989.

La Leche League of South Whidbey: Sept. 12, 1 p.m., Whidbey General South; 321-8513.

Singing Field Gathering: Sept. 12, 7 to 9 p.m. at 6560 Maxwellton Road; 579-2319.

South Whidbey Historical Society: Sept. 12, 1 p.m., Freeland Library; 221-2101.

South Whidbey Schools & Events



2007-2008 Calendar

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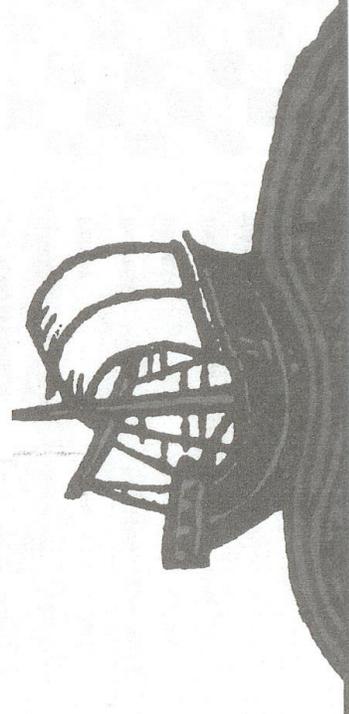
Four ways to reach us on-line...

- Event Information, Press Releases and Letters use..... editorial@whidbeymarketplace.com
- For Advertising Information use..... advertise@whidbeymarketplace.com
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- For all other inquiries, questions, comments and suggestions use..... info@whidbeymarketplace.com

Working Off-line?

Phone.....(360)341-5010
 Fax.....(360)341-2190
 Mailing Address.....PO Box 1043
 Clinton, WA 98236
 Physical Address.....6300 Storkson Drive Suite 2A, Clinton
 Behind the Chevron off Bob Galbreth Road

**The Whidbey Marketplace and Community Journal is a
 Member of these Chambers of Commerce:**
 Langley South Whidbey Chamber of Commerce
 Central Whidbey Chamber of Commerce
 Greater Oak Harbor Chamber of Commerce



**WHIDBEY
 MARKETPLACE
 AND COMMUNITY JOURNAL**

WHAT'S GOING ON?

EVENTS and ENTERTAINMENT

[All entries are listed chronologically, unless there are multiple entries for the same venue or are connected to a specific organization (such as Sno-Isle Libraries) in which case all entries for that venue or organization are listed collectively in chronological order under one heading.]

Into The Woods Jr, Musical

Friday and Saturday, August 10 and 11, 7:30PM;
Sunday, August 12, 2:30PM

Whidbey Playhouse, 730 SE Midway Boulevard,
Oak Harbor

Cost: See below

Tickets are now on sale for the Broadway Junior adaptation of the Sondheim and Lapine musical, "Into the Woods." With a cast of 21 elementary through high school students, "Into the Woods Jr." presents a new view of everyone's favorite fairy tale characters in an amusingly different take on the Brothers Grimm.

The musical follows a baker and his wife, where once upon a time, they journey into the woods on a quest to lift a witch's curse. On the way they cross paths with Little Red Riding Hood, Rapunzel, Cinderella, and a menagerie of other fairy tale characters. They pursue individual wishes until the stories become entangled in unexpected ways.

after sunset.

Friday, August 10: Casablanca, NR
Friday, August 24: The Goonies, PG

African Drum Jam

Thursday, August 23, 5:45pm - 6:30pm

Community Park, Picnic shelter, Langley

Cost: See below

Drum Jam will provide you the opportunity to drum and learn how to "jam." They will begin with basic rhythm patterns and build into multi-layered patterns with varying levels of complexity. The drum jam will end before the Concerts in the Park performance. All ages and abilities are welcome. No experience necessary. Drums provided. Drop in for \$7 per individual/family each night.

Concerts in the Park

Thursdays, 6:30PM - 8:00PM

Community Park, Langley

Cost: Free

Load the family in the car and head down to the park. Enjoy the hot summer nights with great food and a variety of music, from soulful blues to lively reggae.

August 23: Wildlife, Beatles Tribute

Save The Trees 30th Anniversary

Tickets are \$20 per person in advance, available at Violet Fields and Bayview Arts, Langley; Vino Amoré, Freeland; The Bayleaf, Coupeville; or by mailing a check at least a week prior to: Fetch!, PO. Box 212, Langley, WA 98260. (Ticket will be held at the gate); \$25 per person at the door. Price includes five wine tastes and gourmet goodies. Well behaved dogs on-leash and humans 21 or older only please.

Happy Hippie Fest

Saturday, August 11, 1:00pm - 9:00pm

Mukilteo Roasting Company, 5331 Crawford Road, Langley

Cost: See below

All ages, rain or shine. Music with Acoustic Interludes, Mars Hotel, The Squirrels, and Western Heros & Friends. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$15 at the door. For more information, call (360)321-5270.

Coupeville Arts and Crafts Festival

Saturday, August 11, 10:00AM - 6:00PM and

Sunday, August 12, 10:00AM - 5:00PM

Various Locations, Coupeville

The 44th annual art and craft festival, features

Following is a selection of **WHAT'S GOING ON** on Whidbey Island. For a more complete listing, please visit our web site at www.whidbeymarketplace.com.

Whats' Going On Legend Index of Location Abbreviations

CWSA: Central Whidbey Sportsmen's Association

PAC: Performing Arts Center

WCT: Whidbey Children's Theater

WICA: Whidbey Island Center for the Arts

media. These fascinating demonstrations are popular with children and adults. Come see artists demonstrate their craft at the Artists in Action area.

Art Show & Wine Reception

The association emphasizes fine arts in the Juried Art Gallery. Artists representing every visual medium are encouraged to enter this competition. Awards will be presented at a wine reception Friday evening, August 10, 7:00PM - 10:00PM. The Wine Reception is held in the Art Gallery at the Coupeville Recreation Hall. Guests may choose from a selection of wines provided by Bayleaf Deil located in Coupeville and Oak Harbor. Tickets for the wine reception are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door the evening of the reception. Ticket price includes a commemorative wine glass. Those unable to attend the preview of the Art Gallery Friday evening can spend quality time wandering through the juried artwork during Festival hours on Saturday and Sunday.

Children's Art Activities

Young children find a variety of fun, interactive things to do, and items to take home. In the children's activities tent near the food court, T-shirt paint.

South of Deception Pass Bridge. pen 7:00AM to 6:00PM, Monday to Saturday and 8:00AM to 6:00PM on Sunday. For more information, call (360)675-9438 or 1(800)934-9438 or on-line to www.DeceptionPass-Info.com.

Explorations in Fiber

Through Wednesday, October 10
Penn Cove Pottery, San de Fuca

Penn Cove Pottery presents new works in fabric and textiles by Marianne Burr, Carol Barton Jerome, Janet Steadman and Jo Van Patten. This body of new work by four Whidbey Island artists focused mostly on hand dyed materials, quilted and embellished with embroidery and handwork.

Penn Cove Pottery is located in the community of San de Fuca, halfway between Coupeville and Oak Harbor. It represents 8 fine Northwest potters and hosts 6 or 7 Art Quilt Exhibits a year. Hours are generally from 10:00AM until 6:00PM Monday through Saturday. For more information, call (360)678-6464.

Meetings and Organizations

Daughters of Norway Meeting

Saturday, September 8, 9:30AM
St. Peters Lutheran Church, Clinton

All women of Scandinavian descent or married into Scandinavian descent are welcome to attend. For more information, call Lorraine Smalley at (360)221 8227.

Artist of South Whidbey Meeting

Tuesday, September 10, 11:30AM
Brookhaven Meeting Room, Langley
Cost: Non-member donation \$5

Internationally known artist, Susan Hazard will speak at the meeting. Ms. Hazard's many travels have led her to Ireland, where she taught classes in watercolor, oils and pallet knife painting. Her works can be found in galleries throughout Ireland and the United States. Locally, her work may be seen at the Port Townsend Gallery.

ASW welcomes artists of all levels and media to join their meetings. Meetings begin with a sack lunch at 11:30AM and include informal discussions. The demonstration will begin at 12:00PM. For more information, call Susan McKinney at (360)222-3472.

Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island Meeting

Monday, September 10, 1:00PM
Trinity Lutheran Church, 18341 State Route 525, Freeland

As in the past, the September meeting will be centered on a 'Meet and Greet' theme. Members and guests should come prepared to give a very short synopsis of their current genealogical research with any geographical or time period emphasis. Also of interest to the membership would be any research or organizational tips found to be useful in genealogical research. Time per member will be limited so please be as concise and brief as possible. Plan to attend the September meeting to share your research interests with fellow members. Annual membership fees will also be paid at the September meeting.

Veterans of Foreign Wars and Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

Monday, September 10, 7:00PM
VFW Post, 3037 N. Goldie Road, Oak Harbor

Whitehead Muzzall Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7392 Meeting. VFW Post and Ladies Auxiliary members are encouraged to attend. The Post and Ladies Auxiliary meet monthly on the first Monday of every month, however in observance of Labor Day, September's meeting is one week later.

For more information regarding Whitehead-Muzzall Post and Ladies Auxiliary activities or for information on becoming a member, go on-line to www.vfwpost7392.org or call (360)675-7392.

Oak Harbor Garden Club Meeting

Tuesday, September 11, 8:30AM
United Methodist Church, 1050 SE Ireland Street, Oak Harbor

"Fall Foliage and Plants We Often Over-Look" will be the program. Their speaker Elea Acheson, of Bayview Gardens has 12 years of horticultural study and has worked at several nurseries before returning to Whidbey Island to offer her knowledge of landscaping and plants through Bayview Farm and Garden. Come join them for this program with snack and social time. Male and female members are welcome. For more information, call Marjorie at (360)675-6151 or Gail at (360)675-5723.

Gluten Intolerant Meeting

Thursday September 13, 12:00PM - 1:00PM
Christian Missionary Alliance Church, Langley

Come for the free soup and salad buffet. They will meet in the back corner of the dining area and have gluten free breads and dessert also available. They will share new flours and grains, recipes, helpful hints and favorite restaurants that can accommodate you.

If you are unable to attend please contact them so they can add you on the list for future gatherings at (360)321-4083.

Greenbank Progressive Club

Thursday, September 13, 6:00pm
Greenbank, Bakken and Firehouse Roads, Greenbank

Greenbank Progressive Club holds its monthly potluck dinner. Everyone is invited and asked to bring a dish to share and their own table service. This will be a business meeting to install new officers, celebrate the successes of the recent yard sale, plan for the new year and get acquainted with old friends and new neighbors. For more information, please call (360)678-5933.

ICAS Monthly Meeting

Monday, September 17, 6:30PM - 8:30PM
First United Methodist Church, 1050 SE Ireland Street, Oak Harbor.

Island County Astronomical Society meeting. Anyone interested in astronomy is invited to attend. For more information about ICAS or club events, contact Rick at (360)675-2269 or ICAS_rick_krys@comcast.net, or visit their web site at http://groups.msn.com/WashingtonICAS.



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Eagles, F.O.E. #3418

PO Box 925, Freeland
 Located one mile SE of Freeland at 16691 Highway 525. Aerie meets 1st & 3rd Tues; Auxiliary meets 1st & 3rd Mon.

Secretary360 321-5636

FETCH!

PO Box 212, Langley
 Provides off-leash dog areas for Island County.

Vicki Payne360 321-4049

Financial Women International

PO Box 345, Oak Harbor
 Dinner meeting every 2nd Tues.

Jo Balda360 679-4595

Friends of Freeland Library

PO Box 336, Freeland
 Supports Freeland library in its efforts to provide excellent library service. Meets 3rd Thurs, 7 pm, Freeland Library. Book sales 1st Sat of each month.

Joann Peterson360 331-3638

Friends of Langley Library

PO Box 365, Langley
 Meets 2nd Monday (except Jun, Jul, Aug & Dec), 10 am dessert, program, and meeting, Langley City Hall Meeting Room.

Vicky Welfare360 221-4383

Friendship Force of Whidbey Island

3712 S Emmet Pl, Langley
 A chapter of Friendship Force International, a worldwide organization that features home stays between people of 52 nations in order to develop friendships and promote peace.

Steve Strehlau360 730-1357

Genealogical Society of South Whidbey Island

PO Box 976, Langley
 Meets 2nd Monday, 1 pm, Trinity Lutheran Chapel; education class at 11:30 am.

Peggy Kimbell360 579-4322

Giraffe Heroes Project The

PO Box 759, Langley
 National non-profit finding heroes and getting their stories told in the media, schools, and in speeches – moving others to stick their necks out too.

Karyn Watkins360 221-7989

Greenbank Artists

463 Coddington, Coupeville
 Local artists meet to paint, Mon, 10 am-2 pm, Greenbank Community Clubhouse, and Tues at the Race Road Fire Station.

Urania Lindell360 678-0960

Greenbank Farm

765 Wonn Rd, Greenbank
 Greenbank Farm offers wine tasting, year-round markets, alpacas, walking trails and Whidbey Pie Cafe.

Laura Blankenship ...360 678-7171

Greenbank Garden Club

PO Box 115, Greenbank
 Meets 10 am, 1st Thurs, Sept-June at Greenbank Progressive Hall.

Deborah Heg360 678-7709

HOPE (Horsemanship Opportunities for Potential Equestrians)

PO Box 334, Langley
 Provides equine-assisted therapy for physical, intellectual, emotional & social benefits of individuals with disabilities.

Pat Webb360 221-7656

Impaired Driving Impact Panel of Island County/IDIPIC

PO Box 358, Oak Harbor
 Twice monthly DUI panel, free to general public. Free safety seminars to any groups as community service.

JoAnn Hellmann360 675-8397

Island County Amateur Radio Club

PO Box 352, Coupeville
 Promotes interest in amateur radio, event & emergency communications & field day exercise. Meets monthly last Sat at 9 am. Located at County Annex Bldg, upstairs.

Steve360 341-3369

Island County Astronomical Society (ICAS)

52 NW Jib St, Oak Harbor
 Shares knowledge and enjoyment of amateur astronomy with the community. Meets 3rd Monday, 7 pm, First United Methodist Church, Oak Harbor.

Rick Owens360 675-2269

Island County WSU Master Gardener Association

PO Box 5000, Coupeville
 Volunteers trained by Washington State University Ext to help home gardeners with gardening problems & answer basic gardening questions.

Judy Sexton360 240-5527

Kiwanis Club of South Whidbey Island

PO Box 153, Langley
 Service-minded men and women responding to the needs of the community and serving the children. Meets Thurs, 7 am, at the Useless Bay Golf & Country Club.

Tom Baxter360 579-3661

Knights of Columbus - John E O'Brien Council #3361

PO Box 795, Oak Harbor
 Meets 2nd Tues, 7:30 pm, Council Hall, 3259 N Goldie Rd.

Jack Newman Jr360 675-6070

La Leche League of Oak Harbor

2270 W Darvic Pl, Oak Harbor
 Good mothering through breast-feeding. Monthly information, support group, phone help, books and pamphlets.

Julie Wilson360 679-3562

Ladies' Auxiliary of Fleet Reserve Association

PO Box 742, Oak Harbor
 Meets 7 pm, 3rd Thursday, FRA Hall, 311 SE 8th Ave.

Edith R Goodman360 675-4778

Langley South Whidbey Chamber of Commerce

PO Box 403, Langley
 Works to promote business and maintain a livable local environment. Operates Visitor Information Center & Accommodation Referral Service.

Loretta Martin360 221-6765

League of Women Voters of Whidbey Island

PO Box 1933, Oak Harbor
 Nonpartisan. Encourages voter registration, sponsors candidate nights & issues forums, takes action on issues after careful study and member consensus.

Edie Pederson360 678-4220

Military Officers' Association of America

PO Box 255, Oak Harbor
 Fosters fraternal relations among retired, active and former officers of the uniformed services. Meets monthly, NAS Officers' Club.

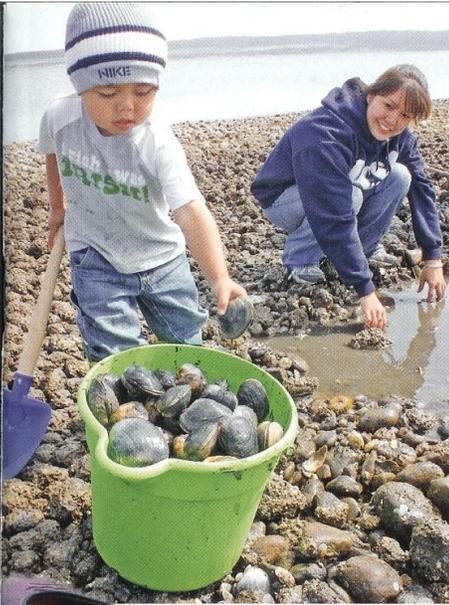
David Cohick360 675-5171

Navy Wives Club of America #150

PO Box 964, Oak Harbor
 Meet 1st Tues, 7:30 pm, Seaplane Base, Bldg 49.

Barb Mann360 679-5115





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