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Sneak peek at the 2024 Richmond Beach Garden Tour



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By Kris Fordice

I'm excited about this year's RBCA Garden Tour on **Saturday, June 1, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** We have nine gardens and hosts signed up for this year. Six gardens are new on the tour, and three are

favorites from past tours. Here's a sneak peek at a couple of the gardens.

Kruckeberg Botanic Garden is on the tour again this year. See what's new at the only botanic garden in Shoreline, our neighborhood **Kruckeberg Botanic Garden!** This special place is home to over 2,000 native and rare plants and is celebrating over 15 years as a public garden. Once the home of Dr. Art Kruckeberg, professor of botany at the University of Washington, and his wife, Mareen, the garden and the MsK Nursery are now operated by the Kruckeberg Botanic Garden Foundation, where volunteers are welcome!

New for this year's tour, visit the hoop house where many of the garden plants are propagated. Chat with experienced horticulturists, and be sure to shop the MsK Nursery for plants for your garden. Also new this year is the ADA boardwalk that descends to the lower garden through the conifer canopy of Douglas Firs—completion set for summer 2024. While visiting, follow paths through the Children's Discovery Garden to the Pacific Northwest Native Plant Demonstration Garden. Be sure to check out "Wood Wave," a four-ton sculpture by artist Bruce Johnson, made from a 1,000 year old redwood tree. Climbing on the sculpture is encouraged. Don't miss visiting and revisiting this magical garden!

Dana Niblack's garden is new on the tour. Dana's garden is a work in progress and is a

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Strawberry Festival: food and activities for all!

By Katie McNeil

The annual Richmond Beach Strawberry Festival returns Saturday, June 8. You've saved the date, now here's what you have to look forward to.

From the parade to live music, Strawberry Festival activities have one goal in mind—building community. Bring your family and invite your neighbors to join us for a day of fun, food and togetherness.

Community Parade Kickoff

Help us kick off the start of the festival by participating in the Strawberry Festival Community Parade, starting at 11:45 a.m. and led by the Shorewood High School drumline. This year's parade theme is Olympics! Represent your country or favorite sport and march the perimeter of the park together to kick off the festival! All ages welcome.

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Save the date!

Garage Sale
May 4th

Garden Tour
June 1st

Strawberry Festival
June 8th

Being well

Choosing a passionate mindset

By Carol Frieberg

Life is too short for habits and routines that keep us stuck feeling like our life is passing us by. There's a common thought pattern of behavior that potentially keeps us stuck in a cycle of waiting for our best life to begin. We probably have all experienced it at one time or another . . . **we keep waiting to "find passion" somewhere outside ourselves.**

To counter this tendency, we must first believe in our heart that we are meant to live each day full of passion and purpose—that each and every moment is worthy in its own way. And we must remind ourselves that passion is not something we find in life, rather it's something we develop within ourselves.

Many of us are still hopelessly trying to "find our passion"—something that we believe will lead us closer to happiness, success or the ultimate life situation that will consume and fulfill us. But the truth is that passion can't really be found. When we say we're trying to find our passion, it implies that our passion

is elusive, somewhere "out there," hiding in a place that requires a treasure map. But that's far from the truth. If you're waiting to somehow "find your passion" somewhere outside yourself, in order to have a reason to put your whole heart and soul into your life, you'll likely be waiting around for a long time.

On the other hand, if you're tired of waiting, and you're open to experiencing small positive changes, and you're excited to live more passionately starting today, it's time to full-heartedly introduce passion into the very next thing you do. Think about:

- When was the last time you sat down and had a conversation with someone with zero distractions and 100% focus?
- When was the last time you exercised and put every bit of effort you could muster into it?
- When was the last time you truly tried—*truly tried*—to do your very best?

Like most of us, you may be putting a lukewarm effort into most of the things you do in your daily life. Because you're still waiting. You're still waiting to "find" something to be passionate about—some magic

crayon that brings color to the life you always dreamed you would create for yourself. But the magic is really to do the exact opposite! Stop waiting for better opportunities. Believe it's possible that the opportunity you have in front of you is the best opportunity. Stop waiting for perfection and just do your best with what you have today, then improve upon it tomorrow. Whether it be a work opportunity, an exercise habit, a relationship or the way you treat yourself—stop waiting for the passion to find you—rather with intention, spark passion right where you are.

Adapted from an article by Marc Chernoff (Marc & Angel Hack Life).

Bloodmobile in Richmond Beach on Garage Sale Day

By Tom Petersen

While out hunting for treasures, consider leaving something special with Bloodworks Northwest! The mobile unit will be at the Fire Safety Center from **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Garage Sale Day, Saturday, May 4**. These are earlier hours than the last drive, in response to high demand for earlier appointments times.

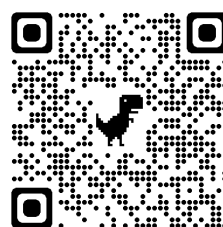
Richmond Beach welcomed the return of regular blood drives after a four-year pandemic absence with a huge response, "filling the bus" on March 2. Bloodworks hopes to see every bed full again, as the need for blood is still acute.

There were many first-time donors in March, and the hope is that they will return and establish the every-eight-week habit . . . and encourage others.

Appointments are made at bloodworksnw.org or by calling (800) 398-7888.



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Kids Activities

While parents enjoy strawberry shortcakes, kids can get wiggles out in the bounce houses, play carnival games, get their faces painted, complete an art project, blow bubbles, draw with chalk and, of course, play on the playground with friends.

Music Lineup

It's not a festival without music, and Tom Petersen has lined up some great bands. While you browse the booths of local businesses and grab some food truck grub, jam to four different bands playing everything from rock and blues to jazz and salsa!

Strawberry Shortcake

Whatever you munch on, save room for our traditional strawberry shortcake, a Strawberry Festival must! The Richmond Beach Community Association serves up this treat as a nod to our neighborhood's strawberry farm heritage. Fresh strawberries and whipped cream are piled on top of fresh shortcakes from Edmonds Bakery.

Food Trucks

Be sure to come hungry because you'll have plenty of food options. Four food trucks will be serving everything from Indian to Mexican to Southern food. Grab a street taco from Isidro's, an espresso from Vulpine, pizza from Oskar's or an authentic po'boy from Where Ya At, Matt.

Join Us!

The RBCA's mission is to build community. The annual Strawberry Festival is our signature event to do just that. We hope to see you and your neighbors there!

The Strawberry Festival will be held on Saturday, June 8, from 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. at Richmond Beach Community Park. Please plan to walk or carpool to this popular event. If needed, limited overflow parking will be available at the Richmond Beach Congregational Church, in the upper lot located off 15th Avenue.

Questions or suggestions? Email the Strawberry Festival committee at strawberryfestival@richmondbeachwa.org.

Volunteers Needed

We are still actively looking for more volunteers from the community to help out. Whether it's in the days leading up, during or for cleanup after we wrap, we need many hands to help with all aspects of this incredible event. If you think you can spare an hour or two, please go to tinyurl.com/zs66bj7 or use the QR code on this page to sign up.



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You can help build community together by joining the Richmond Beach Community Association today! Support community events, neighborhood enhancements, communication and fun!



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Community profile

A glimpse into the life and times of Bill and Marge Griffin - Part 2



Last call for Richmond Beach graduates

By Sheri Ashleman

Do you have a family member, friend or neighbor graduating this year? We would like to hear about their accomplishments and activities and share them with the community in the June issue of the Richmond Beach Community News. All Richmond Beach students graduating from high school, college or a vocational trade school are eligible. **The deadline for submitting a paragraph is May 10.**

The entry should include information about the student's school experience (sports, music, clubs, academics, awards) or other memorable experiences (church activities, employment, volunteer work, travel) and what their plans are for the next chapter of their life. Space is limited, so keep submissions to 100 words or less. Please do not include personal accolades from family and friends. All submissions to the newspaper are subject to editing.

If you need help getting started, visit richmondbeachwa.org/newsletternewspaper and look at the article in last year's June issue of the newspaper.

If you or someone you know from the neighborhood fits this description, please email the graduating senior's information to Sheri Ashleman at sashleman@comcast.net by May 10. The deadline is coming up fast—don't miss this opportunity!



BILL AND MARGE GRIFFIN IN 2015

-PHOTO COURTESY JOHN GRIFFIN

By Lewis Brown

I talked with Bill Griffin about the acquisition and construction of the Richmond Beach Library and park. He and his wife, Marge, were active leaders in their years as residents in the tumultuous and momentous growth years from 1970-2000.

Many of the buildings in the area of Richmond Beach west of 20th Avenue were constructed in the early part of the century before 1930, including the Griffins' home at 197th and 24th. The Richmond Beach Library had been supported by the community for many years and housed its collection in an old home nearby. Until 1971, Richmond School was at 196th and 21st. The school and its fields dated from the 1920s and served K-8th grades for the early years of the town.

As the northern edge of King County grew, so did the need for schools. The northern region of King County was organized as Shoreline School District, the first such use of the name Shoreline. The old Richmond Beach School buildings needed major renovations. Instead, the Shoreline School District closed the school in 1971 and sent the students to the new schools being constructed.

The Richmond Beach community did not have city buildings or meeting places. Why not lease the old school buildings and use them for a community center? Bill and Marge Griffin, along with a cadre of neighbors, secured a lease and used the old school and grounds as a community center. Bill and Marge managed the use of the classrooms and gymnasium for local organizations until 1979, when King County condemned the buildings. It seemed the school district would never use the property again and likely would sell it. The land sat vacant and neglected. Would it end up as apartments? Marge was talking to the King County Parks Department, urging them to buy the property for a park.

Richmond Beach was a small beachside community at the very

northern edge of King County, and it took community initiative to gain assistance and services from those managing King County. Marge was involved with the Richmond Beach Library Association, and the group realized the old house now serving as the library was just beyond maintenance. The group asked the King County Library System to build a new library in the community. KCLS was not interested.

When Marge became President of the Richmond Beach Library Association, she led the efforts to get a new library. Her patient and determined leadership navigated the association through the meetings with KCLS, who finally saw the condition of the old house and the needs of the community, found some money and began to look at properties in Richmond Beach.

In the meantime, the county parks department finally bought the old school property, but did not have the budget to maintain it as a park. They tore down the old school buildings, but the land sat undeveloped.

It was Marge Griffin who envisioned a new library for the community and a local park. The KCLS would buy part of the land to build a new library and county parks

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Shoreline Firefighters Association Annual Egg Hunt: an egg-cellent Easter tradition

By Tyler Klein

Each year, the Shoreline Firefighters Association puts on their annual Easter Egg Hunt at Richmond Beach Saltwater Park. This year's event was held on Saturday, March 30, with the egg hunt to begin at 1:00 p.m. sharp. When I checked the calendar Friday, I grew excited at the thought of bringing my 4-year-old son, Will, to the park the next day.

We are lucky to live close to Richmond Beach Saltwater Park, so Will and I left our house by bicycle to make the start time. We witnessed the magnificent annual migration of the many families walking or cycling to the park for the hunt. As we passed The Little Store, more and more kids seemed to materialize from each street we passed. Several were carrying Easter baskets that looked like something from Longaberger, but many carried whatever makeshift receptacles they found to hold their loot. For our part, Will's bright green backpack was waiting to be stuffed with eggs.

By the time we parked the bikes at the top of the hill and walked down the stairs, it felt like there were hundreds of people waiting for the final egg hunt countdown. With moments to spare, Will was able to find a spot among the many excited, friendly faces, and at 1:00 p.m. on the nose, the frenzy began.

Like the namesakes of the Hungry Hungry Hippos board game, the kids spread out to frantically gobble up their coveted prizes. In less than five minutes, nearly every egg was removed from the ground. As in years past, I was thankful for people like Peter (one of the firefighters-in-training) who kindly dropped eggs near those children unable to locate them unless directly in their line of sight and pointed out to them. (I can tell you this "egg blindness" does not only affect kids, nor is it confined to



eggs. My family can confirm I too suffer from this affliction.)

To the delight of all the children, each plastic egg opened rewarded them with candy. Based on the volume of eggs in the park that morning, I sincerely appreciated all the firefighters and volunteers who must have spent several hours filling the eggs.

The sense of community and joy extended beyond the egg hunt itself. I was happy to see Will's friend share candy with another child who didn't find as many eggs. It was also wonderful seeing people we knew from the neighborhood and meeting several new friends. Music kept the atmosphere festive, especially as the kids turned their focus from hunting eggs to the fire trucks located in the lower parking lot. The firefighters and firefighters-in-training were gracious with their time, patience and kindness as they allowed kids to explore each of the rigs. One of the firefighters I met (Rebecca) was happy to answer all of Will's many questions.

I have been attending this event for years, even before living in this wonderful community. I am so thankful to all who helped with this event, and we can't wait to return next year!



LOTS OF KIDS ENJOYED THE EGG HUNT, INCLUDING WILL KLEIN ON FIRE TRUCK TOP LEFT

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good example of young plantings. Purchased in September 2020, the half-acre property included a garden that had been neglected for ~25 years. Dana, at that time a novice gardener, was greeted with 8,000 sq. ft. of landscaping fabric covered with drain rock, bark mulch, ivy and blackberry with a row of 15 ft. tall shrubs that had been chronically sheared and a madrone that had been cut into a laurel hedge. So began a multi-year project to develop garden rooms, including a drought-tolerant, sunny front garden, the “hot” garden—so named because it features red, orange and yellow colors that are favored by Dana’s husband, Paul—and a meditation garden. The latest project is the installation of a greenhouse, completed in January 2024.

Do you have a gardening question? New this year there will be master gardener volunteers at two of the gardens. They will provide you with relevant and unbiased information focused on environmentally friendly gardening practices. Maybe they can help me with my bunny problem!

Looking forward to spring!



THE NIBLACK’S “HOT” GARDEN

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Board Busy-ness

By Allison Taylor

The March 27 community meeting of the Richmond Beach Community Association was held at the Richmond Beach Congregational Church and was an evening of information sharing and gathering, business and the chance to connect with neighbors. Event coordinators for the Community Garage Sale, Garden Tour and Strawberry Festival described each event and the ways to participate, either as attendee or a volunteer.

Linda Finch, the Recreation & Cultural Services Superintendent

for the City of Shoreline, presented an overview of the department and the activities of Shoreline city services they manage. She encouraged community members to take advantage of the wide range of programs offered through the city and shared information on how a lens of equity and inclusion is used while designing programming for the community.

Board Member Chris Youngs led the community discussion time, which was an opportunity for attendees to voice concerns, ask questions and offer information. Among the issues raised were the

disposition of Point Wells, traffic on Richmond Beach Road and the financial support of the association. One of the residents contributed the information that the decision about Point Wells was still in dispute, but Woodway was prepared to annex the area. In response to traffic concerns, Adam Star, RBCA Treasurer, suggested that residents use the SeeClickFix app the city uses to gather input on problems or issues. The information is on the city website at shorelinewa.gov/services/submit-a-service-request. Star also answered questions about the financial accounts and the income the association receives from our events and our memberships. Board Member Patrick McNulty commented on the association's presence on social media. Board President Lewis Brown commented on the need for greater membership, noting we have about 500 supporting members out of our 2,700 households.

Attendees had many suggestions for other events that could benefit the community and support the association. While the board members were enthusiastic about the ideas, they noted the vital need for community volunteers to actively support these events since the nine board members carry out the current board functions and community activities and still are adapting to functioning without the support of a paid executive director.

Proposed changes to the bylaws were made available for member review and were unanimously approved. Nineteen votes were cast in favor of the board's proposed amendments.

The next community meeting will be at the Richmond Beach Community Park this summer. Watch your RBCA paper, social media and our website, and

sign up for our e-notifications. See richmondbeachwa.org/newletter.html#/ for more details.

Kudos

By Chris Youngs

We have many thanks to share this month, starting with **Constance Perenyi** of the city of Shoreline for her support of the neighborhood organizations that serve our communities. Her advice, referrals, connections and patience are much appreciated.

A warm thank you to **Linda Finch**, Recreation & Cultural Services Superintendent in the city of Shoreline Parks and Recreation Department, for coming to speak at our March community meeting and sharing all the great and wonderful events and programs the city has on offer in 2024.

Closer to home, kudos to our Orca wranglers, **George Buswell**, **Heinz Streng**, **Jim Joki**, **Randy Ziegler** and **Tom Mailhot**. Between the five of them, the artwork is installed and stored seasonally! Richmond Beach wouldn't be the same without our Orcas, and we're lucky to have our wranglers willing to lend a hand each year.

Even closer to this writer's heart, a warm thank you to **Sheri Ashleman**, community volunteer extraordinaire and proofreader for your very own Richmond Beach Community News. Her careful pen brings each of our writers' contributions a little more life and clarity. And finally, a special and heartfelt thanks to **Betty Ngan**, our tireless, patient and amazing production manager. This paper would not exist without her!



MARCH 27 RBCA COMMUNITY MEETING

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could develop the rest of the land as a park for the community.

The process was not simple. The effort took the active and persistent pursuit of many residents of the Richmond Beach community. It would eventually take years of budget delays, negotiations, a land swap between county departments, legal challenges and environmental studies.

It was Marge Griffin's leadership and her steady and persistent management of the resident teams, which took them through the countless meetings and hearings. They had to surmount the legal challenges and fulfill the county procedures. Marge formed a group called People for a Library in the Park. Bill helped Marge plan their strategies, make their arguments and gather documentation and witnesses. They were able to win a decision of No Significant Impact in the county environmental studies to satisfy the state requirements. The project could go forward.

Bill Griffin served as one of the presidents of the RBCA during that time, supporting Marge as she led the efforts to preserve the land to benefit the entire community. Next, the community worked through the architectural design and approval and permit process. She and her teams persisted to see the library and adjoining park become reality.

Marge led the nearly 30 years of effort to turn the four acres of prime land in Richmond Beach into the library and park we enjoy today. She saw the old Richmond School close in 1971. She worked for years for her community and finally took part in the opening of the new library in 2001.

When the new Richmond Beach Library was ready for books, she and Bill and several of her sons

and daughters and their children, were part of hundreds who formed a relay line. At the grand opening, they symbolically passed the books from the children's section up the hill along Richmond Beach Road into the new library, handing them one by one from the old house where the library had been into the new library.

Marge Griffin was a quiet and determined wife and mother of four children. She was also a visionary who did the work of making possible the Richmond Beach Library and park we enjoy today. Many residents were involved over the years, but someone had to mastermind the process, to keep the process on track, to look past the problems and see what is possible. That person was Marge Griffin.



THE RELAY LINE FORMED TO MOVE LIBRARY BOOKS TO THE NEW LIBRARY BUILDING
-PHOTO BY KEVIN SILL

FRBL boutique book sale on June 8



By Karen Thielke

The Friends of the Richmond Beach Library will be hosting a boutique book sale, a raffle and a curated art silent auction at the Strawberry Festival on June 8. We are excited to offer this new approach to fundraising to support programs for children, teens and adults at the library. We are grateful for the donation of current, high-quality books that have already come in and look forward to any more that you can provide. Please give your donations to the librarians whenever the library is open or to the book sale team on Tuesdays from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. in the meeting room.

Our donated art items and themed raffle baskets will be on display in the meeting room during the Strawberry Festival. Each raffle basket will have a separate ticket collection point so you can select the items you want to win! The silent auction for our donated art items will go on until the closing time of 4:00 p.m. or until someone bids the "buy-it-now" price. Be sure to stop in the library when you are at the Strawberry Festival and take home some great deals.

The library continues to offer more and more programs and services. Check us out!

Anina's Corner

By Anina Coder-Sill

Critters

In the 1980s, raccoons appeared in our Richmond Beach yard. A family with babies looked in the French doors and charmed us with their inquisitive nature and dexterous paws. We rolled the mother an egg—I do not do that anymore. That same decade, a possum visited and got stuck in our garbage bin. I have not seen one here for years, but the raccoons still visit. There was even a deer a few winters ago during a big ice/snowstorm.

In the 1960s, we had slugs; now there are snails (which raccoons eat). We had resident garter snakes and just once, a tree frog. At the beach, a friend and I found a sea urchin. We dug for gooey ducks and clams at low tide and caught bottom fish (lingcod and rock cod?) near the Point Wells dock. They may still live here, but there is a limited fishing season.

Now we have coyotes, and I have seen bats, a covey of quail and heard owls. As a child, I do not remember seeing eagles, herons and ospreys, which live here now—but it is possible I just was not paying attention. A couple of years ago at Edmonds beach, I was excited to see a brown pelican, but wonder if it is here because the climate is changing.



RACCOON IMAGE BY GARY BENDIG ON UNSPLASH



THE OLD RICHMOND BEACH LIBRARY BUILDING
-PHOTO (SHM-216) FROM ARCHIVES AND WITH PERMISSION OF SHORELINE HISTORICAL MUSEUM

The orcas are back!



ORCA WRANGLER, GEORGE BUSWELL, INSTALLING AN ORCA AT SALTWATER PARK
-PHOTO BY TOM MAILHOT

Music and Shakespeare return to Richmond Beach parks this summer

By Teresa Pape
ShoreLake Arts Programs
Director

ShoreLake Arts is excited to announce a summer full of live performances in local parks as part of the annual Concerts in the Park series. The series kicks off with a Juneteenth Celebration on June 19 at Shoreline City Hall. It also features concerts at Animal Acres Park in Lake Forest Park.

The two most popular events take place right in the Richmond Beach neighborhood. *Shakespeare in the Park* will be on Wednesday, July 10, at the Richmond Beach Community (Library) Park. On Wednesday, July 24, join us at Kruckeberg Botanic Garden for the fun and humorous folk sounds of *The Whateverly Brothers*. There may be a sea shanty or two for you to sing along with. Although these events are free to the public, ShoreLake Arts does pay for the performers and musicians and relies on sponsorships and donations to offset the cost.

Vault 177 has generously sponsored the Richmond Beach performances and Windermere's Jack Malek has sponsored the whole series of concerts. When you attend the events, please consider donating to ShoreLake Arts and, of course, please consider supporting the local businesses that support the arts.

For a complete list of concerts, times and bands, check out the ShoreLake Arts website at shorelakearts.org/concerts-in-the-park. All events are free and family friendly. Join us in supporting our local musicians and performers with a joyful, fun, night out with friends, family and the community!

Monday, June 19, 6:00 p.m.
Shoreline City Hall Plaza
Celebrate Juneteenth

Wednesday, June 28, 6:30 p.m.
Pfingst Animal Acres Park
Portage Bay Big Band | Swing Era

Wednesday, July 10, 7:00 p.m.
Richmond Beach Community Park
Shakespeare in the Park
(This event is sponsored by Vault 177)

Wednesday, July 17, 7:00 p.m.
Cromwell Park
Tinsel Town Mafia | Popular Film Soundtracks

Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.
Kruckeberg Botanic Garden
The Whateverly Brothers | Folk Music with humor
(This event is sponsored by Vault 177)

Wednesday, July 31, 6:30 p.m.
Pfingst Animal Acres Park
E. Pruitt Band | Funk and Soul

Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 p.m.
Kruckeberg Botanic Garden
The Whateverly Brothers | Folk Music with humor
(This event is sponsored by Vault 177)

Saturday, August 10, 4:00 p.m.
Pfingst Animal Acres Park
Art in the Park | Shakespeare and Art Projects

Bring your low-backed chairs, blankets and picnic supplies, or grab a to-go meal from Vault 177 as you head to your local park. Dress for the weather.

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