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Annual Ice Cream Social Wednesday, July 11, 2012 6:30-8:00 PM Chuckanut Firehouse

Everyone and their guests are invited. There's going to be free ice cream, tours of the fire trucks for kids, a DJ playing 50-60's Sock Hop Music, and a chance to meet the Park Rangers from Larrabee State Park.

A rollicking good time with good neighbors and good friends

Celebrate the summer in style-come cool down and fill up on ice cream. There's a rumor the two flavors will be Cookies & Cream and Luscious Strawberry.



Hope to see you there!



President's Message

With two recent home break-ins during the last few months, the value of neighborhood security and communication becomes more apparent. The latest occurred over Memorial Day weekend on Whitecap Road, when the residents were out of town. A full report has been posted as a User Bulletin, by CBCA Vice President (and Whitecap Road pod captain) Chris Donaldson, on our website -- www.chuckanutcommunity.org.

User Bulletins are accessible to those who sign in with usernames and passwords, so if you haven't signed up yet, send an email to admin@chuckanutcommunity.org requesting your registration code. As a registered user, you will be able to read and post User Bulletins, have access to the online directory, and edit your own directory entry.

General bulletins are available to all those who go to the website, without needing a login. However, potentially sensitive information, such as the above-mentioned report, is password protected.

On a more positive note, the Annual Chuckanut Ice Cream Social is coming up on July 11th at the Chuckanut Firehouse. You and your guests are invited for free ice-cream, firetrucks on display, a DJ playing 50-60's music, and the Park Rangers from Larrabee State Park. Thanks to Chris Donaldson for taking the lead on organizing this event.

Hope to see you there!

J. Michael Newlight President

From Your Editor:

Summer is here, time for **Ice Cream**, hiking, biking, boating, fishing, crabbing, barbequing, playing in the sun, you choose.







Our website is expanding. You can now submit any news, announcements, articles, photos, ideas etc. to:

editor@chuckanutcommunity.org

Georgia Heald

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Community

Recent Robberies in Our Area

As a precaution to our neighbors, we are taking this opportunity to alert you to the fact that our home on Whitecap Road was burglarized over Memorial Day weekend. There was also another robbery on the Hiline Road earlier this year.

In both incidences electronics were taken and in our case, jewelry and personal items as well. It was reported there was more than one person involved and a getaway car was parked along the road in the Hiline incident.

It was obvious in our case they were here during the night and felt comfortable taking their time to go through everything in the house.

The Sheriff said that it is very common to have this happen during a holiday as people are often away. We should; of course, do all we can personally to prevent a break in but collectively we can all keep our eyes out for parked cars along the side roads, especially at night. We should perhaps jot down the license number or a description of the car or truck when possible.

It has been suggested that we use our Pod Captains to inform everyone when a robbery has occurred. This would keep fresh in our minds the possibilities of a break in in our neighborhood.

A web site has been established at <u>Chuckanutcommunity.org</u> for these kinds of situations. The Bulletin Board would be the logical place to enter information about a robbery.

We would appreciate our neighbors sharing information with us all for the betterment of our community.

Stay alert over the upcoming 4th of July holiday!

Ron and Sue Barter Whitecap Road

Chuckanut Footrace

Come out and cheer the runners and walkers in the 45th annual Chuckanut Footrace on July 7. The seven-mile race starts at Marine Park at 9am, follows the Interurban Trail, and finishes at Larrabee State Park with live music, food and drink. This race was initiated in 1967 by Chuckanut residents **Dr. John and Nancy Arnold and Frank Schultz** under the leadership of the Cascade Wilderness Club as a way to get in shape for summer.

Photos

Ice Cream Social July 6, 2011













Fire Authority



Smoke Alarm Safety

By Erica Work, Public Educator, South Whatcom Fire Authority

Did you know that having working smoke alarms in your home more than doubles your chance of surviving a fire? Most fire fatalities occur at night when people are asleep, and in homes without an adequate number of working smoke alarms. Below are some tips to protect your family in the event of a fire.

- Smoke alarms should be placed in each bedroom, outside each sleeping area, and on each level of your home in main living areas.
- Change your smoke alarm batteries at least once a year, or buy alarms with 10-year lithium batteries that don't require changing.
- Test your batteries monthly by pushing the test button on your alarms.
- Vacuum your alarms a few times a year with a wand attachment.
- Replace your entire smoke alarm units every 7-10 years.
- Children often sleep through the sound of a smoke alarm.
- Your home escape plan should include waking children while leaving the house.

South Whatcom Fire Authority has a limited number of smoke alarms available for residents of our region. Contact Erica Work at ework@whatcomES.org if you are unable to replace outdated smoke alarms on your own.

CPR

A free CPR class for South Whatcom Fire Authority residents is scheduled for Monday, August 13th, from 6:30-9:00 p.m. at the Geneva fire station, 4518 Cable Street. Topics covered include adult/child CPR, use of the automated external defibrillator (AED), and relief of choking. Students will receive a completion card from the American Heart Association at the end of class. To sign up or for more information contact Erica Work at ework@whatcomES.org or 360-220-2994.

Neighborhood Pod Captains

Pod Manager: Ken Kaliher – 734-2096

Volunteer Captain	Address	Phone
Carin Gurliaccio	289 Beacon Road	733-3870
All on Beacon Rd, Cove Rd E of RR tracks (10)		
Marsha Riek	297 Beacon Road	733-8277
Working together with Carin Gurliaccio above		
Chris Thorndike-Kent	1338 Chuckanut Crest Drive	920-5210
Marsha Alan	1385 Chuckanut Crest Drive	734-8538
B.K. Smith—All on Chuckanut Crest Lane (5)	1234 Chuckanut Crest Lane	676-1955
Diane Smith—All on Brighton Crest Dr.& Lane (19)	1234 Chuckanut Crest Lane	676-1955
Martie Lopez—All on Kathryn Lane (3)	1595 Kathryn Lane	756-0706
Susan Gelhar	655 Chuckanut Drive	752-0177
Frank Schultz	694 Chuckanut Drive	676-0115
self, plus all on Chuckanut Heights Road (9)		
Al Race	892 Chuckanut Drive	734-4491
754-924 Chuckanut Drive (9, even #s only)		
Kathy Lorson Howell	1096 Chuckanut Drive	736-0416
938-1054 Chuckanut Drive (18, even #s only)		
Will Cady	1105 Chuckanut Drive	756-0511
933-1127 Chuckanut Drive (18; odd #s only)		
Ken Kaliher (Klipsun)	1207 Chuckanut Drive	734-2096
1177-1247 Chuckanut Drive (9; odd #s only)		
Dale Anderson & Joanie Greenberg	1317 Chuckanut Drive	592-0223
1275-1306 Chuckanut Drive (7; six odd)		
DL (Pat) & Mary Patterson	1329 Chuckanut Drive	922-0049
1325-1458 Chuckanut Drive (12; eight odd)		
Liz Wright—All on Chuckanut Point Road (25)	280 Chuckanut Point Road	671-5518
Nancy Stumvoll (working with Liz Wright above)	266 Chuckanut Point Road	738-7928
Gale Gropp	745 Chuckanut Shore Road	733-3991
Richard Tucker	919 Chuckanut Shore Road	734-8815
Ethelyn Payne—340-373 Cove Road	345 Cove Road	734-4972
Emily Larson-Rutter	502 E. Dolphin Place	647-1343
Susan Brown—123-185 Hiline Road (7)	185 Hiline Road	650-9511
Carletta Vanderbilt	915 Hiline Road	676-6044
Laura Leigh Brakke—All on Pleasant Bay Rd. (11)	585 Pleasant Bay Road	734-3771
Julie Carpenter—All on Soundview Road (10)	101 Soundview Road	647-1215
Rolf Park Working with Julie Carpenter above	107 Soundview Road	647-9632
Chris Donaldson—All on Whitecap Road (22)	567 Whitecap Road	676-8955
Ralph & Joyce Gardner	524 Whitecap Road	738-4054
Working with Chris Donaldson on Whitecap		

Pod Captains candidates are particularly needed on Heron Point Lane

CBCA

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		Will Cady	756-0511
		Memorial Garden	
		Susan Brown	650-9511
		Frank Schultz	676-0115

On-Going Fund Raisers: Call the Pattersons 922-0049

Books

Chuckanut Chronicles
Chuckanut Memories
\$16.50 each
Historic Chuckanut Cook Book
\$3 each

Note Cards

Chuckanut Memories Chuckanut Island Six for \$1

Reflective ID Driveway Posts

Available at \$25 each. These will easily identify your house in an emergency.

CBCA Mission

The **Association** shall be maintained by the members as an administrative, fundraising, and social organization devoted to the safety and welfare of the Chuckanut community.

Bulletin Board

House Sitter

Mature women with experience, available for housesitting. Loves pets, walking dogs etc. Times flexible. I would love to help you while I visit my family in the area. References available. For more information call Joost or Gail Knops 738-6035.

Pet, Plant, Yard, and House Care

Evan and Hadley Frazier, two responsible and hard-working Chuckanut residents, would like to help you this summer. They have five years' experience as animal and plant care-takers, and are available days and evenings to feed, walk, play, and give general care to your pets or tend indoor/outdoor plants. Evan, 16, is also available for general yard work, window washing and house painting. Please call 733-4470.

If you are looking for someone to provide a service or if you have a service you would like to offer community members like pet sitting, babysitting, house sitting, lawn or yard care please provide the information to editor@chuckanutcommunity.org with "Bulletin Board" in the subject box.

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CBCA Important Dates:

- Wednesday July 11: Ice Cream Social, 6:30-8:00pm, Fire Hall
- 2nd Wednesday of each month: Fire Commissioners meeting, 3-5 pm, Geneva Fire Hall, public welcome
- Wednesday, August 1: CBCA Board Meeting, 7:30pm, Fire Hall
- Wednesday, September 5: CBCA Board Meeting, 7:30pm, Fire Hall
- Wednesday, September 19: Deadline for newsletter articles for the October issue

Please send all news, announcements, articles, photos, story ideas, artwork, or letters to: editor@chuckanutcommunity.org or call Georgia Heald, Editor, 733-9358