



City Manager's Friday Newsletter

Strength in Community

Days of Caring is a two-day community-wide event benefiting nonprofit agencies in Snohomish County. Each year, Days of Caring brings together teams of volunteers from across the county, primarily organized by local companies, government, service clubs, churches, and families. This year's event takes place September 13 and 14.

Please join us at the Boys & Girls Club on Saturday, September 14, 2013 for a Centennial Trail clean-up event. Tasks will include: sprucing up the trail, rain garden maintenance, and Skate Park clean-up. The event starts at 10:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 noon.

The City of Snohomish Parks Department will be in the parking lot at the Boys & Girls Club for sign-ups prior to the event. Staff will have trash bags and some tools and gloves available at sign-up.

Please bring tools and gloves for your own use as City supplies are limited.

We hope to see you all there!!

City Gravel Pit Clean-Up and New Fence Installation

In an effort to be better neighbors, the Street Department, consisting of Dannie Allen, Devon Acton, and Shaun Murphy, have taken on the job of cleaning up the City gravel pit off of 123rd Avenue SE.

This project was started in late 2011 with the installation of a new fence and quarry spall entrance. The pit was full of little messes built up from construction projects and City maintenance projects that have taken more than 30 years to create. The project is very close to being completed.

This clean-up project consists of screening several hundred yards of street sweeping sand, separating several hundred yards of construction spoils (mixed concrete, asphalt, and dirt), and reorganizing the site by building bunkers. New materials will be separated to be either used or hauled off to an approved and appropriate dump site. This is an improved healthy housekeeping plan for the future of the City of Snohomish gravel pit.

The pictures show the remains of the stumps and woody debris piles that were ground up to be recycled and used along the Centennial Trail beds as mulch this fall.

Great job by the always busy Street Department!!



Tub Grinder in Action



Tub Grinder Finished Product

Upcoming City Council Agenda Items

September 17:

- Action regarding the 2014 budget request by the Snohomish Senior Center
- Discussion regarding signs for private schools and churches in residential zones
- Discussion regarding 2014 personnel cost changes for the 2014 budget.

The agenda list above is partial and tentative. For further info, click here for the City website: <http://www.ci.snohomish.wa.us/Agendas.htm#CITY COUNCIL AGENDAS>

September 13, 2013

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Centennial Trail Weeding Party

On Sunday September 9, 2013, members from Christ the King Lutheran Church joined forces to help the City Parks Department maintain the Centennial Trail between Maple Avenue and Sixth Street. Melissa Marzolf, Chair of the Snohomish County Parks Advisory Board, coordinated and participated in the event with staff. Thirteen volunteers served over 30 hours of time preparing for the event and weeding and cleaning the trail section.

The City thanks the volunteers for a job well done!



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City Council

Tuesday, September 17

Workshop - 6 p.m.

Regular Meeting - 7 p.m.

Gilbertson Board Room

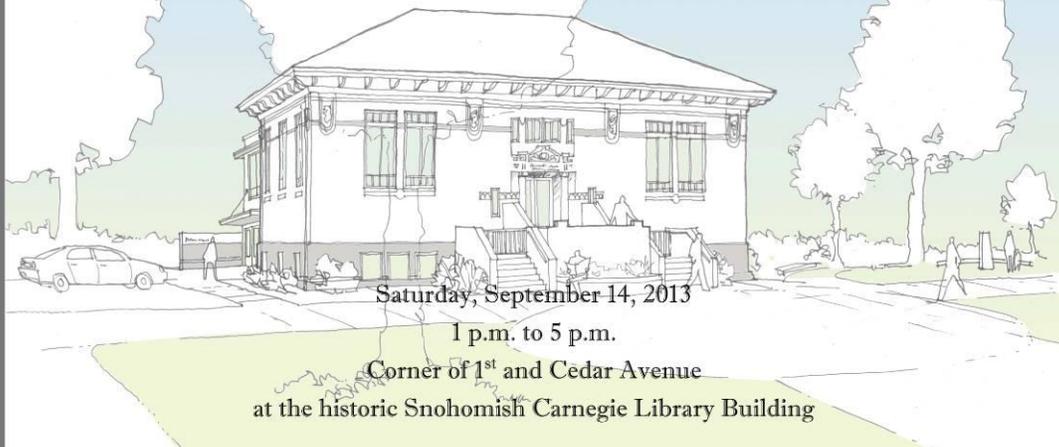
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EDUCATIONAL CENTER

Join the Snohomish Carnegie Foundation
as we celebrate the completion of the first phase of the
restoration of the historic Carnegie Library!



Saturday, September 14, 2013

1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Corner of 1st and Cedar Avenue
at the historic Snohomish Carnegie Library Building

- Children's activities
- Live Music
- Tour of the Carnegie with the Architect
- Silent auction at the Carnegie
- Vendor Booths
- Welcome our new neighbors

For More information contact Melody Clemans at melodyc@pleins.com.

Building restoration is under the direction of BOLA Architecture

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