

## 2015 Angle Lake Fishing Derby



Well, May 3rd saw the latest incarnation of the Angle Lake Fishing Derby and what a day it was! We should start calling it the Fishing derby and community picnic because of the 140+ people in attendance most came for the food and company (and the awesome raffle prizes and kids clam dig!) The weather gods cooperated and sent us a gorgeous May afternoon. The food was amazing and we must thank our cooks – Nick Nichols and Mark Johnson – for keeping us well fed. Another hurrah for the Mays who donated a beautiful fat salmon that was the hit of lunch. It

was a beautiful afternoon to get together. Sunny skies greeted the gathering.

We want to thank out awesome hosts, Sandy and Bruce Goulet. After many derbies held at the north end of the lake our past hosts, Shirley, Harlow and Carol Stevens, couldn't continue offering their place so we had to find a new beach for the event. The Goulets graciously stepped up and helped put on a fine, fun fishing derby! Besides a new spot we were able to offer more exciting raffle prizes including generous donated meals, spa treatments and an overnight stay from our neighbors at Cedarbrook Lodge. The raffle generated extra sales which allowed us to finish the event in the black (usually the derby doesn't pay for itself). Quite a nice result!

We'd like to congratulate our fisher men and women. Although many had a hard time finding fish to catch this year we saw enough to prove that there are still fish to catch. Our grand prize winner, Richard Rock, managed to pull in his limit by 10 AM. Shout outs to our other 1st place winners, Katy Nguyen, Jayden Nguyen, Emma Hadeller, Caleb Pinter, Kelly Carter, Jordan Warner and Angie Flores.

Thanks to all the friends and neighbors who attended and those who helped put on the derby. Special thanks to the Johns and Kelly Carter for gift certificates, the Goulets and their neighbors for use of their beaches, and to the Mays and Cedarbrook for their generous donations. Hope next year's version is even better (and that more fish are caught by our intrepid lakers!).

To see for yourself what a great day it was, view the many pictures of Derby day on the Angle Lake Shore Club blog.

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# **Angle Lake Shore Club Branded Apparel**

Angle Lake Shore Club T-Shirts are available for purchase! The shirts are high quality cotton in a very fashionable dusty blue color with distressed artwork in a white and navy blue design.

We're selling these shirts as part of our annual fireworks fund raising efforts to collect additional funds to cover the cost of procuring a barge and new fireworks contractor to produce the absolute best fireworks show this community has ever seen!

The cost of the shirts is only \$20.00 each and will be available for purchase at the Christmas Party and any of the other ALSC major events. Otherwise feel free to order the T-Shirts when sending in your annual dues or ALSC event fees or donations.



A Day
Dedicated to
Celebrate Our
Freedom



Residents throughout our community will be enhancing their July 4th Holiday Celebration by joining in on the various family fun events hosted by Angle Lake Shore Clubs, Angle Lake Manor, the City of SeaTac and their commercial sponsors. The lineup of events is as follows:

## 10:00 am - Angle Lake Manor Club Parade

Pull up a chair to watch or decorate your trike, bike, scooter, wagon, dog, yourself and join in the parade! Parade starts at the corner of 33rd Av S & S. 194th St and then turns right to proceed down S 192nd St and then right on 39th Av and back around to S 194th St ending at the Manor Club Beach Lot for a group sing along and complimentary ice cream treats. Yum!

#### 11:00 am - Bud Jones Memorial Walk and Run Around the Lake

Compete against your neighbors for bragging rights and prizes and trophy as the fastest runner to be the first to complete the course around the perimeter of the lake. Race will begin at Post 35. Pre-registration begins at 10:30am; Fitness Walk at 11:00; Competition Race at 11:30 – finish by 12:00.

#### 11:00 am - Children's Carnival and Water Spray Park

SeaTac Rotary is hosting the carnival as a fundraising event to benefit the various community programs provided throughout the year. Butler Amusements, Inc. will provide the rides. If thrill rides aren't your thing, then a safe, thrilling alternative would be to cool off in the spray park that features numerous spray nozzles for kids to run through and play in. If you dare, endure a drenching from the Mega Soaker, a 55 gallon container that fills with water and spills over onto the surface and anybody in the way every few minutes.

#### 1:00 pm - Dock / Beach Decoration Judging

Get those creative juices flowing to come up with the most impressive Independence Day display. Wow the socks off our judges to win a prize of \$100 Gift Certificate for First Place! \$75; \$50; \$25; or Beach towel for 2nd — 10th place respectively.

#### 1:00 pm - Live Entertainment

Entertainment is sponsored by the City of SeaTac featuring Maurice the Fish record label artists and friends of the record label. Family friendly entertainment starts at 1:00 p.m. and continues non-stop all the way through to 9:45 p.m.

#### 03:00 pm - Swim Races

Okay all you guppies, flounders, barracudas, sharks, and whales – show up in your swim attire and get ready to compete for ribbons and cash awards! Begin assembling by 2:45 on the shores of the Louvier's Beach at Fire Post #46 or look for the banner displayed on the Northeast lakeshore.

#### 03:30 pm - Boat Races

If it floats then we'll let you race it! Show up in any kind of water craft and we'll find a category to put you in. Join in the fun and paddle, pedal, row or sail your way to victory. Boat races will begin immediately following the completion of the swim competition at Louvier's Beach at post 46.

#### 10:00 pm - The 4th of July Finale

The fireworks display will again be launched from the fishing docks located off the shoreline of Angle Lake Public Park. The show will feature numerous shells lifted to fill the sky in an artistic display for ultimate viewing pleasure. Please note that for safety reasons the swimming beach and public boat launch at Angle Lake Park will be closed all day on July 4th for staging of the fireworks. Boaters are welcome to view the fireworks display from the water however will be required to remain a minimum of 210 feet away from the fireworks staging area.

Events of this size cannot be done without the help and cooperation of many people. A special and sincere thank you is given to each of the volunteers who have donated their time to help coordinate these events and to our local residents and community members who have contributed financially to make the fireworks show possible. Thank you for your support and contributions.

#### PLANS FOR THE ALSC FIREWORKS SHOW REMAIN AFLOAT FOR 2016

In the spring newsletter I laid out a series of four primary steps we would be taking this year that are necessary to insure that the ALSC will be in a position to continue its long standing tradition of a fireworks show on the 4th of July that is visible to most all of the members around the lake. This article is an update on our progress thus far.

The first two of the four steps were as follows:

1. Seek out homeowners along the shoreline interested in replacing or expanding existing docks by partnering with the ALSC in the material construction costs of the barges that will all be built to the same specification. When completed each barge would then become the sole property of the assigned homeowner after said homeowner signs a lease agreement with the ALSC allowing them unrestricted use of the barge for ALSC events.

On May 19th Steve Beck hosted the first formal 'BARGE' meeting to present our concept to prospective shoreline residents. The details of the meeting were announced through our blog site and specific phoned invitations were extended to those residents that had registered an interest from our 2014 Christmas Party signup sheet, including those that had contacted us in response to the article in the spring newsletter. Attending were your fireworks committee members, consisting of board members Fuzz Hill, Steve Beck and myself, along with about 20 guests. After the formal presentation and some post meeting follow up we have verbal commitments from 5 residents to participate with 2 additional neighbors also expressing interest but who have not verbally committed. To make this work and to allow us to proceed to the next step we need a minimum of 6 participants and firm commitments for at least 6 barges. Assuming we can get these commitments no later than June 19th our next step as previously outlined, is as follows:

2. Make a capital call to all members (which would basically equate to what would have been this year's fireworks donation) that would be applied solely to the construction of the barges and cover whatever costs cannot be covered under item #1 with any surplus funds diverted solely to the fireworks show.

Feeling optimistic about the desire most members have expressed toward continuing the ALSC tradition of putting on a 4th of July fireworks display and also feeling confident that we will be successful in securing both the necessary partners and their funding to build our barges this year, we are preparing our plans for going door to door in the weeks preceding the 4th of July to request donations in the form of a capital call to all members and non-members alike that are interested in seeing the fireworks shows reestablished for future years.

With the City already committed to putting on a show this year at the park and with the 4th of July fast approaching it was decided that the ALSC WILL NOT be putting on a fireworks show in 2015 but rather will be focused on securing the barges necessary for our temporary floating platform that is required to stage a show from the middle of the lake so that it is visible to the majority of ALSC members.

So, as was the case last year, you can still expect our usual array of ALSC and Manor Club activities starting with the morning KIDDIE PARADE, and continuing throughout the day with the BUD JONES MEMORIAL WALK/RUN AROUND THE LAKE, DOCK JUDGING, SWIM RACES AND BOAT RACES followed by the CITY'S FIREWORKS SHOW from the pier at the park. A flyer will be sent out prior to the 4th with all the details.

In the meantime, I cannot emphasize enough that without these barges there is no guarantee that a fireworks show will continue to occur in the years to come. An updated schedule of suggested contributions will be provided as a guideline for those willing to support the barge program and subsequently to support a fireworks show that meets our benchmark quality expectations. We appreciate any and all support you can afford to give to this effort.



# **Updates From The Welcoming Committee**

The welcoming committee will be venturing out soon to visit several new arrivals to our community. If you have a new neighbor please call Debbie Beck @ 206.653.7412, Becky Johnson @ 206.852.1952 or Marge Murtha @ 206.870.1887. We don't want to miss anyone and your input is appreciated.



# **Angle Lake Shore Club Clean Sweep**

The ALSC is planning another great "Clean Sweep" event this year on Saturday, July 25, 2015, from 9AM to 1PM. We will be asking the City of Seatac to provide us with gloves, bags and pickers to help us safely pick-up garbage and for their assistance by removing all the trash collected.

For our "lake bottom/lake front clean-up", we will meet at 9AM at Angle Lake Park to start off, and will finish with a picnic and raffle for all volunteers at the Angle Lake Manor Beach. We hope to complete the clean-up of the underwater area in front of the Angle Lake Park fishing dock and swimming area that we tackled last year. We also plan to do litter patrol on and around the shoreline at that end of the lake, from the condos around to the Manor Club boundary. In addition, we will be picking up items from the lake bottom anywhere around the lake wherever they are noticed and/ or reported to us. Please feel free to let us know if there is anything around your waterfront that needs our attention.

We are looking to recruit volunteer scuba divers to assist with the underwater cleanup, and need lots of "waders" and "snorkelers" to do the shoreline and shallow areas. As in the past, our greatest need is for scuba divers. If you or anyone you know would be interested in diving with us, please let us know. We pay for the air for the diving and provide the support pontoon boats. Otherwise, show up with your snorkel, prepared to wade or just walk the shoreline and help us keep Angle Lake beautiful for all!

In the meantime, please feel free to survey your area of the lake bottom and report any problems that need our attention. If you want to volunteer as a diver or have areas you would like us to clean up, please call Judy Williams at (206) 419-4637 or Julie Hill at (206) 355-6460. We look forward to a great turnout and a fun morning and neighborhood picnic.

# Annual Tasty Tapas Cruise Date Set - Prepare Your Appetites!

It's hard to believe that 2015 brings us the 7th edition of the Angle Lake event of the summer the Tasty Tapas Float Around! Saturday August 15th at 4 PM, the lake will fill with all sorts of watercraft, this year cruising along the northern (skinny) leg. Last year we had over 140 smiling participants eager to traipse from beach to beach sampling yummy hors d'oeuvres and libations. For those who have attended this event you know what fun will be had. For those who haven't – you just don't know what you're missing.

This year we're still looking for a few good men (and women) on the north/ south portion of the lake who would like to host a tapas station. We still need 2 or 3 locales where you, our neighbors, would kindly invite all to come share your beach and a good time. The club pays for your expenses. Anyone who can see the north end of the lake from their beach is urged to volunteer to host. If you'd like to but need some help to put your station on let us know, we can find folks to assist you. If you enjoy company, this is your moment to shine. It can be so much fun to host! If you might have some interest, but also some questions, please contact Jim Todd at 206-226-9965.

We'll have 4 stations serving tapas, Spanish for little bites; we'll split into 4 groups and, starting at 4:00, rotate between the stations sampling all the great offerings. We will stay at each spot for about 35 minutes and then move to the next. At 7:00 we will all meet at the fifth station for dessert and coffee. Good food, drink and fun will be had by all!

This event is open to Shore Club members and guests. The cost is \$30 / person and you won't find a better deal! You're free to take your own boat from spot to spot. If you don't have one or would rather not be your own captain, we'll have several water taxis (party barges) ready to welcome you aboard – no extra charge! Last year we had so many participants that our boats were pretty full, so if you have a boat and can take guests please join us. Captains attend for free when able to take a few of the guests. So, there's no excuse for not joining in the fun. Meet your neighbors, have a great time and cruise the lake on what we hope will again be a bright sunny afternoon!

It's time to reserve your tickets. Feel free to invite a couple friends to the event of summer. Getting together with the neighbors is one thing that makes this lake a grand place to live. If you haven't tried Shore Club events before please join us and join the fun. See you then!

For tickets contact: Jim Todd jimmijett@gmail.com

Judy Williams jywfs@comcast.net

# **New Neighborhood: Angle Lake Estates**



Yes, the old Coluccio Property located on the north end of Angle Lake is under development after some years of going through the permitting and planning process with the City of Seatac. Mr. Chris Coluccio, a talented, local attorney and son of the late Frank Coluccio, was tasked with selling the property and the first thing that came to his

mind was Community, so he directed his engineer to design large "Community Waterfront" home sites. Next, Chris's interest was directed toward protecting the lake so he instructed his environmental professionals to do pervious roads and onsite infiltration work to prevent storm & road runoff from entering directly into the lake. Later, he installed a community EZ-dock system to ensure that his community waterfront concept was carried out. There will be 10 lots ranging in size from 7000 -9600 sq ft. Some home sites will not only have water views, but also views of Mt. Rainier on a clear day, and ALL are expected to have Community waterfront rights with an HOA park at the water.

In early November last year, Gerald Schneider, President of the Tukwila based Schneider Family Homes, caught a glimpse of this project and instructed his brother Harry to run the numbers on the development itself and also to assess demand for this type of housing. Both returned favorable indicators. Schneider secured the site and after a feasibility that lasted several months, Schneider Family Homes, Inc. closed on the property and started construction the first week of May. President Gerald Schneider said, "We are so excited to do a housing project on Angle Lake. The calls and enthusiasm have been overwhelming considering we have not even released the house plans or pricing to the public yet." "I believe it will be a successful project for our company", Schneider went on to say, "and our whole staff looks forward to breaking ground on the new homes in early August."

#### A Fool and His Clothes Are Soon Parted

In a surprise announcement, the SeaTac City Council had voted Tuesday to use the controversial "eminent domain" procedure to take over the section of Angle Lake shoreline between the existing public park on the North and the vacant Hughes property to the South. The intent is to create an admission-based Nude Beach with an eco-friendly promenade made of recycled materials.



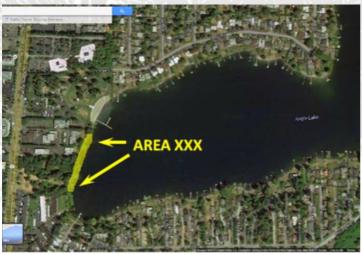
City Chooses Eminent Domain to Create Park

"The council chose to leverage eminent domain due to fear in delays from having to deal with any clothed NIMBYs in that area," said new Planning Commissioner Emma Riel, herself a self proclaimed nudist and a recent transplant from Slooflir, PA. "As we continue to recover from the recent extended economic downturn, we still need to locate a strong source for additional tax revenue streams to offset the city's increasing operational expenses. That's why we're turning this beautiful strip of waterfront into the northwest's first admission-based Nude Beach. Plus, it's going to be eco-friendly and very green, what's not to like?"

Plans were presented in a spontaneous, private city council "special session" that took place in an unmarked room upstairs in city hall late last night. A large satellite photo of the area in question was hung on the wall and marked "Area XXX," and included censored photos of naked, middle-aged men.

"There's nothing wrong with a Nude Beach, people just need to adjust their attitudes about the human body" said Consultant Lucy Gucci, a noted local nudist who's often seen cavorting at Lake Burien with her German cousins. "I've been fighting for this for years, and can say without a shadow of a doubt that if God didn't want us to be naked, we'd all have been born already fully clothed wearing black turtlenecks. Plus, the proposed promenade will be ecofriendly, and a \$10 cover charge will help fill the city's coffers. Why would anyone be opposing this?"

Reports are that a general contractor has already been hired. Bulldozers and other heavy equipment will start clearing the shoreline of all vegetation as early as this weekend. The expected park opening is yet to be revealed but estimates are that it will happen on Memorial Day Weekend 2015.



Planning Commissioner Riel compared this new, eco-friendly nude beach concept to a successful one she helped developed in the mid-1990s at Lake Dangle in Slooflir, PA, which now generates well over \$2.5 million dollars in annual revenues through admission fees and pay-per-view volleyball matches.

To the left is the map illustrating the new Nude Beach, currently called "Area XXX". One suggested name for this annexed area was 'Another Angle Park'.

(Post Script: Every year since 2010, the publishers of the Angle Lake Shore Club Blog have taken the liberty to create and post non-sense stories in observance and celebration of 'April Fool's Day' shenaniganery . The preceding story is a re-print of this year's foolishness.)



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