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## Letter from the President

FRANK HANSEN MEMORIAL  
RACE REGATTA ONCE WAS  
ENOUGH ... OR WAS IT?

Well, the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of September came and went but not without a little bit of excitement on the waters of Angle Lake that weekend. Thanks to the efforts of the ALSC board members, the Seattle Outboard Association (SOA) and the City of SeaTac we were able to achieve what no one thought was possible. We were able to experience our own little Sea Fair in the way of a Hydroplane Race put on by the SOA featuring small hydroplanes, runabouts and tunnel boats at virtually no expense to the City or residents of SeaTac.

This past spring waterfront homeowners were presented with a petition/survey to vote whether or not they would want an event like this on the waters of Angle Lake on a one time trial basis. We felt that actually experiencing this event was the simplest way to objectively and accurately evaluate concerns voiced by residents over such issues as noise, wake, wildlife, pollution, park

impact, closure of the lake and in general the suitability of the event on this specific lake.

The final results of that Petition/Survey based upon 174 out of a total of 177 households plus Owners and Managers of the Angle Lake Mobile Home Park and the Landing at Angle Lake apartments responding were that 77% were 'In Favor', 9% were 'Indifferent' and 14% were 'Against'.

The ALSC's next board meeting is scheduled for Oct 19<sup>th</sup> and one of the topics to be addressed is whether or not we think this event is suitable to bring back on an annual basis. In the event that at least 7 out of the 10 board members agree that it is an event suitable for the lake then we shall once again be going door to door with a similar petition/survey for you to record your vote. If those voting 'In Favor' or 'Indifferent' to inviting the SOA back on an annual basis is 70% or greater then we, the ALSC, would again endorse the event and be committed to working closely with the City and the SOA to insure this event remains safe and enjoyable



year after year.

My personal opinion of this event is that I whole heartedly support it, found it very enjoyable and was very impressed with how professionally it was ran. The weather was great, the racing was exciting, the pit area demonstrated what a family orientated event this is and finally I hope that many of you witnessed and appreciated the nicely done 9-11 tribute put on by the SOA Sunday morning. It was a definite highlight of the weekend.

With that said, I do know that not everyone is in favor of this event and I respect those views. I want to reassure everyone that the ALSC remains united in maintaining the current tranquility of the lake environment we are so fortunate to enjoy and that events like this will simply be an exception to the rule. Oh yes, and my apologies to anyone who thought our band was too loud. I forgot to put my hearing aids in that day!

Lonnie Goulet  
ALSC President

## Welcome New Neighbors

What a wonderful sunny day it was as we set out to visit the new families that have arrived in the past several months. We were able to deliver updated informational packets to

fourteen new neighbors. What a pleasure it is to welcome them to our great neighborhood.

Each packet contains a welcoming letter with

contacts, a few past newsletters to bring them current and an ALSC Phone Directory. We also provide New ALSC Member Sign Up Sheets as well as information and history booklets of our area. Also in the packet are free



*"We didn't realize we  
were making memories,  
we just knew we were  
having fun!"*

## Welcome Continued

coupons generously contributed by Furney's Nursery and HiLine Bowl for games for the whole family, a nice gesture on their part.

Remember, we depend on each of you to keep us apprised of any new neighbors as the months go by, we don't want to leave anyone out. Please call Debbie at

206.653.7412 or Marge at 206.870.1887 with any updated information, we really appreciate it.

Marge Murtha &  
Debbie Beck  
Welcome Committee

## Another Fabulous Fourth

Fourth of July at Angle Lake is a tradition that a great number of families have built over many decades, a day to gather extended family members and friends to celebrate the anniversary of the declaration of independence and the birth of our sovereign nation. It is also a time to gather neighbors and guests to participate in several family fun events throughout the day.

The ALM Kiddie Parade kicked the day off. Kids and their families and pets were invited to gather prior to the parade start to collect decorations to festoon their bikes, trikes, wagons, and even each other! The parade included a color guard from the Explorer Scouts, Emergency Service Vehicles, antique vehicles, a bandstand and loads of families marching in the parade. At the end of the parade route everyone was rewarded with a frozen ice cream treat provided by the Angle Lake Shore Club Members while singing along with the patriotic singers masterfully led by neighbor Fran Reid.

Later that morning folks gathered on the east-side of the lake at post 37 for the Bud Jones Memorial Walk/Run Around the Lake. Ribbons were awarded to all finishers and the trophy for fastest around the lake was awarded to Daniel Swanson.

Colors of red, white and blue were in full display around the lake as competitors vied for the most impressive show of patriotism in the Dock Decorating Contest. It was not an easy task for our new judges, Doug and Joanne Hill to choose the top display however they were able to finally reach an agreement to award Bruce and Sandy Goulet for top prize.

Many turned out for the Swim and Boating races held again this year at the Gregg and Marsha Louvier Family Aquaterium at post 46. I can only describe to you the joy expressed on participant faces, the jovial bantering occurring between long time family rivals, and the enthusiasm and support from the spectators encouraging competitors to perform at

their best. What I cannot tell you is who the winners were as the tally sheet ended up as a soaking mess with a display of unintelligible characters. Next year we'll encourage the score keeper to consider not swimming with the list!

As the evening sun set and the skies became darker many residents gathered in boats anchored in the water east of the park to watch the fireworks show produced by the city of SeaTac Parks Department. The show this year appeared to include larger shells and was noticeably longer than the previous year show and received a boisterously resounding cheer of appreciation from viewers at the park and around the west leg of the lake.

It was another great day full of memories made, the kind of memories that carry through generations. Please link to our online photo album at <http://bit.ly/2eozJeo> to view pictures taken that day.

Fuzz Hill  
Public Relations

## Neighbors Judging Neighbors

Being asked to be a judge for the annual Angle Lake Dock Judging Competition is arguably one of the greatest honors in one's lifetime. This is no laughing matter as the dock that hoists the winning banner (and spends the generous prize money) is viewed with both reverence and awe by their fellow dock decorators and the community as a whole. The night before the contest, sleep was hard to come by. The Pressure associated with this hallowed endeavor mounted with each audible tick of the clock. Dawn finally arrived and it was time to put on our game faces.

At exactly 1:00 pm the SS Celebrate America, captained expertly by Steve Beck arrived to pick up the judges, JoAnn and Doug Hill along with Marge Murtha and Richard.

Copious notes were taken, pensive ruminations were plenty amongst the judges, and cries of "did we win anything" rang from many on the passing docks. We, the judges, stayed stoic and steadfast in our determination to honorably crown the winning dock so

the audible bribes we heard fell on deaf ears. Finally after multiple trips around our magical lake and long discussions highlighting the merits of all the participants, the crown of glory for this year's best decorated dock went to Bruce and Sandy Goulet. Did they exhibit great passion and creativity with their decorations? Absolutely. Did they capture the pride and patriotism we have for this great country? A Resounding Yes. And are they the bartenders at the Christmas Party who will now truly take care of the judges? We hope so!!!!

Happy 4<sup>th</sup> from your slightly tainted dock judging committee.....



Doug Hill  
ALSC Volunteer &  
Celebrity Judge



## Barge Program Update

The Barge Program donations thru 8/03/16 are now at \$17,360.44 plus an additional \$2,000.00 in pledges bringing our total contributions to \$19,360.44. In the process of 'firming up' pricing we ended up using two vendors for material purchases. We are using NW Dock Systems for the basic 'Barge Kit' consisting of Plans, Hardware, Floats and Hull I.D. Numbers and

Matheus Lumber for the timbers and decking. ALSC and the Barge Recipients shall be providing the Labor. We are now confident that the original budget of \$24,000 can be reduced to \$21,000 thus leaving us with a shortage of \$1,639.56.

At this time here is where we are at in the Barge Program:

- 1) All materials necessary for the Barge Build have been procured
- 2) Building site has been selected
- 3) 5 of the 7 barges are now spoken for (We still need homes for the remaining 2 barges) and the cost to the recipient shall be between \$2,750 and \$3,000)
- 4) Agreement between Barge Recipients and the ALSC has been drafted and is waiting on final

approvals. This agreement shall turn ownership of the barge(s) over to the Barge Recipient while providing the ALSC use of the barge for up to a specified number of ALSC sponsored or endorsed events along with other special conditions.

- 5) ALSC volunteers are being sought to help in the building of the Barges
- 6) Completion of Barge Construction is scheduled for no later than the end of this year and most likely sooner and ready for the 2017 fireworks show.

While there have been many people responsible for bringing this concept to the point of being able to start building barges, I want to extend a special thanks thus far to Jonathan Standridge for acting as our

project manager and keeping us on track and Pat Patterson for heading up our build team.

Again, thank you to all who have generously contributed thus far. If you are supportive of our efforts to bring the fireworks back to the middle of the lake and you have not yet contributed, please consider the great effort we are undertaking to make this happen and send your check addressed to the ANGLE LAKE SHORE CLUB, P.O. BOX 69477, SEATAC, WA 98168 and write the words 'BARGE DONATION' on the check so we can apply it to this set-aside account.

Tani Rae Standridge  
Newsletter Editor





## ALSC BRANDED T-SHIRTS

Angle Lake Shore Club T-Shirts are available for purchase and make for a really swell gift! We have a variety of designs that are sure to please those hard to shop for people on your list.

The shirts are high quality cotton and are available with:

- ☐ Red & Blue Fireworks design on White.
- ☐ Navy Blue Olde Skool design on Dusty Blue.
- ☐ Red & Blue Eagle design on Heather grey.

100% of the net proceeds go to our club fund raising efforts to cover the expenses for the

Bunny Dock Hop; Boo Cruise; and Santa visit. The shirts sell for only \$20.00 each and are available in all sizes ranging from Small to XXL.

The shirts 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.

Judy Williams  
Treasurer

## MEMBERS ONLY CHRISTMAS PARTY

With daylight hours becoming fewer and the number of leaves on the ground increasing, a transition to fall is a signal to the Shore Club team that it's time to wrap up planning for the upcoming 2016 Christmas Party. Terry and Patty Minnihan are graciously offering their newly constructed home to host this year's party which will take place on Saturday, December 3rd starting at 4:00 pm and shall conclude at 8:00 PM. Having received numerous compliments about last year's dinner menu, An Grande Affair will be catering the meal again this year.

Musical entertainment will be performed by returning artist Mary Courtney and a full selection of beverages will be offered through the hosted bar. We have room for up to 100 people only, so please plan to make your reservations early!! Tickets will sell for \$30 per person and may be purchased by contacting Judy Williams at (206)419-4637 or use the order form attached on the last page to mail your payment to: P.O.Box 69477, SeaTac WA 98188.

If you'd like to help with this event,

we need volunteers to assist with decorations, setup, clean-up and light shopping. If you are available to help, please call Julie Hill (206) 355-6460.



Julie Hill  
Secretary

## Club Volunteers Needed!

The ALSC Board of Directors is seeking neighbors who can spare some time and leverage their talents to assist with club operations. Your contribution can be as little as a few hours on one time only basis or a couple hours a month. We are looking to fill the following needs:

### Event Preparations and Execution:

The club now hosts nine traditional events throughout the year. Tasks may include shopping, set up/clean up, back bar supply.

- Polar Bear Plunge
- Easter Bunny Dock Hop
- Fishing Derby and BBQ
- 4th of July Activities
- Tasty Tapas Float About
- Spook-tacular Boo Cruise

- Christmas Tree Lighting
- Members Only Xmas Party
- Santa's Christmas Cruise

### Newsletter Assembly Editor:

Manage schedule, receive edited newsletter articles and format them into our Quarterly Publication for electronic distribution.

**Board Member:** The Club is interested generating new ideas and engaging new energy onto the board for

2017. We're actively seeking nominations for the upcoming board member elections to be held at the annual Christmas Party. Duties vary by position and all board members are expected to meet approximately every 6 weeks between February and October.





## tasty tapas and float about 2016

Another successful Tasty Tapas fete took place this August 13th. We had well over 100 partiers out to taste this year's goodies! Again the weather was fine, the food was great and everyone seemed to really enjoy the event and the company. We had Hawaiians and hippies and other costumed creatures wandering around. It looked like Halloween in the summertime. It's a fine sight watching multiple party barges and other craft avoiding other boats as they crisscross the lake heading for their next stations. For those who have not yet joined us, it's quite the day!

Of course this could never happen without our

gracious hosts who open their beaches to host our revelers. Cheers to the Pattons and their Italian fare, Pam Reith and crew with their Cowboy Hoedown, the Hills, who served American Fast Food with flair, the Esmonds who partied like it was Appalachia and the Yorozus who had a fine dessert table laid out!! They and our other volunteers really worked to make this the event of the year.

We love putting this event on and relish bringing so many of our neighbors together. However, after so many years it is becoming harder to recruit new hosts willing to sponsor and staff the stations for this event. This year most of the

stations were hosted by families who have hosted before. While there are limited good spots for tapas stations we encourage any who haven't hosted before to consider participating in the future. If it is too much for you to host, perhaps you could partner with a neighbor or a friend to help us put on this event. It can be a great opportunity to be involved in our wonderful lakeside community!

Next year's Tapas is scheduled for the north-south leg of the lake on August 12th. If you have questions about hosting or other tapas information please email [jimmijett@gmail.com](mailto:jimmijett@gmail.com).

Jim Todd  
Vice President



*"I live for the  
nights that I  
cannot  
remember,  
with the people  
I'll never forget"*

## Plan to Plunge – New Years Day!

The chilliest event of the year is less than three months away. So save the date and make your plans to dress up and jump in the lake! Start the New Year off right by Freezin' for a Reason at our annual Polar Plunge.

The Angle Lake Shore Club hosts the annual Polar Plunge where neighbors gather to share a brunch on the beach and cheer on the brave few who jump in the lake. Everyone brings non perishable food or money to replenish the local food bank and everyone has fun!

I cannot explain why anyone would want to jump in the lake on New Year's Day, but I have

heard that it is good for your heart to shock it occasionally and let it know whose boss. In case it protests and tries to stop on you, the medics will be there to restart it.

I can explain why neighbors come and don't jump in the lake. It is all about the food, the camaraderie and the prizes! You can warm yourself by the fire, sip hot toddies, enjoy delectable treats and watch for your ticket to win a prize in the raffle.

No one is required to jump in the lake, but everyone is required to bring a donation. Our neighbors in need will benefit from your generous donations and

you will benefit by having fun and being eligible to win fabulous prizes! The more food you bring, the more raffle tickets you get. Coming in costume and jumping in the lake also gets you more raffle tickets. So, go all out and come out on New Year's Day in a wacky costume and bring the kids.

Simply show up at the Manor Club Beach, 3419 S. 194th St, New Year's Day between 11:00 am and Noon.



## Sp00ktacular B00cruise



The Spook-tacular Boo Cruise is set to sail the Eve of All-Hallows Eve!

Or in simpler terms, a select few Angle Lake Shore Club Board Members will circle the lake via pontoon boat prepared to greet all costumed revelers lakeside and present them with a goodie bag of filled with Halloween treats.

Please plan to gather at one of the scheduled stops to participate.

The visits this year are as follows:

Stop	Time	Name
1	4:00	Helen Swenson
2	4:10	David & Maria Gutierrez
3	4:20	Harvey & Phyllis Pickett
4	4:30	Maria Rice & Andrew
5	5:00	John & Lisa Seidenberg
6	5:10	Tim & Jill Patton
7	5:30	Tani Robar & Kevin
8	5:45	Bob Simmons
9	6:00	Lake Place Apartments
10	5:45	AL Mobile Home Park
11	6:00	Curtis & Kerry Steinke

Note:

Subject to safe weather conditions  
Times listed are approximate.

Treats limited to first 50 participants.

## Christmas Tree Lighting



Please join us for the 2nd annual Angle Lake Community Christmas Tree Lighting.

What a great way to kick off the holiday season by bringing family, friends and neighbors together to enjoy treats, share in conversation and help light the community Christmas trees! The evening will begin at 5:30 PM at the home of Rodger and Lisa May. ALSC will be serving up light snacks and warm drinks while the crowd gathers in anticipation of St. Nicholas

arrival. Santa will greet the children and lead the countdown to the lighting of the holiday tree at which time we'll all join in singing Christmas carols around the lighted trees!

**What:** Annual Christmas Tree Lighting

**Where:** May Residence  
@ 4317 So. 188th Street

**Date:** Sunday, Nov30th

**Time:** 5:30 until 7:00 PM

Rosalyn Rombauer  
Marketing

## A Letter from Santa

To all Angle Lake Residents, we received the following letter from Santa's North Pole address on September 15th, 2016

Sorry for the delay but this message was frozen within a block office that took 30 days to thaw out!

**HO HO HO! SANTA CLAUSE HERE....**

Mrs. Clause said I should send a special thanks to all

the kids who ventured on to my Santa boat last year on my beautiful Angle Lake Christmas Cruise visit. The weather cooperated last year and maybe it will again this year when I arrive December 10th.

Mrs. Clause and I encourage all the parents on the lake to pick a sturdy dock and let the cruise boat Elves know you will be ready for SANTA's visit.

Also, the sturdy dock owners might want to invite all the neighborhood kids over and have a campfire and practice Christmas songs well before Santa gets there, so your throats are well oiled to sing your special song for Santa as he arrives at your dock.

So kids, don't forget to notify SANTA's Elves, if your Mommy and Daddy are hosting a dock STOP so

SANTA can put you on the SANTA cruise dock stop List!

Watch for further details on the Blog,  
[anglelakesc.blogspot.com](http://anglelakesc.blogspot.com),  
or to get the helper elves contact information, send an email to  
[anglelakesc@gmail.com](mailto:anglelakesc@gmail.com)

I will see you shortly, Ho, Ho, Ho . . .

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ALSC Adviser

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"We don't  
remember days,  
we remember  
moments"

## ALSC Membership and Events Form

Our Club was founded on, and continues to operate with volunteer resources and private donations. If you are looking to renew your membership or purchase event tickets, the order form is available online for you to download, print and mail in with your appropriate payment: (Case Sensitive)  
<http://bit.ly/2feLXHI>

The Angle Lake Shore Club offers annual membership options. Mailing it in or in person

### Membership Definitions:

**\$10 Single Membership.** Any individual 18 years or older may enroll in a Single Membership entitling them to all club benefits.

**\$20 Family Membership.** A family is two or more members who live in the same home and are related by birth, marriage or adoption.

2016 Annual Membership Dues and Events	Amount
<b>Membership Renewal</b>	
Single Membership (\$10.00)	
Family Membership (\$20.00)	
<b>Fishing Derby (\$5.00 per person)</b>	
Derby Fishing Tickets (\$10 for 3, \$15 for 4, \$20 for 5)	
Volunteer to help at the event	Yes No
<b>Firework Barge Contribution</b> (Refundable if we don't reach our goal)	
Volunteer to help with building barges	Yes No
Volunteer to help at events	Yes No
<b>Tasty Tapas (\$30.00 per person)</b>	
Number of tickets	
I would like to be a host	Yes No
<b>Christmas Party (\$30 per person)</b>	
Please RSVP by 12/15/25th	
I would like to host a future party at my home	Yes No
<b>TOTAL</b>	
I have the following skills to offer the ALSC (i.e. administrative, technical, accounting, etc.)	
<b>Please provide your contact information below</b>	
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City, ZIP:	
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Release from Liability: Recognizing that the ALSC, a non-profit neighborhood based organization run solely on a volunteer basis, will do its best to ensure a safe experience, it is important to understand that participation by any member(s) or non-member(s) in any activities sponsored by the ALSC is done so at the participants own risk.

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