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Uplake Update

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Board Bulletin

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As the last days of summer are upon us we relish the vegetables from the garden and the blossoms from our gardens. We have seen several homes sell and welcome new neighbors and say good-bye to some long time residents. Be sure to let us know of any new owners as the UNA wants to make sure all feel welcomed as they move into Uplake. It is wonderful to hear some of our newer neighbors say how much they love this neighborhood.

We are concerned about traffic speeding through the area. While we have one set of speed bumps near Aqua Club we need to continue to work with the city to slow traffic down on those streets that others use as shortcuts to get to their neighborhood. Speeding cars are particularly troubling on NE 182nd/60th NE. Let the city know of your concerns.

Thanks and goodbye to a large part of the UNA Board. **Carrie O'Keefe**, vice president, who was in charge of all social events, is moving from the neighborhood. **Colleen Anderson**, a long time board member, also resigned. We will miss these two hard workers who added so much to UNA's social life.

Plan to come to our two fall board meetings, Sept. 28th and Oct. 26th. We meet at 7:00 PM at Aqua Club for about an hour. Also mark your calendar for the Annual Holiday Wine Party on Dec. 8th. See you there!

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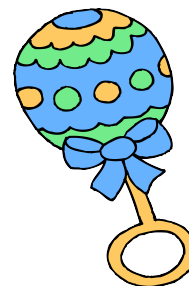
New Neighbors!

Lori and Bill Dougherty, have purchased a home on NE 182nd. They come from the Bothell area where they have lived for 12 years. Originally a Portland native, Lori is the registrar at Inglemoor HS and Bill is self-employed.

David Strack and Karen Porter have moved into their home on 58th Ave NE that they purchased last summer but have had rented for a year. They are coming from Maryland and retiring here to be near family.

Uplake's Baby Boom!

In the last few weeks Uplake's population has increased by two new babies. **Ethan and Melissa Pendleton** welcomed their first child, a son named **Luke William**. **Basil and Claudia Lahham** also have a new son, **Gabriel**, who is their first child also.



New Board Members

Travis Doot and **Shannon Gunderson** volunteered to serve on the UNA Board. Both of them are filling out unexpired terms of two long time members who had to resign. **Carrie O'Keefe**, vice president, resigned because she is selling her home and moving and **Colleen Anderson**, who was a big supporter of our social events also resigned. Board member **Dara Korra'ti** was appointed vice president by action of the board.

Save the Date for Wine Party



The annual Holiday Wine Tasting Party for Uplake has been set for Thursday, Dec. 8th. Mark your calendar for this popular event.

Keep Your Yards Looking Attractive!

Almost all the yards in Uplake show the loving care of neighbors. We have a few that need weeding, mowing, and brush cutting. We also have a couple of homes which have many, many cars parked in the yard or on the street. Carports easily become catchalls and then eyesores!

Congrats to Grads!

Tobin Hansen, son of **Ann and Kai Hansen**, graduated from Inglemoor HS where he was a National Merit Finalist. He is attending Claremont McKenna College in California this fall.

Kaylee McCloskey, daughter of **Laurie and Mike McCloskey**, graduated from Archbishop Murphy HS and will be attending University of Washington-Bothell on a full scholarship. In high school she was a member of the Honor Society, swam on the swim team, and won the 100 Fly and 200 free relay at the state championships.

Charlie Surdyk, son of **Tim and Nancy Surdyk** and the late **Lisa Surdyk**, graduated from Inglemoor HS and plans to attend Western Washington University majoring in political science and economics. At Inglemoor he was captain of the water polo team and the swim team and an editor on the school newspaper. Charlie has swum for Aqua Club for 12 years and is currently a lifeguard and swim instructor there.

Kayleigh DeLanoy, daughter of **Tim and Nancy Surdyk**, graduated from Eastlake HS and is attending Montana State University where she will be a pre-veterinary major. She also performs as a dancer and is teaching dance to beginners.

Madeline Jaekel, daughter of **Matt and Larissa Nelson Jaekel** and granddaughter of **Judy and Gregg Nelson**, graduated from Sunset High School in Portland, Oregon. She will attend Washington State University where she will be a 4th generation Cougar.

Will Johnson, son of **Cal and Nanette Johnson**, received his PhD in mathematics from University of California at Berkley. Previously he graduated from Inglemoor in 2007 and later from the University of Washington.

Robert Andrilla, former Aqua Club lifeguard, son of **John and Holly Allan Andrilla** and grandson of **Margaret and Graham Allan** graduated from Western Washington University with degree in Spanish. He has been teaching Spanish to very young kids in early morning for Seattle School District.



Plan For More Work on Bothell Way

The work on the Bothell Way had been completed for now. More work is planned for the section between 61st and the city limits of Lake Forest Park. However, due the funding issues from the state there is no timeline for immediate work. Evidently the state gives out a sum of money for the project each year, but the city of Kenmore has to accumulate it for several years to have enough to totally fund the project!

Rabbits Everywhere

This is another reminder that we have a HUGE population of bunnies. They are eating bedding plants and gardens. After they destroy those for you they are not very cute anymore.

Neighbors have had success fencing vegetable gardens with chicken wire and placing annuals in containers off the ground. The sprays and other techniques seem to be a waste of money. Evidently coyotes, eagles, hawks and owls are our only hope!

Water Line Woes

As our homes age some of us need to replace the main water line into our homes. If there is a leak in the line on the house side of the meter it is the owner's responsibility to repair it. This can involve digging up front yards or driveways which is very expensive. Contractors can bore a hole to the home without disturbing yards or driveways, but that can be even more expensive. There is insurance for this problem, but you need to contact your home insurance carrier.

Birch Trees Are Dying

Look around Uplake and you will see the tops of dying birch trees. When trees suffer from drought they tend to die from the top down. The summer of 2015 was hard on many trees. As they become weaker they are subject to disease and insect damage. There was an excellent article in the August 7, 2016 issue of the Seattle Times about this area wide problem. Unfortunately, the solution is often to remove the tree before it falls and causes damage to adjoining buildings. <http://www.seattletimes.com/seattle-news/environment/from-mountain-forests-to-city-parks-trees-are-stressed-and-dying/>

Power Outage Issues

Our frequent power outages in the last few years have caused concern for Uplake residents. We hope to have a representative from Puget Sound Energy come to our September 28th UNA board meeting. If you have concerns, you are welcome to come to the 7:00 PM meeting.

Reliable Worker List

The UNA does not endorse anyone listed here, but these are persons who have been hired by area residents.

Remodeler

BHD Construction(Joanne Jones son-in-law)

425-877-1825 office

206-713-1748

www.bannisterdecks.com

Remodeler

Ben Gebhardt(Uplake resident)

www.bluesoundconstruction.com

206-854-6042

Plumber

Lake City Plumbing

206-546-8843

Pest Control

Paratex Pest Control

Chris Stenshoel

1-800-542-1234

206-694-9351

Pest Control

Stop Bugging Me

206-749-2847

Yard Maintenance and Landscaping

Collin Hards

425-486-0719

Landscaper

Back Forty Gardens

Landscape design and installation,

Landscape maintenance and renovation

Container gardening

Landscape consulting

Mark Sevonty

msevonty@comcast.net

206-854-4534

Window Washing and Gutter Cleaning

Steve Ryder

425-334-8349

425-422-9864

Roof Cleaning

Moss Patrol

206-788-5557

Painting and Power Washing

Daren Pullen

Pullen's Painting in Bothell

206-356-2081

Window Washing

Kory Tideman

206-440-9101

**Window, Roof, Gutter Cleaning,
and Holiday Light Installation**

Joe Peterson

206-658-5179

Window and Door Installation

Breeze-Free Window and Door, Inc.

425- 337-6357

breezefreewdw@aol.com

Windows

Intermountain Glass

206-965-8023

**Exterior and Interior
Painting/Power Washing**

Painting America

Pam Brookes

Dave Rushing

425-488-1192

*Reliable Workers (continued)***Carpet and Upholstery Cleaning**

Ellison's Carpet Care
Mark Ellison(Uplake Resident)
206-525-7903
206-240-9163

Concrete Contractor

Driveways, Patios, Ret. Walls. Etc
K and D Enterprise
Kirk Caddey(former Uplake resident)
425-778-6005

Tile Contractor

Travis Doot(Uplake Resident)
206-755-2032
travisd@stefanados.com

House Cleaner

Alexandra Ramos
206-465-2290

Skylight Installation

NGB Roofing
206-883-6232
www.ngbroof.com

Arborist

Seattle Tree Preservation
206-367-4048
<http://www.seattletree.com/>

Piano Tuner

Susan Willanger Cady
206-937-1568

Roof install/replace/repair

Remik Rybienik
<http://www.alfaroofting.com/index.html>
Address: 24226 77th Pl. W.
Edmonds, WA 98026
Email: rybienik@alfaroofting.com
Phone: (425) 673-9020
(425) 750-0839 cell

Chimney Service

Russell Lemley
Safeguard Chimney Service. LLC
PO Box 482
Mountlake Terrace, WA 98043
206-624-6519

Appliance Repair

Seattle Home Appliance-Bothell
425-485-0552

Hardwood Flooring and Refinishing

Sterling Hardwoods
206-367-8405

Window Blind Cleaning

Shine A Blind
Lynnwood
425-771-7799

Water Line Replacement

Fischer Plumbing
206-279-3322



In Memoriam

Charles Divoky, a very long time resident of Uplake, passed away in August. The Divokys moved into Uplake as one of the first residents in 1956. Charles was very active in the UNA and served as an officer and board member. He was instrumental in the underground wiring project among many others. He was part of the "Greatest Generation" serving in WWII. Based out of Alaska, his plane was downed over the eastern Soviet Union. After being rescued by the Russians, and briefly imprisoned, the crew began an epic yearlong escape journey across Russia, through Iran, the Middle East, and North Africa before coming home. Charles leaves his wife Agnes and three children Andrea, Stephan, and Craig.

Is Your Name on the Dues Payers List?

If it isn't, there is still time to pay and get a 2016 UNA roster and street index. List on next page.

2016 Dues Statement

Mail \$60 check to UNA, P.O. Box 82644, Kenmore, WA 98028

NAME_____

ADDRESS_____

PHONE_____EMAIL_____

Count on me to help at:

- ☐ Holiday lights at entrance (Nov.or Dec.)
- ☐ February Annual Potluck Meeting
- ☐ Wine Tasting Party (Dec.)
- ☐ Easter Egg Hunt (April)

Dues Payers – Big Thank You

Thanks to all who have paid the 2016 UNA dues as of August 18th. They are helping to support our social events, baskets for new neighbors, and the flowers at the entrances! If you think your name should be on this list and it isn't contact treasurer Evelyn Williams at 425-486-7113

Ahern	Griffith/Yakovleva	Lebert	Reed
Alberda	Griner	Lee, P and B	Replogle/Westerhof
Allan	Grivas	Lee, Y	Richards
Anderson, J.	Gross	Madayag, R and C	Rieger
Ballard	Gunderson	Madayag, S and O	Russell
Baxter	Hagan	Madden	Ryan
Bean	Hammer	Mahmoud/Horne	Schipanski
Beaty	Hammons/Watland	McCloskey	Schoening
Berg	Hansen	McCusker	Schomaker
Berkman	Heine	Miecznikowski/Su	Schultz
Bez/Waskow	Hill, R and R	Moon/Maiheu	Sevonty
Blackburn	Hill/Swalin	Moran	Sholdt
Carroll	Hol	Mostad/Anthony	Simon
Clasen	Hollingsworth	Murray	Skold
Collins	Holmes	Myint	Sobolewski
Colquhoun/Keyes	Hopkins	Nelson, G and J	Somoff
Coombs	Hurley	Nelson R and D	Smith/Oldenburg
Daniels	Hutchinson/Goldstein	Newman	Stimmel
deCamp/Boulware	Jen	Nicholson/Chang	Stockham
Diekema	Jensen	Nixon	Surdyk/Markham
Divoky	Johnson/Kronheim	Noble	Tran
Donovan	Johnson, L.	O'Keefe	Turner
Doolittle	Jones	Olson	Utela
Doot	Kaboul	O'Neill	Vermillion
Draye	Karvan	Ord/Wan	Walls/Colburn
Eiford	King	Ottavelli	Wedlund
Ellison	Korra'ti	Ottmar	Williams, E.
Estrada	Korte/Dunaway	Pendleton	Williams, K.
Feldheger	Kuhner	Porter/Strack	Williams, P.
Fu	Kuo	Price	Wittges
Garrett	Kelly	Rader	Wolf
Gebhardt	Kim/An	Raiford	Wright
Glavin	Lahham	Rea	Young/Shi
Goetz/Knapp	Laverty/Schminke	Reddick	