

# the Uplake Update



*Slow down signs placed throughout Uplake*

## Board's Bulletin

Hello Uplake! It seems like summer has turned directly into winter this year. It's time to break out the rain gear, put away the shorts and start making hot cocoa. I do enjoy seeing all the kids at the bus stops again. As the days get shorter, please remember to drive slowly through the neighborhood and wear bright clothing if you're out walking on gray days.

Thank you to the Doots for hosting the Got Junk dumpster for neighborhood dues payers this August. We had a good showing!

It was fun seeing so many faces at the hot dog food truck at the Aqua Club. Did anyone else try that PB&J dog? YUM.

Please join us for a meeting or at an event! We can always use more help and support. Our next meeting is this Wednesday, 9/26 at 7pm. Hope to see you there!

See you around the neighborhood.

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## New Residents

A warm welcome to Randy Lindquist and his son who have moved into a home on NE 182nd St.

## Congratulations Graduates!

**Jacqueline Hunter**, daughter of Marty and Dona Hunter, graduated from Inglemoor High School's IB program and is attending the University of Washington-Seattle as a direct admit to the computer engineering program.

**Hannah DeLanoy**, Tim Surdyk and Nancy Markham's daughter, graduated from Northshore Networks HS (running start at Cascadia College), and is entering WWU in Bellingham this fall.

**Derek Salud**, son of Tino and Charlene Salud, graduated from Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine in New York, NY with a Master's of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies in Biological & Physical Sciences. He is continuing on for his doctorate.

**Lauren Jaekel**, granddaughter of Gregg and Judy Nelson, graduated from Sunset High School in Portland and will follow the family tradition of attending Washington State University.

Jen Hall's granddaughter, **Maddy Williams**, graduated from high school in Louisville, Kentucky and is attending DePaul University in Chicago on a scholarship. She spent the summer in Belize building a home for a family.

## In Memoriam

**Elmer Skold** passed away this summer. Elmer and Pat moved to Uplake in the mid 1970's and raised their two children, Liz and David, here. He was very active in the UNA and especially in the Kenmore Heritage Society where he served as president for several years. Prior to Uplake, Elmer had been a high school teacher and a Peace Corp administrator living for several years in the South Pacific.

**Maryann Heine** passed away in July. She and her husband Dan moved to Uplake six years ago and Maryann immediately volunteered to be on the UNA Board.

We also lost **Mark Holmes** on August 17th. He and his wife Barbara moved to Uplake in 1978 and raised their two children Aaron and Liz here. Mark was a research scientist at the UW in the oceanography department and at the United States Geological Survey. He was generous with his time, often volunteering to give talks about his work to local classrooms.

**Greg Gross**, a long time Uplake resident, passed away on August 20th. He and his wife, Sue, moved to the neighborhood 38 years ago and raised their two children Austin and Laura, here. Greg practiced medicine in Kenmore and later became an ER doctor at Evergreen Hospital, retiring in 2012. Greg loved the outdoors, hiking, hunting, boating and traveling, often taking the family dog with him on his hikes. Friends and family fondly remember him as a witty man with a kind and gentle spirit who will be greatly missed.

## UNA Activity

The UNA board meets monthly at the Aqua Club and would like to see more neighbors get involved either as a board member or an occasional visitor. We are always happy to have a fresh voice and volunteers. Our next meeting is Wednesday, September 26th. Hope to see you there!

Here are some of the things we've been up to this summer.

UNA teamed up with the Aqua Club to host a food truck. **Rain City Hot Dogs** catered to hungry residents in August. It was delish. I saw a number of younguns in line more than once.

Travis and Steph Doot hosted the UNA sponsored **Got Junk dumpster** in August as well. It as free for all dues payers as a way to say thank you for your support.

On a not so glamorous note, we had the entrances cleaned out and a truckload of garbage dumped.

## Reminders

- **Northshore School District** school year has begun. Kids are out at bus stops early in the morning. Please drive slowly and remind your kiddos to be alert!

