

NEIGHBORLY NOTES

Newsletter of the Vancouver Heights Neighborhood Association

Spring Updates and Summer Fun Ahead!

April Neighborhood Association Meeting Summary

Upcoming Neighborhood Events:

- **Spring Chipper Event:**

- May 31 | 8 AM-Noon | Columbia Presbyterian Church
- Bring your yard debris! (Note: No chipper available at the Trash Bash this year.)
- Donations encouraged

- **Summer Potluck:**

- July 26 | Lieser Crest Park
- A fun neighborhood gathering! More details to come, but typically runs 12 PM - 3 PM. Hot dogs and burgers provided!

- **Annual Trash Bash:**

- September 6 | 8 AM-Noon | Grace Point Christian Church
- A great opportunity for neighborhood cleanup

Other Updates:

- **Scam Alert:** Residents were urged to stay vigilant against scams (fake emails, texts, and calls). Always contact businesses or organizations directly rather than through suspicious messages.
- **Treasurer's Report:** The association's current balance is \$1,513.32.
- **Welcome New Neighbors!** A special shoutout to new attendee John, we're so glad you're here!

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May Meeting

May 22 @ 7:00 PM
Immanuel Lutheran Church

June Meeting

June 19 @ 7:00 PM
Immanuel Lutheran Church

VANCOUVER HEIGHTS
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

CHIPPER DAY 2025

OK for the chipper


- Branches, twigs, tree pruning (up to 4" in diameter)
- Tree limbs (up to 4" in diameter)
- Trunks
- Woody debris does not need to be dried prior to chipping

Please NO

- Juniper, arborvitae, ivy, vines, bamboo and blackberry briars get tangled in machinery
- Leaves or grass clippings
- Pine needles
- Rocks and dirt, or large stumps
- Painted or treated wood

SATURDAY MAY 31, 2025
8 A.M. TO 12 P.M.
COLUMBIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
805 COLUMBIA RIDGE DR.

City staff will operate the chipper, no limit to the number of loads you may bring.
Donations are encouraged.



you are invited

VHNA

ANNUAL PICNIC



July 26

Saturday | 12pm - 3pm

Lieser Crest Park
7510 Virginia Ln

Hot dogs and burgers provided
Bring a side dish to share!

How to safely DISPOSE of MEDICINES & SHARPS in Clark County



ACCEPTED

Any medications in any dosage form in an original container or sealed bag.



NOT ACCEPTED

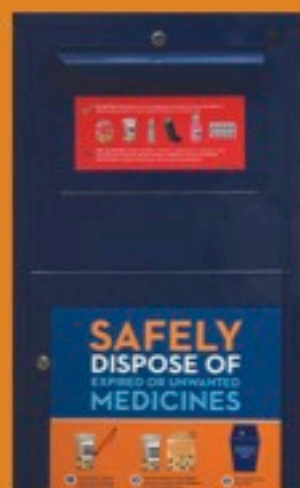
Herbal remedies, vitamins, supplements, cosmetics, personal care products, medical devices, batteries, mercury-containing thermometers, sharps, illicit drugs, and pet pesticide products.



MEDICINE KIOSKS

Located at pharmacies and law enforcement offices for residents to drop-off expired or unwanted medicine for safe and free disposal.

DROP-OFF KIOSKS



Albertsons Battle Ground

360-687-4092
2108 W Main St., Battle Ground
M-F: 9a-9p, SA: 9a-5p, SU: 10a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Battle Ground Police Dept.

360-342-5200
507 SW 1st St., Battle Ground
M-F: 10a-5p
Kiosk & Mail-Back Distribution

Genoa Healthcare

360-450-4881
1601 E 4th Plain Blvd., Bldg 17,
Ste. B260, Vancouver
M-F: 8a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Hi-School Pharmacy #3200

360-787-4000
3200 NE 54th St., Vancouver
M-SA: 9a-6p, SU: 9a-6p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Kaiser Cascade Park

360-896-4466
12607 SE Mill Plain Blvd., Van.
M-F: 9a-10p, SA-SU: 9a-6p
Kiosk & Mail-Back Distribution

Kaiser Orchards

360-944-2777
7101 NE 137th Ave., Vancouver
M-F: 8a-7p
Kiosk & Mail-Back Distribution

Kaiser Salmon Creek

360-571-3072
14406 NE 20th Ave., Vancouver
M-F: 8a-7p
Kiosk & Mail-Back Distribution

QFC Pharmacy #212

360-253-3043
3505 SE 192nd Ave., Vancouver
M-F: 10a-8p, SA: 9a-6p, SU: 11a-6p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Rite Aid Pharmacy #5291

360-885-0839
13511 SE 3rd Way, Vancouver
M-F: 9a-9p, SA 9a-7p, SU: 10a-6p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Rite Aid Pharmacy #6498

360-253-5613
2800 NE 162nd Ave., Vancouver
M-F: 9a-9p, SA 9a-7p, SU: 10a-6p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Ridgefield Police Dept.

360-887-3556
116 N. Main Ave., Ridgefield
M-F: 8:30a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Safeway Battle Ground

904 W Main St.
Battle Ground, WA 98604
M-F: 9a-8p, SA: 9a-5p, SU: 10a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Sea Mar Community Health Centers

360-726-6750
19005 SE 34th St., Vancouver
M-SA: 8a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

Washougal Police Department

360-835-8701
1320 A St., Washougal
M-F: 9a-5p
Medicine Kiosk Only

MAIL-BACK SERVICE



Medicine mail-back services are free!
Request an envelope at:
www.tinyurl.com/WA-med-mail or
pick one up from a local distribution site:

Battle Ground Police
Kaiser Cascade Park

Kaiser Orchards
Kaiser Salmon Creek

See the kiosk list above for site
addresses and hours of operation

SHARPS & SYRINGE DISPOSAL



Use an approved Sharps container or a rigid plastic container with a lid to transport (ex: plastic milk jug) and label the container: **WARNING-SHARPS DO NOT RECYCLE**

Central Transfer & Recycling

360-256-8482
11034 NE 117th Ave., Van.
M-F: 6a-6p, SA: 8a-4p

Washougal Transfer Station

360-835-2500
4020 S. Grant St., Wshgl.
W&F 7a-5p, SA: 8a-4p

West Van Materials Recovery

360-737-1727
6601 NW Old Lwr River Rd., Van.
M-F 6a-6p, SA: 8a-4p

For more information about the MED-Project program or to locate a disposal site near you, visit www.med-project.org or call 1-844-MED-PROJECT

MED-Project™
Medication Education & Disposal

SAFELY STORING AND DISPOSING OF MEDICATIONS BENEFITS EVERYONE'S HEALTH AND WELL-BEING.

Storing medicine in a locked location and proper disposal are the most effective deterrents to accidental poisonings, overdose, medicine theft, and misuse that can lead to prescription drug addiction. Stay informed and talk with loved ones about the risks for ingesting or taking medicine not prescribed for them and benefits of safeguarding your medications. Follow these healthful tips to keep your medicines safe and loved ones free from harm.



SAFE MEDICINE STORAGE TIPS



- At home and on-the-go, store medicine safely in a locked location away from people and pets. Learn more at LocksSaveLives.org.
- Resist the urge to keep medicine handy by returning it to a locked location after each use.
- Use child-resistant caps and close the caps tightly after each use.
- Don't share prescription medication with others as it's illegal and may cause them harm.
- Keep inventory of medicines to know how many pills are left and if any are missing.

***Washington Poison Center 800-222-1222**

PROPER MEDICINE DISPOSAL TIPS



- Dispose of all unused and expired medicine immediately and properly.
- Do not place medicine in the trash or recycling, and never flush it down the toilet or drain as it pollutes the environment and waterways or could be misused by someone for whom it wasn't prescribed.
- Properly dispose of expired and unwanted medicine by dropping it off at a drug take-back event, a year-round disposal site, or dispose of it by mail. Learn more at MED-Project.org or bit.ly/DEATake-Back.

***Washington Recovery Help Line 866-789-1511**

Events and Upcoming Speakers

Event Title	Date	Location
VHNA Meeting: Speaker - Stacy Noble from Vancouver Urban Forestry	Thursday, May 22nd @ 7:00 PM	Immanuel Lutheran Church
Chipper Day	Saturday, May 31 st from 8am - 12pm	Columbia Presbyterian Church
VHNA Meeting: Speaker - Alsaya Corbray from Related NW will share information on the Tower Mall Redevelopment Project	Thursday, June 19 @ 7:00 PM	Immanuel Lutheran Church
Neighborhood Picnic	Saturday, July 26 12 - 3pm No meeting this month, join us for the picnic.	Lieser Crest Park

Thursday, May 22 @ 7:00 PM

Share feedback, ask questions, and participate virtually using the link below

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Watch online w/ Zoom @ tinyurl.com/vhnameeting
Passcode: 654772
Or use the Zoom App w/ meeting ID 222 187 1792

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THANK YOU DR. IKE

*Dr. Ike -
Your generous donations have
made our December holiday party
and annual neighborhood picnic
possible. Thank you for enriching
our community with your support!*

beheardvancouver.org/heights-district-plan

Heights District Redevelopment

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Report potholes, graffiti, sign damage, and non-working streetlights



To report any of these issues inside
Vancouver city limits, please email:
opsdispatch@cityofvancouver.us
Or use the City of Vancouver app on your
smartphone or other mobile device.

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tinyurl.com/vhnanews



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