Weekly Village News

Friday, June 5, 2015

From the Mayor's Desk

Hello Lions Bay,

I'll keep it short this week. We're trying to gauge the Village's level of interest for a work party to diminish fire-risk close to the highway by clearing uphill deadfall on the Centennial Trail on Sat. June 20. Please respond by clicking the Volunteer Survey button below. Given the heavy work involved, we'll need 20-30 able-bodied people with strong backs, and if that many can commit, we'll get it organised. This activity will qualify for school service hours big time.

Our water conservation program has been running for five days. So far so good, according to the Lions Bay water production graphic, which may indicate a reduction in production if you squint and turn the graph sideways. Let's see if we can spearhead consumption into the 400-600 liters per person per day range-the municipality is doing its part by cracking on with leak fixing, and we will soon do another overnight drawdown test to see if there's an improvement on the 26 percent leakage rate of six weeks back.

All the best,
Karl

Volunteer Survey

WEEKLY VILLAGE NEWS

We hope you are enjoying the new face of the Weekly Village News and would like to

thank residents for their patience during the turnover! It seems to be back on track, however please inform us if you have any issues.

The deadline to submit posts or make any changes to your existing post in the Weekly Village News is **Thursday by 4:00 p.m.** Anything submitted after 4:00 p.m. on Thursday will be queued for the following weeks' edition.



2015 FIREFIGHTER'S DAY FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

Firefighter's Day is back! This year the event will be held on Saturday, September 12th from 2:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. at the Lions Bay Beach Park. For information about prizes and activities, check out the flyer on the Village website.

Firefighter's Day

COUNCIL & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Upcoming Council & Committee Meetings:

- Infrastructure Committee Meeting - June 8, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.
- Special Council Meeting - June 9, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.
- Bylaw & Policy Review Committee Meeting - June 15, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

All meetings will take place in Council Chambers. The Village office stays open until 6:30 p.m. on Regular Council Meeting days in order to serve you better!

Upcoming Meetings

PUBLIC WORKS

The Village has recently been made aware of several complaints regarding the random dumping of tree and wood debris in the Village - both on municipal boulevards, and on private property. The Village would like to remind all residents of the following:

- That curbside green waste pickup on Fridays is unlimited.

- For larger loads, the Village trailer can be rented, delivered empty, and taken away full (disposal fees included in the rental fee). This can be organized through the Village Office at reception@lionsbay.ca or 604-921-9333.
- That any BC Hydro contractor working in the Village must remove their debris from their job sites promptly. If you witness any contractor leaving wood debris behind, please contact the Village Office reception@lionsbay.ca or 604-921-9333 as soon as possible so that the Village can follow up in a timely manner.

Green Waste Pick-Up Criteria

THE LIONS BAY 55+ CLUB

Please join us for the following sessions:

- Tuesday, June 9th - Tai Chi (11:15am)
- Tuesday, June 16th - Tai Chi (11:15am)
- Tuesday, June 23rd - Tai Chi (11:15am)
- Thursday, June 25th - Games, Cards, Crackers and Cheese (7-9pm)
- Tuesday, June 30th - Tai Chi (11:15am)
- Wednesday, July 8th - Tai Chi at Lions Bay Beach (10am)
- Wednesday, July 15th - Tai Chi at Lions Bay Beach (10am)

(Weather permitting for the two sessions at Lions Bay Beach. If it is too hot or raining, the session will be held in the Village Hall. All sessions are free to residents of Lions Bay).

If you would like more information, or you would like to be removed or added to our email list please contact Karen Jeffery, Age Friendly Coordinator, at kjeffery@lionsbay.ca

Calendar of Events

DAILY WATER PRODUCTION GRAPHS

A daily Water Production Graph has now been added to the Village website and will be updated each weekday to reflect daily production (consumption) rates. Find the graph on the Village website on the home page.

Today's Graph



NATIONAL HEALTH & FITNESS DAY ...certificates, refreshments and prizes!

Come join your fellow Villager's, our Mayor and MP John Weston at the Lions Bay school field for the Great Lions Bay Fitness Challenge on Saturday, June 6th. The route map is attached if you wish to partake in the Great Trail Run, or for those who would prefer, stay for an invigorating group Yoga Challenge, hosted by Ian Grant, Lions Bay Yoga and Pilates Instructor. Please also stay for the prize presentation of the "I Love Lions Bay" Photo Contest. The agenda is as follows:

- **12:00pm:** Participants arrival and sign up (waivers to be completed by all participants)
- **12:30-1pm:** MP John Weston will kick-off the event with an introductory speech and warm-up stretch for those who wish to participate
- **1:00pm:** Trail Challenge begins
- **2:00-2:30pm:** Trail Challenge concludes, participants can partake in refreshments and pick-up their Trail Challenge Certificate.
- **2:30pm:** Lions Bay Great Yoga Challenge begins. Ian will demonstrate and lead the participants through a series of yoga poses called the Sun Salutation, with the final challenge being the participants holding a 60 second plank.
- **3:00pm:** Mayor hands out yoga certificates and sponsors hand out the prizes for the "I Love Lions Bay" Photo Contest. There will be a total of 15 winners.

All participants will be required to complete a waiver upon signing up for events. Light snack and cold beverages will be available to participants at conclusion of activities.

Trail Run Route Map

View the Flyer

BYLAW REPORTING

Weekdays: Village Office (604) 921-9333 or reception@lionsbay.ca
Weekends: Bylaw Officer (604) 834-3404 or bylaw@lionsbay.ca

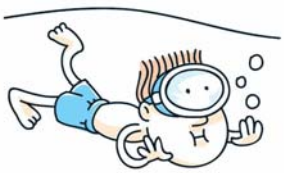
If, at any time, residents experience an event which poses an immediate threat to personal safety, please contact the RCMP by dialing 9-1-1.

2016 BUDGET REQUESTS

The Village is inviting residents to submit suggestions for consideration in the 2016 budget. Please send your requests to feedback@lionsbay.ca for consideration in the budget process, which will commence mid-fall.

SWIM PROGRAM

Unfortunately the Village received no response for a volunteer to organize the swim program this year in Lions Bay. However, the West Vancouver Aquatic Centre has many great programs to offer and is only a short drive away.



West Van Aquatic Centre

WILDFIRE NEWS

The weather calls for a hot, dry weekend! Please see the latest issue of the Wildfire News, sent out today.

Wildfire News

WATER CONSERVATION

Water conservation level 1 started June 1st under the Outdoor Water Use Bylaw No. 484, adopted by Council on May 19, 2015. A hard copy of the water conservation level chart was mailed to each residence with the property tax notices.

Outdoor Water Use Bylaw No. 484

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