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Madrona NEWS

Newsletter Of The Madrona Community Council

Member of Seattle Community Council Federation

Letter from Our President - John Capps

The newsletter this month includes a comprehensive survey of Madrona's Open Space/Parks resources and needs. I encourage everyone to fill out and return the questionnaire. Our thanks to Shirley Solomon for preparing the survey.

Our thanks also to Vickie Vellinga for updating the Madrona Neighborhood Business List. I suggest that you save and post the business list in a prominent place for future reference, and I encourage you to patronize our local neighborhood businesses.

Please note that the dates of our next Board and Program Meetings have changed. Our next Program Meeting, on March 1, promises to be very topical and very informative. With the recent earthquake disaster in Los Angeles, it seemed appropriate to present a program by a very motivating speaker, LuAn Johnson, on how you and your family can prepare for the inevitable earthquake in our area.

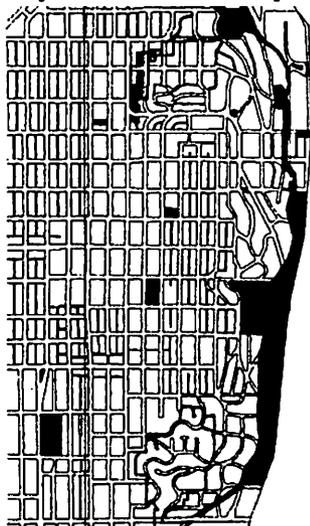
Viretta Park continues to be a hot topic of discussion. Because of the desire to move forward with discussions of the Viretta Park issue, the next Board Meeting will be on February 22. The Madrona Community Council has sent representatives to participate in the two committee meetings on Viretta Park and has also given its position paper to the Parks Department and the Schultzes. The Schultzes have said they are interested in a compromise solution and a speedy resolution.

At this time, I am not comfortable with the process, due to the amount of posturing being done for the media. The Council representatives have determined that we need to have an opportunity to discuss our further involvement in this matter. This will occur at the Board Meeting on February 22.

I will keep you updated as Viretta Park issue continues to unfold. In the meantime, thanks again for your support.

Madrona Community Open Space and Park Survey

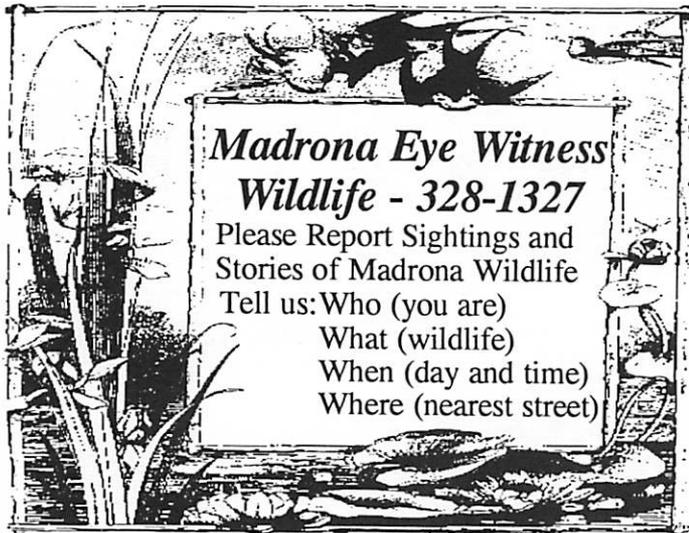
The Madrona Community Council is very pleased to enclose a Open Space and Park Survey that has been developed by the Habitat and Open Space Committee. Shirley Solomon has taken the lead in developing the survey in preparation for the Community Council's April 26th Program Meeting. The Committee will use it to help focus its efforts and outreach. The survey is a result of the Urban Wildlife Habitat grant the Community Council received. The Council has additional funds from the grant that can be used to fund some of the ideas generated by the survey, so please take a moment to fill in the questionnaire and return it to Shirley or drop it off at Plenty or the Madrona Library by March 15th!



Community Calendar



- Feb 15 Madrona School Architectural Presentation**
7:00 pm Madrona School Library, 1121 33rd Avenue
UW architecture students present design ideas for Madrona School. Everyone is encouraged to attend and provide feedback! (See related article)
- Feb 16 Leschi Natural Area Planning Meeting**
7:00 pm Leschi School Lunchroom, 135 32nd Avenue
Discussion of potential future uses of property purchased as open space in the Leschi Natural Area at 36th Avenue and E Terrace Street.
- Feb 17 Madrona Community Council 60's History Gathering & Storytelling Meeting**
7:00pm Shelter House, 34th & Spring. Everyone Welcome!
Come hear or tell stories of life in Madrona in the 1960's as part of Madrona's ongoing history project.
- Feb 17 Madrona Elementary School**
9:30am Visit the Madrona School on Thursdays in February.
- Feb 22 Urban Wildlife Habitat Discussion**
7:00 pm Camp Long in West Seattle, 5200 35th Ave SW
Discussion of proposed management plan for wildlife habitat in Seattle. (See related article)
- Feb 22 Madrona Community Council Working Meeting** (Note date change)
7:30pm Shelter House, 34th & Spring. Everyone Welcome!
- Feb 24 Seattle Engineering Department Open House**
4:30 Transportation Construction and Services
-8:30pm Seattle Central Community College, 1701 Broadway
Rooms 1110 and 1111
- Feb ? Madrona Community Council Transportation Committee Meeting**
7:00pm Call Bill Hanson (323-3450) for information.
- Mar 1 Madrona Community Council Program Meeting** (Note date change)
7:30pm Shelter House, 34th & Spring. Everyone Welcome!
Earthquake Preparedness - Presentation by LuAn Johnson for you and your family. (See related article)
- Mar 2 Madrona Gardeners Renovating Old Gardens with Bev Ernst**
7:00pm Shelter House, 34th & Spring. Everyone Welcome!
Contact Kay Gordon 328-1327 for details.
- Mar 2 Tree Steward Program Begins**
Call 684-5008 for application.
- Mar 29 Madrona Community Council Program Meeting**
7:30pm Shelter House, 34th & Spring. Everyone Welcome!



Madrona Eye Witness

Wildlife - 328-1327

Please Report Sightings and Stories of Madrona Wildlife

Tell us: Who (you are)
 What (wildlife)
 When (day and time)
 Where (nearest street)

**Urban Wildlife Habitat Plan Underway
 Public Meeting February 22**

Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation is developing an Urban Wildlife Habitat Plan. Mike Gordon's Madrona wildlife database will provide useful information, so please continue to call (328-1327) about any and all wildlife sightings! A fox was one of the most recent sightings in Madrona.

The Department is holding a public meeting to discuss the proposed Wildlife Habitat Plan on **February 22rd, 7pm, at Camp Long in West Seattle, 5200 35th Avenue SW**. Please plan to attend to share your ideas on how best to preserve and protect wildlife habitat in Seattle. The Department has set up a **Wildlife Observation Line (684-7057)** to report sightings and a **Wildlife Habitat Management Plan Comment Line (684-7067)**.

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Custom women & childrens clothing Cezanne Hardy
- Cabinetry/Furniture** 323-2808
New mission furniture Dirk Park
- Conley Hat Manufacturing Company** 322-1868
1112 34th Ave. Alex Conley
- Conrow Porcelain** 324-0734
1429 34th Avenue Ginny Conrow
- Deborah Stevenson - Fine artist** 860-1296
- Dee Dee Rainbow - Ceramic sculptor** 323-7787
1704 36th Avenue Gallery hours by appointment
- Diana Bower - Prints & Jewelry** 323-2505
- Kathy Allen Raku** 720-1774
1431-A 34th Avenue Kathy Allen
- Kozo - Children's clothing** 325-7945
926 Randolph Street Lorraine Hoshide
- Madrona Woodshop** 324-4664
116 34th Avenue Ken
- Namm Ceramics/Fountains** 720-1774
1431-A 34th Avenue Barry Namm
- Pure Manifestations** 322-4822
1135 & 1137 34th Avenue Monad
- Shashemene - East African ethnic gifts** 328-5358
1130 34th Avenue Tsegaye & Assefa
- Sky Visions - Custom framing & gallery** 328-4246
1406 34th Avenue Vickie Vellinga
- Susan Roberts** 329-7322
Portraits/caricatures/illustrations/paintings
- Tutto!** 329-3556
Children's clothing/fiber & fun art Terri Spaccarotelli
- Walter Bodle - Photographs/portraits etc.** 324-4814

BEAUTY / BARBER

- Beauty Doctor** 324-9544
2800 E. Cherry Street, Suite B Rev. Duckworth
- Carrusel La Beaute Inc.** 322-4660
1136 34th Avenue Sally Moody
- Carrusel Too** 322-8683
1114 34th Avenue Barbara & Terrie
- Fleeks Barber Shop** 323-9979
2926 E. Cherry Street Tyree Fleeks
- Gene's Barber Shop** 322-0273
1123(S) 34th Avenue Gene Nesbitt
- Sophisticuts** 860-0910
1406-1/2 34th Avenue Patty Barlow

CLEANERS / LAUNDRY

- Bonnie's Madrona Cleaners** 328-1120
3317 E. Union Street Bonnie Crone
- Madrona Laundromat**
1408 34th Avenue Manager: Leonard Moore

GROCERY

- Amy's Merkato - Mini-mart & deli** 324-2527
2922 E. Cherry Street Emebet Assefa
- Joe's Food Center** 324-5771
3309 E. Union Street Mrs. Lloyd Lee & Family
- Lowe's Grocery & Beverage** 323-0332
2800 E. Cherry Street Sylvester & Aurelia Lowe
- Plenty - Gourmet specialty foods & fresh produce** 324-1214
1404 34th Avenue R. Rolfe, Loree Hyde, Jim Watkins
- Roger's Thriftway** 329-4002
1126 Martin Luther King Jr. Way Roger Bateman

MEDICAL / HEALTH

- Amanda Sargent, LMP - Massage** 323-5356
- Carolyn Downs Family Medical Center** 461-4587
1422 34th Avenue
- Dr. H.T. Koon - Dental practice** 322-2311
1524 35th Avenue
- Group Health Madrona Medical Center** 720-6000
1403 34th Avenue 720-6633
- Madrona Pharmacy** 325-9696
1138 34th Avenue Yuen Wong & Family
- Roz Schoenberg - Massage/yoga** 324-7527
- Venita Ramirez, MA - Counseling/relationships** 860-4030

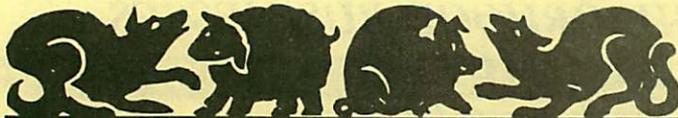
MISCELLANEOUS

- Arthuro Auto Repair** 324-6445
1112 Martin Luther King Jr Way
- Cravens Electronic Repair** 324-5062
2915 E. Pike Street Robert Cravens
- DJ's Video** 325-6285
2800 E. Cherry Street Duane
- Executive Diversity Services Inc.** 328-2334
Organization development specializing in diversity issues Donna Stringer
- Fleeks/Wingo Tax Services** 324-7107
1139 34th Avenue Suite A Donald Fleeks
- Jon Strongbow** 328-6072
Window washing/commercial & residential
- Junius Rochester - Freelance writer/historian** 860-2153
802 32nd Avenue
- Keepsake Editions - Family history books** 328-1327
1565 Madrona Drive Kay Gordon
- Lake Washington Realty Inc.** 324-7000
701 34th Avenue Rick Koegel, Dennis McMillan
- Madrona Nursery** 323-8325
815 38th Avenue, by appointment Ann Bucher
- Nutech Services** 329-2461
Electrical contractor Candy Gruber
- Roark Design** 328-2296
1410 35th Avenue Kathleen Roark
- Wild & Scenic River Tours** 323-1220
Adventure Company Allan
- World Travel** 328-2677
1127-1/2 34th Avenue Ben Abé

RESTAURANT / CATERING / DELI

- Assimba - Ethiopian cuisine** 322-1019
2920 E. Cherry Street Messeret Tessema
- Caffe Carretto - Espresso cart** 322-1943
Martin Luther King Jr. Way/E. Union Street Uli Johnson
- Chocolate Works** 325-6168
1123(N) 34th Avenue Kris O'Leary
- Cool Hand Lukes Cafe** 324-2553
1131 34th Avenue Sharon & Curtis Luke
- Hi-Spot Cafe** 325-7905
1410 34th Avenue Mike Walker, Joanne Sugura
- Madrona Bistro** 328-2987
1416 34th Avenue Lysle Wilhelmi, Paul Beveridge
- Plenty** 324-1214
1404 34th Avenue R. Rolfe, Loree Hyde, Jim Watkins
- Simply Elegant** 329-8538
1129 34th Avenue Dena Lee-Cumming

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Shirley Solomon, Backyard Wildlife	323-1524
Susan Stocking, Education/Site Council	342-9943
Noah Tratt, Public Safety	328-0834
Vickie Vellinga, Business Liaison	328-4246
Michael Wilson, Public Safety	329-9616

PLEASE SAVE AND POST FOR FUTURE REFERENCE!
Send additions or corrections for the Madrona Neighborhood Business List to Vickie Vellinga, Sky Visions, 1406 34th. 2/94

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Girls, Inc. of Puget Sound <i>708 Martin Luther King Jr. Way</i>	720-2912
Little Blue House <i>Day Care</i>	325-5965 <i>Erika Davis-Pitre</i>
Madrona After School Program <i>3710 E. Howell Street</i>	323-4366
Madrona Community Presbyterian Church <i>832 32nd Avenue</i>	328-2708
Madrona Dance Studio <i>800 Lake Washington Boulevard Spectrum Dance Theatre</i>	324-4161
Madrona Elementary School <i>1121 33rd Avenue</i>	281-6590 <i>Margie Kates</i>
Madrona - Sally Goldmark Library <i>1134 33rd Avenue</i>	684-4705 <i>Nancy Pew</i>
Madrona Shelter House - reservations <i>34th Avenue/Spring Street</i>	329-9836 <i>Jill Gordon</i>
St. Therese Church <i>3416 E. Marion Street</i>	325-2711
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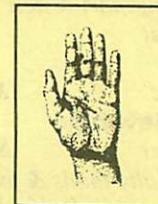
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Run? Jump? Play? Watch? Climb? Explore? Walk? Sit? Enjoy?

How Do You Use and Enjoy Madrona's Open Spaces and Parks?

The Madrona Community Council is in the process of developing an Open Space and Park Plan for the neighborhood. The Plan will provide a focal point for the community's activities with regard to maintenance, enhancement and protection of our existing system and preservation of additional areas. We need your input and ask you to complete this survey. This survey is designed to tell us not only how you see the area today but also what you would like to see in the future.

PROPOSED POLICY STATEMENT

The Madrona Community cherishes its neighborhood parks and open spaces/natural areas and works actively to maintain, enhance and protect these public resources and to add to the overall system whenever and wherever possible.



- *The Madrona Community is fortunate to have part of Seattle's Olmsted park and boulevard legacy within its boundaries and values both the historic and public significance of this resource and will work to protect its integrity for future generations to enjoy.*
- *The Madrona Community values its natural habitat areas and will work to encourage a healthy network of wildlife habitat throughout the community.*
- *The Madrona Community values the interactive, recreational and educational purposes of open spaces/parks and will work to encourage broad neighborhood use of its active park areas.*
- *The Madrona Community values a pedestrian friendly community that is served by a network of walking routes and will work to encourage safe open sidewalks, stairways and paths throughout the community.*

I agree disagree with the statement. It should be modified as follows: _____

USE INVENTORY OF PARKS/OPEN SPACES IN AND ADJACENT TO MADRONA

Madrona is fortunate to have many open space and park resources in and immediately adjacent to the neighborhood. Please indicate the principal activity (strolling, viewing, play, etc.) and approximate frequency of your use of the open space/parks in or near Madrona for you and the members of your household.

PARK/OPEN SPACE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	FREQUENCY		
			1+ /Year	1+ /Month	1+ /Week
Lake Washington Boulevard	Waterfront	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Madrona Park	Lk Wash Blvd/38th	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Madrona Beach</i>	Waterfront	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Madrona Woods</i>	Above Lk Wash Blvd	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Madrona Ravine</i>	Spring St/37-38th	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Goldmark Overlook</i>	Lk Wa Bd/Madrona	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Madrona Dance Studio</i>	Lk Wa Bd	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Madrona Playground	Spring St/33-34th	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Playfield</i>	"	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Shelter House</i>	"	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Tennis Courts</i>	"	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Playground</i>	"	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Harrison Ridge Greenbelt	32nd/Harrison/Denny	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Al Larkins Park	Pike St/34-35th	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Howell Park	Howell St/Waterfront	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
William Grose Park	30-31st/Howell St	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Viretta Park	Lk Wa Bd/39th/John	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Briar Patch	Pine St/Grand/Madrona	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
39th Ave Ravine/Bridge	39th Ave/Pine	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
36th Sidewalk	36th/Pike/Cherry Sts	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stairways:	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Viewpoints:	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

USE INVENTORY FOR PARKS/OPEN SPACES IN SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES

Madrona is fortunate to have easy access to parks and open space in the surrounding communities. Some of these include: Powell Barnett Park; Garfield Park/Community Center/Swimming Pool; Judkins Park; Leschi Park/Marina/Tennis Courts/Playground; Peppi's Playground; Madison Park/Beach/Tennis Courts/Playground; Washington Park/Arboretum/Japanese Garden/Playground; Volunteer Park/Playground/Water Tower/Conservatory; I-90 Lid Park/Trail. Please list any parks in the surrounding areas that you visit or use regularly.

PARK/OPEN SPACE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	FREQUENCY		
			1+/Year	1+/Month	1+/Week
Place: _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
Place: _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
Place: _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____

What do you like about Madrona's open spaces/parks/walkways? _____

What improvements would you like to see at any of Madrona's open spaces/parks/walkways (such as lighting, security, benches, weeds, trash)? Please be specific. _____

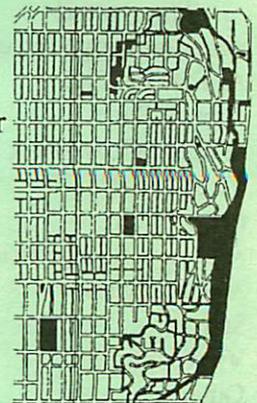
Are your recreational needs being met by the open space/parks/walkways in Madrona and nearby? Do they serve your family's needs adequately? _____

What are your favorite urban recreational activities? Please circle activities you or your family participate in more than once a month.

walking jogging bicycling tennis field sports volleyball basketball playgrounds swimming
Other: _____

Please describe your favorite walking routes? Are there any barriers that need to be removed or improvements made? _____

Would you be interested in participating in and/or leading nature walks/talks in the community? _____



ADOPT-A-PARK AND ADOPT-A-STREET

The Department of Parks and Recreation (Joy Vanderwerff 386-1419) and the Engineering Department (David Hunter 684-4163) have adoption programs for Parks/Open Space and Street rights-of-way. It is an opportunity to join forces with neighbors to care for an area of the neighborhood and get support from the City in the form of tools, trash pick-up, etc.

Are you interested in becoming involved in such an effort? _____

Where? _____

Would you be interested in participating in 1 or 2 or 3 work parties per year?

Would you like to help maintain our public stairways by "adopting" one? _____

WILDLIFE HABITAT



Backyard Wildlife Sanctuary Program - The Madrona Community has been actively promoting wildlife habitat enhancement through the Department of Wildlife's Backyard Wildlife Sanctuary Program.

Are you currently or would you like to become an active participant in the program? _____

Urban Wildlife Habitat Plan & Wildlife Observation Hotline

The Department of Parks and Recreation is undertaking an Urban Wildlife Habitat Management Plan. A Comment Line (684-7067) and a city-wide Wildlife Observation Hotline (684-7057) modelled after Mike Gordon's Madrona Wildlife Hotline (328-1327) have been set up.

Are there areas in Madrona that should be preserved to enhance wildlife habitat? _____

Are wildlife habitat needs being adequately provided for in the Madrona area? _____

What wildlife would you like to encourage in the Madrona area? _____

PARK/OPEN SPACE ISSUES

Many of our open spaces, rights-of-way, ravines, and woods suffer from dumping of yard wastes and/or trash and from encroachments.

Do you have any suggestions of what we can do as a community to discourage this?

Dumping _____

Yard Waste _____

Encroachment _____

Other _____

PRESERVATION AND VOLUNTARY CONSERVATION



The Department of Parks and Recreation Open Space Program (Anne Knight 233-7932) is encouraging voluntary conservation of natural areas. Madrona resident, Fran Wood (325-2296) is working with neighbors to develop a plan for preserving the natural lands along 36th Avenue north of Terrace Street. He has submitted an application to the County for Current Use Taxation. The Seattle-King County Land Conservancy (Gene Duvernoy 324-8021) has received a donation of a conservation easement on property at East Pine Street and Lake Washington Boulevard. There are many ways to help preserve our remaining open spaces in Madrona.

Are there areas you would like to see preserved through voluntary conservation? _____

Is there an area that should be the next priority for acquisition, if funds were available? _____

TREES

Landmark Trees - The community is fortunate to have many significant grand old trees. Many of these trees have been identified and inventoried.

Would you like to know more about this community resource? _____

Street Trees - The City and TREEmendous Seattle is undertaking a major effort to "reforest" the city. Opportunities will exist to plant more trees on our streets. Training to become a Tree Steward is being offered by the Engineering Department (Liz Ellis 684-5008) beginning March 2nd (see Jan/Feb Madrona News, for more information).

The Madrona Community Council last year submitted a budget request to the City for replacement of the missing trees on 34th Avenue and Union and Cherry Streets. We plan to submit this request again.

Are you interested in assisting with this project? _____

Would you be interested in working with your neighbors to plant street trees on your street? _____

NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING GRANTS

The Madrona Community Council has participated in several Neighborhood Matching Grants: In 1991-92, the community rehabbed the Shelter House at Madrona Playfield as a community meeting room. In 1993, the Community Council installed neighborhood welcome signs.

In 1994, the Community Council, along with Leschi, is undertaking a beach enhancement project at Madrona Beach to enhance the useability of the sandy area by the bathhouse.

Would you like to help with the project at Madrona Beach? _____

MADRONA COMMUNITY OPEN SPACE/PARKS PLAN

What ideas do you have or what would you like to see the Madrona community take on as projects?

Open Space/Natural Area Preservation _____

Wildlife Habitat Enhancement _____

Park Enhancement _____

Park Maintenance _____

Trees _____

Walkways _____

Other _____

Please take the time to complete this survey by March 15th. By doing so, you will provide the Madrona Community Council with important information on how our neighborhood park and open space resources are used, and what you would like to see in the future. Please return or mail the survey to Shirley Solomon, or drop it off at Plenty, 1404 34th Avenue, or at the Madrona Sally Goldmark Library. The results of this survey will be discussed at the April 26th General Meeting of the Madrona Community Council. Please plan to attend.

Name _____	
Address _____	Zip _____
Phone: Home _____	Work _____
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to be more involved.	
<input type="checkbox"/> I have skills I can offer.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please add my address to the mailing list.	
	
PLAN TO ATTEND! APRIL 26!	
OPEN SPACE/PARKS PLANNING MEETING	



Shirley Solomon
Madrona Community Council
1614 33rd Avenue
Seattle, WA 98122

In our
"Hood"



Recent Madrona home sales

Sales Price Range	Number of Homes	Avg. days on Market
\$80,000 - \$89,999	1	35
\$90,000 - \$99,999	3	21
\$100,000 - \$119,999	2	29
\$120,000 - \$159,000	9	36
\$160,000 - \$199,999	7	68
\$200,000 - \$249,999	5	59
\$250,000 - \$349,999	3	37
\$350,000 - \$499,999	3	161
\$500,000 - \$749,000	1	14
\$750,000 - \$800,000	1	1

(according to the records of Puget Sound Multiple Listing Association and TRW)

If you would like to know the market value of your home without cost or obligation, please call a neighbor, in your neighbor "hood".



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Windermere

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Dena Lee-Cumming

Custom Catering

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Traffic/Transportation Committee Report by Bill Hanson

The Madrona Community Council Transportation Committee has proposed the following objective and goals for the Madrona Transportation Plan.

Objective: To improve the livability of our community through better traffic control

- Goals:**
- ◆ Promote the use of alternative forms of transportation by encouraging the establishment of foot trails, bicycle lanes, and more use of transit.
 - ◆ Route all through traffic on the arterials at the edges of the community (Martin Luther King Jr Way and Lake Washington Blvd) and to route all institutional traffic to and from the community on the arterials within the community (E Cherry, E Union, 34th Ave, E Denny Way [between 34th and 32nd Ave], 32nd Ave [between E Denny Way and Lake Washington Blvd.] and Madrona Drive).
 - ◆ Keep traffic within the community moving on the arterials.
 - ◆ Slow traffic on residential streets and arterials within.
 - ◆ Prevent any existing residential streets from being use as arterials.
 - ◆ Examine each street in terms of a comprehensive approach.
 - ◆ Ensure that all institutions, businesses and multi-family residences plan for adequate provision of parking for residents, patrons and employees. Parking impacts of faculty, staff, employees, patrons and visitors shall be minimized on community residents and open green spaces.
 - ◆ Require that all new or expanded institutions, businesses and multi-family units provide mitigation for any potential adverse traffic impacts.

Concerns (Identified by residents of Madrona):

- ◆ Traffic congestion on 32nd and 33rd by the Madrona School and the Madrona Sally Goldmark Library is causing unsafe conditions for children using these institutions.
- ◆ Increased traffic on non arterial residential streets such as 32nd Ave (between East Denny Way and East Union). On January 17, 1994, a hit and run accident occurred. Also, on January 22nd another vehicle was hit.
- ◆ Reduced sight lines make it difficult to enter 34th Avenue from East Pike. Also, a similar problem is occurring at 30th Avenue and East Union, for both cars turning onto 30th or Union.
- ◆ Speeding traffic on arterial streets in the community, such as Madrona Drive.
- ◆ Shortage of parking on 34th and 35th Avenues between East Spring and Pike.
- ◆ Speeding traffic on non arterial streets such as on Grand Avenue near East Pike Street by the cross walk and the corner.

Proposed solutions to most of these problems have been developed and the committee is in the process of setting up a meeting with the Seattle Engineering Department to discuss these and obtain their input on solutions. If you are interested in attending this meeting call Bill Hanson at 323-3450. If you have any comments on the objective, goals, or other problem you would like addressed give me a call or drop off your written ideas to Nancy Pew at the Madrona Sally Goldmark Library. In addition the proposed Madrona Transportation Plan will be discussed at a future Community Council Board Meeting.

Reminder: Seattle Engineering Open House *Thursday, February 24, 4:30-8:30pm, Seattle Central Community College, 1701 Broadway (rooms 1110 and 1111)*. They are collecting project ideas on how to improve the City's transportation system and providing information on day to day transportation services, such as street maintenance and traffic enforcements. For more information, please call Mike Morris-Lent, Seattle Engineering Department (684-0811).

Our Madrona Businesses - Simply Elegant

The following hearty and flavorful recipe is courtesy of our local neighborhood caterer, Dena Lee-Cumming from Simply Elegant.

White Chili

1/4 C Lite olive oil	3 ea 15oz Cans chick peas, drained
1 Medium onion, chopped fine	1 ea 2oz Can chopped green chilies
2 Tbs Minced garlic	6 C Chicken broth
1 Tbs Cumin	2 tsp Marjoram
1# Ground turkey	1/2 tsp Savory
2# Turkey breast, cut into 1" cubes	2 Tbs Arrowroot
2/3 C Barley	2 Tbs Water

Topping: 4 oz Jack cheese, grated; 1 Bunch green onions, finely chopped

Heat oil in large skillet. Add onions and saute 2-3 minutes. Add garlic and cumin. Continue sauteing until onion is soft and golden. Add ground turkey and cubed turkey. Cook until turkey loses its pinkness. Add the barley, chickpeas, broth, herbs and green chilies. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and cover. Simmer 45 minutes. Adjust seasonings to taste. Mix arrowroot and water and pour into stew. Stir. Serve with toppings.

Madrona Preschool Moondance

Saturday, February 26, 7-11pm
St. Therese Gymnasium, 900 35th Ave
\$8 in advance, \$10 at the door

The Righteous Mothers will be headlining a blow-out evening fundraiser for the Madrona Preschool. The evening will have four acts: *The Stark Raving Theatre Group*, *The Splatter Kings*, *The Latest News*, and *The Righteous Mothers*.

Culinary treats from a wide variety of ethnic backgrounds will be available as well as beer, wine and non-alcoholic refreshments. A raffle will be held with 14 winners to be announced. All of this is only \$8 in advance or \$10 at the door. Call Shonnie Evans (726-0844) for advance tickets.

The best part of this event will be that you can not only have a great time, but you can also contribute to a vital part of our community, the Madrona Co-op Preschool. The Madrona Co-op Preschool is a satellite program of the Seattle Central Community College and has been in operation for over twenty years. For more information on the preschool, please come to the open house on March 9th at the school, 1610 South King Street, or call Shonnie Evans (726-0844).

EARTHQUAKE PREPAREDNESS

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 7:30PM
SHELTER HOUSE, 34TH & SPRING



Madrona Community Council Program Meeting featuring a presentation by LuAn Johnson, Office of Emergency Management. Learn why you should carry a whistle at all times, what to carry in your car, how you can contact you family in emergency situations, and much more.

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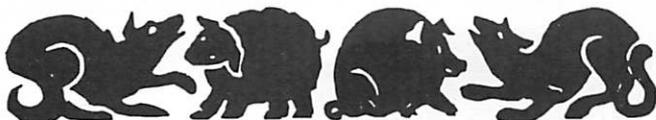
Madrona NEWS

Newsletter Of The Madrona Community Council

The Madrona Newsletter is published monthly except during the summer months and December. Send news articles, items for the community bulletin board, neighborly notes, additions to the mailing list and changes of address to Newsletter Editor, 1122 36th Ave, Seattle 98122, 329-9329. The deadline is the first Saturday after the Board meeting. Call Susan Roberts (329-7322) regarding newsletter advertising.

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend the meetings of the Community Council which are held the first Tuesday (Working Meeting) and the last Tuesday (Program Meeting) of the month at 7:30 in the Shelter House at the Madrona Playfield. Please call your neighborhood representatives if you have questions or would like to become involved in the Community Council.

President	John Capps, 324-6847
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Southwest Quadrant	Karla Neugebauer, 323-3078
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Our Community Bulletin Board

U of W Students Studying Madrona School

As a class project this Winter Quarter, a group of U of W architecture students will be creating design ideas for the new Madrona Elementary School. This project is in response to the Bond Issue and the Seattle School Board's plan to upgrade Seattle's Schools, including Madrona's school. The students have interviewed members of the community and school as background for their work. The students will be showing their preliminary designs at the *Madrona School Library, February 15th at 7pm*. Please plan to attend to offer your feed-back. For more information or comments, please call 543-570 or leave a message for Professor Sasanoff (685-7282).

Madrona History Project - February 17th

The 1960's history gathering meeting will take place at the *Shelter House on Thursday, February 17th at 7pm*. Robin Raible (935-3893) is organizing the event and would greatly appreciate help in contacting folks from Madrona, wherever they now are.

Bush School Evening Program

The Bush School is offering a winter series of unique, dynamic, evening courses with a small class size at a reasonable cost to the public. Most classes will be held between February 23 and March 31. Topics include arts, gardening, dance, fitness, etc. Call Katesy Townsend (326-7776) for information or a catalog.

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