

Victoria Park Annual Open Meeting	Tue, Jan 26, 2010
Neighborhood Picnic	Thu, Aug 6, 2009
Annual Community Garage Sale	Fri, Jun 19, 2009 Sat, Jun 20, 2009 Sun, Jun 21, 2009
2009 Events Calendar	

Victoria Park Homeowners Association
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Newsletter for the first quarter of 2009



Officers and Committee Assignments

At the first board meeting on of 2009 Officers were elected and Committee assignments were made.

2009 VPHA Officers

Matt Devine	President
Sandra Meyer	Vice President
Alan Zullig	Treasurer
Lief Zimmerman	Secretary

2009 VPHA Committee Assignments

Architectural Control	Bob Rantucci, Ulf Goranson
Children's Park	Bob Rantucci, Lief Zimmerman
Greenbelt	Matt Devine, Glyn Gardner
Maintenance Oversight	David Murphy, Dennis Casadoro
Entrance Properties	Sandra Meyer, Ulf Goranson
Newsletter	Lief Zimmerman
Special Events	Michelle Hammers, Sandra Meyer
Website	Matt Devine, Alan Zullig
Recognition	Ulf Goranson

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Community Garage Sale -- Coming Soon

Friday, June 19th through Sunday, June 21st

We offer something new for the annual Community Garage Sale this year; it starts one day earlier. We hope that starting on a Friday may bring in more garage sale enthusiasts since there are so many other garage sales we will be competing with during this time of year.

The date is coming up soon so polish those ski's, dust off the Easter baskets, and pump-up that old ten-speed and get ready to sell!

Special Recognition

On January 27th 2009 the VPHA Board and the Special Recognition committee recognized two individuals, Art Madsen and Alan Zullig. Their efforts erecting the South Entrance Sign essentially made the sign project come together in the end and without their generous donation of time and expertise it could not have been built.

The Victoria Park Homeowners Association Board recognizes

Art Madsen

In Appreciation for Excellent Support of The South Victoria Park Entrance Sign Construction

The Victoria Park Homeowners Association Board recognizes

Alan Zullig

In Appreciation for Excellent Long-time Support as Treasurer & Special Mounting and Illumination of the Victoria Park South Entrance Sign

Officers and Board Members

Board Member	Office	Committee Assignments	Phone Number
Matt Devine	President	Green Belt / Website	425-226-6933
Sandra Meyer	Vice President	Events / Entrance Properties	425.255-8005
Lief Zimmerman	Secretary	Newsletter / Children's Park	425.254-8686
Alan Zullig	Treasurer	Website	425.228-1570
Dennis Casadoro	Board	Maintenance Oversight	253-740-5800
Michelle Hammers	Board	Events / Entrance Properties	425.430-4225
Glyn Gardener	Board	Green Belt	425.430-4225
Ulf Goranson	Board	Entrance Properties / Recognition / Architectural	425.255-8614
Robert Rantucci	Board	Architectural / Children's Park	425.235-6122
David Murphy	Board	Maintenance Oversight	206.799-2658



2009 Neighborhood Picnic and Potluck

Come and meet your neighbors.

On Wednesday, August 6th at 6:00 PM The City of Renton and the Neighborhood Program will host the 2009 Annual Picnic for Victoria Park, Victoria Hills, and Talbot Hill. They will be cooking hot dogs and serve lemonade and provide a great venue for neighbors to meet and greet and enjoy a nice summer evening.

This year the picnic will be back at Thomas Teasdale Park, and it will again be kicked off with a bike parade along Morris all the way to the picnic shelter in the park.

So come on out and meet your neighbors. Join some of the other activities, meet members of the Renton Police Department, Fire Department, and other city officials or just stop by for a hot-dog and some conversation.

Each neighborhood association will provide salad, side dishes, chips, and dessert along with greetings and clean up support.



Please bring...

if your last name starts with A-M
A Salad or Side Dish

if your last name starts with N-Z
A Dessert item

If you have any questions please call
Sandra Meyer (425-255-8005)
Victoria Park Special Events Committee.

Mark your calendar
Wednesday, August 6th
6:00 PM
Thomas Teasdale Park

Parking Enforcement: Our Number One Complaint

The VPHA Board and VPHA Officers are a resource and your contact point for issues concerning our neighborhood and our neighbors. The one issue resulting in more calls and communication with VPHA Board Members than anything else is automobiles and parking enforcement.

This is also an issue over which the VPHA Board has no control; it is a matter to be taken up directly with the Renton Police Department.

The city publishes an informational web-page, **Parking Enforcement Information and Questions**. It can be found at this web address: <https://rentonwa.gov/living/default.aspx?id=6642>

Excerpts include the following:

- The City of Renton has adopted State law in regards to parking regulations. This state law can be found in the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) Chapter 46.61.570.

In brief, this law states where parking is prohibited including

- * sidewalks
- * planting strips
- * on a crosswalk
- * in front of a public or private driveway or within five feet of the end of the curb radius leading thereto.

- Another area of concern for the public is parking in residential areas facing the wrong direction. RCW 46.61.575 states that: "Every vehicle stopped or parked upon a two-way roadway shall be so stopped or parked with the right-hand wheels parallel to and within twelve inches of the right-hand curb or as close as practicable to the right edge of the right-hand shoulder."

- Parking Enforcement Controllers use "complaint based enforcement" to address parking violations within the City of Renton.

If the department receives a complaint of a vehicle parked on a sidewalk in a residential area, the Parking Enforcement Controller will respond and the Parking Enforcement Controller will cite the offending vehicle and also enforce all parking regulations in the neighborhood.

- Parking Enforcement Controllers focus their enforcement efforts primarily in the downtown area, but they will travel to other destinations if there are complaints called into 9-1-1.

They normally work Monday through Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

- Q - Can I park my car on a city street or city right-of-way in front of my house?
A - Yes, but vehicles parked longer than 24 hours are considered abandoned.

If you have any questions regarding parking enforcement within the City of Renton, please contact Sergeant Wilcox at (425) 430-7561.

To make a complaint about an illegally parked car in your neighborhood call 9-1-1.

Advertising

All advertisements are Victoria Park homeowners unless otherwise stated.

