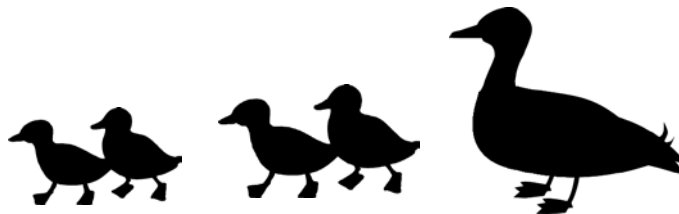


Come to the Duck Daze Celebration!

Saturday, June 4, 2011

Duck Parade & Uptown Car Show



Duck Daze officially kicks off at 10 a.m. when the Duck Parade marches along Bridgeport Way to celebrate the coming of summer! Everyone is invited to participate and be part of the fun!

The Duck Parade began when community members Terry Reim and Dixie Harris thought the community needed an event to celebrate the end of the rainy season as well as the wonderful improvements to Bridgeport Way. The yellow duck was adopted as the symbol of the parade and is now a community mascot!

The parade, sponsored by Mandon Foley Insurance Agency this year, will begin at 10 a.m. at the corner of 27th Street and Bridgeport and continues south to 37th Street where it will end at the **Uptown 2011 Car Show**, sponsored by America's Credit Union.

You can be in the parade or just come to cheer on the participants. Either way, you'll want to grab your yellow gear! To be a part of the parade or for more information, call Dixie Harris at 253.564.6373.



Treasures in the Park

10 a.m. – 4 p.m. in Homestead Park

Are you looking for some fun... a bargain... great entertainment? Look no further!

After you enjoy the Annual Duck Parade, bring the family and move on down to Homestead Park, where you can join the crowd in the hunt for "treasures" at this year's annual "Treasures in the Park" event. The event is free and open to the public – and a great opportunity for family fun!

Treasures in the Park is University Place's BIGGEST garage/antique and plant sale, and you won't want to miss it! Sign up for a booth, clean out those closets, bring out the antiques, reusable items and new treasures to sell. There will be bargains galore, rides and activities for the kids, food, fun and entertainment on stage for the whole family.

On-stage entertainment will feature an array of local musicians and dance groups throughout the day. There may even be an opportunity for budding vocalists to showcase their talent during a fun karaoke session.

Booth space for this great event is limited, so sign up for your space today! 10x10 spaces are available for an Early Bird Special of \$50 through May 15, after that date booth space will be \$60. Final deadline to sign up is May 31. Applications are online on the City's event calendar at www.CityofUP.com or, for more information, call Ken Grassi at 278.1946.

This is a phenomenal year to be part of Treasures in the Park! The all-day festivities – parade, car show, fire/police open house, antique/garage sale and art fair – will mark the kickoff of the first summer in U.P. with Market Square activities for all!



Fire & Police Open House

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. at the Public Safety Building



Do you have junior firefighters or policemen in your midst? Children of all ages love to check out the police cars, fire engines, and all of the cool equipment available for viewing at the Fire & Police Open House.

There will be refreshments, helmets, life jackets, tattoos, and more! Best of all, family members of all ages will have the chance to meet and talk with local law enforcement professionals and learn all about what they do!

Highlights of the day will include:

- Refreshments
 - Face painting, temporary tattoos
 - Pierce County Sheriff's Special Units
 - Helmet & life jacket fittings
- Child must be present. Cash only.
- \$14 Life jackets
 - \$7 Bike helmets
 - \$10 Multi-sport helmets



**Non-perishable food donations
will be collected for local area food banks!**
Don't forget to grab yours as you head to the parade!

Art Fair in Market Square, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

All day long, from the beginning of the parade until after the final treasure is bought in Homestead Park, UP for Art will be holding the First Annual arts & crafts fest in Market Square, the community space in front of the Library/Civic Building. Featuring local artists, the event is one that promises to become a favorite! For more information, contact Barry Crust at 273.0953 or basa28@comcast.net.