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Meetings

Nov. 8 -- Diversity workshop and pot luck, 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at St. Patrick's Church. Sponsored by Eastlake Tomorrow. Questions: 322-9759.

Nov. 15 -- Dedication of Lakeview-Melrose trail just east of I-5. 11 a.m. Directions: At the intersection of Boylston Ave. and E. Newton St., go under the freeway and follow Lakeview Blvd south. Just before Lakeview heads west back over the freeway, take the trail along the east side of I-5.

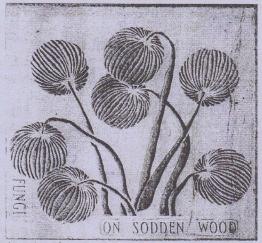
Nov. 17 -- Open Space Planning Team meeting, 7 p.m. at the Seattle Police Officers Guild, 2517 Eastlake Ave. E. Discuss survey results and strategies for gathering more input

Dec. 8 -- Public meeting on highway noise issues, 7 p.m. at Pocock Rowing Center, 3320 Fuhrman Ave. E. For information: 322-5463.

Survey amnesty

Let go of guilt and enjoy free coffee, homemade baked goods, convivial atmosphere and warm hearts as you turn in your overdue Eastlake surveys. The event will be Saturday, Nov. 15, from 10:30 a.m. to noon in front of Lake Union Mail, where blank Open Space, Boundary and North Gateway surveys are available.

EASTLAKE ART DEDICATED



A section of a cornerstone at E. Louisa Street and Eastlake Avenue, done by artist Stacy Levy.

About 50 people attended the celebration and art walk on a sunny Sunday in October to dedicate Eastlake's newly installed public art projects - Cornerstones, Dreamboats, and the METRO trolley poles. Guests included Cornerstone artist Stacy Levy, the Dreamboats team of Linda Beau-

mont, Stuart Keeler and M i c h a e l Machnic, and trolley artist Carolyn Law. Cornerstones and Dreamboats will now become part of the City's permanent public art collection.

Invited speakers were Seattle C i t y Councilmember Margaret Pageler; Jack

Mackie representing the Seattle Arts Commission, Raj Manhas with Seattle Public Utilities, and Andrea Tull from METRO. Honored guest, Vi Hilbert, Upper Skagit Tribal Elder, told a story and Bob Boyd and Diana DeVoy performed music.

These projects were possible with the support of the Seattle Arts Commission, Ruri Yampolsky and Barbara Goldstein and the King County Art Program, Carol Valenta. Thanks also goes to Bernie Matsuno with the Department of Neighborhoods for assistance with the matching fund grant.

The Dreamboats artists have asked to thank Pacific Water Sports and Bob Boyd, fiberglass fabricator, Corey Sign, Peter Requiem, Jay Taylor, Carol De Pelecyn, R. David Adams, Robert Rudine, Lynn Poser and the Eastlake Community, Vi Hilbert, Pazzo's, the Hines Public Market Coffee Boys - Rick and John and Pamela Miller and the Seattle Engineering Department.

New artwork stolen, vandalized

We have already experienced incidents of vandalism and theft of our new art works. While the Cornerstones were still being installed, a number of the glass pieces were stolen and one of the stones was damaged. In addition, graffiti has appeared on the art installations.

The Cornerstones have been replaced, but these incidents serve to remind us that we all share accountability for taking care of the art that is now part of our neighborhood. These beautiful pieces are gifts to our community. However, with the gift comes the responsibility of ownership. Please do your part as we continue to enhance the visual identity Eastlake. --- Thank you, The Eastlake Arts Commission

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Or call Kathy Tucker at 860-5934.

— Letter from the President —

We have a new, much smaller Eastlake Community Council Board after the Oct. 14 elections. Elected to new positions were **Barb Zegar** (325-2139) — president; **Carol Eychaner** (324-1716)— Vice President; **Kathy Tucker** (860-5934)— Treasurer; and Mailee Jose (720-1414) — Secretary.

The only new face added this year is Carol Eychaner, although many of you are familiar with Carol from her previous stints on the Board and her very active involvement in the Eastlake community.

I'd like to thank outgoing board members who gave so willingly of their time and talents during the past year: Deverick Martin — president; Ted Fry — vice president; John Cornethan, Susan Kaufman, Bob Geballe, Mariorie Nelson and Daniel Solomons.

The new board has already met to transfer duties, set meeting schedules, take care of necessary business and think of ways to incorporate fun into neighborhood mettings for the next year. Board meetings will be the second Tuesday of each month, and general meetings every other month on Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m.. Everone is welcome to attend all meetings.

We know there is a lot of work ahead of us for the next year. We are also looking forward to having fun and getting everyone in the Eastlake community involved in keeping our neighborhood the great place it is to live and work.

If you have any questions, suggestions, comments or whatever, please feel free to call me at 325-2139 or 292-4235. We look forward to a memorable year!

- Barb Zegar

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Pure Poetry Series

The owners of Louisa's Cafe, 2389 Eastlake Ave. E., are hosting poetry readings on the first Friday of the month, 7:30 p.m.; \$3 donation encouraged. Featured poets include Bart Baxter (Nov. 7), Anne Sweet (Dec. 5), David Whited (Feb. 6, John Raven (March 6), and Jack Remick (April 3). Information: 325-0081 or 525-8361.

Sewer project moves to details

The Minor Avenue street tree planting was scheduled to begin as the Eastlake News went to print, around the end of October. Trees are to be planted on Minor, between Newton and Louisa streets.

Let's extend a special thanks to Pam Miller of the Seattle Engineering Department for all her hard work in the Eastlake neighborhood over the last year. She spent many late nights working on the sewer project construction. Pam said the official final date of the project was August 15, however work continues on medians, the North Gateway triangle and the NCAA parking lot.

Work should now be completed on a small, paved pathway by the

NOAA guard gate.

Community Council presents appeal of Seward plan

The Seattle Hearing toric preservation, parking between the 1917 brick Examiner's decision is pending on the community council's appeal of the Seward School expansion, which finished mid-October.

The Eastlake Community Council will consider further court action, depending on the outcome of the appeal.

The ECC appeal, presented by the Seward subcommittee members, focused on three issues: hisand recreational impacts to the school, Rogers Playfield and a closed block of Franklin Avenue.

Here is an overview of the issues:

Historic preservation: The School District proposes new additions to connect the three buildings, which are designated as city historic landmarks.

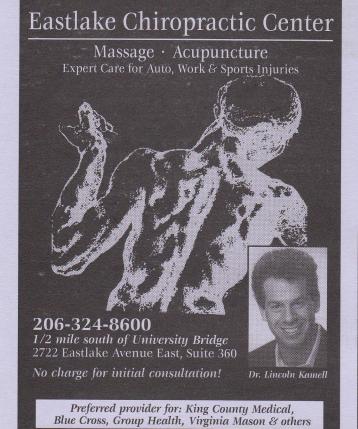
The ECC appealed one connection called the "learning resource center," building and the 1905 wood gabled building, because it requires the demolition of significan portions of the buildings and eliminates the campus character of the school.

Parking: The appeal requests the school district and its TOPS program take responsibility for the school's parking demands. and not shift the parking impact on to Eastlake residents.

Outdoor recreation area: The ECC also asked that the school district and TOPS ensure the community won't suffer long-term consequences due to their decision to eliminate nearly all the outdoor, hard surface play area at the site.

The ECC believes this loss will result in more intense school use of Roger's Playfield and Franklin Avenue, which could preclude general community use of those areas.

For more information, and to make comments, call Carol Eychaner at 324-1716.





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Lake Union District Council helps with bid for stoplight

by Chris Leman

Eastlake's neighbors have supported our bid for a traffic signal at Allison Street and Eastlake Avenue.

The Seattle Transportation Department turned down past requests for a stoplight to ensure safe crossings of Eastlake Avenue at Allison St.

When the Neighborhood Street Fund was established this year, residents and businesses began anew with petitions and dozens of letters.

In allocating the district's fund of \$35,000 this May, the Lake Union District Council gave highest priority to \$25,000 for our project, even though the other neighborhoods knew some of their projects would have to wait for a future year.

Lake Union is one of the City's thirteen neighborhood districts, each with an advisory council.

When the Department dragged its feet in September, the Lake Union District Council stood by the project.

Eastlakers appreciate the neighborliness of Cascade, Fremont, and Wallingford.

Let us commit to being as generous when these neighborhoods ask Eastlake's support for a well-documented, deeply felt request.

To ensure a street light, more letters are needed to the mayor and city council members. Write to: 600 Fourth Ave. Seattle, WA 98104; Also send a copy to Alison Signal, 85 E. Roanoke St.. Seattle, WA 98102.

Spotlight on land use

The following are some of the Eastlake land use applications that have been (or may soon be) submitted to the city. The description includes the address, the master use permit (MUP) number, the types of city decisions that are required (SEPA is environmental review), and the status, to the extent they were known at the time of publication of the Eastlake News.

Merrill Project, 1938 Fairview, (corner of Newton and Fairview): New 44,315 square-foot office building with 43 parking spaces. SEPA, design review and shoreline. Formal comment period ended October 31; DCLU now reviewing. (MUP #9701529)

Rooftop Panel Antennae, 2413 Boylston: Establishment of a minor communication utility and installation of six panel antennae and cabinets on the top of an existing apartment building. SEPA and administrative conditional use. Formal Comment period ended October 8. DCLU now reviewing. (MUP# 9705236)

Pharoah's (formerly Bogey's), 1540 Eastlake: Request to not provide code parking stalls. Comment period over. DCLU now reviewing. (MUP #9704477)

Comments can be sent to the Department of Construction and Land Use (DCLU), 710 Second Avenue, Suite 200, Seattle WA 98104-1703 or faxed to 233-7901. Comments should be provided during the comment period, but will be accepted by DCLU any time before the decision (comments submitted earlier in DCLU's review will likely be more effective).

You can also call DCLU at 684-8467 to find out basic project information.

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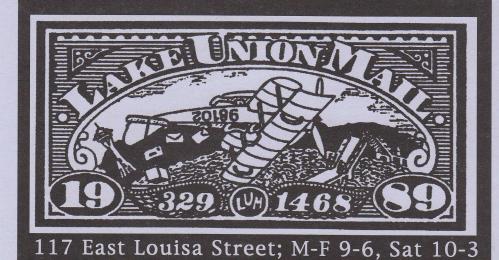
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Business Notes

By Chris Leman

Eastlake Avenue between Serafina and Louisa's got a great writeup in the September 25 Seattle Times entertainment section, featuring our "dueling espresso carts" and many other favorite businesses. ...

One of Eastlake's fastest growing companies is Caryco Magnets (325-2767), inventors of the magnetic dressups of art works like David and Venus. New products include Marilyn Monroe, Dilbert, and the Simpsons. ...

Another unique Eastlake product: overstuffed chairs for dolls and and teddy bears by new arrival Kristin Anne's (860-1972); see them all in the front window at 3208 Harvard Avenue E.

Nail Biz (1520 Eastlake Ave.) has expanded to a full service salon, now offering hair styling, facials, waxing, tanning, and massage. ...

Congrats to local furniture maker Robert Spangler (328-1649) for his solo show at Northwest Fine Woodworking, a gallery at First and Jackson; two pieces remain on exhibit. All, including those aiready sold, can be seen at http:// rspangler.com. ...

Welcome to Kimberly Scott, who worked at Eastlake Hair and now owns the business. Located at 2234 Eastlake Ave. E. (328-5570) she offers a full range of women's and men's hair services. ...

Swank, at 112 E. Lynn (726-1068), now features custom clothes design and alterations by Shannon Phelps, StudioGlow Neon, Cheeky designer underwear, and Angie's vintage men's and women's clothing. ...

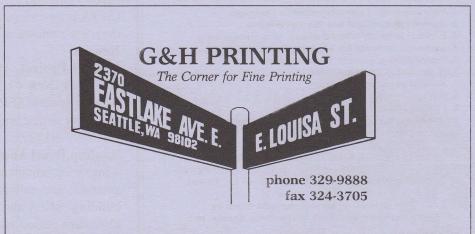
We heard from two chiropractic/massage practices this month: Dr. Kathleen Vargovich (324-6926) and Dr.

Michael Lewis and LMP Deb Nelli (324-8600). ...

Local music guru Neal Wankoff just published another issue of Bang! Bang!. a 'zine that reviews records and performances. For a free copy, write him at 1600 15th Avenue, Seattle 98122. ...

Send your business news to columnist Chris Leman, 85 E. Roanoke St., Seattle 98102.





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