



EASTLAKE NEWS

15 MORE!

ANNUAL MEETING

TUESDAY, MAY 21st 7:00 P.M.

2348 FRANKLIN AVE. E.

(CHUCK & CAROL EYCHANER'S)

15 MORE!

Bring finger food and whatever wets your whistle. We will discuss the "state of the Council", elect officers and celebrate 15 years of existence! See you there!

Garden Club

The colors of spring inspire many of us to ponder the age-old question "If April showers bring May flowers, what do May flowers bring?" This year, May flowers are bringing to our neighborhood the germinating seeds of the EASTLAKE GARDEN CLUB. The community is our greatest resource for learning more about plants and what better way to learn than by sharing with our neighbors? Known talents include, but are not limited to, roses, organic and container gardening, grafting and landscape design. For the more civic minded, the CLUB could promote neighborhood programs such as street tree planting, a tool "library", work crews and adoption of our neighborhood parks. Whatever your botanical interest, please attend the organizational meeting to be held the first Sunday in June (the 2nd) at the east steps of Rogers' Playfield at 4pm. ALSO, please contact Nikolai Vishtak to indicate your enthusiasm for the CLUB. His address and phone # are: 2363 Yale Ave. E., 325-7631.

Flower Lady



Speaking of flowers - the latest about our Roanoke flower lady is that she has received a 30-day extension on her flower stand, thus she will continue to remain at the corner of Roanoke and Harvard at least through early June. Vivian Darst (she does have a name besides f.l.) may get another extension until she has her day in court, which has not yet been scheduled. Meanwhile, the Roanoke C.C. voted to approve the flower stand in concept (a major hurdle) and agreed to set up a committee to review her proposal. Although Vivian has explored several alternatives to rezone her property, it is by use of a contract rezone that she most likely will obtain the zoning that will enable her to legally sell flowers on her lot. The terms of such a rezone will be negotiated by the City, the Roanoke C.C. and Vivian, and would most likely preclude the use of her lot for general commercial purposes, specifically allowing only flower sales.

HAL'S

AROUND The BLOCK

and back!

Another chapter of Eastlake history is soon to be closed. Hal Weisman, operator of the Shell Service Station on Eastlake for 26 years, recently sold his property to a developer and will be turning off the gas pumps and closing the garage doors sometime in the next year. Once employed at a Texaco station on Capitol Hill, Hal moved into the 10-year old Shell building in 1959, which came stocked with only a few batteries left behind by the previous owner. With the help of Everett Arneson, his co-worker for 21 years, and, as Hal is quick to add, the Eastlake community, his business now pumps about 120 "gas-ups" each day and services 10 to 12 cars in the garage. While much of Hal's business is from the commuter, he maintains a steady flow of loyal customers from Eastlake, including some, such as Phylis Boyker, that have been with him from day one. Such customers were greatly responsible for preventing an attempt by Shell to turn Hal's into a self-serve station several years ago.

So what's in store for Hal? Packing a lot of fond memories from his days on the corner of Eastlake and Lynn, he hopes to find a station closer to his home in Edmonds that will keep him busy for several more years. But, as Hal says, "There's one thing about the Eastlake neighborhood - people may leave sometime in their lives, but they eventually come back."

- the first purchase of the Eastlake Firewood Co-op was small but successful. Look for us around February of '86 to get wood for the winter of that year.
- the City Council is soon to review the neighborhood commercial zoning for our area. We need lots of letters and phone calls to Council members regarding our request as well as the mayor's recommendation to help off-set many developers' requests for 60'+ height limits. For more info, call Carol Eychaner @ 324-1716.
- the City Dept. of Construction and Land Use issued an environmental Declaration of non-significance for the mini-warehouses under the freeway. A rezone hearing is scheduled for June. Is this really the direction we want the south end of our neighborhood to take? Brian Ramey needs your help on this one. Call him @ 328-5550.

NOW HEAR THIS

If you don't come in and buy my acrotch pads soon, I'm going to sell them to somebody else.....

Do you know that these pads are going for \$1.00 a bundle. (over 4½ pounds)

You didn't know that I am selling #10 (legal) envelopes for a penny each.

SO GET IN HERE SOON - G & H Printing

YES! I want to help take care of Eastlake. My dues are enclosed.

NAME: _____	DUES:	
ADDRESS: _____	Household (\$6.00)	_____
PHONE: _____	Senior Citizens (\$3.00)	_____
Interests:	Business (\$25.00)	_____
	*Please mail my news- letter(\$2.00 EXTRA)	_____
	Eastlake Defense	_____
	Fund Donation	_____
	TOTAL	_____