



the NEWS ON THE STREET

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Langley Main Street Association Newsletter



2ND ANNUAL COMMUNITY FEAST

As summer fades to memories, it's time to celebrate as a community with the 2nd annual Community Feast, Wed. Sept 9, 5:30 to 8 pm. It's free, just bring a potluck dish and we'll save you a chair at the table in the Plaza on 2nd Street. Join your neighbors and friends in an evening of celebration. The Langley Community Club joins LMSA and will provide Whidbey Island Ice Cream for everyone!

Spooktacular is coming on Halloween. Kids enjoy trick-or-treats downtown 2:30 – 5 pm. Adults enjoy the dance troupe from Seattle's famed Can Can production, Boo La La! Oct. 30 & 31, for a great burlesque Halloween weekend at WICA.

Save the Date!

Community Feast

Sept 9th, 5:30 pm
Join LMSA and Langley Community Club for a feast in the Plaza. Just bring a potluck dish, we'll save you a chair.

DjangoFest NW

Sept 23 - 27
North America's premier gypsy jazz music festival brings the top acts from around the world.

Spooktacular!

Oct 31
Kids come Trick or Treat downtown as merchants dress-up for the day. Adults enjoy Boo LaLa Burlesque at WICA.



START PLANNING DECK THE DOORS

Yes it's early, but never too early to start planning for holiday decorations. Three \$1,000 cash prizes to the winning artists with the best shop decorations. If you want to participate email, mainstreet@whidbey.com

Second Street Market 'on the road again'

Returning to the street this year with all your favorite and new vendors. Fridays 2 – 6 pm.

This year the Market Vendors are managing the Second Street Market under the umbrella of LMSA. Please show your support, come enjoy fresh produce, arts & crafts and great local music. Inquiries to secondstreetmarket@whidbey.com



Cleaning up the View

Jesse Brighton of Arbor Dreams...

brought back the view at Boy & Dog Park by pruning the Maple Tree and clearing the invasive ivy. Once again The Sound, vintage lamppost and Georgia Gerber's Chickadee sculpture are visible for everyone to enjoy. Supported by LMSA and the City of Langley. The cleanup at Frick Lane continues with new trees and soon a history walkway.

Great Gardens!

LMSA interns, Grace Swanson & Emily Martin, have been working everyday to water, plant and weed the gardens and flower baskets around town. The fruits of the volunteer's labor planting Second Street all came into majestic bloom this summer. Take a walk along 2nd, Clyde Alley and the City Edible Garden and find lots of unique flowering varieties. There is also a bounty of vegetables to eat. Pick a few, leave a few.



Langley News!
Seattle Magazine / Aug
Features Langley as one of the Perfect Weekend getaways.
Outdoors NW / Spring
Features Lolita & The Langley Whale Center with an interview of Howard Garrett.
Sunset Magazine
A story on our own Kalakala in 'Bring the Island Home'.
Zagat / Aug
'6 Delicious Reasons to Drive to Whidbey Island'
Features, The Inn at Langley, Kalakala & PrimaBistro
VacationIdea / June
Lists Langley as one of the '23 Best Romantic Weekend Destinations on the West Coast'

Through The Reading Glass

Chris Peterson and Amy Eames's love of books and writers, lead to the opening of their used books store and the fulfillment of a dream. The shop features hundreds of used books from Escapist Fantasy to the Classics and numerous new books by local authors. "We all have stories inside us," Eames said, who supports writers with services in copyediting, proof reading and hosting writers every Monday in the loft. The loft rental is available to anyone wanting to start a group or offer classes. Get motivated during National Novel Writing month in November, which gives writers inspiration, guidance and a deadline. A new technology is available in archival scanning, which reproduces materials by flattening the print in the troubling book crease. Come preserve your treasures, discover a great book, or receive help with your story.

New businesses:
Fair Trade Outfitters
112 Anthes
Frontrow Creative
225 Anthes Ave #102
It's Raining Art & Supplies
111 Anthes Suite A
Portico
220 First Street
Whidbey Ripple Effect
Massage Porter Building



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LMSA calendar of events

It's been a busy year. Here is the list of events yet to come as well as LMSA regular meeting dates.

Meetings:

ECON	9:00 a.m.	LMSA Office	First Monday
DESIGN	5:30 p.m.	LMSA Office	First Tuesday
ORG	9:00 a.m.	LMSA Office	First Wednesday
PROMO	9:00 a.m.	LMSA Office	Second Monday
BOARD	5:30 p.m.	LMSA Office	Second Wednesday

Langley Events:

MONTHLY – First Saturday Art Walk

SEPTEMBER 9 – COMMUNITY FEAST!

SEPTEMBER 23- 27 – DJANGO FEST

OCT. 31 – SPOOKTACULAR LANGLEY trick-or-treat fun and LIGHT THE NIGHT.

THANKSGIVING THROUGH CHRISTMAS – DECK THE DOORS

NOV 28 – LIGHTING THE TREE – CHAMBER CELEBRATES IN THE PARK

DEC 5 - CHRISTMAS PARADE/ SHOPS OPEN LATE TILL 8PM

DEC 19 – DECK THE DOORS AND CHAMBER PRIZES AT BOY & DOG PARK

JANUARY 9 – SEA FLOAT SCRAMBLE

Look for LMSA's free shuttle and hitch a ride through town – all summer long.

For more information, go to www.langleymainstreet.org
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 360-929-9333

