BEACH WATCHERS OPPORTUNITY

Craft Your Own Volunteer Experience!

Immerse Yourself in Puget Sound
Become a WSU Snohomish County Extension Beach Watcher. You receive 80 hours of training and then craft your own volunteer experience by giving back 80 hours in Puget Sound education, research or stewardship projects that you select over the next two years. The university caliber training includes expert lectures on topics from marine wildlife to water quality to climate change, and many guided field trips.

Why is Being a Beach Watcher so Awesome?
Not only will you learn TONS about the place we live in, you will also get hands-on experience working with a passionate group of fellow volunteers. You get to choose what you do: You can share what you learned through education projects to help people better appreciate, understand and conserve Puget Sound health OR get involved in one or several Puget Sound related research projects OR bring your own ideas to craft your own volunteer experience!

The Details.
The Beach Watcher training will be based out of McCollum Park, Everett every Friday at 9 am – 3:30 pm from March 17 - May 19, 2017 and will include two Saturday field trips on April 1 and April 29, 2017. There is also a $55 (electronic version) or $75 (hard copy) materials fee. The application can be found at www.beachwatchers.wsu.edu/Snohomish/training. For more information contact Chrys Bertolotto at chrys@wsu.edu or (425) 357-6020 or visit the Facebook page to learn more at www.facebook.com/snohomishbeachwatchers.

Do it Today!
Applications are due on February 26, so apply today. You don’t need to be a biologist or expert to become a Beach Watcher – just curious and enthusiastic about volunteering! So Take the Plunge!

TENANT MOORAGE PAYMENTS OPTIONS

The Port of Edmonds offers tenants the option of automatically paying monthly moorage or dry storage statements through automated clearing house (ACH). The program is easy to enroll, convenient and no additional processing charge. If you would like to participate in the program, please complete the form available at portofedmonds.org, under make a payment, ACH, and return it to the Port of Edmonds Accounts Receivable Office with a voided check.

If you have any questions, please contact Administration at 425-774-0549. Full program details are available at portofedmonds.org.

BOATING SKILLS & SEAMANSHIP CLASS

This Boating Safety Class by US Coast Guard Auxiliary is a 12 week course, 7–9 pm beginning February 23, 2017. This course, is for the experienced and novice boater, covers boat selection, trailer, boat handling, safety and legal requirements, aids to navigation, navigation rules, introduction to piloting, inland boating, lines and knots, marine weather, marine engines, and marine radio.

Class fee is $55 per student or $75 for two sharing one book. Fee includes “Boating Skills and Seamanship” textbook. To register or for questions: boatclasses@hotmail.com, or call Mike Lowe at 425-743-9295.

MOORAGE & DRY STORAGE AVAILABLE

Current Water Moorage Availability: 26’-32’ covered, 14’ - 30’ open. Availability subject to change, and is on a first-come, first-served basis. Please contact Kelby Brown at 425-775-4588 for the most up to date availability.

Current Dry Storage Availability: 18’ - 32’ spaces. Availability subject to change, and is on a first-come, first-served basis. Please contact Dry Storage at 206-940-1348.

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EMAIL ADDRESSES & CONTACT INFO

We are offering tenant statements via email. If you would like to receive your monthly moorage or dry storage bill by email, please send your request to billing@portofedmonds.org. Additionally, having your email address available allows Port staff to contact tenants with vital information quickly. Please check in with us to make sure that we have your current email address on file.

ROLLING BACK THE CLOCK!

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FUEL CARD TRAINING

Our new pay at the pump system is up and running. Tenants who wish to use this service and receive related discounts will need to:

1. Sign a new fuel card agreement.
2. Provide credit card information to charge your fuel.
3. Receive training on the new system and a new card.

Contact Marina Operations to schedule your appointment time at 425-775-4588.

RECAP OF COMMISSION MEETINGS

January 9

January 30

PORT COMMISSION MEETINGS

February 13 Agenda: Retreat Agenda, Harbor Square 4th Quarter Report, Marina 4th Quarter Report

February 27 - cancelled

March 1 - Commission Retreat 9 am - 2 pm

Find agendas and minutes at portofedmonds.org/about/port-commission/

WINTER RV PARKING

The Port offers outdoor RV storage with no long term contract. RV storage is $175.00 + leasehold tax per month, with power included. Call 425-775-4588 to sign up.

2017 PARKING PERMITS

2017 parking permits are available for pick-up at the Marina Operations office, and are only issued if:

1. You are the tenant of record – ID may be required.
2. You have provided the Port with a copy of your current insurance (in compliance with new requirements, and more than 30 days from the insurance expiration date).
3. You have provided the Port with a copy of your current Washington state vessel registration.
4. Your account is current.

For questions, please contact the Marina Operations office at 425-775-4588.