



Enjoy Family Events at the "New" Marina

Get ready for summertime fun in Des Moines, now that the largest renovation ever in the history of the Marina is complete. If you haven't stopped by to appreciate the beautiful new upgrades, get out and take a stroll along the lovely new promenade. Enjoy the added greenery and landscaping, comfy benches for enjoying the spectacular view, and the "compass rose" paver design that comes alive with a magical colored glow as evening falls.

After 14 months and a total of \$6.6 million, the Des Moines Marina now has the latest and best technology. The new metal portion of the bulkhead is rot-resistant and seismically superior. LED lights in the north parking lot cut down on light pollution with lower illumination. Twenty new security cameras now guard the safety of boats in the moorage slips.



A wonderful new space has opened up that will allow exciting events like no other venue in the Puget Sound area! No marina in the region has the kind of area that Des Moines now has

available for waterfront festivals, car shows, concerts at the pier (something that even Seattle can no longer offer). Guest moorage

for summer weekends is already filling up, with visiting yacht clubs coming to see a marina that is arguably the finest in Western Washington.

Here are some upcoming activities that you and your family will not want to miss!

June 4	Farmers Market (Saturdays June–October), 10am-2pm, S. Marina Park
June 4	Family Fun Day, 2pm, Beach Park
June 4	Washington's Strongest Apple Competition, 10am, Marina
July 4	Fireworks Over Des Moines, 10pm, Marina
July 22	Des Moines Classic BBQ, 7pm, Marina
July 23	Des Moines Classic Car & Wooden Boat Show, 10am-4pm, Marina
July 23	Waterland Parade, 6pm, Downtown Des Moines
July-August	Summer Concert Series (7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/10), 7pm, Beach Park
July 30	Shakespeare in the Park, 7pm, Beach Park
August 6	Salmon Derby (Puget Sound Anglers) Early! Marina
August 13	Squidman Aquathon, 8:30am, Beach Park
August 27	Pet Festival 10am-3pm and Soggy Doggy Dash 2pm, Field House Pk.
September 4	Italian Concourse Show, Marina
September 10	Poverty Bay Blues & Brews, Beach Park
September 10	Poverty Bay Arts Festival, Downtown Marina District
October 29	Chili Cook Off, Noon, Marina

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Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.
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Utility Locates:..... 800-424-5555

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City Council Highlights

Held the following public hearings:

- Comcast Franchise
- 2011 Property Tax Levy Rate
- 2011 City of Des Moines Budget
- Amendments to Comprehensive Plan
- Shoreline Master Program
- Sign Code

Approved the following agreements/ bids/contracts:

- Approved a collective Bargaining Agreement between the City and the Police Management Association
- Approved deposit and withdrawal of investment funds in the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP)
- Approved the Squidman Aquathon to be held at Des Moines Beach Park in August 2011
- Approved a contract for Energy Savings and Utility Improvements
- Accepted the Des Moines Gateway Design Project as complete
- Authorized the use of the Marina parking lot for the 7th Annual Poverty Bay Wine Festival
- Approved contracts for Auditorium Construction Administration Services and

- Grandstand Project Architectural and Structural Services
- Approved Water District #54 Comprehensive Plan
- Approved Water District #54 construction project
- Approved the Budget for 2011
- Approved the 2011 CIP and MCI Plan
- Granted an easement for an emergency back-up generator on the Marina floor
- Renewed Lease Agreement with Classic Yachts
- Approved a contract with Matrix Consultants for a Police Needs Assessment
- Approved a contract with Dick's Towing

Other Action Taken:

- Approved a 5-year lease for copy machines with Copiers NW
- Supported the Highline School District Proposition No. 1 Levy
- Approved Intergovernmental Policies and Procedures
- Mayor appointed/reappointed members of Arts Commission and Human Services Advisory Committee
- Approved Ord. 1495 regarding Mobile and Stationary Itinerant Business Licenses

Des Moines Police Prescription Drug Disposal Event April 30th

Saturday, April 30th, dispose of unused or expired prescriptions and over-the-counter solid medications, no questions asked, at Bartell Drugs, 21615 Pacific Highway So. 9am-1pm, or Bartell Drugs, 27055 Pacific Highway So. 2-6pm. For additional information, visit www.desmoineswa.gov/drugdisposal.



Marina District (Downtown) Planning

Planning for the Marina District is one of the top strategic objectives of the Des Moines City Council. Over the past 15 months, the City Council Finance and Economic Development Committee has been working hard to identify ways to revitalize the Marina District and accelerate positive change in the City. This work has been guided by the Vision and Mission adopted for the Marina District, as well as input from our citizens, the Marina District Stakeholder Group, and leaders in the business and development communities.

The Council intends to improve the economic health of the Marina District by focusing public investments in opportunity areas to create nodes of activity and stimulate economic investment; helping and providing incentives to develop economically viable projects; enhancing the identity of the Marina District through branding; and marketing our existing and future assets – Marina, Historic Beach Park, Des Moines Elementary School, the variety of shops, restaurants, and other businesses, Highline Community College, and interesting views.

These economic development goals seek to create a thriving business district that provides a variety of goods, services, activities and events for our community and visitors to enjoy.

A number of strategies have been identified to overcome development obstacles in the Marina District – these relate to traffic and parking, building heights and setbacks, development incentives and tools to spur economic investment, and provide more flexibility in the City's development regulations. With the help of the Marina District Stakeholder Group, who made recommendations on land use policies, development regulations and implementation strategies for the Marina District, and under the direction of the Finance and Economic Development Committee, staff developed a draft ordinance to serve as a starting point for City Council discussion.

Key elements for consideration include:

- Establishing a 20-foot setback from street corners to enhance visibility and allow for the creation of dynamic pedestrian spaces;
- Providing an opportunity to create angled parking along Marine View Drive;

- Raising the base building height along 7th Avenue S to 45 feet;
- Establishing building height bonus areas and an associated public benefit system that would allow building heights of 45-, 65- and 75-feet if sufficient public benefits are included in the project; and
- Establishing the use of a "floor area ratio" (i.e., the ratio of the building size to the lot size) as a more flexible standard for regulating building massing and size than the current code provides.

The City Council held a 6-hour Saturday retreat to begin their discussion of the proposed draft ordinance on March 26, 2011 and continued that discussion on April 7th. Videos of those meetings, along with the draft ordinance and background information, can be found on the City's website at: <http://www.desmoineswa.gov>. The public will have an opportunity to comment on the proposed ordinance at a late May public hearing. Notice of the hearing will be posted on the City's website. For more information contact Denise Lathrop, Planning Manager at dlathrop@desmoineswa.gov.

Planning Agency Members Needed

The City of Des Moines is currently recruiting for three new members for the Planning Agency, a seven-member board that advises the City Council on land use and zoning matters. The Agency meets on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Terms are four years. Please contact Robert Ruth at 206.870.6555 for more information.

Barnes Creek Detention Facility/S. 223rd Street Culvert Project

The City is awaiting receipt of an Army Corps of Engineers permit for the construction of a 3.0 acre-foot storm water detention facility located in the road sag area between S. 222nd Street and S. 223rd Street in the vicinity of 13th Ave. S., at the confluence of the north and east forks of Barnes Creek. This project will involve substantial clearing, grading and wetland mitigation work that will allow high storm flows to naturally spill over the banks of the creek into a containment area that will be slowly released back into the creek, thereby providing temporary storage and flood protection to downstream properties. The facility will also reduce channel erosion to sections of Barnes Creek downstream of S. 223rd Street.

In addition to the detention facility, the project involves the replacement of an existing undersized culvert below S. 223rd Street with a new and larger (12-foot wide by 5-foot high) concrete culvert that will allow fish passage to areas of Barnes Creek north of S. 223rd Street. Funding (\$153,000) for the culvert is being provided by the King Conservation District.

Work is anticipated to start in July and be completed by October. For additional information contact Loren Reinhold, Assistant Public Works Director, at 206.870.6524 or email at lreinhold@desmoineswa.gov.



Meet New Public Works Superintendent Greg Taylor

The City of Des Moines is pleased to announce that Greg Taylor joined the City in July as our new Public Works and Parks Maintenance Superintendent. He fills the position held for many years by Frank Olson, who retired in April 2009.



Greg brings a wealth of private and public sector management experience. He began his professional life as a union journeyman carpenter. He went on to become the Director of Maintenance for the Tacoma Housing Authority where he supervised up to 45 public and contracted employees while managing multi-million dollar budgets for operating and capital improvement programs.

He was also a construction manager for a major builder where he supervised the construction of several planned communities within the state of Washington.

In the short time that he has been here he has fit right into the City family. He believes that customer (citizen) service is very important and that it is essential to spend our limited dollars wisely – safety is first and foremost in conjunction with efficiency and production.

“During my initial months on the job it has become very evident that the City has many talented people working for it. I have already learned a great deal about how we operate and

look forward to continuing to do so while at the same time contributing to the ongoing efforts to improve on how we do business in order to better serve the community.”

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Looking for Spring/Summer Activity?

The City of Des Moines has put together a great volunteer activity for students in middle school and above. The Surfacewater Management Division is looking for Storm Drain Marker volunteers to assist with the stenciling of neighborhood catch basins. The Storm Drain Marker Program will help raise awareness about the impact of pollution in the waterways of Des Moines, which ultimately lead to Puget Sound.



For more information please call Ruth Famurewa @ 206.870.6968 or rfamurewa@desmoineswa.gov



Des Moines Minor Home Repair Program

Funding is now available for Minor Home Repairs *
Services are being offered to low/moderate income residents who have owned their home for at least one year.

(Some restrictions apply, please call for details)

Call the Code Enforcement Office at 206-870-6558

*Funded by King County Community Development Block Grant dollars

Surface Water Drainage Inventory

Keep an eye out because these City employees will be coming soon to a neighborhood near you. Tim Kissler and Ken Thomas will be travelling the City, mapping existing drainages systems such as catch basins, ditches and pipes for the City. The City started collecting this information last year using Global Positioning System (GPS) technology to load the existing public drainages into the Geographic Information System (GIS) as part of a requirement for the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. Finding and mapping the system is the first step of properly managing our utility and eliminating/preventing harmful substances from entering our creeks, streams, groundwater and eventually Puget Sound. So don't worry if you see these guys, they're just collecting drainage data that might convey through your yard. Stop and say hello.



City employees Tim Kissler (l) and Ken Thomas (r) mapping drainage systems.

Join Beach Naturalists in Exploring Des Moines Beaches

Beach Naturalists are local citizens who care about Puget Sound beaches, want to protect them, and have volunteered to help others learn and enjoy our beaches. Beach Naturalists are trained to help you enjoy the beach without harming it. They know what seastars eat, why seaweed is slimy and which fish can sing! On the dates listed below, look for Beach Naturalists at Des Moines Beach Park (BP), Redondo (R) and other Northwest beaches.

June 2	10:30-1:30	BP	June 16*	10:00-2:00	BP	July 4	12:30-3:30	BP
June 3	11:00-2:00	BP	June 17*	10:30-2:00	BP	July 16	11:00-2:00	BP/R
June 4	11:30-3:00	BP/R	June 18	11:30-3:00	BP/R	July 17	12:00-2:30	BP
June 5	12:30-3:30	BP/R	June 19	12:30-3:30	BP	July 30	10:00-1:00	BP/R
June 14*	10:00-1:00	BP	July 2	11:00-2:30	BP/R	July 31	10:30-1:30	BP/R
June 15*	10:00-2:00	BP	July 3	11:30-3:00	BP/R	*Lowest Tides		

For more information, call the Seattle Aquarium at 206-386-4365 or visit www.seattleaquarium.org/conservation/beach.

Des Moines Transportation Gateway Project Update



In the fall of 2010, the City held the last of four public open houses to finalize the design of the Transportation Gateway Project. Based upon input received and coordination with local utilities, the engineering is now substantially complete and the City is moving forward into the right-of-way phase.

This spring the City expects to give its consultant authorization to begin contacting property owners that will be impacted by construction of the initial two project phases. These phases include widening of 24th Ave. S. from S. 208th St. to S. 216th St., including roadway transitions south of the S. 216th St. intersection, as well as widening S. 216th St. from 24th Ave. S. to 18th Ave. S. Much of the required right-of-way was secured by agreement with the Port of Seattle for properties fronting the future Des Moines Creek Business Park.

There are strips of right-of-way required from property owners on both sides of the streets. The next project phase will involve assessing the right-of-way values including full appraisals where necessary. Individual property owner negotiations will follow to secure titles, easements and/or construction licenses necessary to match improvements with adjoining properties. Financing strategies for construction are being developed and are expected to be derived from grants, fees and/or frontage improvements coinciding with property development.

The City plans to transform these roadways into "complete streets" with two additional travel lanes, turn lanes, bicycle lanes, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, planter strips, undergrounding utilities, creating a pedestrian friendly streetscape for this major gateway to the City. This design provides adequate transportation capacity for planned growth in the North Central and Pacific Ridge neighborhoods.

For more information or project updates, call 206.870.6525 or visit <http://www.desmoineswa.gov/tgp>.

Des Moines is Business Friendly!

If you are considering a commercial project, this is the place to be.

The current economy has led many people to think about owning a small business, and others thinking that this is the ideal time to buy or develop property. With prices at an all time low, real estate is a particularly good bargain here in Des Moines. There are many areas with terrific view potential that have yet to be developed, and many great changes (the coming of the light rail and other big infrastructure projects, dropping crime rates, new large-scale developments) that will increase property and business values in future years.

If you are considering a development project, you might not realize that the City has resources on hand to help. One of your biggest obstacles may be capital funding. There are loans and investors out there that can finance your plans - you will never know unless you ask!

You may have tried to develop a property or business in the past and encountered obstacles. The City has been making great progress in recent years in streamlining the development process and removing the restrictions that have made projects difficult. The City Council has made an explicit commitment to efficient and helpful City services. You may be surprised at how quickly and easily you can move your ideas forward, big or small, when you call the City for assistance.

If you have questions about development or business ownership, the helpful staff at City Hall can direct you to Building, Planning, Business Licensing or Economic Development personnel to provide the information that you need. Call the front desk between 8:30 and 4:30 weekdays, 206.870.4595, or stop in between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. with your development questions. If you had project ideas in the past but put them on hold, check back and find out what may have changed.

All great things start with an idea. When passion and opportunity come together, we can turn our plans into reality. The future of the City of Des Moines will blossom as all of us work to make our dreams happen. Today may be your day to take the first step!

South 216th Street Project Update

(Marine View Drive to 11th Avenue South)

Construction began in late April 2010 to provide a two-way left turn lane, curbs, gutters, and sidewalks along both sides of S. 216th, and bicycle lanes in each direction. The overhead utilities were placed underground as part of this project. The contractor resumed work in March after franchise utilities finished with their conversion work and most of the inclement weather had passed. **The project should be totally complete by June 2011.** The project was partially funded through a grant received from the King County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and frontage improvement in-lieu fees provided by the Wesley Homes Retirement Center.

For additional information please contact Scott Romano at 206.870.6539 or email sromano@desmoineswa.gov.

SCORE Facility Update

The South Correctional Entity Multi-jurisdictional Misdemeanor Jail (SCORE) being constructed in north Des Moines is moving along ahead of schedule. Roofing work, interior electrical, plumbing and mechanical work are on-going. Some ceiling grid systems are taking shape, interior paint and finishes have begun, and all forms of communication systems are being installed. Work on individual cells continues at a high rate as well as work in all "support" areas.

The SCORE project is scheduled for completion in September of 2011. Visit the SCORE website at www.scorejail.org for updated information and pictures of the construction.



Marine View Drive Water Main Project to Start Soon

Water District No. 54's consultant, Gray & Osborne, Inc., is putting the final touches on the design of a water main project in downtown Des Moines. Once a new franchise agreement has been signed with the City, the District will advertise the project for bids. The project includes installation of a new 12-inch water main under the sidewalk area within the west side of Marine View Drive from S. 219th Street to S. 227th Street, and the installation of new mains in four side streets (S. 220th, 222nd, 225th and 226th Streets) from the east side of Marine View Drive to 7th Ave S. In order to minimize impacts to traffic and to avoid cutting through thick concrete and brick panels located under Marine View Drive, the construction will involve boring below Marine View Drive at the four side streets (two bore pits will be needed on each side of the crossings).

Construction is anticipated to start in late May or early June and last four months. Prior to the start of the project, a newsletter including contact information for the construction manager, contractor, Water District and City staff will be issued to all impacted properties within the downtown area. Information and photos will also be provided on the City's website throughout the project's construction. Businesses will be open and the area will be pedestrian friendly for summer activities. For additional information, contact Loren Reinhold, Assistant Public Works Director, at 206.870.6524 or email at lreinhold@desmoineswa.gov.

New Shoreline Master Program Adopted

The Des Moines City Council adopted Ordinance No. 1502 on January 27, 2011, approving a new Shoreline Master Program (SMP) for our community. The review and update process for the SMP was a significant undertaking. City staff worked with its environmental consultant and the Washington State Department of Ecology (DOE) for over 6 years to produce a SMP that was determined to meet state requirements and addresses issues that the City will be facing in the near future. New state guidelines for preparing and modifying SMP's took effect in 2003 and proved to be difficult to understand and interpret for both the City and State. The City of Des Moines was one of the first cities in the state to undertake this process, which contributed to time delays and made it difficult to resolve key issues about what the legislative intent was behind the new State guidelines.

Shoreline Master Programs provide policies and regulations for uses and development occurring on property located within 200 feet of water bodies regulated by the State. Typically these include properties near or abutting Puget Sound, larger lakes, wetlands and rivers. However, because Des Moines does not have qualifying lakes, rivers, or wetlands meeting specific State size or flow requirements, the Des Moines SMP focuses primarily on properties located near the marine environment of Puget Sound. The City's SMP needed updating. The City's previous SMP was adopted in 1987 and was significantly outdated. Since that time, the City has annexed 10 different areas (including the Woodmont and Redondo neighborhoods) causing the City's shoreline to grow to about 5 miles in length. The City has also experienced significant new physical development of property in the last 24 years that was not reflected in the baseline conditions of the previous SMP.

Some of the key concepts of the City's SMP are maintaining and promoting public access, limiting shoreline activities to preferred shoreline uses, and protecting the natural resources of the shoreline. These concepts permeate throughout the entire SMP and help guide future decisions on what uses and developments are allowed near the Des Moines shoreline. The City's new SMP and the accompanying Shoreline Inventory and Characterization Report are available for the public to view on the City's website at www.desmoineswa.gov.

Senior Services Advisory Committee Opening

The City of Des Moines is currently accepting applications for an opening on the Des Moines/Normandy Park Senior Services Advisory Committee. The purpose of the Senior Services Advisory Committee is to advise the Des Moines and Normandy Park City Councils on policy and budget subjects related to senior services.

Interested persons should contact Senior Services Manager Sue Padden at 206.870.6584 for details on the scope of duties and an application form. Applications are also available on the City's web page www.desmoineswa.gov.

Des Moines Healthy Eating Active Living Initiative Putting Prevention to Work!

The City of Des Moines has received a grant from Public Health-Seattle & King County and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to develop a new **Healthy Eating and Active Living (HEAL) Initiative**. The purpose of the initiative is to increase access to opportunities for physical activity and healthy foods through policy, systems and environments that make "the healthy choice the easy choice". The City of Des Moines is working closely with Public Health-Seattle & King County, the cities of Burien, SeaTac and Normandy Park, and the Highline School District, all of whom are members of the Healthy Highline Communities Coalition and the state-wide Communities Putting Prevention to Work Coalition. Councilmember Melissa Musser is the City of Des Moines' elected official on the Healthy Highline Communities Coalition. Sue Anderson, City of Des Moines Policy Analyst, is the initiative director.



*Des Moines Parks & Recreation
Mid-Winter Break Camp youth
learning about and soon to enjoy
"GO" foods!*

As part of the HEAL Initiative, Des Moines Parks & Recreation's youth programs offer healthy food options that encourage children to choose the healthiest foods and beverages most of the time. Youth learn that foods are not good or bad, and that all foods can fit into an overall healthy diet. Nemours Health & Prevention Services has developed a list of foods categorized by their nutrient density as "GO," "SLOW" and "WHOA" foods. **GO** foods are the healthiest options and are recommended to eat most often. **SLOW** foods have added sugar or fat and are recommended to eat, at most, several times a week. **WHOA** foods are the highest in sugar and fat, are the least healthy, and are recommended to eat only once-in-awhile. Try this concept with your family to encourage them to eat more healthily!

For additional information on the HEAL Initiative please contact Sue Anderson, Policy Analyst, City of Des Moines, at sanderson@desmoineswa.gov or 206.870.6528.

Shakespeare in the Park: The Comedy of Errors

By William Shakespeare
Directed by George Mount
Saturday, July 30th at 7 pm
in Des Moines Beach Park
Free



Two sets of long lost twins unknowingly cross paths and set the stage for an evening of mistaken identity, confusion and mayhem! This comic masterpiece is full of slapstick and sight gags, puns and pratfalls. Keeping track of which twin is which is only half the fun, as Shakespeare also stacks the deck with some of his most outrageous characters, including a jealous wife, a seductive courtesan, a hapless old man seeking his sons, a zany conjurer attempting an exorcism, and even a nun who's not all she seems to be!

Bring your lawn chair and enjoy this special outdoor performance.

Blueprint for Living Presentations

NEW to Des Moines Activity Center, beginning in April, Valley Cities Counseling and Consultation will host **free** workshops on a variety of senior health and wellness topics every other **Tuesday**. The **third Friday** of every month we focus on healthy eating, good nutrition and weight. The **fourth Friday** of every month a professional counselor will be available to meet for **free** private consultations on a variety of information and assistance regarding senior focused family, personal or daily living issues. For details please see page 9RR of the Recreation Guide section of the brochure. These three programs are funded through the generosity of the Des Moines Legacy Foundation. For more information please call the Des Moines Activity Center at 206.878.1642.

Diversity Desserts and Talent Show - May 19th

Des Moines Activity Center is celebrating our community's cultural diversity with a special **Diversity Desserts and Talent Show** on Thursday, May 19th, 1pm at the Center. We honor and celebrate foods, music, dancing, and talents from around the world...right here in our own back yard! Bring a dessert and the recipe to share. For the talent show, sign up for a three minute performance. Forms will be available at the Activity Center for the talent entries. Please sign up in advance for the talent show. For more information please contact Sue Padden, Senior Services Manager, 206.878.1642.



Des Moines Arts Commission Vacancy

The Des Moines City Council is accepting applications for candidates wishing to serve on the Des Moines Arts Commission. Arts Commissioners serve three year terms and are appointed by the Mayor with City Council confirmation. The Commission meets on the second Wednesday of the month from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Des Moines Activity Center. For information regarding Arts Commission programs please go to www.desmoineswa.gov/artscommission or contact Patrice Thorell, Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services Department, at 206-870-6527.

Applications will be accepted until filled. Interested persons should contact the City Clerk's office for an application form, 21630 11th Avenue South #A, Des Moines, WA 98198, or look under City Clerk Forms on the City's website at www.desmoineswa.gov.



Des Moines Beach Park Auditorium Opens — Completion of Remaining Historic District Restoration Significantly Delayed

Des Moines Beach Park and historic camp is an 18 acre City park with 600 feet of waterfront on Puget Sound, recognized on county, state and national levels as a historic district. Ninety years ago it was one of approximately 100 popular camps in the Puget Sound region. Today it is the only church camp surviving from that era, within the urbanized Puget Sound region.



The Sun Home Lodge (girl's camp dormitory) is adjacent to the renewed Auditorium, and capable of adding much additional flexibility to the kind of functions that can be accommodated in the Auditorium. Unfortunately the Sun Home Lodge also needs significant repair and updating and is currently mothballed.



With the help of matching grants received in earlier, better economic times from the state, King County and 4Culture, the renovation of the Auditorium (the camp's Tabernacle) is nearing completion, and will become available by September of this year as a beautifully updated

historic site for community events, weddings, seminars, festivals, meetings, etc. Please join us for the Auditorium Grand Opening on Saturday, September 17th.

Several additional buildings carry on the charming Swedish architectural heritage of the 1930s camp, including two cabins, a cottage, a picnic shelter, the 1940s Woodshop/Bathhouse, and the more recent Founder's Lodge. All of these additional buildings were slated for rehabilitation some time ago, and could be delayed indefinitely due to the economy and drastic decline in the Real Estate Excise Tax revenue which was a major source of necessary funds. The City Council has begun discussions on how best to address this difficult issue.

For many years, the City set aside Real Estate Excise Tax as matching funds to make the major capital improvements necessary to save the authentic camp buildings from deterioration and destruction. Those funds have supported major flood control measures for Des Moines Creek, and recent dredging of the many feet of built-up gravel that reduced its water carrying capacity, hampered fish runs and threatened the continued existence of the Dining Hall.

An integrated Beach Park and Marina business and development plan is currently being developed to determine the best use of these waterfront assets and how best to provide adequate revenues for needed improvements and ongoing maintenance and operation.

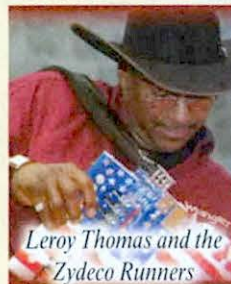
The camp's most historically significant structure, the Dining Hall & Kaffe Stuga, has been elevated several feet above the creek (which runs beneath it) and placed on a sturdy new concrete foundation. It is currently mothballed, still in need of major interior rehabilitation and exterior decking.

Please contact Patrice Thorell at 206.870.6527 or e-mail pthorell@desmoineswa.gov if you have questions related to the Des Moines Beach Park (Covenant Beach Historic District).

Beach Park Jazz and Blues Series

When the weather heats up, cool down by the water at the Beach Park Jazz and Blues Concert Series. The FREE concerts are from 7-8:30 pm on the Beach Park Meadow. New this year, the back up rain location is the Beach Park Auditorium. Bring a blanket or lawn chair and a picnic dinner and enjoy free entertainment for the whole family. See you rain or shine! Sponsored by the Des Moines Arts Commission, Des Moines Legacy Foundation and 4Culture.

- July 20 The Red Hot Blues Sisters
- July 27 The Tallboys and opening act Ali Marcus
- August 3th Leroy Thomas and the Zydeco Road Runners
- August 10th Cherry Cherry- A Tribute to Neil Diamond



Poverty Bay Arts Festival – Saturday, September 10th

Mark your calendars for the 2nd Annual Poverty Bay Arts Festival this fall on Marine View Drive. Enjoy artwork, pottery, a poetry slam and more from 10 am to 4 pm.



Grand Opening
City of Des Moines'
**Daisy Sonju Community
Garden & Pea Patch**

24728 16th Avenue South
Saturday, May 28, 2011
10am

Garden Tour | Ribbon Cutting



Thank you, Garden Sponsors:

The Des Moines Legacy Foundation | Des Moines Rotary
Des Moines Area Food Bank | Furney's Nursery
Asplund Tree Service | Seattle Tilth

For Information call:

Kim Richmond, Community Project Manager (volunteer)
206-870-6527, friendsofsonjupark@hotmail.com

*Join us on Sundays for live dance
music with Randy Litch*
*Dancing Stimulates
your mind, body and soul!*

Des Moines Activity Center
2045 S 216th, Des Moines WA 98198
1:00—3:30pm \$5

May 22 *	* Bring refreshments if your last name begins with A-M
June 26 *	
August 28 *	
September 25*	✦ Bring refreshments if your last name begins with N-Z
October 23 *	
November 27*	

Adults of All Ages!

SPRING - SUMMER 2011 EVENTS



EGGSTRAVAGANZA
Fred Meyer, Parks & Rec, April 23 - 9-11am, Des Moines Beach Park

WATERLAND ARTS & MUSIC SERIES

Brothers from Different Mothers, Arts Commission, April 26 - 7pm, HCC



SPORTS NIGHT
Legacy Foundation, May 14 - 6pm, Des Moines Field House

DAISY SONJU COMMUNITY GARDEN OPENING

Parks & Rec, Food Bank, Rotary Club, May 28 - 10am, Daisy Sonju Park



FARMERS MARKET OPENING DAY
Farmers Market, June 4 - 10am, South Marina Park

PIG ROAST/FAMILY FUN

Destination Des Moines, June 4 - 2pm, Beach Park



WASHINGTON STRONGEST APPLE COMPETITION
North America Strongman sanctioned, June 4 - 10am, Marina

FIREWORKS OVER DES MOINES

Rotary Club, Powell Homes, Legacy Foundation, Destination Des Moines, July 4 - 10pm, Marina/Beach Park



DES MOINES CLASSIC BBQ
Des Moines Marina, July 22 - 7pm, Marina parking lot

DES MOINES CLASSIC CAR & BOAT SHOW

Knights Car Club, Powell Homes, July 23 - 10am-4pm, Marina



WATERLAND PARADE
Destination Des Moines, July 23 - 6pm, Downtown Des Moines

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Arts Commission, SAG, Parks & Rec, July 20, 27, Aug. 3, 10 - 7pm, Beach Park



SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK
Arts Commission, Parks & Rec, July 30 - 7pm, Beach Park Meadow

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Des Moines Police Department, Aug. 2, various neighborhoods



SQUIDMAN AQUATHON
Destination Des Moines, Aug. 13 - 8:30am (Check-in - 7am), Beach Park

SOGGY DOGGY DASH & DES MOINES PET FESTIVAL

Destination Des Moines, Aug. 27, Des Moines Field House & various locations
Festival: 10am-3pm, Soggy Doggy Dash: 2-6pm



BIG CASH RAFFLE
1st Prize \$10,000
2nd Prize \$5,000
3rd Prize \$2,500

**Drawing
on Aug. 27**

Tickets available from participating member businesses

www.destinationdesmoineswa.org

mount rainier pool



jump in!



MOUNT RAINIER POOL

SUMMER 2011

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
5:30 - 7am	Available for rentals	Lap Swim	King Aquatics Club	Lap Swim	King Aquatics Club	Lap Swim	King Aquatics Club 7am-Noon
7 - 8am		Pool Maintenance		Pool Maintenance		Pool Maintenance	
8 - 9am		Shallow Water Ex/Laps	Shallow Water Ex/Laps	Shallow Water Ex/Laps	Shallow Water Ex/Laps	Shallow Water Ex/Laps	
9 - 11am		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	
11 - Noon		Lessons/Laps/Family	Lessons/Laps/Family	Lessons/Laps/Family	Lessons/Laps/Family	Lessons/Laps/Family	
Noon - 1pm		Seniors/Laps/Family	Seniors/Laps/Family	Seniors/Laps/Family	Seniors/Laps/Family	Seniors/Laps/Family	Lessons/Laps
1 - 2pm		Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim
2 - 3:30pm		Special Events	Special Events	Special Events	Special Events	Special Events	*1 Public Swim 2-3 pm First Saturdays
4 - 5:30pm		Lessons/King Aquatics	Lessons/King Aquatics	Lessons/King Aquatics	Lessons/King Aquatics	Lessons/King Aquatics	
5:30 - 7pm		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	2-11pm Available for rental
7 - 8pm		Public Swim	Water Exercise	Public Swim	Water Exercise	Public Swim	
8 - 9pm		Laps/Water Exercise	Public Swim	Laps/Water Exercise	Public Swim	Lap Swim	

For prices, please call the pool at: 206.824- or visit us online at www.mountrainierpool.com



My Mother feared for my safety more than she feared the water...

My Mother never swam... but now **her granddaughter** swims like a fish

Children of parents who don't swim are significantly more likely to drown because they, too, never learn to swim. And each generation the problem compounds itself.

Contact your Mount Rainier Pool today to schedule lessons and help us break the cycle. Scholarships available for families in need.

CALL: 206.824.4722

SWIMMING SAVES LIVES. PASS IT ON...

Proceeds benefit youth scholarships

Tickets: \$50 per person or \$375 per table of eight



PUT IT ON THE LINE FOR KIDS

Sports NIGHT

SATURDAY, MAY 14 • 6-11pm

DES MOINES FIELD HOUSE

Sponsored by Des Moines Legacy Foundation

Casino Games • Live & Silent Auctions • Prizes

For TICKETS & Info: Call 206.870.6527



Celebrating Purses & Shoes!

Wednesday, July 20 5:00pm

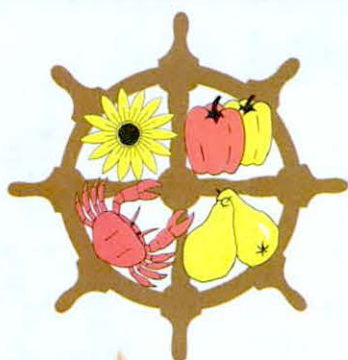
Des Moines Activity Center
Showcasing Purses & Shoes,
light supper & Silent Auction!

Call 206-878-1642

Co-sponsor



Des Moines Waterfront Farmers Market



Join us every Saturday
June thru October
Located in the Marina

10am to 2pm

More information available at
www.DMFM.org



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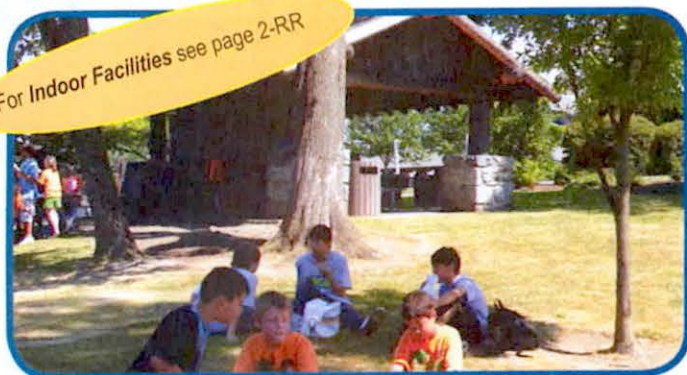
Facilities & Fields

Des Moines Outdoor Shelters are great for summer picnics and family gatherings!

Des Moines Field House Shelter
Midway Park Shelter
Wooton Park Gazebo

Our facilities are available at competitive rates!

For Indoor Facilities see page 2-RR



Field Rentals

The following fields are available for rent.
Des Moines Field House Park Fields
Steven J Underwood Memorial Park Fields
Zenith Park

For booking and additional inquiries visit or contact:

Des Moines Parks, Recreation & Sr. Services
1000 S. 220th Street, Des Moines, WA 98198
Phone: (206) 870-6527 Fax: (206) 870-6587
E-mail: recreation@desmoineswa.gov
Website: www.desmoineswa.gov/facility

A map and full listing of Des Moines Parks and Recreation Facilities can be obtained at the Administrative office or you can download a PDF file from the City's website: www.desmoineswa.gov/recreation.

Will You Help a Child Attend a Camp or Activity?

Your contribution gives local children and teens the opportunity and joy of attending Parks and Recreation programs! Youth and Teen programs are an essential part of a healthy community, building social skills, promoting active play and providing a safe haven for children before and after school. Des Moines Parks and Recreation receives scholarship support from Des Moines Legacy Foundation and other local services organizations such as the Rotary Club of Des Moines. However, the need for scholarships has increased dramatically surpassing funds available in 2010. Your gift will help a Des Moines child participate in 2011!

Check YES and send your tax deductible donation to:

Des Moines Legacy Foundation
Attention: Des Moines Parks & Recreation
Scholarships for Youth
PO Box 13582
Des Moines, WA 98198



Special Events

Celebrate Keeping Our Traditions Alive

Meet us at Beach Park, the birthplace of Des Moines!
Saturday, September 17, 2011
11:00am-2:00pm

The City of Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services invite you to join us for the grand opening celebration of Des Moines Beach Park Auditorium (newly renovated former Covenant Beach Camp Tabernacle.)

Community Celebration Highlights:

Opening Ceremony at 11:30am

Old Fashioned Family Picnic
with food, games and live entertainment

Displays of the historic eras of Des Moines waterfront
from the 1890s to the present!

For more information about the event or facility rental information, contact us at 206-870-6527 or visit www.desmoineswa.gov/BeachPark



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

City of Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services Department Offices

Parks and Recreation Administrative Office

1000 South 220th Street, Des Moines WA 98198

206-870-6527

TDD Line: 206-824-6024

Fax: 206-870-6587

E-mail: recreation@desmoineswa.gov

Monday – Friday, 8am–4:30pm



Des Moines Activity Center Office – Senior Services

2045 S 216th Street, Des Moines WA 98198

PO Box 98576

206-878-1642

Fax 206-878-2260

E-mail: recreation@desmoineswa.gov

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am–4pm

Holiday Closures

May 30, July 4 and September 5

Resident Priority:

Effective January 1, 2010, the City of Des Moines implemented a Resident Discount Policy offering residents discounted fees for recreation programs. Non-residents and city residents who choose not to provide proof of residency will be assessed the full fee for programs.

The Resident Discount ("RD") Fee is available to residents living within the City of Des Moines' jurisdictional boundaries and Senior Adults. To qualify for the "RD" Fee participants must provide proof of residency such as a Valid picture ID with a Des Moines Address. Valid picture ID accompanied by a utility bill with their Des Moines Address. Sports Teams qualify for the "RD" Fee when 51% of their players are Des Moines residents (proof of Residency will be requested.) The full program fee will be charged to participants who are not Des Moines residents or choose not to provide proof of residency. Questions related to residency should be directed to 206-870-6527.

Ways to Register:

Walk-in: Check, Cash, Visa/MasterCard.

Phone: Visa/Mastercard.

Mail-in: Registration Form with check or Visa/MasterCard information.

Registration Policies:

Pre-registration is required for all programs unless otherwise stated.

Registration is taken on a first paid basis.

Returned check fee: \$40 (plus 50% surcharge if collection action needed).

Refund Policy/Cancellations*:

When DMPPR/SS cancels a program, a full refund or credit will be issued. Full refunds will be granted when requested more than one week (7 days) prior to the start date of the course/program, less a \$10 administrative fee. The \$10 administrative fee is waived if you opt for a credit to be used for another course/program. Refunds requested less than one week prior to the start date of the course/program will not be granted unless the vacated spot is filled. If the spot is filled, a refund will be granted, less a \$10 administrative fee.

Medical refunds requested prior to the start date of the course/program will be granted in full. A doctor's note must be provided for all medical refunds to be processed. A prorated refund will be granted for medical refunds requests received during or after the course/program. Medical refunds must be requested, with proper documentation, within a month of the program's ending date.

*Refunds cannot be granted for non-recoverable costs on some programs, special events and trips, such as pre-paid admission fees unless the spot is filled. Also, on trips where services are contracted to outside travel agencies, the travel agency refund and cancellation policies will apply.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, printed prices are subject to change without notice.

Accommodation of Disabilities:

The City of Des Moines is committed to accommodating citizens with disabilities and special needs. Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services will make every reasonable effort to ensure that programs are accessible. If you need assistance participating in our programs, call 206-870-6527. TTY/ TTD 206-824-6024.

Gender Equity Statement:

The City of Des Moines complies with the State of Washington's "Fair Play in Community Sports Act" (Chapter 467, 2009 Laws, effective July 26, 2009) that prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of sex in the operation, conduct or administration of community athletics programs. Third parties, who contract with or receive leases or permits from the City of Des Moines for a community athletic program, are also prohibited from discriminating on the basis of sex. If you have questions or comments contact Patrice Thorell, Parks, Recreation and Senior Services Director.

Don't miss out on Rockin' Cool Deals in our eblast newsletter REC 'n ROLL – email recreation@desmoineswa.gov to receive e-blasts featuring the latest community recreation opportunities for all ages.

Des Moines Parks and Recreation Registration Form

Mail to: City of Des Moines Park & Recreation Dept. 1000 S. 220th St., Des Moines, WA 98198

Adult/Guardian (if participant is a minor)

Participant's Name

Age Birthdate M/F Address

Home Phone

Work Phone

Emergency Phone

E-mail

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Street address

City

State

Zip code

Class Title

Fee

\$

Fee

\$

I'll give kids a Chance, with my contribution to Youth Scholarships:

\$

TOTAL

\$

VISA/MC #

Name on Card

Exp. Date

City Of Des Moines Hold Harmless Agreement

I assume all risks and hazards of the conduct of the program. In case of injury, I waive all claims or legal actions, financial or otherwise, against the City of Des Moines, its organizers, sponsors, supervisors, employees, or any volunteers connected with the program unless injury is caused by the sole negligence of the City of Des Moines. I grant full permission to use photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings or any other record of the program for any purposes. In absence of signature, payment of fees and/or participation in the program constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

Adult Participant or Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

My Girl Cruises

Treat yourself to a day on the water on this lovely 60' motor yacht! Bring a sack lunch or a no-host meal when shore time is provided. Trips depart from Des Moines Marina.

Explore Gig Harbor's Historic Downtown

Thursday, July 21 8:30am-5pm \$42

Explore Tacoma's Waterfront

Thursday, August 25 9am-5pm \$32

• Museums, Galleries, UW Bookstore, eateries & more.

Scenic Tour of Lake Union

Thursday, September 15 9am-5pm (aprox) \$47

• Take in the Seattle Waterfront and cruise the Ballard Locks!



Golf Outings

Enjoy playing 9 holes at Puget Sound courses with fellow golfers. Transportation available on a first paid basis. All players draw numbers to determine playing partners and tee position. Departure from DMAC varies from 8-8:30am. Return time varies.

Fee Range: \$8-10 No Host Green Fee and lunch

Mondays	Course & City	Green Fees
May 2	Meadow Park, Lakewood	\$16
May 16	Lake Spanaway, Spanaway	\$15
May 31 (T)	Twin Rivers, Fall City	\$18
June 13	Cascade, North Bend	\$14
June 27	Lapoma Firs, Puyallup	\$17
July 11	Mt. Si, Snoqualmie	\$22
July 25	Madrona, Gig Harbor, 18 holes	\$22
August 8	Rolling Hills, Bremerton	\$18
August 22	Allenmore, Tacoma	\$15
Sept. 6 (T)	Horseshoe Lake, Port Orchard	\$20 plus tax
September 19	Mystery Trip???	\$15



Day Trips

Explore Puget Sound with Des Moines Activity Center

Historic Cle Elum – Cle Elum

Wednesday, May 11 8:30am-5pm \$20

Museum of Flight/Vintage Uniforms - Seattle

Wednesday May 18 9:45am-3pm \$20

Tree House Point – Fall City (Lunch at Tree House Point)

Wednesday, May 25 10am-3pm \$50

Whistlin Jack Lodge – Chinook Pass

Wednesday, June 8 8:30am-4:30pm \$18

Washington State History Museum – Tacoma

Wednesday, June 15 9:30am-3pm \$15

Ohme Gardens – Wenatchee

Wednesday, June 22 8am-6pm \$25

Lucky Eagle Casino- Rochester

Wednesday, June 29 9am-4pm \$6

SSCC Chinese Gardens – Seattle

Wednesday, July 6 10am-3:30pm \$15

Day in Enumclaw

Tuesday, July 12 9:45am- 4pm \$10

Patio Sale – Panorama City - Olympia

Saturday, July 16 8am-4pm \$10

Job Carr Museum – Tacoma

Wednesday, July 27 9:30am- 3pm \$20

Walking Tour - Port Gamble

Tuesday, August 9 8am-4pm \$25

Train Ride – Snoqualmie

Friday, August 19 10:30am-4pm \$20

Emerald Queen Casino-Tacoma

Wednesday, September 7 9am-4pm \$6

Horticulture

Explore Northwest gardens and nurseries with our "growing" horticulture group! As we spring into summer we will visit many gardens and nurseries. \$8 van trips & * carpool. Call for morning departure times.

May 6*	Des Moines Garden Club Sale, Normandy Park
May 13*	Weyerhaeuser Rhododendron Garden, Federal Way
May 20	Windmill & Watsons Nurseries, Sumner & Puyallup
May 27	Tacoma Chinese Reconciliation Park
June 10	Visit Bernie & Sunny Brunsome Roof Garden, Maltby
June 22	See Ohme Garden trip in our Travel Section
June 24	Roof Garden at Bastille Restaurant in Bothell
July 8	Nisqually Natural Wildlife Refuge
July 22	Digs Garden Nursery, Lavender Hill Farm & Country Store, Vashon, Ferry Fee \$5
August 12	Lakewood Gardens, Tacoma
August 26	Tour of Whidbey Island Gardens, Ferry Fee \$5

Connections to Services

AARP Tax Assistance Appointments.....	206-878-1642
Blood Pressure Checks	
Elderwatch.....	253-946-7338
Fall Prevention	
Foot Care -2011 features expanded hours!	
Legally Speaking Presentations	
Medical Lending Equipment	
Nutritious Lunches -Monday-Thursdays	
Pet Food Assistance	
Sea Mar Latino Activities	
Senior Services' Information & Assistance.....	206-448-3110
Senior Rights Assistance.....	206-448-5720
Senior Services' Shuttle Transportation.....	206-727-6262
Senior Services' Volunteer Transportation.....	206-448-5740
Senior Services' Meals on Wheels.....	206-448-5767

Join us for Fun & Games all week long!

Call 206-878-1642 for details!

Senior Activities

Blueprint for Living 2011 and Beyond

Featuring a series of presentations to design and live your life well and your way! Presentations offered by Valley Cities Counseling & Consultation unless otherwise noted.

Adults Activity Center

Managing Emotions-A Powerful Force in Our Lives

Understand how out of control emotions undermine overall health and wellbeing.

Tuesday, May 3 10:00-11:30am DMAC

Aging & Depression & the 3-S's

Explore the difference between sadness and serious depression and learn the signs, symptoms and solutions.

Tuesday, May 17 10:00-11:30am DMAC

Plain Talk About Dementia and Alzheimer's

Valley Cities Counseling and Consultation covers the basic facts about dementia and Alzheimer's, including new information from the 2011 Alzheimer's conference.

Tuesday, June 7 10:00-11:30am DMAC

Caring for a Loved One with Dementia

Learn practical suggestions to ease the challenges of communicating, coping and caregiving when dementia has joined your family. David Wolfe, Highline Mental Health Licensed Social Worker

Tuesday, June 14 11:00am-12:00pm DMAC

Act Now to Preserve Your Brain

Common sense tips to preserve your memory and your brain.

Tuesday, June 21 10:00-11:30am DMAC

Good Nutrition, Healthy Eating & Weight Discussions

facilitated by Valley Cities Counseling & Consultation.

Advance registration is appreciated. Call 206-878-1642.

2nd Friday, monthly 10:00am - 12:00pm DMAC

Vitamins and Supplements

Friday, May 13 — Learn the benefits and risks of our favorites!

Do You Know What You're Drinking?

Friday June 10 — Beverages - those hidden calories and more.

Counseling & Information Services

Troubled by uncertainty and lack of information?

Obtain assistance with resource information, referrals and start tackling personal issues that are getting in the way of your mental wellbeing. Facilitated by Valley Cities Counseling & Consultation.

4th Friday, monthly year-round

10:00am - 12:00pm DMAC

Call 206-878-1642 to book your appointment— (limit of a maximum of 3-counseling sessions)

Many thanks to the Des Moines Legacy Foundation for providing the funding for programs facilitated by Valley Cities Counseling & Consultation.

Brain Agility

Can't seem to remember words and names like you used to? Our brains need exercise as much as our bodies! Brain Agility, developed by Dr. Peter Moulton, features a personal workbook, brain aerobics and classroom discussion. Previous students say it really helps! Be ready for homework! Volunteer Facilitators.

Adults \$40R 44NR
Tu June 14-July 26 6:30-7:30pm Activity Center

Enhance Fitness

Improve physical conditioning levels and decrease the risk of falling with stretching, low-impact aerobics, strength training and balance exercises. Gym-type shoes are required (no sandals) and a water bottle is recommended. Co-sponsors: Group Health & Senior Services. Instructor: Mary Brown



View Enhance Fitness @ <http://youtu.be/OH2VdXbusNg!>

Adults

8-9am or 9:30-10:30am

June 2-24 11-days \$28

7-8am or 8:30-9:30am

June 28-July 29 15-days \$36

August 16-Sept. 2 9-days \$22

Salish Sea Stories

Join us for the rich experiences people living by the Salish Sea have to share!

Dancin' from Paris to Puget Sound

Betty McLain shares her experiences living and loving and learning dance as she traveled from Paris to Puget Sound and around the world. Betty shares tid-bits from her recently published collection of humorous stories and dance tips - Dancing in The Rain - always giving her perspective of "how to live life to its fullest, no matter how old you are!" Copies of her book will be available for purchase.



Adults

Sunday, June 26 3:30-4:30pm \$2 donation DMAC

Aviation History-

Part IV: High Flights and Hard Landings

Retired flight test engineer and international airline operator, John McEvoy, thrills us and chills us with his real life stories of perils, pitfalls and pirates in aviation!

Adults

T 9:30-11:30am May 17 Activity Center
T 7-9pm May 31 Activity Center

Interested in sharing your stories?
Contact us at 206-878-1642!

Adult Fitness & Sports



Your First Class Free

Zumba®

Ditch the workout – Join the Party! Working-out is healthy, rewarding and beneficial, but it's never been known to be exhilarating until now! Zumba® fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a unique program that will blow you away and help you achieve long term benefits while experiencing an absolute blast in one hour of calorie-burning, body-energizing, awe-inspiring movements that engage and captivate for life! Instructor: Shayla Lee, Zumba® Certified.

Adults \$53R \$59NR/10-class punchcard or \$10 Drop-in
 MW 6-7pm Ongoing* Field House

Belly Dancing

Enjoy a fun, effective, low impact exercise. Beginning and intermediate level classes consist of Middle Eastern and American Tribal dance steps for troupe and soloist, body movements, the use of cymbals and the veil. Instructor: Saroya Poirier, Babylonian Ensemble

Adults \$43R \$48NR
 M Beginners May 16-Jun 27 7:15-8:15 Founder's Lodge
 M Intermediate May 16-Jun 27 8:15-9:15pm Founder's Lodge

Tai Chi

Qigong style Tai Chi focuses on a basic circulation form using energy principles. Tai Chi improves balance and increases strength and control of muscles through gentle, slow movements, while also improving coordination of the upper and lower body. Instructor: Rhonda Allison.

Adults \$48R \$52NR
 Th Session 1 5/12-6/30 5-6pm Activity Center
 Th Session 2 7/7-8/25 5-6pm Activity Center
 Th Session 3 9/1-10/20 5-6pm Activity Center

Energy Yoga

Yoga helps to release stress and re-direct energy to gain better health and sense of well being. With a series of sustained poses and gentle stretches, students will improve muscle strength, range of motion, balance and stability, especially the deep core muscles that stabilize the spine and increase flexibility. Instructor: Rhonda Allison.

Adults \$48R \$52NR
 Th Session 1 5/12-6/30 6:30-7:30pm Activity Center*
 Th Session 2 7/7-8/25 6:30-7:30pm Activity Center*
 Th Session 3 9/1-10/20 6:30-7:30pm Activity Center*

*Tai Chi & Yoga Drop-in Fee: \$8 per class

New Location:

M 1:30-2:30pm April 11-June 13 Normandy Park Cove

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Adult Men & Coed Fall Softball League

This is a great opportunity for folks to play at our beautiful complex. Each team plays 12-games and a single elimination post season tournament. Registration deadline: July 16, 2011.

Adults \$850R \$900NR
 SJUMP
 Monday Nights Co-ed Recreation Division League Play August-October
 Tuesday Nights Men's Recreation Division League Play August-October



Senior Softball

Batter-up for active adults age 50 and better!

Des Moines Activity Center sponsors two coed softball teams that compete against teams throughout King County. Practices and home games are played on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at the Steven J. Underwood Park fields. League games start the week of May 4. Teams receive sponsorship funding from local business. To learn more about sponsorship opportunities or if you are interested in playing on one of our two teams, contact: Abbie Nielsen, Recreation Coordinator, Des Moines Activity Center 206-878-1642, anielsen@desmoineswa.gov

Adult Summer Tournaments

Wood Bat Tournament Mens E/D 3GG	\$240	July 16 only
Wood Bat Tournament Coed E/D 3GG	\$240	August 6- 7
Wood Bat Tournament Mens/Coed E/D 3GG	\$240	September 17-18

Kickball Tournament Coed 3GG		
\$150	July 23-24	9am Kickoff
\$150	August 20-21	9am Kickoff
Coed Championships Kickball Tournament		
\$175	October 6-7	9am Kickoff

Call 206-870-6527 for information & registration details!

Tennis Anyone? See page 5.

Adult Enrichment

Wenatchee Whitewater Rafting

The Sunny-side of the Cascades is a definite splash! Roller coaster action and generally sunny weather makes this snow-fed river a favorite for river-runners. You'll experience commanding



scenery that includes apple orchards and tall bluffs. The whitewater maneuvering in "Boulder Bend, Rock & Roll, Drunkards Drop and Snow Blind" rapids will definitely capture your attention. Participants will paddle self-bailing paddle rafts with an experienced guide. All rafting equipment is included. Join us!

Trip Leader: Rod Admundson, Wild Water River Tours, INC.

Age 6+		\$78R \$85NR	
Sa	May 14	12pm-4:30pm	Location provided at registration
Su	June 5	12pm-4:30pm	Location provided at registration
Sa	June 25	12pm-4:30pm	Location provided at registration
Su	July 10	12pm-4:30pm	Location provided at registration

Skagit Whitewater Rafting

Explore lush woods in North Cascades National Park.

The Upper Skagit River is essentially a relaxing calm water float and devoted to scenery so magnificent it earned a place in the National Wild and Scenic River System. Wildlife is often seen along the banks. The tranquility is shattered for one-quarter mile by an easy section of fun-filled Class III whitewater. After that, enjoy the peace and quiet and undisturbed natural beauty. Experienced guides steer professional quality paddle rafts. All rafting equipment is included. Join us!

Ages 6+		\$78R \$85NR	
Su	July 31	12-4pm	Location provided at registration
Sa	August 27	12-4pm	Location provided at registration

Nisqually Calm Water Rafting

Relax in spectacular natural splendor.

No experience is necessary for this leisurely float on the historic river that served as a pathway to Indians and settlers. Follow meandering river channels through a flood plain of unsurpassed natural beauty. Wildlife is often seen along the riverbanks. Experienced guides steer professional quality rafts. All rafting equipment is included. Join us!

Ages 6+		\$78R \$85NR	
Su	August 14	1-5pm	Location provided at registration

Adult CPR with AED Essentials

Learn to recognize and care for breathing and cardiac emergencies in victims who are age 12 and up. Certification is good for two years.

Age 16-Adult		\$40	
W	June 29	6-9pm	Activity Center

Dog Obedience

Love your dog, but all the chewing, jumping, barking and little "accidents" testing you? Dog Obedience should turn your little "terror" into a well-behaved pet. Proof of vaccination is required at first class. Instructor: Jan Magnuson, Animal Control Officer, Champion Trainer

Dogs 4+ months		\$78R \$85NR	
Th	May 5-26	7:15-9:15pm	Field House
Th	June 2-23	7:15-9:15pm	Field House
Th	July 7-28	7:15-9:15pm	Field House
Th	August 4-25	7:15-9:15pm	Field House
Th	September 8-29	7:15-9:15pm	Field House

Fused Glass Workshop

Learn the basics of art glass techniques including cutting, fusing and slumping with supplies and materials provided by the instructor. Note: Instructor: George C. Scott

Adults		\$55 \$59NR	
W	June 15	6-9pm	Instructor's Studio / Des Moines
Sa	June 25	1-4pm	Instructor's Studio / Des Moines
W	July 20	6-9pm	Instructor's Studio / Des Moines
Sa	July 16	1-4pm	Instructor's Studio / Des Moines

* Choice of making a 10" fused bowl or 10" fused glass lamp. Pay extra \$30 to instructor day of class for lamp. See samples of lamps at www.georgecscottstudios.com



Watercolor Workshop-all Levels

Enjoy a morning with instruction and afternoon outside with your canvas and paints. Students bring their own supplies (supply list provided) and a sack lunch. Instructor: Nancy Bogni

Adults		\$25R \$29NR	
Sa	August 20	10am-3pm	Activity Center



Nancy Bogni

Ooops!

Sometimes courses are cancelled because people wait too long to register. Register early to avoid disappointment!

Youth Recreation Activities

Healthy life-long habits start young. Teach your child to enjoy exercise and physical play in these fun activities.

Ballet/Tap

Ballet is the true expression of classical art that provides strength, beauty, posture and grace and is the foundation for all other dance forms. The Tap portion features fun, making lots of great noises with your feet and incorporates rhythm, technique & style. Pink ballet slippers and black tap shoes are required for this class. Instruction: Melanie's Dance Unlimited



Grades K-3

Session Fee: \$48R \$53NR

M July 11-August 8

6-6:45pm

Field House

Hip Hop Dance

Featuring the most popular urban moves and grooves, class is fun, fast paced and will get your heart pumping! No experience necessary! Instruction: Melanie's Dance Unlimited

Ages: 4-7 yrs

Session Fee: \$48R \$53NR

M July 11-August 8

6:45-7:15pm

Field House

Ages: 8-12 yrs

Session Fee: \$48R \$53NR

M July 11-August 8

7:15-7:45pm

Field House

Fishing with Your Kids

Dads, Moms and Grandparents - teach your child(ren) different ways to fish our local Washington waters for salmon, steelhead and sturgeon and learn techniques to make every outdoor opportunity a success. Most methods shown are from a boat, some bank fishing will be covered.



Fishermen & women of all ages

\$45/pairR \$55/pairNR, \$10/each additional child

Th July 7-28

6-7pm

Field House

Tiger Kids Martial Arts

Improve motor skills and coordination while building self-confidence through the use of martial arts and fun games - bag kicking and padded sword-sparring! Includes a white belt for first time participants! Instructor: Mitch Mayberry, International Champion, 8th degree Master Instructor.

Age 5 and Up

\$83R \$88NR plus \$12 AAU Fee

W April 13-June 1

4:30-5:10pm

Field House

W June 22-August 10

4:30-5:10pm

Field House

Acrobats For Kids

Learn gymnastic/martial arts style rolls, cartwheels, backbends, handstands and walkovers and other cool moves. A routine set to music will be learned for an optional show in June, complete with costume! Recommended attire provided at registration.

Instructor: Melanie's Dance Unlimited.



Acrobats I & II

Age 5-10

\$48R \$54NR

W 6-6:45pm

July 13-August 10

Field House

Parent's Night Out

There is so much to do in Des Moines including the Summer Jazz and Blues Concert Series at Beach Park. Enjoy a kid free date night!

Ages 5-10

\$25R \$27NR per day

Friday

July 15

6-10pm

Field House

Wednesday

July 27

6-10pm

Field House

Wednesday

August 10

6-10pm

Field House

Friday

August 26

6-10pm

Field House

Teen Activities

Field House Dances

Teens- kick it at Field House theme dance parties hosted by Des Moines Youth Council. Theme dances parties feature contests concessions and dancing. Leader: Parks and Recreation staff



Grades 6-8 - student ID required for admission.

\$7

F June 10 End of Year Luau

7:30-10:00pm

Field House

Teen Hip Hop

It's never too late to learn to dance! Instructors offer beginning students a program specifically designed for teens that want to dance. We'll whip you into shape, improve your body-tone and technique and teach you how to dance. No experience necessary. Instructor: Melanie's Dance Unlimited

Ages: 12-14

\$48R \$53NR

M July 11-August 8

7:45-8:15pm

Field House

Monday Madness

Break up the monotony of your week and jump on board with these awesome trips, geared for teens looking for excitement!

Ages: 11-17

Sky High Sports

July 18

Time TBD

\$28R \$35NR

Kids Mountain Bike Adventure

August 1

Time TBD

\$28R \$35NR

Rattlesnake Ledge

August 29

11am-4pm

\$20R \$25NR

Lake Chelan Overnighter

Join us on an overnight camping trip and water park adventure! We'll trek out to 25 Mile Creek State Park and join teens from the City of Shoreline for a fun camping adventure. We will cook our own meals, play capture the flag, make s'mores and spend a day at Slide Waters Water Park in Chelan.

Age 11-17

\$125R \$138NR

M-W August 15-17

Depart 2pm/Return 12pm

Return Wednesday

Teens check out Page 3 for more summer opportunities!

Youth Sailing Program

A sailing program designed for kids with little to no sailing experience. The course combines on-the-water experience with dock-side activities and training covering safety on the water, sailing basics, sailing nomenclature, wind awareness, rigging, rules of the road and sailing etiquette. Classes will be held at the Des Moines Marina with the on-water instruction taking place just west of the main breakwater. Instructors



accompany students in the sailboat and with a chase boat. There are typically 8 to 12 students per session. Priority is on safety, fun and learning. Scholarships are available please contact our office. If you are currently enrolled with the K2 summer camp the sailing program is \$25 per session.

Ages 12-18

\$130R \$140NR

M-F	August 1-5	1-4pm	Des Moines Marina Office
M-F	August 8-12	1-4pm	Des Moines Marina Office
M-F	August 15-19	5-8pm	Des Moines Marina Office
M-F	August 22-26	1-4pm	Des Moines Marina Office
M-F	August 29- September 2	1-4pm	Des Moines Marina Office

Pee Wee Tennis

A fun and rewarding introduction to the game of tennis with the emphasis on introducing serves and ground strokes. The children will love their first tennis experience and want to continue playing.

Ages 4-5 yrs

\$38R \$43NR

M/W	July 11-August 3	5:45-6:15pm	Field House Courts
M/W	August 8-August 31	5:45-6:15pm	Field House Courts
M/W	July 11-August 3	6:15-6:45pm	Field House Courts
M/W	August 8-August 31	6:15-6:45pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	July 12-August 4	5-5:30pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	August 9-September 1	5-5:30pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	July 12-August 4	7:15-7:45pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	August 9-September 1	7:15-7:45pm	Field House Courts

Ages 6-8 yrs

\$57R \$62NR

M/W	July 11-August 3	5-5:45pm	Field House Courts
M/W	August 8-August 31	5-5:45pm	Field House Courts
M/W	July 11-August 3	6:45-7:30pm	Field House Courts
M/W	August 8-August 31	6:45-7:30pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	July 12-August 4	5:30-6:15pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	August 9-September 1	5:30-6:15pm	Field House Courts

Tennis for the Beginner

An introduction to tennis for players with little or no tennis experience. Emphasis is on serve, backhand, and foreground strokes in a small class setting.

Ages 13-Adult

\$76R \$81NR

T/Th	July 12-August 4	6:15-7:15pm	Field House Courts
T/Th	August 9-September 1	6:15-7:15pm	Field House Courts



Toddler/Preschool Activities

Pre-School Playhouse

Preschool Playhouse strives to foster the development of the young child through attention to their social, intellectual, and physical needs, integrating these aspects of learning throughout the program. We offer all of the necessary components for a positive experience for your child in a safe and structured environment to explore, socialize, and share. The emphasis is on the fundamental skills including numbers, letters, colors, reading and writing. We believe that positive teaching promotes positive and exciting learning in students. Please note: students must be potty trained. Des Moines Parks and Recreation offers Preschool Playhouse only during the school year. Registration for the 2011-12 school year begins on August 1.

T/Th	May 10-June 2	10am-12pm	\$70R \$75NR
T/Th	June 7-June 23	10am-12pm	\$55R \$60NR

Options of 2+ days per week will be available for the 2011-12 school year.

Mini Kickers

Start soccer off right with an introduction to warming-up, stretching, dribbling, passing, shooting and defensive work. It's a great



opportunity for kids to meet other kids from the community. Facilitators: Staff

Age 3-5

\$30R \$35NR

M-F	June 20-24	5:30-6:30pm	Field House
M-F	August 22-26	10-11am	Field House

Preschool Camp

Offering fun for little ones and a welcome break for parents. The focus is on developing social and creative skills, opportunities of exploration and physical and cognitive development through games, activities, music, drama and storytelling. Children must be potty trained.

Ages 3-5

\$85R \$89NR

M-F 9-11:30am

Week	Dates	Themes
1	July 11-15	Making Friends
2	July 18-22	My 5 Senses
3	July 25-29	Seussical
4	August 1-5	Let's Paint
5	August 8-12	Insect Explorations
6	August 15-19	Messy Masterpieces
7	August 22-26	Ocean Pals
8	August 29-Sept. 2	Camping Adventures

Playball Summer Camp

Summer is a time for running, jumping and having fun! Find all of this in a safe, structured, creative environment. Playball introduces boys and girls of all abilities to a wide variety of sports, teaching the basic skills used in football, baseball, basketball, soccer, tennis, volleyball and hockey. Camp is built around Playball curriculum.

Ages 3-5

\$95R \$110NR

M-W July 11-13 9-11:30am

Location provided at registration



Leagues

Fall Youth Recreation Soccer League

Registration starts on June 1 and closes September 1.
 U-5 co-ed 3-5, U-7 co-ed 6-7, U-9 boys 8-9, U-9 girls 8-9
 *Birth certificates required.
 August 23-October 31
 \$60R \$65NR June 1-30
 \$65R \$70NR July 1-29
 \$75R \$80NR July 30-September 1

Des Moines Fields



Tee-Ball / Coach-Pitch Coed Leagues

Get out the leather glove, swing the aluminum bat and enjoy team building and social interaction! Focus is on developing hand-eye coordination through hitting, fielding, throwing, and catching properly. Playing field and rules are modified to fit participant age and skill levels.

Age 3-5 Tee-ball \$75R \$80NR June 1 - July 31
 Age 6-8 Coach-pitch Des Moines Area Fields

Coaches Take Note:

Fall Soccer Coaches Meeting	August 11	6pm	Field House
Coach Pitch Coach Meeting	May 17	6pm	Field House
Tee Ball Coed Coach Meeting	May 17	6pm	Field House

For information about coaching, sponsorship and scholarship opportunities please contact our office at 206-870-6527.

Sports Camps



Rugby Nation USA Camp

Rugby is played by 4.4 million people in over 100 countries across 6 continents and 200,000 of these players are female! Flag Rugby is a basic, non-contact, flag version of the game for both boys and girls. Flag Rugby is designed to give players a fun, safe and enjoyable sporting experience. Why not join the fun - try Flag Rugby now!

Ages 7-12 \$95R \$110NR
 M-W July 11-13 2-4pm Location provided at registration

UK International Soccer

UK International Soccer Camp is back for 2-exciting camps. Coaching: UK professional coaches.

Age 4 - 14 \$92/half-day
 Age 8 - 14 \$153/full day

Week 1 July 11-15
 Week 2 August 1-6

Interested in hosting a UK Coach for the week? Contact Ralph at 206.870.6586, email stewart.boniface@uksocca.com or check out UK Soccer at www.uksocca.com for details.



Diamond Skills Baseball Camp

Professional instruction at recreation

prices. Individual skills and drills as well as game situations and contests like Camp Olympics from enthusiastic coaches. Instructors: Supervisor, Darren Rawie, Head Varsity Coach, Mt. Rainier High School, Hal DeBerry, Head Varsity Coach, Newport High School.

Age 7-11 Years \$150R \$170NR
 M-Th July 25-28 9am-12pm Mt. Rainier High Baseball Field

Age 12-15 Years
 M-Th July 25-28 1pm-4pm Mt. Rainier High Baseball Field

Group discounts and scholarships available.



REC n' ROLL Summer Camps

KHAOS

Kids having an outrageous summer!



KHAOS Camps

Monday – Friday | 6:30am-6:00pm
Field House

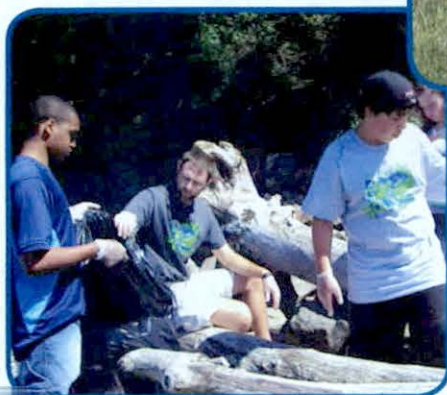
Participants receive a Camp KHAOS T-shirt!
KHAOS Summer 2011 Registration Fee:
\$25R \$30NR

Add \$10 per week of camp when payment is received less than one-week in advance.

Enrolling more than one child per family?

Call 206-870-6527 for discount information!

Weekly sessions begin June 21 and end September 2.



Camp KHAOS & K2 weekly schedules available May 13, 2011 @ www.desmoineswa.gov/recreation

Camp KHAOS

Our energetic and dedicated staff introduces your child to a sizzling summer filled with fun interactive activities that will spark their imagination and fill their day. Expect age appropriate activities such as arts and crafts, games, swimming, outdoor activities and a chance to make new friends all designed around the weekly theme.

Age 5-11

K2 Teens

K2 blends teamwork, age-appropriate activities and crafts with exciting weekly adventures to ensure your teen's summer is packed with high-energy! Weekly themes will include many age appropriate adventures such as disc golf, beachcombing and ball games.

Age 12-15

K2 Late Night

Having so much fun in K2 you don't want the fun to end? K2 participants only are eligible to join us for some late night fun over dinner, games and more!

Ages 12-15 & enrolled in K2

\$25R \$27NR per day

Wednesday	July 20	6-10pm	Field House
Friday	August 5	6-10pm	Field House
Friday	August 19	6-10pm	Field House



Youth Scholarships Available for Des Moines Youth!
Please call 206-878-6527 for information.
Funding Support provided by
Des Moines Legacy Foundation and Des Moines Rotary.

		KHAOS	K2
Weeks 0,1,2*	4-day Option T-F	\$108R \$113NR	\$116R \$121NR
Weeks 1, 3-9	5-days week M-F	\$135R \$140NR	\$145R \$150N
Week 10**	3-day Option	\$81R \$86 NR	\$87R \$92NR

Week	Dates	Themes	Weekly Highlights
0*	June 21-24	Animal Adventures	Lions, Tigers & Bears, oh my!
1*	June 27-July 1	Sail Into Summer	"School is out and it's time to play!"
2*	July 5-8	Gardening Galore	Connect with nature & get your hands dirty!
3	July 11-15	Top Chef	Friendly food competition planned, created & made by YOU!
4	July 18-22	Super Science	Let's experiment - chemical reactions, egg drop, & observation skills.
5	July 25-29	Sports Extravaganza	Have a ball trying your skills at a variety of sports!
6	August 1-5	Wheels, Wings & Flying Things	Explore things that fly & roll along on wheels.
7	August 8-12	Summer Showcase	Gear up arts and acts for our talent & art showcase.
8	August 15-19	EcoAdventures	Explore lowtide, create recycle-art & make a difference.
9	August 22-26	Global Games	Games from the past & around the world.
10**	August 19-Sept 2	Wet, Wild & Wacky	Water games and wacky fun!

Welcome!

REC 'n ROLL



Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services Team (L-R): Patrice Thorell, Rebecca Hall, Sue Anderson, Charisse Gregory, Ralph Thomas, Cassie Swan, Bonnie Wilkins, Annette Chomica, Sue Padden and Abbie Nielsen.

Creating Community through People, Parks and Programs

Your Parks, Recreation and Senior Services staff, Des Moines Arts Commission, program partners and volunteers proudly invite you to join us in active play and celebrations this summer!

The *Rec & Roll Guide* is filled with activities to be enjoyed individually or as a family. We hope you will take advantage of the many ways to get active such as: youth and teen camps and adventures, tennis lessons, senior outings and trips, fitness classes and even sailing lessons! Don't forget volunteerism is another great way you can participate.

There is no reason to hear "I'm bored" ... On Saturday, May 28, 2011, the City dedicates its first community garden and orchard, Daisy's Garden located at Sonju Park. Looking for more family-friendly community activities and events this summer? The award winning Des Moines Farmers Market opens June 4, Fireworks over Des Moines shoots off on the 4th of July and the Waterland Parade marches down Marine View Drive on July 23. In the mood for music? Enjoy free Summer Concerts on Wednesday evenings at Beach Park from July 20 to August 10, Shakespeare in the Park on Saturday, July 30 and the annual Flute Festival takes place the weekend of August 19-21. *For a complete list of summer events see page CC-9.*

Major creek modifications to reduce flooding and save our much loved Beach Park National Historic District (formerly known as Covenant Beach Bible Camp) take place between July 1 and the end of August. Parking areas beyond the vehicle bridge will be closed during that time. However, there is plenty of parking at the Marina and you may walk or ride your bike into the park and access the beautiful Des Moines Creek Trail! Please join us for the grand opening of the newly renovated historic Beach Park Auditorium and a celebration of our community heritage on September 17, 2011. For more details see page 12-RR.

We look forward to seeing you as well as hearing your thoughts on how we can improve your experiences at Des Moines Parks, Recreation and Senior Services department programs this summer!

Sincerely,

Patrice Thorell

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Host your Special Event in our facility!

Des Moines Facilities highlight the breathtaking beauty of the Northwest offering the perfect setting for wedding, banquets and other community events.

- Indoor Facilities- Up to 500 Guests:**
 - Beach Park Auditorium
 - Booking now for September 2011 & beyond.
- Up to 225 guests:**
 - Des Moines Field House
- Up to 125 guests:**
 - Des Moines Activity Center with Mary's Patio Garden
- Up to 60 guests:**
 - Founder's Lodge &
 - Des Moines Field House Studio

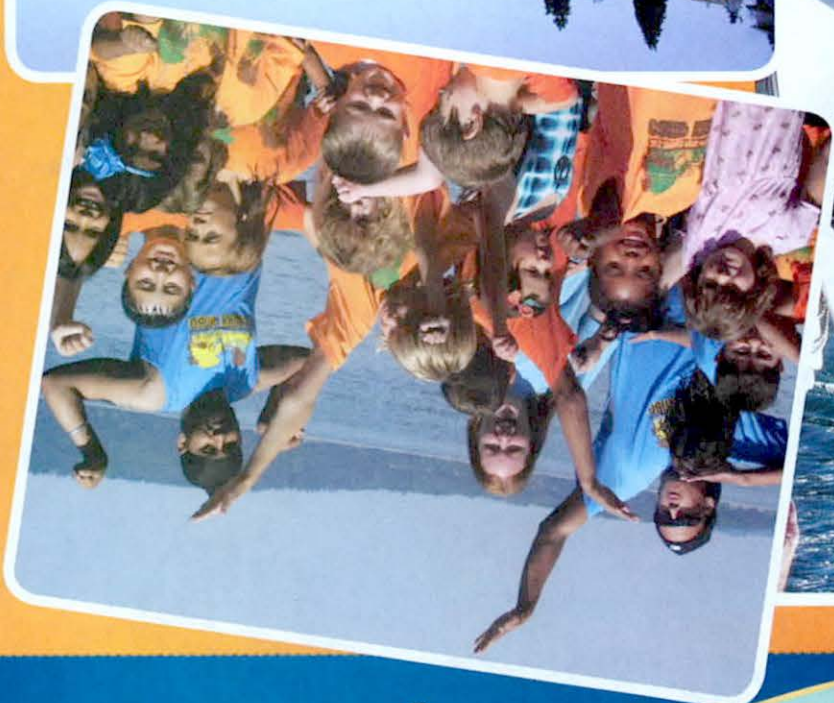
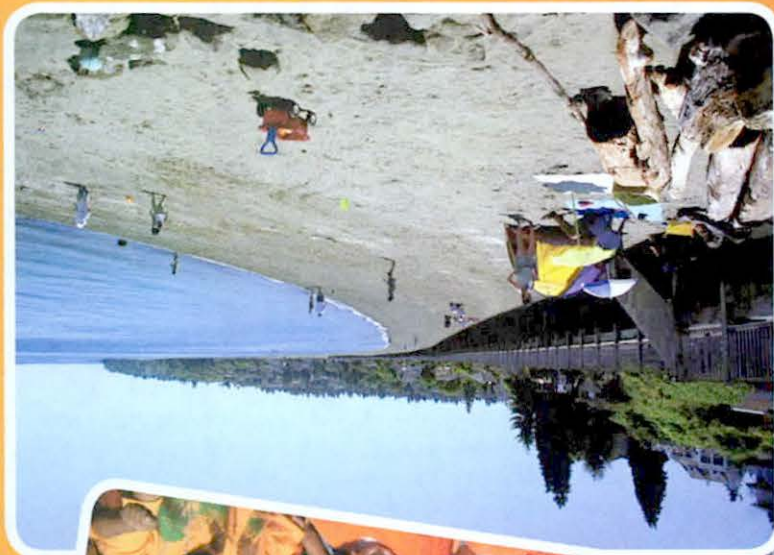
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