



BOEING RETIREE VOLUNTEER PROGRAM



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# Sno-King Boeing Retiree Volunteers General Meeting

*Our activity this month will be—*

*A Planning Meeting*

**Boeing Everett Employees Activity Center  
June 23rd—4th Thursday, 1:00 PM**

**Come early and share a snack and coffee and socialize**

**Bring another Boeing retiree—Bring dry food staples for the Food Bank**

**SNO-KING BOEING RETIREE VOLUNTEERS OFFICE & MEETING ROOM**

Located in the Boeing Everett Activity Center which is 2½ miles North of the Boeing Everett Plant

From either direction (East or West) on Highway 526 (Boeing Freeway), take the Seaway Blvd turnoff. Proceed northerly for approximately 2½ miles. The Activity Center is at the top of the next hill after you drive down through the big curve in the gully.

Lots of parking in front of the building.

**Chairman's Report**

Many thanks to Pat Colyer for sharing her personal journey in dealing with all of the 'paperwork' requirements after the recent loss of her husband, Bob. She was both passionate and thorough in her presentation. This was a wake-up call to all in attendance.

Pat has provided a checklist: "When a Loved One Dies: 31 Important Steps to Take." This is included elsewhere in this newsletter. Thank you again, Pat, for your thoughtful and thorough presentation.

Next month is our annual picnic at Kasch Park, just south of the Boeing Everett Plant. Turn east on Kasch Park Road; turn right into the park just past the Community Transit complex; there is a covered pavilion midway down the road and there are restrooms nearby. Hamburgers & chicken will be provided. Bring a side dish to share; there is a suggestion list elsewhere in the newsletter.

The RSVP (Retired and Senior Volunteer Program) held their annual recognition program on May 25th. A number of our members were in attendance. Jan Link is chairman of this organization, as well as the Academic Link Outreach program. Although 'retired,' Jan's passion is to ensure that all children within Washington state receive the maximum funding and encouragement from our state legislators so they reach the goal of graduation. A Snohomish County Education Summit was held June 2nd. Some of our members participate in a tutoring program that Jan has put together. Our motto: "No Child Left Behind!"

Welcome to our new member, Ron Collins, who has been involved with the new Boeing Tanker program.

*Bob Krull*

**Volunteer Hours**

**H**i All,  
 It is time to submit your Bluebills volunteer hours for the month of May or any previous month. If you have hours that have not been reported, you may submit those also. Thanks for your input.

*Max*

**May Meeting Photos**



**This newsletter**

This newsletter is also on our website in [living color](#)

<http://www.bluebills.org/snoking.html>

## Sew N Sews

Thank you **ELLA KRULL** for the five crocheted baby blankets and all in such beautiful colors.

Deliveries of blankets were made to Catholic Community Services and Pregnancy Aid.

Three boxes of yarn from the warehouse were delivered to Carl Gipson Senior Center.

Welcome to our newest member, Ron Collins.

Sew long,

*Rose*



**Ella Krull and her contribution of five baby afghans**

## Volunteer Opportunities

### *Ongoing opportunities -*

**SCIENCE RESOURCE CENTER** – at Hawthorne School in North Everett. (North on Broadway, right turn on 12<sup>th</sup>, left at first stop sign and follow the road to the smaller parking lot at back of school.) Helpers are needed Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm and can be mostly a sit down activity. Contact Lee Thomas [robtlee@frontier.com](mailto:robtlee@frontier.com)

**ST. JOSEPH'S HOUSE** – 1925 4<sup>th</sup> St. Marysville, WA. Low income/homeless clients shop here for free clothing, personal items and housewares. Helpers are needed any day of the week.

[www.saintjosephshouse.org](http://www.saintjosephshouse.org).

**PROJECT LINUS** – Quilts are made and donated to a variety of agencies mainly for children up to age 18. There are many different things to do and you can work at home or come to a group session.

**SEW N SEWS** -- part of Sno-King Bluebills. This is open to those who like to sew, knit or crochet. Quilts and other items such as hats, scarves and afghans are all donated to a variety of agencies in the local area for the low income and homeless.

### *Other volunteer opportunities available –*

**SHARING WHEELS** 2531 Broadway, Everett, 425-252-6952 holds work parties throughout the year to prepare used bikes for kids. All the tools are available plus assistance and there are lots of bikes to be fixed up. (Here you can use your mechanical skills).

**THERE ARE** a variety of volunteer opportunities that are available. Contact RSVP John McAlpine at [johnm@ccsww.org](mailto:johnm@ccsww.org) or call 425-374-6374.

**SERVING MEALS FOR HOMELESS AND LOW INCOME in EVERETT** – each day of the week either a church or other non-profit agency provides a free meal – either lunch or dinner. Helpers are always needed for table preparation, serving food, clean up, etc.

**\*\*\*\*NEWSLETTER** – helpers are needed once a month for making copies, folding the newsletter, attaching the mailing label and other miscellaneous duties at the **SNO-KING BLUEBILLS** office. Contact Stan Shipley at 425-487-2533 or James Bailey 425-387-4165.

**Each week** the Everett Herald has volunteer opportunities that are available. Many are a one-time only event. They are worthwhile checking into as there are new ones listed each week. For more info re: any of the above, contact Rose Johnson 425-259-4309.

## Boeing Volunteer Projects—Debbie Metzger, Boeing

- ◆ Friends of Deadhorse Canyon, Taylor Creek-Environmental Restoration in Deadhorse Canyon, near Seattle on June 18th. Removing invasive plants such as ivy and blackberry. 10201 Holyoke Way S
- ◆ Forterra NW-Get Outside and Help to Create Healthy Forests in Rotary Park, Everett on June 25th. Removing invasive plants such as English Ivy and Himalayan blackberry, and thus protecting the forest's native plant species. Rotary Park, 3505 Lowell Snohomish River Road
- ◆ Forterra NW-PS GMS Get Outside and Volunteer in Everett Parks, Thornton A Sullivan Park, Everett on June 16th. Join the Green Everett Partnership as we work together to restore the park. Removing invasive non-native plants such as English ivy and Himalayan blackberry. 11405 W Silver Lake Road
- ◆ Boeing Washington-PS GMS Challenge Air Fly Day, Paine Field, Mukilteo on July 23rd. We will need greeters, check-in help, support for staging families before the flights and much more. 10719 Bernie Webber Drive
- ◆ Friends of Flying Heritage-Skyfair at Flying Heritage Collection, Paine Field, Everett on July 29th and 30th. Coming July 30th-Flying Heritage Collection Skyfair Northwest premier air and ground show. Please note that per pro-6603 all volunteerism must be done on the employees own time! 3407 109 St SW
- ◆ Big Brothers Big Sisters of Snohomish County-Dream Builders Car Show, Monroe on July 31st. Volunteers are needed to direct traffic, answer questions, register cars, help at booths. 14405 179th Ave SE
- ◆ Forterra NW-Help Restore the Urban Forests of Everett! Forest Park, Everett on August 6th. Removing invasive species and spreading mulch to add nutrients back to the forest. 802 E Mukilteo Blvd
- ◆ Big Brothers Big Sisters of Snohomish County-Annual Summer Picnic, Thornton A Sullivan Park, Everett on August 20th. Assist Big Brothers Big Sisters staff with setting up for picnic at park, serving and distributing food, games, face painting, photos, cleanup—group of about 100 adults and children. 11405 Silver Lake Road
- ◆ Forterra NW-Get Outside and Volunteer in Everett Parks, Thornton A Sullivan Park, Everett on August 20th. Remove invasive non-native plants such as English ivy and Himalayan blackberry. 11405 Silver Lake Road
- ◆ Boeing Washington-Boeing Classic Volunteer at Snoqualmie on August 22nd through August 25th. Volunteers are needed for a variety of tasks during the week of the Boeing Classic. There are 19 volunteer committees to choose from and you must commit to at least two days for each committee for which you sign up. 36005 SE Ridge Street

Contact Debbie Metzger, [debra.l.metzger@boeing.com](mailto:debra.l.metzger@boeing.com), 425-965-9704 if interested in volunteering

## Annual Picnic

This is just a reminder that our annual picnic is scheduled for Thursday, July 28th at Kasch Park. Hamburgers and chicken will be provided. This is a fun activity, suitable for all members of the family, so mark your calendar! Suggested menu choices are given below, but you can bring what you want.

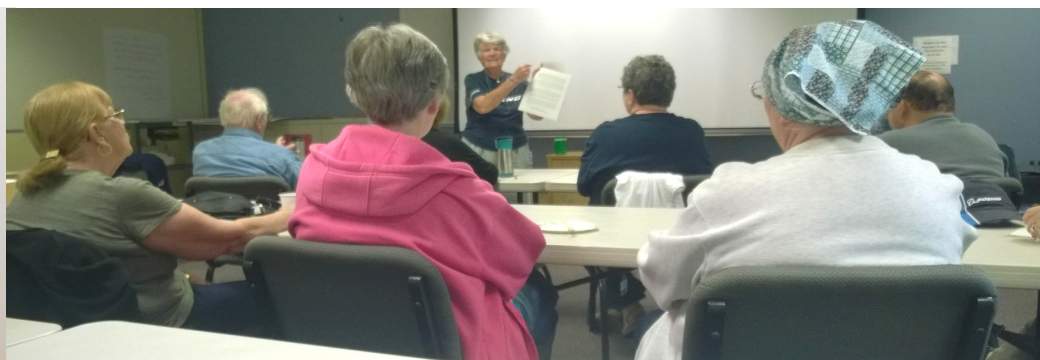
A—H	Desserts/Snacks
I—P	Casseroles/Sides
Q—Z	Salads

Since seating is limited, please bring lawn chairs if you have them.



## When A Loved One Dies: 29 Important Steps for Executor to Take-Adjusted for Retirees

1. **WITHIN 24 HOURS, NOTIFY SOCIAL SECURITY 1-800-772-1213.**
2. Notify immediate family and close friends.
3. Evaluate the emotional impact on the surviving spouse, children, close relatives and friends; arrange for support and care for any dependents.
4. Deal with donation of bodily organs to an organ bank according to decedent's wishes.
5. Arrange care for any pets.
6. Find perishable property (food, plants, etc.); arrange for care or disposal.
7. Arrange with post office to hold mail. Ditto for newspapers & home deliveries.
8. Evaluate need for security at decedent's residence.
9. Obtain certified death certificate and order more as needed.
10. Find and review decedent's express funeral and burial wishes (if any).
11. Prepare and arrange for publication of obituary if decedent wanted one.
12. Arrange for funeral/memorial/burial services according to decedent's wishes.
13. See if decedent is eligible for veterans' burial allowance.
14. Investigate to see if decedent is eligible for union burial benefits.
15. Keep records of all payments for funeral/memorial/other expenses.
16. Locate safety deposit box(es).
17. Locate wills, trusts, codicils, life insurance policies.
18. Locate other important documents, relationships, accounts, investment, etc.
19. Write to/speak with life insurance company(ies) about what to do with existing policy(ies). Any refunds possible?
20. Investigate Keogh and IRA accounts.
21. Investigate business, partnerships and investment arrangements.
22. Retain and meet with CPA or Enrolled Agent regarding tax and accounting matters.
23. Retain and meet with attorney regarding estate settlement.
24. Work with attorney (and tax person) to prepare inventory, list of accounts, and list of debts. Obtain valuation of assets as appropriate, as of date of death for use in future disposal.
25. Deal with fire, theft, liability, auto insurances on decedent's property(ies). Possible refunds?
26. Review credit and charge accounts and cancel as appropriate, making sure to keep one available for use until a new account can be opened for survivors.
27. Do not pay any of decedent's debts until attorney discusses them with family or executor of estate.
28. If trust is involved, executor will arrange for any allocations or transfers.
29. Arrange for final income tax return, inheritance and estate returns, if needed.



**DATES TO REMEMBER!!**

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**Annual Picnic—Kasch Park, July 28th, 2016**

**Sno-King Boeing Retiree Volunteers Council E-mail / Phone List**

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