

# THE FLYER



*THE FLYER IS A MONTHLY  
NEWS MAGAZINE OF  
THE OLYMPIC PENINSULA  
BLUEBILLS.  
THE BLUEBILLS ARE A  
BOEING-SUPPORTED  
RETIREE AND FRIENDS  
VOLUNTEER PROGRAM.  
MARCH 2015*

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CYNDYANN JOYNER*

## WE KEEP TRACK

of how well our programs are doing. I think most of us are of the opinion that if you don't (or can't) measure something it's hard to appreciate the value.

In general, all the programs were as good as or exceeded the 2013 data



### BUILDERS

Ramps built	60
Grab bars installed	195
Railing installed	49
Misc jobs	75
Number of volunteers	38

### WORLD VISION PROGRAM

#### Essential Supplies

Memberships at W/V	14
Organizations served	60
Pallets delivered	55

#### School Supplies

Schools served	13
Pallets delivered	6
Dollar value	\$14,500
Volunteers	35

### DOVE HOUSE SUPPORT

#### Goods delivered

Furniture	8 pc.
Toilet paper	250 rolls
Paper towels	81 rolls
Kleenex	40 boxes
Detergent	62 bottles
Sheets	26 sets
Blankets	19
Pillows	10
Bath towels	39 sets
Small appliance s	11
Dishes	12 sets
Misc clothing	560 pc.
Volunteers	28

## 2014 PERFORMANCE REPORT

## CO-CHAIRMAN'S REPORT MYRON VOGT



# 2014 PERFORMANCE

# REPORT

## **WEEK-END SCHOOL FEEDING PROGRAMS**

### **Jefferson Co.**

#### **Children served ea. week-end**

Quilcene/Brinnon	44
Chimacum	60
Port Townsend	42
Meals for the week-end cost	\$6.50/child
Volunteers	15

## **HOMELESS FAMILY SUPPORT**

### **Jefferson Co.**

#### **Goods delivered**

Pots and pans sets	6
Bath towels	25 sets
Kitchen towels sets	15
Bedding sets	10
Blankets	15
Toilet paper rolls	40
Misc Clothes (boxes)	15
Misc kitchen items	40
Volunteers	14

## **DOVE HOUSE GOLF TOURNAMENT**

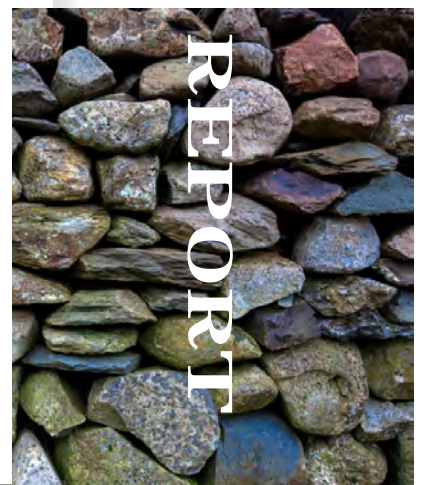
Money raised	\$15,500
Players	88
Major sponsors (\$500 or more)	7
Tee sign sponsors (\$100-200)	40
Volunteers	28

## **ELECTRICAL/ ELECTRONIC RECYCLING**

Port Ludlow	10,400 lbs
Sequim	18,200 lbs
Volunteers	18

## **TRI-AREA FOOD BANK**

Pounds of food unloaded	136,000
Volunteers	14



**CHIMACUM SCHOOL  
SUPPLIES**

Provided filled backpacks prior to school start	62
Volunteers	11
Community contributors	42

**MEMBERSHIP DATA 2014-2013**

Total members	187 -178
Reported hours	14,082-12,239
Members reporting	123-104
Percent reporting	66%- 58%

Thanks to all the volunteers who made  
the above programs possible.

Also thanks to those members who support  
Bluebills with administrative tasks:

***FLYER***

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and Design -  
Cyndyann Joyner

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**MEMBERSHIP**

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Signs, flyers,  
brochures, publicity  
-Valeria Vogt

**PHOTOGRAPHY**

Peggy Lee Flentie

Myron

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# CHRISTMAS GIVING - DOVE HOUSE

*The December FLYER included a thank-you from Clallam County Victims of Domestic Violence and Sexual assault.*

*I recently receive a number of thank-you cards from Jefferson County DVSA victims.*

*There isn't room to copy all verbatim but here are a few comments.*

*I'm not sure but I think that the above probably includes something from most of the families we helped.*

*Myron*

**"Thank you for doing so much for us in Dove House. Have a Merry Christmas and a wonderful New Year."**

**"I have never been asked to create a wish list before! What a nice blessing. Thank you so much. Mother and Baby"**

**"Thank you so much. Your help means the world to me and my little boy."**

**"Thank you very much for your compassion and generosity. You have made Christmas for me and my three children. I am very grateful and will hold your kindness in my heart."**

**"Thank you to all the people that provide gifts that made Christmas happen for our families. God Bless you all. You are wonderful."**

**"Thank you from the bottom of our hearts. I truly don't know what we would do without your help. You guys are forever in our prayers. God Bless all of you."**

**"I am most grateful for the kindness you have displayed for a stranger in need. In deep appreciation and from the bottom of my heart. Thank you."**



The Bluebills will sponsor a Fall Prevention  
Interactive Workshop on  
**April 16 at the Bay Club from 3 to 5 pm.**

This program is a very popular activity that  
has been conducted throughout the Olympic  
Peninsula and is vital to people staying in  
their homes safely for as long as possible.

Dick Ostlund heads this program and can  
be contacted for further information at  
**dickostlund@gmail.com or 437-7747.**

Barbara Berthiaume  
(360) 437-0423  
(360) 301-6207

**volunteer hours**

For January 50  
Bluebills report-  
ed 1005 hours. That  
means 25.5% of Blue-  
bill members did  
volunteer work in  
January.



## **BLUEBILL IDENTITY BADGES**

It seems like when we are dealing with the public, often no-one knows who we are or they cannot tell the Bluebills from other people we are with. For those who can use them, we now are able to provide a Bluebill badge that includes their picture.

Places where it would be an advantage to wear a badge could be: When we are entering a house to do a survey. You should also have a Bluebill business card, which we can provide.

When we are staffing events where we interact with the public, such as:

Drives for homeless and Dove House

Electronic goods recycling

Our tent at Port Ludlow Days

The pavilion at the Jefferson Co Fair (and Clallam Fair?)

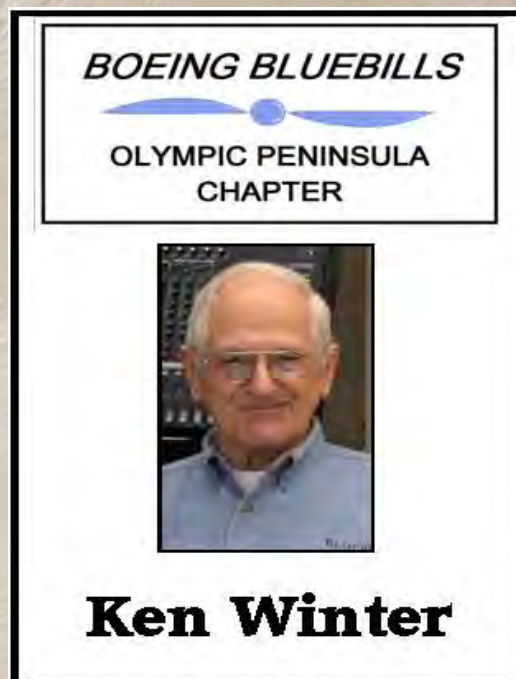
Our volunteers who work the Dove House Golf Tournament

When we make presentations to groups like hospitals and clubs.

If you are involved in an activity like the above, or just want an ID badge, Valeria Vogt will make one for you. We need a picture so send us one or let us use one that we have on file. Also, we can provide a clip-on or a lanyard so let us know that as well.

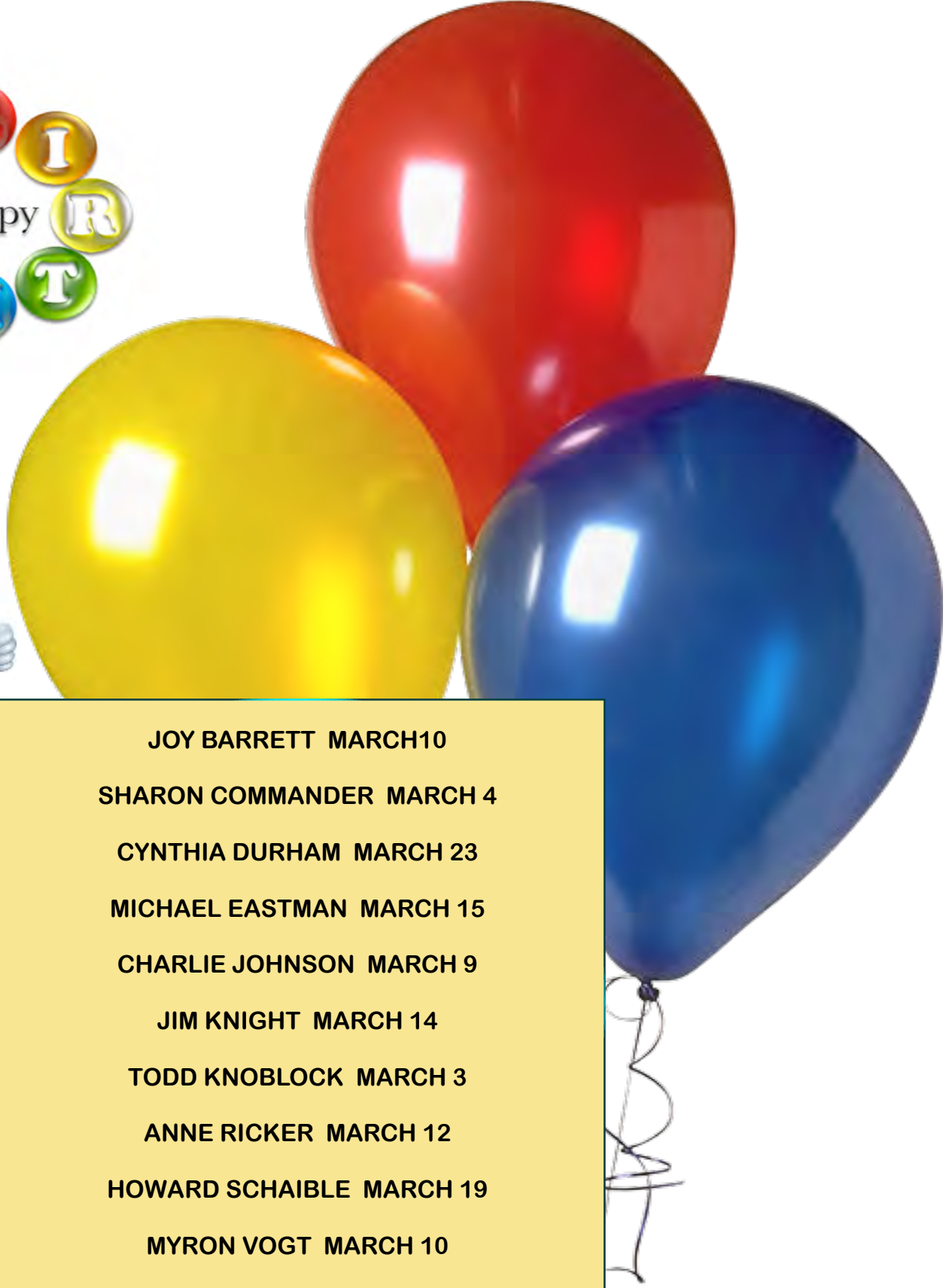
Please make your request to Valeria Vogt [valeria@valvogt.com](mailto:valeria@valvogt.com).

Send a picture and specify lanyard or clip-on.



This is what the badge looks like. It is larger than the actual badge. You can wear by clipping it on or we can provide a lanyard.

Myron



**JOY BARRETT MARCH 10**  
**SHARON COMMANDER MARCH 4**  
**CYNTHIA DURHAM MARCH 23**  
**MICHAEL EASTMAN MARCH 15**  
**CHARLIE JOHNSON MARCH 9**  
**JIM KNIGHT MARCH 14**  
**TODD KNOBLOCK MARCH 3**  
**ANNE RICKER MARCH 12**  
**HOWARD SCHAIBLE MARCH 19**  
**MYRON VOGT MARCH 10**







**THE BLUEBILL BUILDERS 2009**  
**PHOTOGRAPHER - PEGGY LEE FLENTIE**

# **BUILDERS GALLERY**





**CLALLAM COUNTY BUILDERS**

**GENE HELMSWORTH**

**JOHN MEYER**

**DALE BLANKENSHIP**

**DOUG RITTENHOUSE**

**AND KEN ORTH**

**WERE NOT LETTING A LITTLE RAIN STOP THEM  
FROM COMPLETING A RAMP FOR A CLIENT IN SEQUIM**



**BUILDERS GALLERY**

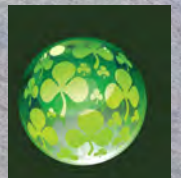


**THIS IS THE RAMP THE CLALLAM COUNTY BUILDERS  
COMPLETED IN SEQUIM.**

**PICCTURED ARE:  
GENE HELMSWORTH  
DALE BLANKENSHIP  
KEN ORTH  
AND  
CHARLIE JOHNSON**

**PHOTO TAKEN BY ROD HARP**

**GRATEFUL  
I AM ESPECIALLY GRATEFUL  
FOR THESE VOLUNTEERS  
HERE IN CLALLAM COUNTY.  
THANK YOU FELLOWS.  
ROD**



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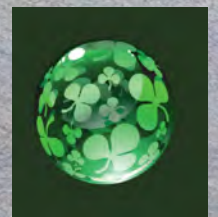
**HERE IS A RAMP WE COMPLETED FOR A WOMAN  
IN PORT HADLOCK.  
SHE WAS IN ASSISTED LIVING OR  
SOMETHING LIKE THAT  
AND SHE REALLY REALLY WANTED TO COME HOME.  
THE RAMP MADE THAT POSSIBLE.  
HER DAUGHTER WILL BE MOVING IN  
WITH HER TO HELP OUT.  
THE CREW WAS:  
MICHAEL GRAHAM  
JACK HAWKER  
ED HUGHES  
AND MYRON VOGT.**



**BUILDERS GALLERY**



**FRANK VAHCIC AND MICHAEL GRAHAM POSE ON A RAMP WE BUILT FOR A  
WOMAN IN PORT TOWNSEND.  
WE ALSO PUT IN TWO GRAB BARS AND INSTALLED A  
SHOWER HOSE.  
MYROON VOGT TOOK THE PICTURE**



**BUILDERS GALLERY**

# MARCH CALENDAR

**TUESDAY, MARCH 3**  
**DELIVER WORLD VISION GOODS TO**  
**CLALLAM COUNTY**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 5**  
**LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING**  
**BEACH CLUB 3P-4P**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 10**  
**UNLOAD FOOD BANK TRUCK**  
**TRI-AREA, 8A-9A**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 10**  
**PICK UP GOODS AT WORLD VISION**  
**FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY**  
**FIFE, 9A**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 10**  
**CENTRAL LEADERSHIP TEAM**  
**MEETING, SEATTLE 10A-11A**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 12**  
**POPCORN LOVERS DAY**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 12**  
**PLANT A FLOWER DAY**

**FRIDAY MARCH 13**  
**DOVE HOUSE GOLF**  
**TOURNAMENT MEETING**  
**BAY CLUB 3P-4P**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 17**  
**ST. PATRICK'S DAY**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 25**  
**THE IDES OF MARCH**

**welcome new members**

**SHERRY SWIER JOHNSON**

**Sherry123@outlook.com**

**Interests:**

**Unload Food Bank Truck,  
WorldVision and  
Backpacks for Kids  
in Jefferson and  
Clallam County.**

**STEVEN L. HARGIS**

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**Interest: Bluebill Builders**



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MEMBERSHIP CHAIR**

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Kitsap Co

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Clallam Co.

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Golf Tournaments

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TAKE OFF UNTIL NEXT MONTH,

HAVE A GOOD ONE

FROM

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