



Everett Sausage Fest—something for everyone

The annual Everett Sausage Festival is a family-oriented weekend fair centered around a Bavarian theme. From traditional Bavarian Dinner to a variety of food booths.

There are children's games, pony rides, and carnival. Plus the Family Entertainment Stage and Bavarian Beer Garden and Stage.

Inside the school building, there is a craft fair, home made pies, and bingo. Outside you can also shop for a variety of interesting items. There is something for everyone.

Everett Sausage Fest was founded to support Catholic Education at [Immaculate Conception/Our Lady of Perpetual Help School](#) celebrated it's 34th year in October.

For more information visit www.everettsausagefest.com.



DEA 2011 officers, directors, and meeting dates

The Annual Meeting of Members and the 4th 2010 DEA quarterly board meeting were held at 1:00 PM on Thursday, December 9 in the Edward D Hansen Conference Center, 2000 Hewitt Ave.

Timothy Corpus, Steve Hager, and Craig Skotdal were elected to serve open three-year terms. The following members are officers and directors for 2011. The number of years remaining for a director to serve is shown in parentheses after his or her name and place of business.

Craig Skotdal, President
Comcast Arena at Everett
(three year)

Timothy Corpus, Vice Pres
Studio Donna (three years)

Lanie McMullin, Secretary
City of Everett (ex officio)

Rick Megenity, Treasurer
Rainier Property Mgmt
(two years)

Kim Bedier, Director
Comcast Arena at Everett
(one year)

JoAnn Burkett, Director
Burkett's (two years)

C. J. Ebert, Vice President
Port Gardner Partners
(one year)

Steve Hager, Director
2702 Colby LLC
(three years)

Jim Staniford, Director
Vintage Cafe
(two years)

The DEA board is always interested in providing the opportunity for members to serve on the board.

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The following meetings will be held on Thursdays at 1:00 PM at the same location.

Quarterly Board Meetings

March 17

June 16

September 16

Annual Meeting of Members
(election of directors)

Quarterly Board Meeting
(election of officers)

December 8

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Wintertide—olde fashioned family celebration

The City of Everett's second olde fashioned holiday celebration was held in mid-December inside The Everett Performing Arts Center on Wetmore. Families enjoyed carolers, cocoa and cookies from Pave Specialty Bakery, and goodies from Santa Claus. Also, folks could make craft projects, enjoy a miniature train setup, family films, and more goodies. Everyone had a great time. Once again, Mayor Ray Stephanson opened the festivities, pictured at right with his wife Vicki.





Fall trees and flowers

Everett's fall shimmers with bright reds, golds, oranges, and purples.



Development – on the move in downtown Everett

The new Potala Village shown lower left at Rucker and Pacific has 108 beautiful apartments for rent. The 22 new Library Place townhomes pictured lower right are now for lease, between Rucker and Hoyt on California. Shown at upper left is a view of the ArtSpace roof garden—mixed use building to include upper levels of living/work space for 40 artists. The building's lower level will house the Arts Council of Snohomish County, which in future will be called the Schack Art Center in honor of philanthropist Idamae Schack and her late husband, John, for their dedication to the arts and cultural life in Everett. Shown upper right is the progress being made on the new hospital tower for Providence Regional Medical Center Everett at Colby and 13th.



Holiday on the Bay—wet fun

The annual Holiday on the Bay at the Everett Marina was a bit wet this year. But, everyone had a great time singing and celebrating the holidays.



Lighted Boat Parade—boats line up

While the Holiday on the Bay festivities take place, the Everett Yacht Club members begin lining up at the Everett Marina for the annual Parade of Lights flotilla. The boats are all decked out in decorations with elaborate lighting...everything from candy canes to holiday trains. After lining up, they sail/motor up and down the channel between Jetty





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Downtown Everett
Live - Work - Play



The Downtown Everett Association (DEA) is committed to advancing and growing Downtown Everett as a vibrant economic, cultural, and governmental center through leadership, advocacy, and the ongoing administration of a business improvement area (BIA). The organization's membership is comprised of property owners who support the revitalization of Everett's historic central core through annual fee assessments. Visit the DEA website for more information.



Sue Strickland
Downtown Services Manager

Jazz in Everett—music abounds

Bob Strickland, pictured left playing the flugelhorn, hosts a regular straight-ahead jazz jam every other Sunday, 5-8 PM, at Prohibition Grille on Hewitt. Chuck Nelson, his wife Mit, and a Trinity College student from Norway enjoy the music. For more visit www.prohibitiongrille.com.



Visit downtown city-scapes and sculptures, see more on-line at www.ci.everett.wa.us.

Take a walking tour of the lovely art sculptures on Colby from Wall to 26th Street and on Wall, Hewitt and California from Wetmore to Hoyt, and the Everett Events Center at Hewitt and Broadway. Watch birds bathe atop the fountain at the corner of Hewitt and Colby. For more beauty, visit the Everett Public Library at the corner of Hoyt and Everett, and the Everett Transit Station at Pacific and Smith.



There are over 200 *FREE parking* spaces after 6:00 PM and on weekends at the well-lit, easily accessed Everpark Garage at 2815 Hoyt Avenue. *Drive in and park.*



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Graffiti control graffiti hotline 425-257-8748

Weed control and graffiti removal are part of the BIA maintenance service for DEA members. Therefore, if you need help inside the BIA boundaries, please contact Sue Strickland, 425-258-0700, or Rich Webber, 425-238-7071.

Before removal, call the police, give location, ask that they take a picture, notify Sgt. Jim Phillips — jphillips@ci.everett.wa.us, then remove the graffiti.



FREE No Trespassing signs for DEA members



The DEA Board of Directors elected to provide FREE No Trespassing signs to DEA members. The DEA logo appears on the black and white signs. They are available in two sizes, 24"x18" or 18"x12". Contact Sue Strickland at 425-258-0700 to order your signs and make arrangements to pick them up.

Note: Go to the DEA website to view all of the newsletters.