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Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you have expressed an interest in Camp Fire Snohomish County. Don't forget to add mdeal@campfiresnoco.org to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

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PILCHUCK PEEKS

May, 2019

Light the fire within

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Grand Council Fire

Save the Date 2019!

Areas 1, 2, 3, 8, 9

Sunday June 9th - 3:00 pm - Camp Killoqua

Areas 4, 5, 6, 7

Sunday June 2nd - 3:00 pm - Cedar Cross United Methodist (132nd Street Southeast, Mill Creek, WA)

As busy as the late school year is, PLEASE share this date with your clubs ASAP. The rest of the details will be coming soon!



Area Leaders Meeting

Leaders' Meetings are a helpful resource for you; not only as a way to get Camp Fire information from us, but to network with each other. New leaders can benefit from the experience of our long time leaders. We would love to have as many leaders attend as possible. Everyone has something to contribute

and gain from the meetings. If you are not able to make the meetings, please let us know if there is a better time and we can try to accommodate.

See you at Next Month's Leaders' Meetings (Finalize Grand Council Fire plans and Celebrate Summer)

* Monday: Camp Fire Office, May 6th, 6:30pm

* Tuesday: Newsroom, Mill Creek, May 7th, 6:30pm

* Wednesday: Camp Fire Office, May 8th, 6:30pm

RSVP or questions:

Lisa Patterson (Chapman): lpatterson@campfiresnoco.org

LisaAnn Coughlan: lcoughlan@campfiresnoo.org

Giveaway Auction Extravaganza!

"Game Show"
Friday, May 10th, 5:30pm
Everett Community College Fitness Center

We are getting excited for this year's Giveaway Auction Extravaganza! Everyone that purchases a ticket for only \$250 will go home with a prize worth \$300 or more. Two people can attend on one ticket, and you go home with one prize. There will also be many surprises throughout the night, lots of fun, and some live items too.

We are currently soliciting auction items and selling tickets for the event. If you have something to donate, please contact Michael at 425-258-5437 or mdeal@campfiresnoco.org. Visit our website to purchase a ticket. Thank you!



Summer Camp Registration

Registration for Camp Killoqua summer day and resident camp is open now!

Spots are filling fast, make sure you reserve yours soon. Click here to register!



Training News

New Leader Orientation

Take this training when it meets your schedule! This <u>ON-LINE</u> training has been developed to teach the basics of setting up a club, registration information, resource materials and basic program information. Before the training is over, you should be able to create a plan for starting a new Camp Fire club. Contact Lisa or Donna to receive the New Leader Training Packet Click <u>here</u> to take the orientation.

Program Training

Wohelo Award Training

Date: May 6, 2019 **Time:** 6:30-8pm

Location: Camp Fire Training and Resource Center

Register: by April 30th at 425-258-5437 or

dfischer@campfiresnoco.orq

Join us. Come and check out the program which has been updated to enable you to complete work while being involved in high school classes and extracurricular activities.



Learn the steps to complete the Wohelo Award, Camp Fire's highest youth award. This session is designed for youth, parents, advisors and any adult who may be consulting or mentoring as the teen works toward the award. Training packets will be available including the Project Guidelines and Requirements.

Discover Discovery

Date: May 11, 2019

Time: 9am-1pm Saturday Only

Location: Camp Fire Office, 4312 Rucker Ave Everett,

WA 98203

Cost: \$5.00 per person - includes lunch.

Pre-Register by May 1.

Check out what's in store for you in Discovery next year. Meet new friends; hear about your choices and roles in the Discovery program.



You will also learn about Torches,
Ceremonial Costumes (trace your own
pattern) and the great service learning program, Teens in
Action.

Register by contacting the office. Contact Donna at <u>dfischer@campfiresnoco.org</u> or 425-258-5437. Visa/MasterCard is accepted. Questions, contact Donna.

It's All About Our Kids! Capital Campaign

Construction is progressing at Camp Killoqua. Look at this amazing change from the old open garage area to the upgraded area with four bay doors! Now our equipment and vehicles will be protected and safe. Other construction is also making progress.

Thank you to all of you who have donated making all these great improvements possible. We have a little over \$157,000 to go to reach our \$2,179,000 goal. Raising the final funds will make sure we complete all the projects and purchase all the elements for the kids. So, YOU STILL HAVE TIME to put your caring into action for our Snohomish County youth. All donations are important.

Did you go to Camp Killoqua? Call us to find out if one of your favorite places is available for a naming opportunity. Naming opportunities are based on amount of donation. This is a great way to be remembered while showing your support for our youth. Also, what a wonderfully thoughtful gift for those you love.

To learn more about It's All About Our Kids! contact Dave Surface, Capital Campaign Executive at dsurface@campfiresnoco.org or by calling 425-258-KIDS (5437).

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, June 20, 2019 - 1-3 PM Join us for our Capital Campaign Celebration at Camp Killoqua. Tours of camp will be available.



Garage Remodel - Before & After Pictures





Send Us Your Community Service Hours!

Clubs have been busy this year doing service in the community. Tell us what you have done. Count the hours for all the adults in your club. This includes planning and preparing for your club meeting, traveling to and from meetings and helping with your club. In addition, tally all the hours of service that your youth have done. Send us your report by email, text or in person! Complete the following linked form and email it to abayley@campfiresnoco.org.

Summer Fun

Summer Fun 2019 is Just Around the Corner!

It's time to look at the activities that your youth want to do as a club or individually. The Summer Fun project gives you over 30 activities that will give you a summer of camping, service, picnics with your Camp Fire friends and much more. Project guidelines may be found in the Snohomish County Program Leader's Manual in Section 4A - 49.



To earn the emblem, each level must complete the following number of activities:

Little Stars: 3, Starflight: 5, Adventure: 7, Discovery & Horizon: 7

- 1. Choose a new activity, sport or skill to learn or improve on. Share with your club what you have achieved.
- 2. Attend one session at Camp Killogua. Entering 1st grade and up.
- 3. Attend one session at Day Camp.
- 4. Bring a new friend with you to camp.
- 5. Help plan and shop for a party or special celebration.
- 6. Take part in a cookout with your club.
- 7. With your club or family, visit a place of special interest such as a zoo, museum, lighthouse, state or county park. Share your experience with other club members.
- 8. Make a scrapbook, treasure box, bulletin board or wall hanging so you will have a special place for your Camp Fire treasures.
- 9. Learn at least two new games and play them with you club or family.
- 10. Make something useful with discarded materials. Share it.
- 11. In agreement with your parents, assume responsibility for some chore in your home or yard for one month.
- 12. Enter something in the Evergreen State Fair open division.
- 13. Write a letter to one of your grandparents or an older family friend.
- 14. Invite and encourage a friend to join your club as a new member in the fall.
- 15. Pick up litter in your neighborhood at least five times.
- 16. Meet at least once with your club for a family outing, picnic, or event.
- 17. Start a National or Council Project that will be completed in the Fall.
- 18. Write a summer newsletter for your club and their parents. Have each member submit news on "What I have Been Doing..."
- 19. Explore the Puget Sound area as a club with day hikes. Each hike will count as one activity.
- 20. Plan a party for prospective Camp Fire members and give it in August or early September.
- 21. As a club start on your new program level.
- 22. Have parents share their hobbies with your club.
- 23. Volunteer to help at a nursing home, hospital, or for an older neighbor.
- 24. List your summer goals, seal in an envelope and put away until the end of the summer. Open and note how many you have reached.
- 25. Help with counting, bundling and stapling flyers in August for your local area.

- 26. As a club, attend the Summer Story program at your local library.
- 27. Join and complete the "Summer Reading club" at your local library.
- 28. Volunteer to read to younger children at the local library or community center.
- 29. Plan and host a club activity at your house.
- 30. As a club or area participate in a summer parade or festival.
- 31. Learn to do something new and share with your fellow club members.
- 32. Set meeting times for early fall to help Camp Fire recruit new members.
- 33. Plant a garden with items you can eat. Take care of it over the summer by watering, weeding and picking items.
- 34. Create a food item with the vegetables you grew in your garden. Share it with your family or neighbors.

Skate Pennants



I want to roll out a big THANK YOU to all the youth members who colored the skate pennants and to the leaders for bringing them back, so we could decorate the office and share them with store visitors. These pennants are a quick survey of how our youth members like to roll with Camp Fire.

The pennants are grouped according to what they wrote down on the pictures. This is how they ranked what activities they like to do in club:

- 1. Arts & Crafts
- 2. Friends, Activities and games
- 3. Science
- 4. Camping
- 5. Learning new things
- 6. Candy Sales, Earning emblems

These skate pennants were part of our Camp Fire birthday skate party. To honor the many years of Camp Fire birthdays, each child who turned in a pennant received a vintage birthday emblem.

May 2019 Calendar

May 6:

Leaders' Meeting, CFT&RC, 6:30pm WoHeLo Award Training, CFT&RC, 6:30-8pm May 7:

Leaders' Meeting, Newsroom in Mill Creek, 6:30pm

Leaders' Meeting, CFT&RC, 6:30pm

Giveaway Auction Extravaganza, Everett Comm. College, 5:30pm

May 11:

Discover Discovery, CFT&RC, 9am-1pm

May 23:

Finance Committee Meeting, CFT&RC, 4pm Board Meeting, CFT&RC, 4:30pm

May 27:

Memorial Day, CFT&RC Closed

CFT&RC: Camp Fire Training & Resource Center, 4312 Rucker Ave., Everett, WA 98203, 425-258-5437, campfiresnoco.org

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