



KING CITY CIVIC ASSOCIATION
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NEWSLETTER

Also available on KCCA's office website: www.mykcca.com

King City Police Department

Submitted By Sergeant Brian Sigler
bsigler@ci.king-city.or.us

Over the past several months I have been contacted by numerous citizens in King City, most belonging to the King City Civic Association in some way or another. Those contacts include questions about what is legal regarding intimidating people, what type of crimes are potentially being committed, how to get rid of the rising tension circulating. The tension is real. It's time to resolve and carry on.

First off, I'm certain everyone agrees that we need to have a community where people can get involved, share ideas, and have an opinion without fear of retaliation or punishment for having done so. We have a community full of wonderful people, all who have ideas that are shared or maybe not shared at all. The fact remains we must give the same respect that we expect to have in return, even if we don't love what we're hearing. Listen to others. Expect the same from them.

The King City Police Department has been made aware of potential cars being keyed, harassing phone calls, alarming mail being sent, and other gestures being made that can potentially cause fear. Assuming it to be true, we have to stop this type



of behavior immediately. Keying another person's vehicle is a crime called Criminal Mischief. Making unwanted or forbidden phone calls to others with no communicative purpose is a crime called Telephonic Harassment.

These are situations we never want to be forced to deal with. However, we will investigate each claim thoroughly. Please, let us not get to this point.

It is our genuine hope that everyone can hit the reset button, take a deep breath, and start over. At the end of the day, this is our community and we have to make it the best we can. We don't always have to agree, we don't always have to like something, and we don't always have like someone to give respect. Of course, big decisions have to be made all the time. Monetary decisions have to be made all the time. Way of life decisions have to be made all the time. But those decisions can be made while listening to everyone, considering everyone, and including everyone. Let's find a way to move on, get along, and enjoy life in King City. This is our home.

Going forward, I would love to address individual needs or issues. Please, feel free to email me with any comments, concerns, or issues that I may help you resolve within our amazing community. Thank you for your time in reading this.

Assessment Invoice Postcards

You should have received your assessment invoice postcard in the U.S. Mail by now. If not, please contact the office as soon as possible.



Payments are due before February 1st to avoid late fees. No cash

payments will be accepted.

December Office Hours Changes

To focus on our remodel of office systems, improving our services to the community:

December 1 through December 19: The Clubhouse window will close between 11:00 am and 3:30 pm daily.

December 20 through December 31 (closed December 25, 26 & January 1) The Clubhouse window will close at 11:00 am daily.

For urgent matters, call or email the office to request a time to come in (leave a message if no one answers, please). We will still be responding to title company requests for information and available for groups who have spaces rented between 9:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. during December.

ABOUT THE KCCA NEWSLETTER

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The KCCA Board of Directors and each of the KCCA committees meet monthly in one of the KCCA facilities.

Board Meeting	1st Tues	10:00 a.m.
Board Meeting	2nd Tues.....	6:30 p.m.
PCC - Board Meeting.....	Every Fri	8:00 a.m.
Finance Meeting	Last Wed	7:30 a.m.
Greens Committee.....	1st Thur	1:00 p.m.
Landscape Committee	1st Mon	10:00 a.m.
House Committee	As needed	

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Regular Hours: Monday-Friday: 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Closed for lunch from 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

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16880 SW 126th Ave.

KCCA's Website: www.mykcca.com

Just a Reminder

from KCCA
Board Members

Coffee with a KCCA Board Director

On the first Thursday of every month at 9:00 a.m., a KCCA Board Director will attend the Coffee Time in the Clubhouse Lounge. All residents are encouraged to join the coffee hour and ask questions or discuss an issues they may have.



2018 KCCA Facility Reservations

***"The Only Thing That is
Constant is Change"***

~ Heraclitus.

In 2018 the way KCCA common spaces are reserved will change. We will no longer carry bookings over from year-to-year, because things change and staff sometimes do as well. What has "always" happened in the past may not be known (or work in the present). Our 2018 rules and forms will change to add more detail, and we will no longer allow KCCA furniture to be removed from the building for any event. A Board member will be reaching-out to KCCA clubs and committees this month to kick off the new booking process.

Indoor Pool Updates

Submitted by Sandi Fuhrman

Have you ever looked back at a project, task or event towards its completion that, for various reasons, encountered road bumps and potholes along the road to progress and wonder what happened? What succeeded and what could have been done better? Do you think, in your opinion, the information you've been given may not be enough? Do you wonder if erroneous information has been provided along this lengthy, circuitous path? Do you feel you've been misled?



We can't change how you may feel about this project. We can't change the past and we can't change rumors and misinformation you may have heard and read from neighbors, friends or others. We can't change what you choose to write, share or what you believe from Nextdoor.com. Reading it on Nextdoor.com doesn't make it so, and hearing it from your neighbor, friend or others' friends doesn't always ring true.

We CAN encourage you to do your own fact checking, seek your own truth. We CAN and do encourage you to attend Board meetings and Pool Construction Committee meetings where we CAN provide you the most current and accurate information and you can view the process first hand. We CAN directly address any questions or concerns you may have, so you may draw your own conclusions. We CAN

and will openly listen to your suggestions. Please come to the Pool Construction Committee meetings, which are open to all, to see for yourself the process, get the facts and ask questions.

We CAN do our best to project the future of this project as accurately as possible, with the known information and foresight that we have before us.

We CAN tell you the roofing, siding, windows and exterior paint have been completed.

Plumbing, HVAC, and electrical inspections are expected this week.

Current estimated projected cost is \$1,596,112, which includes additional change orders of \$49,448 approved by the KCCA Board of Directors in October.

The overall building project is approximately 60% complete as of this writing.

We CAN say, with a great deal of certainty, this project will continue and will be completed. We believe the Board has a clear, unobstructed view of the prior issues and future challenges and are well aware of their responsibility to the community with this project. They are committed to see it to fruition with a state-of-the-art facility we all can be proud of, that enhances our lives and increases our property values.

As the Holiday season approaches, may your home be filled with lots of love, laughter and yummy smells! Happy Holidays to everyone.



2018!

3rd Annual New Year's Eve Party

Sunday Eve, Dec. 31,
6:00 - 9:30p.m. at the
KCCA Clubhouse

Join us for this Fun
Event and "Create
your NYE with others"

Featuring:

- **Cirque Soleil** (LoungeTV)
- **60's, 70's & 80's
Dancing** (DiningRM)
- **NYE Ball Drop 9:00 p.m.**
(LoungeTV)

*Self Service style
setup includes:*

- **Coffee/Punch/Ice/
basics provided**
- **Bring snacks or a
favorite to share.**
- **BYOB**

Look for the "Tip Can" - Thanks

Question?
Ginny 503-914-5568

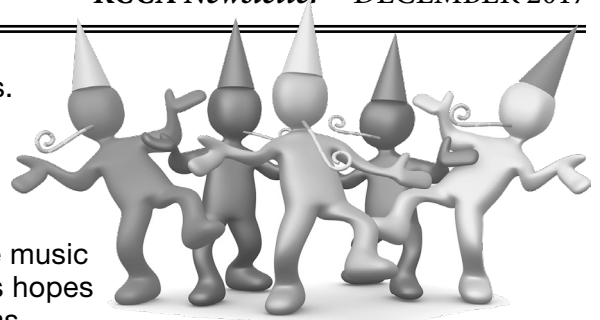


Submitted by Nancy Hayes

Hello Neighbors will be hosting their festive Holiday themed BYOB from 5-7:00 p.m. in KCCA's Clubhouse on Thursday, December 14. The Committee is looking forward to offering the community special seasonal piano music. If you attended the October BYOB you enjoyed the delightful music played by Mickey Severs and he will be there to delight us again. The evening will begin with a social hour and music in the Lounge at 5:00 p.m.

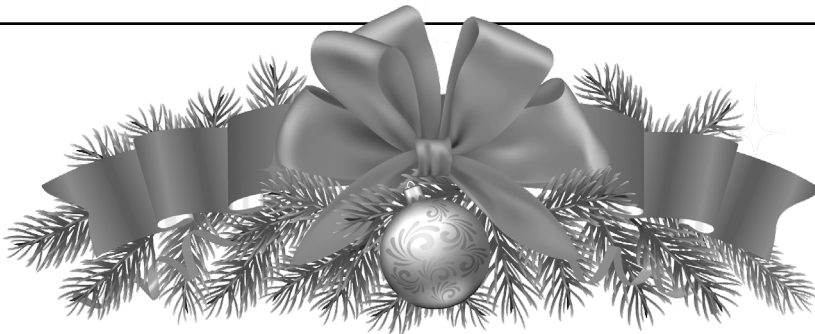
with eggnog and appetizers. At 5:30, a light fare of ham, rolls, salads and festive holiday desserts will be put out in the KCCA Banquet Room for all to enjoy as the music continues. Hello Neighbors hopes the community will join us as we start the holiday season with singing, enjoying our friends and neighbors in a festive atmosphere.

Hello Neighbors Committee member, Judy Holmes will host a Holiday Centerpiece Workshop on Wednesday, December 6 from 4:00-8:00 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Clubhouse. Judy will provide greenery and other materials to create a holiday centerpiece. You may bring decorations of your own to add. There will be a nominal fee to offset the cost of some of the materials. To sign up, call Judy Holmes at 503-312-1510.



Many of you are accustomed to Hello Neighbors Social Committee opening the doors of KCCA's Clubhouse on the second Thursday of each month for a BYOB. As of the end of 2017, we will no longer host the BYOBs. There is nothing stopping you, the residents, from bringing your own beverages and snacks and encouraging your neighbors to come down to the Clubhouse Lounge and enjoy some social time. This is your Clubhouse, your amenity and here for you to enjoy. Don't worry, Hello Neighbors is not throwing in the towel. We have plans for some special events in 2018, one of which is the well-known Pies of March to be held on March 18, 2018.

The Hello Neighbors Social Committee meetings will now be held once a month on the first Friday at 9:30 a.m. in the Clubhouse Multi-Purpose Room. If you are looking to join a committee, we encourage you to join us. You can call Nancy Hayes at 503-747-5327 or Peggy Trees at 503-620-0703 for more information.



Holiday Centerpiece Workshop

WHERE: KCCA Clubhouse Multi-Purpose Room

WHEN: Wednesday, December 6, 2017 • 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Join Judy Holmes as she demonstrates creating a seasonal centerpiece from local greenery and other materials. You can also bring your own decorations to add. You will leave with a beautiful centerpiece for your home, a friend or a neighbor.

There will be a nominal fee for Judy's materials to offset the costs.

Sign up by calling **Judy Holmes, (503) 312-1510** from Hello Neighbors Social Committee. **Call soon – supplies are limited.**

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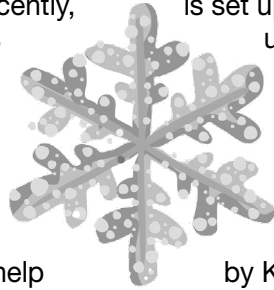
(cell) **503-781-8755**

Administrator's Column

Submitted by Ronnda Zezula

First, I want to say that I am so grateful to be here. I have enjoyed meeting everyone whom I have been fortunate enough to meet so far. Thank you all for the warm welcomes and offers of assistance!

I have been reminded of air travel more than once recently, when the flight crew tells us to secure our own oxygen masks before helping others with theirs. This could not be more applicable. I will definitely take many who have offered help up on their offers one day, but for now please don't think my lack of doing so is ingratitude. I am simply putting on my own oxygen mask (and breathing a bit), learning what I don't know so I can seek assistance if needed.



For a moment I want to talk about Nextdoor.com, and KCCA's relationship with that site. There is none. For those of you who don't know what Nextdoor.com is, it's a social networking site for neighbors. One can join Nextdoor.com for their own community, which is set up in boundaries, but as I understand it, one cannot join a Nextdoor.com community they do not live in.

Many people think that Nextdoor.com is administered or monitored by KCCA. I would like to make it clear that, while Nextdoor.com can be a valuable tool for neighbors to connect with each other, it is not a KCCA website.

We administer www.mykcca.com only. Please understand

that whatever might be posted on Nextdoor.com is posted by members of the community and has not been reviewed or authorized by anyone in the KCCA office. Therefore, we do not monitor that website and we are unable to answer questions that relate to anything that has been posted on Nextdoor.com.

Related to our community, I feel it is important to point out that we are a community. Some of the newcomers are struggling to feel that for many reasons, and it frankly makes me a bit sad. While we work out the kinks caused by the long-term absence of an administrator, please keep in mind that everyone involved in running KCCA is doing the best they can with what they have to work with; and, please, give the people in our community the benefit of the doubt when judging their intentions.

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KC Travel Club Annual Meeting



The King City Travel club will hold its annual meeting on January 13, 2018 at 10 a.m. in the Club House Banquet Room. At this meeting we will announce the trips that will be on the list for travel. The meeting is open all residents of the community. You do not have to live in KCCA in order to travel with the KC Travel Club. Refreshments will be served.

Bunco Group

The Bunco Babes Group is looking for permanent and substitute players for games every fourth Wednesday of the month. It's \$2.00 to play and games begin at 1:30 p.m. in the KCCA Clubhouse Banquet Room until the Crown Center remodel is finished and reopens.

Contact Judy Marino at 503-720-4345 if you're interested.



Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild News

Submitted by Carol Springer

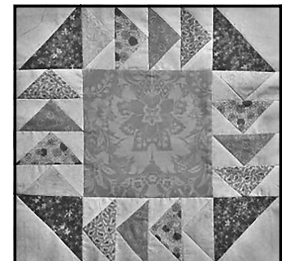


Just a quick reminder, there will not be a Quilt Guild meeting in December. Our next guild

meeting is scheduled for January 16, 2018. In the upcoming year, we'll be treated to a great array of speakers, presentations, sew days and other quilting-related activities.

The Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild (TVQG)

invites both experienced and novice quilters to attend their guild meetings or to join



November Block of the Month

their guild. Established as a guild in 2006, TVQG moved from Sherwood to King City in July of 2017 where guests and members are enjoying the spacious meeting space at the KCCA Clubhouse.

TVQG is a recognized as a Non-Profit 501(c)(3) charity. Our members make quilts and assist multiple local charities. We have an active Quilt of Valor sewing group and sponsors two yearly retreats. Monthly meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month (except May and December) at the KCCA Clubhouse. For more information about the guild or its activities, email TVQG.News@gmail.com or visit their website at tvqq.wordpress.com. We would love to see you at our next meeting.

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KCCA Stocking Stuffers!

The King City Civic Association Indoor Pool Fundraising Committee is still selling the chic dark green coffee mugs with “King City Oregon” embossed on them as part of their fundraising activities for indoor pool amenities. Mugs are \$8.00 each and are available at the KCCA Office or the KCCA Pro Shop. Stop by and pick up a few stocking stuffers for the coffee or tea hounds in your family or on your block!



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NOW PLAYING!

December Matinee

Submitted by: Ginny Jones

Ole' time movie favorites to enjoy, during the Christmas holidays. Free popcorn at all movies, compliments of “Les Schwab Tires”, just bring your drink and join the “Movie Time” gang. “Movie Time” is offered the first and third Friday of the month. Questions? 503-914-5568





December 1 - Friday
2:00 p.m. - Fee \$1.00

“While You Were Sleeping”
PG | 1h 43min | 1995
Romantic Christmas Comedy

Lucy is a lonely Chicago subway employee whose life consists of living with her cat, avoiding her landlord’s boorish son, and nursing a hopeless crush on a handsome commuter who passes her booth every day. Whilst working the Christmas shift, she witnesses him being mugged and pushed off the platform, and manages to save his life - and is mistaken for his fiancé at the hospital. She is duly embraced by the man’s warm and welcoming family - except for his suspicious brother Jack, who is not convinced that she’s the genuine article.



December 15 - Friday
2:00 p.m. - Fee \$1.00

“National Lampoon’s Christmas Vacation”
PG13 | 1h 37min | 1989
Holiday Comedy
Chevy Chase and Beverly D’Angelo

Innocent, pure, fantastic, beautiful, awesome movie about the values of Christmas, annoying family members, amazingly silly accidents and all other things that revolve around the best time of the year. I’ve watched it every year, so join us for some Christmas laughs.

KCCA Activities Calendar

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

November 2017

January 2018

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9:30am CH Bread Delivery
 11:00am CH Private Event
 1:00pm CH First Sunday
 7:30pm MP Interfaith Devotion

8:30am MR Lions Board Meeting
 10:00am MR LARC Committee Meeting
 12:00pm CH Yoga in the Banquet Room
 1:00pm AC Poker
 1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
 1:30pm CH Lawn Bowling
 1:30pm MR Mexican Train
 2:00pm CH KC Music Club Performance
 6:00pm CH BINGO
 7:00pm CC Camera Club Board Mtg

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
 9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
 10:00am MR BoD Meeting
 12:30pm CH Duplicate Bridge
 12:30pm MR Ladies Bridge
 1:00pm MP Cribbage Club
 6:00pm MP Pinochle

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8:00am MR Men's G
 10:00am CH Tai Chi
 10:00am MP Guitar Le
 10:30am CH Ladies G
 12:15pm MP Afternoon
 12:30pm MR Women's
 1:00pm CC KC Roya
 1:15pm SB Play Shu
 4:00pm MP Hello Ne
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 Yoga
 6:30pm CH

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9:30am CH Bread Delivery
 4:00pm CH Private Party
 7:30pm MP Interfaith Devotion

9:30am CC Travel Club Board Meeting
 10:30am CH Monthly Musical
 12:00pm CH Yoga in the Banquet Room
 12:30pm MP Bunco
 1:00pm AC Poker
 1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
 1:30pm CH Lawn Bowling
 2:00pm CH KC Music
 6:30pm MR Mexican Train
 6:30pm Woodshed Club
 7:00pm CH Camera Club: Competition Night

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
 9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
 10:00am MP Republican Women Discussion Group
 12:30pm CH Duplicate Bridge
 12:30pm MR Ladies Bridge
 1:00pm MP Cribbage Club
 6:00pm MP Pinochle
 6:30pm CH BoD Meeting

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10:00am CH Tai Chi
 10:00am MP Guitar Le
 11:30am CH Holiday Shuffleb
 12:00pm CH Private M
 12:15pm MP Afternoon
 12:30pm MR Women's
 1:15pm SB Play Shu
 6:00pm CH SW Cor
 6:30pm MP Yoga

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9:30am CH Bread Delivery
 10:00am CH Private Christmas Party
 7:30pm MP Interfaith Devotion

10:00am AC Computer Club
 12:00pm CH Yoga in the Banquet Room
 1:00pm AC Poker
 1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
 1:30pm CH Lawn Bowling
 2:00pm CH KC Music Club Practice
 6:00pm CH Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild
 6:30pm MR Royal Gardens BoD Meeting
 7:30pm CH Camera Club: Programs Night

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
 9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
 12:30pm CH Duplicate Bridge
 12:30pm MR Ladies Bridge
 1:00pm MP Cribbage Club
 6:00pm MP Pinochle
 7:00pm CH Quilters

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10:00am CH Tai Chi
 10:00am MP Guitar Le
 12:15pm MP Afternoon Club
 12:30pm MR Women's
 1:15pm SB Play Shu
 6:30pm CH Yoga

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Christmas Eve
 9:30am CH Bread Delivery
 10:00am CC Private Event
 3:00pm CH Private Event
 7:30pm MP Interfaith Devotion

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Christmas Day
 8:00am CH Private Event

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
 9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
 12:30pm CH Duplicate Bridge
 12:30pm MR Ladies Bridge
 1:00pm MP Cribbage Club
 6:00pm MP Pinochle

7:30am MR Finance Meeting
 10:00am CH Tai Chi
 10:00am MP Guitar Le
 12:15pm MP Afternoon Club
 12:30pm MR Women's
 1:15pm SB Play Shu
 6:30pm CH Yoga

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New Year's Eve
 9:30am CH Bread Delivery: Ken Gibson
 6:00pm CH New Year's Eve Event
 7:30pm MP Interfaith Devotion

Room

Room

AC = Arts & Crafts
 BoD = Board of Directors
 CC = Crown Court
 CH = Clubhouse
 MP = Multi-Purpose
 MR = Meeting

Calendar DECEMBER 2017

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Board Meeting
Lessons
Golf Holiday Party
on Pinochle Club
s Golf Bridge
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uffleboard
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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
9:00am MP KCCA Knitting Group
9:00am CH Coffee with Board Director
9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
9:45am CC T.O.P.S. Club
10:00am MR King City Bible Study
10:30am CH OREA Retired Educators Unit 34
11:00am CH Line Dancing
1:00pm MP Artists' Guild
1:00pm MR Greens Committee Meeting
2:00pm MR Phase 10 Cards
6:00pm AC Poker
7:00pm CH Democrats Club

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8:00am CC PCC BoD Meeting
9:30am MP Hello Neighbors Committee Meeting
9:30am CH Tai Chi
10:00am CC Mah Jongg Club
10:00am MR Bible Study: Book of Proverbs
11:00am CH Line Dancing
12:00pm CH Yoga
1:00pm MP Private Event
1:00pm MR Damsel in Defense Session
1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
2:00pm CH Movie Time
6:00pm CR Poker
6:30pm MR Canasta

8

10:00am AC Computer Class: What's New and Q&A, Security
12:00pm CC Private Event
4:30pm CH Private Event

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Lessons
Luncheon
board Club
Meeting
on Pinochle Club
s Golf Bridge
uffleboard
ighbor Republican Club

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
9:00am MP KCCA Knitting Group
9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
9:45am CC T.O.P.S. Club
10:00am MR King City Bible Study
11:00am CH Line Dancing
1:00pm MP Artists' Guild
2:00pm MR Phase 10 Cards
5:00pm CH Hello Neighbors BYOB
6:00pm AC Poker
6:30pm MP Garden Villa Board Meeting

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8:00am CC PCC BoD Meeting
9:30am CH Tai Chi
10:00am CC Mah Jongg Club
10:00am MR Bible Study: Book of Proverbs
12:00pm CH Yoga
1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
6:30pm MR Canasta
7:00pm CH Dance for Pool Fundraiser

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10:00am AC Computer Class: Hands On Class
11:00am MP Par 4 HOA Annual Meeting
12:00pm CC Lula Roe Sale
3:30pm CH Private Event
6:30pm CC Polish Poker

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Lessons
on Pinochle
s Golf Bridge
uffleboard

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
9:00am MP KCCA Knitting Group
9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
9:45am CC T.O.P.S. Club
10:00am MR King City Bible Study
11:00am CH Line Dancing
1:00pm MP Artists' Guild
2:00pm MR Phase 10 Cards
6:00pm AC Poker
6:00pm CH BINGO

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8:00am CC PCC BoD Meeting
9:30am CH Tai Chi
10:00am CC Mah Jongg Club
10:00am MR Bible Study: Book of Proverbs
12:00pm CH Yoga
1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
2:00pm CH Movie Time
4:00pm CH Lions Club Holiday Party
6:30pm MR Canasta

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10:00am CC Stitchcrafters
10:00am AC Computer Club
4:00pm MR Sip & Sup
4:30pm CH Hello Neighbors Social Committee

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Committee
Lessons
on Pinochle
s Golf Bridge
uffleboard

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9:00am AC Ceramics Workshop
9:00am MP KCCA Knitting Group
9:15am CH Fitness and Fun
9:45am CC T.O.P.S. Club
10:00am MR King City Bible Study
11:00am CH Line Dancing
1:00pm MP Artists' Guild
2:00pm MR Phase 10 Cards
6:00pm AC Poker
6:30pm MP Imperial Terrace Quarterly Meeting

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8:00am CC PCC BoD Meeting
9:30am CH Tai Chi
10:00am CC Mah Jongg Club
10:00am MR Bible Study: Book of Proverbs
12:00pm CH Yoga
1:15pm SB Play Shuffleboard
6:30pm MR Canasta

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8:00am CH Private Event
10:00am AC Computer Club

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Office Hours:

December 1 through December 19: The Clubhouse window will close between 11:00 am and 3:30 pm daily.

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Monthly Musical for December

Submitted by Shirley Frank

The Northwest Senior Theater (NWST) is a group of experienced performers who generally perform at Alpenrose Dairy Opera House, but on Monday, December 11, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. they will be right here



at the KCCA Clubhouse for our December Monthly Musical! Under the direction of Ray Beyer, who is one of our own King City residents, this group is composed of singers, dancers, actors, musicians and production folks who still thoroughly enjoy performing despite being 55...and older. This is their 26th year of performing! Each year they develop two new professional-quality variety shows, complete with costumes, scenery, choreography and, of course, lots of music. For us they will be presenting excerpts from their variety show with a mixture of the old standard Christmas Carols as well as

introducing some of the newer songs from their variety show.

Jerri Schmidt from "Your Business Counts" will be providing the refreshments following the program. We will be honoring birthdays and anniversaries midway through the program. There is no cost to attend these concerts, but if you buy a \$1 raffle ticket at the door you will be eligible to win \$5 or \$10 in our drawing. We extend our thanks to KCCA and Columbia State Bank who sponsor these wonderful programs. Remember this program will be on a Monday morning. We look forward to seeing you there!



King City Music Club

Submitted by
Co-Director Lynn Turner

On November 4, the Music Club performed a program that included some songs in recognition of two special days in November, Veterans Day and Thanksgiving.

In addition, we entertained with a variety of solos and duets by the chorus members. All were accompanied by a trio of musicians, Muriel Dresser on piano, Wendell Damm on bass, and Malcolm Bruce on saxophone. This talented trio also played a number by themselves called Black Orpheus.

Our next performance for the public will be Monday, December 4, at 2:00 p.m. in the KCCA Clubhouse Banquet Room. Bring a friend or two and sing along with a little Christmas music.

If you like to sing, we welcome you to visit us at one of our regular Monday rehearsals at 2 p.m. at the KCCA Clubhouse located at 15245 SW 116th Ave. in King City. For more information, call Muriel Dresser at 503-684-3978.



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King City Women's Golf Club

Submitted by Janet Craig



Happy Holidays everyone! You are probably wondering why I am still writing about our golf club activities. Well just because golf season is over, doesn't mean

we ladies aren't still busy with our favorite charities.

We presented a check to the Backpack Program for \$2500 and raised 600 pounds of food for those backpacks. This program goes strictly to our Tigard Elementary schools.

Our next project is the Caring Closet which is located at Tigard High School. We decided to open up this year's donations to our community too. This wonderful program supplies clothing and essential items for our students and their families. Twice a year, chosen families by the school district can take their family to shop for shoes, clothing and other items needed for everyday grooming to keep the students ready to go to school in nice clothes and learn! The Caring Closet is set up just like a department store with everything separated by gender and size. It is a first class operation!

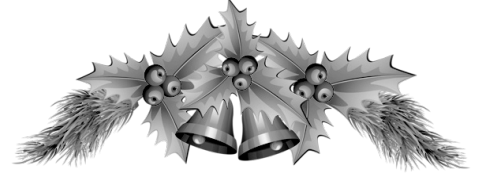
We have placed a box in the Pro Shop at the golf course for those of you in our community who would like to donate new or "gently" used clothing. We will be taking the items collected to the Caring Closet on December 6th right after our Golf Christmas Luncheon. Please bring your

items to the Pro Shop and put them in the box on or before noon on December 6th.

Items needed are: All size clothing through adult 4X. Full size hygiene products, new underwear – boys 8 – 16, girls underwear 8 – 16. Girls long sleeve shirts 12 – 16. New or gently used shoes in all sizes.

Coats are also an appreciated donation, they can also be in all sizes. Remember, some of the high school boys are big guys.

Thank you in advance for your donations. And Merry Christmas and Happy New year!



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Tech News and Tips from the Computer Club

Submitted by Mark Mehall

Tech News

'Tis the season for gift buying. Luckily you can find an affordable technology gadget for almost everyone on your list. Use the Internet to shop, check prices, and find reviews. Check sites with user reviews and ratings, such as Amazon.com or Cnet.com, to find out which products have the most positive feedback. To find the best online price, use a comparison shopping site, such as Pricegrabber.com. Also take advantage of online deal trackers. With CamelCamelCamel.com, you can set up alerts when the price of an item falls to a certain level. It also offers a price history of all products sold on Amazon. Remember to stay safe and avoid the scammers - they are especially active this time of year.



Tech Tip

Computer giving you trouble? Try restarting; this usually clears many problems. When you shutdown and restart your computer you get a new, fresh version of the operating system without any of the extra junk that you can pick up from the Internet. Note, this tip also works with you smartphone or tablet. So, next time you're having troubles just reboot.

Saturday Classes

The King City Computer Club provides a friendly and open environment where members can learn about computers, smartphones, tablets, digital cameras and modern technology at their own pace. The club classroom has a collection of Windows and Macintosh computers, printers and Wifi for members to use

on site. Classes meet in the computer room in the Arts & Crafts / Library Building every Saturday at 10:00. "Walk-ins" are welcome. The first class is free. Learning is a life-long experience and the club provides the support and encouragement for members to effectively use modern technology. For more information visit: www.kingcitycomputer.club.

Note, you can bring your used printer cartridges, CDs and DVDs to the Arts and Craft building. As a public service, the computer club offers free recycling for CDs, DVDs and ink / toner cartridges. Please don't throw them in the trash.

Computer Club Topics (Classes are at 10:00 AM Saturdays in the Arts & Crafts Building)

- Dec. 2 - Interesting Smartphone Apps**
- Dec. 9 - Linux Operating System**
- Dec. 16 - Holiday Party**
- Dec. 23 - No Class**
- Dec. 30 - Cleaning Session**

For more information, contact:
Marie VanderWeele, 503-624-1973
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King City Artists' Guild

Submitted by Lynn Wolfe

Sincere condolences to the family of Linda Dixon who passed away recently. Linda was a past president of the Artists' Guild and a very talented watercolor artist. She also had a huge heart and devoted her last years to teaching English as a second language to Portland's newcomers. We will miss Linda, a faithful supporter of the Guild.

We have several new members to welcome:

- **Maxwell Elliott Lynn** who works extra-large in acrylics,
- **Lois Brayton** who is a beginner in acrylic painting, and
- **Debbi Estes** who uses ink and collage techniques

Member Laurie Svec has been showing her artwork at the Village Gallery of the Arts, the Sherwood Center for the Arts, and is now teaching watercolor basics at King City Senior Village. Member Diane Tyhurst is also signed up to teach at this retirement facility. She will teach the subject of Art Therapy.

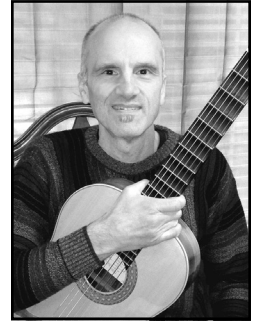
Our painting theme for November-December is "Things for which we are grateful". Paintings are going up in the clubhouse now and throughout the term.

The Artists' Guild was happy to serve refreshments for the November Monthly Musical. Diane Tyhurst, Laurie Svec, Joyce Saari and Jan Auten served coffee, cake and cookies. Four of us enjoyed an outing to the Bridgeport Theater to see new "Loving Vincent," which is an animated, totally

hand-painted biography movie about Vincent Van Gogh. It was beautifully rendered. We were very glad we saw it. And lastly, next May 2018 we may be showing our artwork at the new King City Senior Village. Details to come.

Guitar Lessons

Beginning Guitar Classes have started! Every Wednesday morning at the KCCA Clubhouse Multi-Purpose Room you can



learn the fundamentals of guitar playing: chords, strumming, reading music, theory, and fret board. We'll keep it fun learning easy songs. Bring your own guitar. To register please call Alex Pothetes at 503-317-6201.



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Administrator's Column

Submitted by Ronnda Zezula

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None of us knows what is in anyone else's mind unless they tell us. Please be mindful of what you say and do yourselves. Our way of life includes the right to express our opinions, however, I am asking all of you to consider carefully the impact your decision to exercise that right has on the community as a whole. Is there another way to accomplish what you feel is important?

Beyond the harm that words and actions can bring to individuals in our community, there is a larger impact on everyone at KCCA.

I have had multiple Realtors call me personally during the few weeks I have worked full time in the office (as of this writing); concerned over misinformation being given to

potential buyers by neighbors of KCCA properties that are for sale.

Preventing properties from selling in the community by disseminating information that is not factually accurate (gossip) hurts everyone. From a personal liability and community perspective, I would encourage anyone who is tempted to spread inaccurate rumors to potential buyers to instead seek out their own *factual* information about KCCA.

This is such a lovely community, I hope we continue to grow together and move forward. We all hope that everyone is looking forward to a wonderful Holiday Season. I certainly am. Mine has become much brighter now that my extended family has grown so extensively. Happy December!



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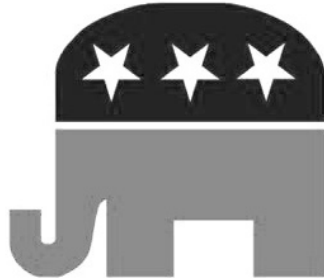
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SW CORRIDOR REPUBLICANS

Submitted by Billie Reynolds

Gregg Clapper to Visit on December 13

One of the vital Republican leaders in Oregon, Gregg Clapper will address the SW Corridor Republicans the evening of December 13, 2017. Deeply enmeshed in more than 50 of Oregon’s political campaigns during the last 27 years, Gregg has worked for candidates and key issues. Some issues and candidates have won and some have lost. He believes more can be won effectively. You won’t want to miss this meeting!



Washington County updates from Tracy and Lauri and all candidates will be heard. Join us for sandwiches and cookies at 6:30 p.m. The program begins at 7:00 p.m. The King City Civic Association Clubhouse is located at 15254 SW 116th Avenue in King City. Questions? Call 503-639-7452.

Winter Nite Dance Bash

Submitted by Dee Burkey and Ginny Jones

Mark your calendars! On Friday, **December 8** the KCCA Clubhouse Banquet Room will be the scene of dancing to the favorites of the 60s, 70s, & 80s played by DJ Teresa Nikkila.



The Winter Nite Dance Bash will run from 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. The proceeds of the dance will benefit the new KCCA Indoor Aquatic Center. Coffee, punch, and 7-Up will be provided. We encourage participants to please bring a snack (i.e. cookies or chips) to share. BYOB if you desire. The cost is \$10.00 per person. Couples and singles are welcome so come out and have a great time at this fundraising event!

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