

# The Samish Shore Lines



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**From the President:** Spring is so fleeting, isn't it? The beautiful blooms of the spring are fading to summer, which is a busy time on Samish Island. The Community Center's parking lot will soon be re-surfaced and new gravel laid. Read on for details of the summer events. And, be safe walking by wearing your safety vest. Enjoy! *Thais*



**Saturday, June 23rd** is the Annual Garage Sale, 8am-2pm. Send your \$10 participation fee (checks made out to SICC) to Amy Colvin, 10641 Samish Island Road, Bow, WA 98232. **Deadline to pay the fee and be included on the map is June 9th.**

Include your name, address, phone number and email address. Please list a couple of your sale items for our advertising. For further information, contact Amy at [colvin.ap@gmail.com](mailto:colvin.ap@gmail.com). We're looking forward to helping you clear your closets—perhaps to make room for your neighbors' stuff!

**Fourth of July Parade.** Get out your costumes, musical instruments, and vehicles of all kinds, and plan to participate in this celebration. The parade begins at 1:00 pm on Wed. July 4<sup>th</sup>. Marchers please line up at the east end of Blue Heron Road by 12:30 pm. Watch for road closure notices (for safety) during the parade.

The **Samish Island Marching Band** is always recruiting! Come join us for the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade, or recruit any family & friends that might be interested. Watch for announcement of practices on "Samish Neighbors." Call or email **Gail Hopley** (360.766-6823; [ghopley@wavecable.com](mailto:ghopley@wavecable.com)) for music or more information.

**Memorial service for Bob Ratfield** - June 2 at 11 am at Edison Lutheran Church. Donations may be made to the Samish Island Volunteer Fire Department.

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Print copies of the **ShoreLines** are available at the Community Club. Electronic copies are available the first of each month at [www.samishisland.net](http://www.samishisland.net)

**Edgewater Garden Club** takes a summer break from its meeting schedule – we're all gardening! Samish Island items will be for sale at the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade and the Arts Festival on July 28<sup>th</sup>. Dues for the coming program year (\$15 per household) can be sent to Bonnie McFarland at 9694 Samish Island Rd). Happy Summer!

The seeds have sprouted and the plants are growing at **Samish Island Acres Community Garden** (at the end of Blue Heron Rd). It's not too late to join this effort – we help out the area food banks and build island community as a by-product! The monthly potluck is **June 18<sup>th</sup>** (6:30 pm at Community of Christ on Scott Road). Work parties are **June 2 and 23**, 9am – noon. Contact Cheryl Willis ([cheryljuno@aol.com](mailto:cheryljuno@aol.com)).



The **22<sup>nd</sup> Annual S.I. Arts Fest, on Saturday, July 28** will be here soon. We have a record number of vendors, joining our featured artist, jewelry designer, **Laurie Lundgren**. Musicians are lined up for your shopping entertainment, and food/drink from the Corner Pub will keep you nourished! Many volunteers are needed to make this community event one of our summer jewels! To learn about the opportunities and to sign up, please contact Linda ([lindaclarson@msn.com](mailto:lindaclarson@msn.com) or 360.766.6600). Next planning meeting is Thurs, June 14<sup>th</sup>, at 4 pm at the Community Center on Blue Heron Road.

**From Mike Collins, Fire Chief:** While you are out gardening, please clear brush and vegetation away from your house number both at the street and at your



house. If we cannot easily see your house number from the road, in both directions, in the dark there will be precious minutes lost looking instead of helping you when you call us. Use large visible reflective numbers at the street and on your house. The SI Firefighters Association thanks the many generous donors for their gifts in memory of Samish Islanders that have recently passed. We also appreciate the SI Garden Club for sprucing up the gardens at the Fire Hall.

## ACTIVITIES

**The Samish Island Community Hall** is available for rent throughout the year. Islander's rate is \$75. Call **Eileen**, 360.766.8202.

Shop at Amazon and **help the SICC**. Go to [www.amazon Smile.com](http://www.amazon Smile.com) and select Samish Island Community Center to receive a % of your purchase.

### Community of Christ

11507 Scott Rd  
10 am Church School; 11 am Worship Service  
Pastor **Glen Fishel**. Everyone is welcome.

### Samish Island Memorial Chapel

9608 Samish Island Road  
9:45 Sunday School; 11:00 a.m. Worship Service.  
All are welcome! Pastor **Dave McAllister**

### Vacation Bible School @ Samish Island

**Memorial Chapel -- July 9-13, 9:30 to 11:30 am each day.** Arts & crafts activities, songs & Bible lessons, stories from well-known local Susie Boer, games, & snacks every day. BBQ on Friday at 11:30am (July 13th). All "island" & "non-island" kids (ages 5-13) are welcome to attend.



It's almost summer, which means its time for the **Samish Island Family Picnic/ Potlucks** – the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month, (June 14, July 12, Aug 9, & Sept

13), 5:30-7pm, at the Samish Island Park.. Join other young families with kids – bring a potluck dish and your own dishes and beverage. For more info: Claire Burwash ([claireburwash@gmail.com](mailto:claireburwash@gmail.com)).

**Samish Island Co. Playground request:** We're concerned about the outdated and scarcity of playground equipment for our little ones. Contact Anne ([ARMOUNTAIN@SBCGLOBAL.NET](mailto:ARMOUNTAIN@SBCGLOBAL.NET)) or Nada (360-766-6760).to get a group going to address this issue:

### Samish Island Campground and Retreat

**Center's** Manager reminds us to access the lake trail only from the Community garden or from the end of Scott Road. and to leash dogs and pick up after them.

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Contact Deborah ([budsandroses@hotmail.com](mailto:budsandroses@hotmail.com). or 360-421-1040).



*Please submit items for the next Shore Lines to: The Samish Shorelines, S.I.C.C., P.O. Box 268, Bow, WA 98238 by the Sat, **June 29th deadline**. Call **Charlene 360-420-0243** or email: [samishshorelines@gmail.com](mailto:samishshorelines@gmail.com)*

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