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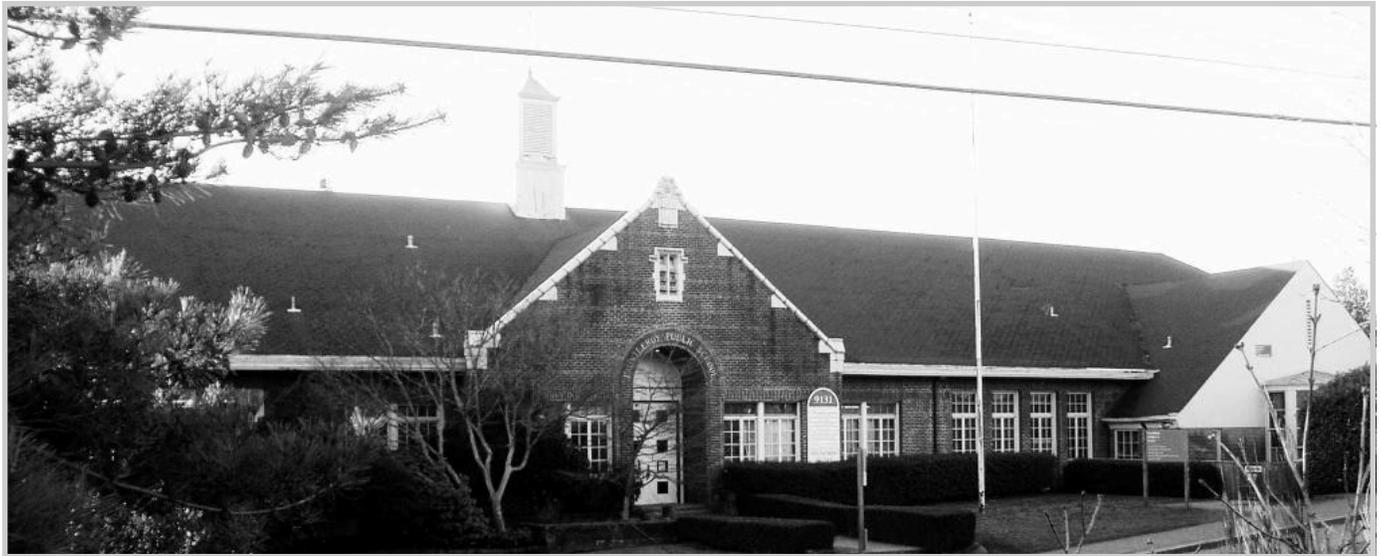
FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION



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FAUNTLEROY SCHOOL IS A KEYSTONE OF OUR COMMUNITY



The Fauntleroy Community Association has endorsed the Fauntleroy Community Service Agency's plan to purchase the Fauntleroy School building from Seattle Public Schools. Both organizations recognize that the school building is a keystone of our community. The school district's historian captured some of its amazing history in an essay published online at www.seattleschools.org/area/historybook/fauntleroy.pdf. Our community's identity is at stake.

The FCSA's goal in purchasing the school building and adjacent properties is to continue operation of Fauntleroy Children's Center and retain current tenants,

including Seattle Civic Dance Theatre and Tuxedos and Tennis Shoes, the catering company that operates the Hall at Fauntleroy. In raising funds for the purchase, the FCSA has an opportunity to make improvements to the building that will maintain its historic value.

The school district provided FCSA with a market appraisal, and the FCSA will respond by offering a price and timeline for payment. On May 1, the school district held a public meeting at the Hall at Fauntleroy to receive community input on the sale. The West Seattle Blog summarized this meeting online. Go to www.westseattleblog.com and search on

Fauntleroy School for more information.

The school district expects to complete the purchase and sale agreement on May 18, receive earnest money in mid-June, execute a contract in late fall 2008, and receive payment in full over a three year period. As with many contractual and political matters, this timeline could be adjusted as negotiations get underway.

Join us as we work to preserve our historic school building, ensuring its future and our community landmark in perpetuity. For further information, contact Vicki Schmitz-Block at v.schmitz@comcast.net

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (FCA)

This newsletter is published by your Fauntleroy Community Association, formed in 1980. The FCA addresses traffic, pollution, restoration of salmon habitat, local parks and playgrounds, and public safety issues affecting the Fauntleroy community. For more information, go to www.fauntleroy.net on the Web.

FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY SERVICE AGENCY (FCSA)

The Fauntleroy Community Service Agency has leased Fauntleroy School from the Seattle School District since shortly after the school ceased operations in 1981. The FCSA sponsors Fauntleroy Children's Center, sets policies for the Center and uses rent from commercial tenants to maintain the building.

FAUNTLEROY CHILDREN'S CENTER (FCC)

Fauntleroy Children's Center, established in 1978, provides high-quality child care in an educational environment. Accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children, FCC complies with national standards of quality that go well beyond state health and safety licensing requirements. FCC is recognized frequently as one of the finest childcare centers in the region. For more information, go to www.fauntleroychildrenscenter.org on the Web.

WELCOME NEW NEIGHBOR

by Ann Dunbar

Steve and Lisa Plymate have slowly been moving north over the years. They met several years ago in Albuquerque, New Mexico, married, and then settled in Tacoma. They raised their children there and both worked as physicians. A few years ago Steve's job changed to Seattle, so they relocated to Des Moines. Last Spring when Lisa was finished with her work in Tacoma, they made the move to Seattle. They were seeking a home in a friendly neighborhood that was also close to downtown activities. It seems that they have found this great location on 46th Avenue SW, just a block up from Lincoln Park.

**WE WELCOME
THE PLYMATES
TO THE
FAUNTLEROY
COMMUNITY**

Steve and Lisa are happy with the proximity to downtown, and the availability of the bus to get there. Steve heads that way every day to Harborview Medical Center, where he is involved with Cancer Research. Lisa leaves home for one week per month to work in Toppenish, near Yakima, at the Yakima Valley Farmer Workers Clinic. They have four adult children, and one new granddaughter whom they welcomed last summer.

In her "off time", Lisa volunteers with the Physicians for a National Health Program, and with the local and King County Democrats as



a Precinct Committee Officer, meeting her neighbors as she does door-to-door canvassing. She has a passion for gardening, and has enjoyed planning the landscape around their home. Steve and Lisa both enjoy walks in Lincoln Park, and are taking advantage of the opportunity to bike in the West Seattle area. They are also becoming more connected with the West Seattle community through membership in the Fauntleroy YMCA and a local synagogue.

The Plymates really seem to be settling in and becoming part of the Fauntleroy community. Welcome to the neighborhood!

Would you like to take a Welcome Bag to a new neighbor? Contact Ann Dunbar at 933-5575 or dunbar@zipcon.net.

WE'RE GONNA BE IN PICTURES

Who are those people filming events, people, and scenes in the neighborhood? Rest assured; their intentions are honorable!

Beth Farley and Lorenzo Townsend comprise the production team for a professional documentary on Fauntleroy. The idea for this first-of-its kind project in Seattle came out of planning for the Fauntleroy Church centennial and quickly expanded to encompass all facets of the neighborhood.

A steering committee representing FCA, the church, YMCA, and Southwest Seattle Society at work weeks project storm topics viewees. The 30-minute DVD will capture the historic events, people, and places that shaped the community over the past century, profile what it is today,



Historical has been for several to fund the and brain possible and inter-

and explore the challenges of retaining and nurturing community in an increasingly urbanized city.

The project is supported by grant, sponsorship, and patron funding matched by in-kind donations and volunteer labor. The first screening will be in late July, during the church's homecoming weekend. Copies of the DVD will be widely available in September at community screenings, neighborhood outlets, and the Log House Museum.



47TH AVENUE SLIDE REPAIR AT LAST

A two-year wait for road repairs is nearly over for residents south of the 10200 block of 47th Ave. SW. The project reached the top of the repair list for the city and crews should complete the landslide repair project by the end of May.

**THANK YOU GUADALAJARA MEXICAN RESTAURANT
FOR SUPPORTING THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY**

WASHINGTON STATE FERRIES

By Gary Dawson

For some months now we have been telling you about Washington State Ferries Long Range Plan (LRP) and its proposed rerouting of the Southworth auto ferry to Colman dock.

WSF made that decision a few years ago while projecting long range service due to future growth in Kitsap County and with the Fauntleroy dock already operating at capacity. In support of the Fauntleroy Community Association, Seattle City Council rendered expansion of the Fauntleroy dock impossible so they looked at the only other possible option, to eliminate Southworth service at Fauntleroy.

As noted previously however, the 2007 Legislature put the LRP

on hold while enacting ESHB2358 and initiating a Ferry Finance Study in order to establish a stable source of funding for WSF capital and operations.

The study is underway. It includes customer surveys and public outreach in communities throughout the Puget Sound region.

David Moseley, newly appointed WSDOT Assistant Secretary, Ferries Division, has recently attended Ferry Advisory Committee public meetings as he and his staff provided updated information and solicited questions and comments.

While attending the Southworth meeting we heard demands loud and clear for direct auto service to downtown. When this reroute was first proposed a few years ago, the reaction at Southworth was less than enthusiastic but there is now



strong support for it.

WSF is continuing to update the LRP with reviews in public meetings scheduled for October. The Finance Study is due to be completed later this year with a presentation due at the next session of the Legislature budget process. If and when approved, implementation can then be scheduled, but we are hopeful we can look forward to the reroute within a few years.

The Fauntleroy Ferry Advisory Committee is actively participating in this process and can be contacted for questions or further information at garyann@quidnunc.net.

Details of ESHB2358, the Long Range Plan, or other matters relating to WSF can be found at www.wsdot.gov/ferries

RELIEF FROM STENCH MAY COME THIS SUMMER

By Alice Kelly and Sinang Lee, State Department of Ecology

As the weather begins to warm in Fauntleroy, thoughts turn to barbecues in the back yard, wading on the beach, and closing windows to keep out the stench of rotting seaweed from the cove.

Summer 2008 may be different if permits are received in time to schedule removal of the sea lettuce that weather and excessive nutrients in the water cause to grow in abundance in Fauntleroy Cove.

The State Department of Ecology and its consultant, David Anderson, PhD, with Envirotest Research, have been working for months to devise a removal strategy that will suit the bill - an environmentally friendly way to remove and dispose of up to eight tons of wet seaweed a day, within budget. The pilot project is being funded by a \$150,000 state allocation for the 2008-09 biennium.

Unlike projects in 1985, 1999, and 2000 that netted the mats of

seaweed and dumped them in mid channel, Ecology now requires that the seaweed be removed from the water. Dr. Anderson looked at removal operations elsewhere in the U.S. and world and found none that were both cost effective and able to be permitted here. He also found the cost of hauling and disposing of wet seaweed to be prohibitive.

The hybrid technique he has recommended would vacuum floating seaweed using a long hose connected to a pump above the beach at the Brace Point street end. Most of the water would be removed through the pumping process. Six tons of wet seaweed, for example, could be reduced to one ton for hauling to an operation that converts green waste into a usable product.

In early April, Ecology issued a determination that this strategy would not do environmental damage and sent a copy of that determination to affected Fauntleroy residents and permitting agencies. Very few comments were received, none from the community. Ecology has since filed for state and local permits. Because this project is

unique, the necessity of getting a permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers remains a question.

If a Corps permit is not needed and Ecology can show that salmon would not be adversely affected, seaweed removal could occur late this summer. If a Corps permit is required, Ecology will continue to work with regulators and the community toward doing the removal in summer 2009. In the meantime, the state will monitor air quality through the stench season to document levels of hydrogen sulfide and any threat to public health from the noxious gas.

To complement this major effort by the state, the Fauntleroy Watershed Council will be implementing its own pilot project, reaching out to residents on and near the beach with information about how to reduce nutrients that run into the cove from the neighborhood.

THANK YOU ENDOLYNE JOE'S FOR SUPPORTING THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY

FAUTLEROY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

WE WISH TO ACKNOWLEDGE AND THANK THE MANY 2008 ANNUAL MEETING/FOOD FEST PARTICIPANTS WHOSE PARTICIPATION HELPED TO MAKE THIS EVENT A GREAT SUCCESS. IT IS YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS NEIGHBORHOOD WHO MAKE THIS SUCH A FINE PLACE TO LIVE...

Abbondanza Pizzeria — Bird on a Wire Espresso — Guadalajara Mexican Restaurant — Endolyne Joe's — Gail Ann Studio and Gallery — The Original Bakery — Tully's Coffee at Morgan Junction — Tuxedos and Tennis Shoes Catering & The Hall at Fauntleroy — Inspired Spa Health and Beauty — Fauntleroy Church UCC — Fauntleroy Fall Festival — Fauntleroy Massage — Fauntleroy Schoolhouse — Fauntleroy Watershed Council — Metro Transit — Metro Rapid Ride — Morgan Community Association — Sealth/Denny International Baccalaureate Program — Seattle Department of Neighborhoods & Neighborhood Service Center — Seattle Police Department/Community Policing — Seattle Office of Emergency Management — Southwest Pool and Community Center — Southwest Seattle Public Library — Washington State Ferry System



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The FCA Board meets on the second Tuesday of the month (except August and December) at the Fauntleroy Schoolhouse starting at 7 p.m.

All Fauntleroy neighbors are invited to attend. Our mailing address is FCA, P. O. Box 46343, Seattle, WA 98146
Contact Neighbors Editor, Martha Callard by email at
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Find us on the web at

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

All memberships are due in January. If you have not renewed for 2008 as yet, please do so now.

NOT A MEMBER? JOIN TODAY!

To join, complete the membership form below and mail it with your check to FCA Treasurer, P. O. Box 46343, Seattle, WA 98146-6346. Thank You!

Community Member: \$25 _____ Friend: \$50 _____ Supporter: \$100 _____

Lifetime Member: \$250 _____ Donation: _____

Fall Fest Donation: _____ Total Enclosed: _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Please put my name on your e-mail calendar list to alert me to upcoming important dates and events.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

THE CITY OF SEATTLE will be holding a community budget meeting on **Thursday, May 22nd**, between 5:30 pm and 7:30 pm at the High Point Community Center. Talk directly to your elected Council members about how you want your city tax dollars spent. For more information call (206) 684-8807.

THE CITY OF SEATTLE'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS will be holding a workshop on preparing for a natural disaster or other emergencies on **Saturday, June 7th** between 10:30 am and 12:00 noon at the Delridge Library.

THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION has its business meeting on the second Tuesday of the month. The next meetings will be held on **Tuesday, June 10** and **July 8**, at 7:00 pm in the former Fauntleroy School and is open to all community residents. For more information contact Bruce Butterfield at brucebutterfield@pnwreality.com

COMMUNITY BEAN FEED at Fauntleroy Church, **Friday, July 25**, 6 p.m. Join old and new friends to reprise the wildly popular annual bean feed/talent show of the 1930s and 40s. 932-5600.

WALKING TOUR OF FAUNTLEROY **Saturday, July 26**, 11:00-12:30, starting at the south parking lot of Lincoln Park. Free and leisurely.

(INDOOR) PARKING LOT SALE at Fauntleroy Church, **Saturday, Sept. 20**, 9-3. Because of centennial events, this annual sale shifts from July to September and moves indoors. 932-5600.

ONGOING

THE FRIENDS OF LINCOLN PARK AND THE GREEN SEATTLE PARTNERSHIP get together on the first Saturday of each month to save the forest from invasive species. The next gathering will be held on **Saturday, June 7**, between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm at the kiosk in the parking lot across Fauntleroy Way from Rose Street. For more information contact Sharon Baker at sbaker@u.washington.edu

FAUNTLEROY WATERSHED COUNCIL meets on the second Thursday of every other month. The next meeting will be held on **Thursday, June 12**, at 7:00 pm at Fauntleroy Church and is open to all watershed residents. For more information contact Judy Pickens at judy_pickens@msn.net

FRIENDS OF FAUNTLEROY PARK will be holding weeding parties in Fauntleroy Park on the second Sunday of the month. The next meeting will be held on **Sunday, June 8**, between 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm at the entrance on Southwest Barton Street. For more information contact Karen Farnsworth at clairee9@earthlink.net

THE WEST SEATTLE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP meets on the third Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, May 20th**, between 7:00 pm and 8:30 pm at the South-west Police Precinct. For more information contact Jennifer Duong at jennifer@sngi.org

**THANK YOU THE ORIGINAL BAKERY
FOR SUPPORTING THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY**

BE 'GREENER' — IT'S NOT HARD

By Martin Westerman, At-large Board Member

Just back from the Sustainable West Seattle (SWS) fair last Sunday in the Junction, I'm fired up with a question for us all: what if everyone in the Fauntleroy area lived "green"? What is "green", you ask?



That's simple: it's --

(1) using resources efficiently, so we leave plenty for the future, and create little or no waste now, and

(2) choosing products and actions that keep us healthy as well as the environment that supports us.

The City of Seattle has laid out a number of steps in its Climate Action Now plan. More than 725 cities, representing nearly ¾ of U.S.

citizens, have now signed on to this Seattle initiative. You can find a world of information on-line at <http://www.seattle.gov/climate/> and <http://www.seattlecan.org>

Back in Fauntleroy, simplest things we can do include --

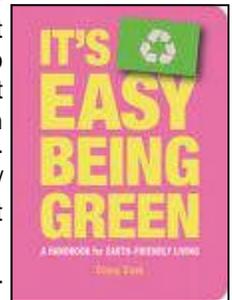
- use efficient lighting (compact fluorescent, LED and low-voltage) at home and work,
- use Energy Star-rated appliances & electronics
- turn off water when you're not using it; and use shut-off nozzles on hoses
- recycle, and compost food & yard waste to cut your garbage output by up to 80%,
- keep your car tuned, lubed, and its tires inflated.

Other steps we can take are less obvious because they address a bigger picture: reducing our greenhouse gas output and dependency on fossil fuels and removing harmful materials from our homes, workplaces, and environment. They include choosing products, furnishings and materials without poisons in them for home,

work, and lawn/garden care (this takes research), eating only certified organic produce, dairy and packaged products, meats and fish; this costs a little more, but keeps us healthy and reduces our dependence on fossil fuels. Also, using less of anything that's petroleum-gas-powered -- furnaces, leaf blowers, boats, cars can make a difference plus it's better exercise using a rake or push broom, walking and bicycling. Bicycles, by the way, carry more people more miles in this world than all other forms of transportation combined.

Now we know what we can do. What do we in Fauntleroy want to do, and what are we willing to do? Probably the first is for each of us to join Sustainable West Seattle (<http://sustainablewestseattle.org/>).

Send your comments to me at mwester@u.washington.edu, or drop a note to the newsletter and I'll bring them to our next FCA Board Meeting for discussion and action.



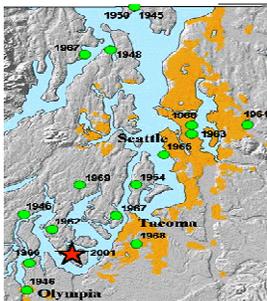
SEATTLE PUBLIC UTILITIES FACILITY TO BE REBUILT

SPU is planning to rebuild the South Recycling and Disposal Station (8105 5th Ave. South in South Park. The purpose of the facility is to allow the transfer of trash from collection trucks to a long-haul vehicle. It also provides a place for

residents and businesses to drop off recyclables and trash.

This 40 year old facility no longer meets Seattle's solid waste needs as it becomes less reliable and more crowded over time. The existing facility will be demolished and

replaced with a new fully enclosed station across the street from the existing site. For full information, visit http://www.seattle.gov/util/About_SPU/Garbage_System/Plans/SolidWasteFacilityUpdate/index.htm



DISASTER FIRST AID



It is extremely important to be able to take care of yourself and others after a disaster. This 8-hour class at Warren G. Magnuson Park on June 7th, 2008 from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM includes a certified First Aid/CPR course. In addition, you will learn techniques dealing with multiple injuries resulting from a major disaster where 9-1-1 is overwhelmed and unavailable. For information, email debie.goetz@seattle.gov or phone 206-233-7123.



THANK YOU BIRD ON A WIRE ESPRESSO
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2008 ANNUAL MEETING



THANK YOU GAIL ANN PHOTOGRAPHY FOR SUPPORTING THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY

Photographs compliments of Gail Ann Photography

A few words on the event from WestSeattleBlog.com ...

"Big crowd tonight at the Fauntleroy Community Association's annual meeting. And as had been discussed while we were at last week's FCA meeting - this was carried off as a virtually waste-free event - if it wasn't edible or drinkable, it was recyclable or reusable"



TUXEDOS AND TENNIS SHOES
CATERING



THE HALL AT FAUNTLEROY



MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

The Fauntleroy Food Fest and Annual Meeting was a huge success with more neighbors attending than ever before. Many renewed memberships at the meeting, some joined for the first time and others rejoined after a lapsed membership. THANK YOU and WELCOME! We are happy to have you, whether a charter member or new to the FCA.

You may have seen the phrase **Membership Matters** on FCA brochures, in this newsletter or inside Welcome Bags distributed to new neighbors, but what do we mean? We understand the word **membership** in the sense of belonging to a group or organization. **Matters** denotes something of consequence, significance, or crucial importance. Our slogan, **Membership Matters** is a statement that your membership *can* and *does* make a difference to the Fauntleroy Community.

Our budget, limited as it is, is supported strictly by your membership dollars. In order to keep this all

volunteer organization working for you, your membership dollars truly matter! How do we spend those funds? Your dollars bring this newsletter to your door three times a year. Notices are emailed as appropriate. Most contents of our Welcome Bags are donated or provided by the City or others, but bags and some inserts cost.



Membership seems to ebb and flow as topics crucial to the neighborhood arise or are resolved. The membership was highest years ago during threats of ferry dock expansion. Since then, we've put to rest the state's notion of making Fauntleroy Way a state highway, have accomplished seaweed haulouts in the Cove to lessen the summer stench (and are working on another). We've worked on countless traffic safety improvements and recognize there are so many more. Environmentally there have been creek and watershed enhancements ongoing and lobbying with city, county and state on issues important to the neighborhood. We've made the Food Fest and Fall Festival annual fun and FREE

events. Please read about many of last year's FCA accomplishments in the enclosed Annual Report.

This year we must increase the number of paid members. How can you help? When talking with neighbors or friends, mention the FCA. Ask if they are members. If not, encourage joining. Deliver a Welcome Bag to a new neighbor and talk to them about joining. Ask us to send a sample newsletter to a non-member (contact us at fauntleroynews@comcast.net) or pass this newsletter along to them with an invitation to join. You are an important part of the Fauntleroy Community Association through your membership. Your participation in this membership effort is appreciated.

You are invited to be as active as you wish in the organization. Monthly board meetings (second Tuesday, 7 PM at the Fauntleroy Schoolhouse) are open to all residents whether they have a concern or just want to see how we operate.

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION



We welcome two new members to the FCA Board of Directors

GORDON WIEHLER

&

SUSAN LANTZ-DAY

Both bring enthusiasm, ideas and expertise to our board.

Cub Scouts from Pack 793 in West Seattle dig into a pile of chips during an April 12 work party in Fauntleroy Park. Some 20 boys, aided by a dozen adults, earned their conservation badges by mulching for weed control, digging blackberries, and using fell wood to discourage foot traffic through a planting area. District staff with Seattle Parks and the Fauntleroy Watershed Council partnered on the event

THANK YOU ABBONDANZA PIZZA
FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE FAUNTLEROY COMMUNITY

FAUNTLEROY CHURCH MARKING 100 YEARS

On July 25, 1908, residents gathered at a clearing along Fauntleroy Creek to build a chapel so that neighborhood children would have a place to attend Sunday school. The structure was sufficient to shelter the first worship service the following day.

"The church that was built in a day" soon affiliated with the Congregational denomination and, with the addition of a gymnasium in 1914, became the center of com-

munity life in Fauntleroy.

A few months ago, the congregation kicked off its "Century of Light" celebration by publishing *Guided by the Light*, which chronicles the first 100 years and captures much of the community's history as well. (The book is available for \$25 at the church office, The Original Bakery, or Log House Museum.)

The church bell began pealing at noon on April 19 to count down 100 days to the anniversary date. Members and friends

are pulling the rope to commemorate special days or people.

Major events center on homecoming weekend July 25-27. It will feature a Friday-night community bean feed and vespers on the beach (which sparked the idea of building the church), a Saturday dinner that will include the first screening of the Fauntleroy documentary, and ample opportunity throughout the weekend to reconnect with former members, clergy, and Camp Colman campers.

TOUR HISTORIC FAUNTLEROY

Comfortable shoes will be the order of the day on Saturday, July 26, when local historian Ron Richardson will lead a walking tour of Fauntleroy. The tour will acquaint newcomers with historic sites and give long-time and former residents a refresher course in neighborhood past and present.

It will start at 11:00 a.m. at the south parking lot of Lincoln Park and proceed at a leisurely pace to such points of interest as the Pierce garden, Fauntleroy

Church, early homes, and the creek fish ladder. Ron has lined up resource people to chat with the group at sites along the way.

The Southwest Seattle Historical Society is offering this free event as part of its ongoing mission to make West Seattle history accessible to all.

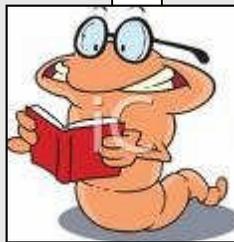
BOOK REVIEWS

The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-time Indian

by Sherman Alexie

Reviewed by: Courtney Moore

This was a great read and I would recommend it to teenagers and adults alike. Full of humor, satire and wit – you won't want to put it down! The book is illustrated with numerous cartoons that enhance the narrator's many adventures as an adolescent growing up on the Yakima Indian Reservation. Amid the satirical lines of this story, is the harsh reality of struggling with discrimination and poverty; a true story of a boy who crosses the barrier of prejudice and overcomes adversity by striving for a better future.



When The Emperor Was Divine

by Julie Otsuka

Reviewed by: Barbara Burgess

This a compelling story about the Japanese internment during World War II, told from the viewpoint of five family members. Each person has a slightly different story to tell about how the reclassification effected them emotionally as they are uprooted from their home and sent to a camp in the Utah desert.

As interesting as the story is, even more mesmerizing is the terse, sparse, narrative prose style of writing the author manages to convey. It is her first novel, and even though it is only 144 pages long it took her three years to write! Whenever I am asked to recommend a book, this is the first one that comes to mind. It never leaves you.

THANK YOU TUXEDOS AND TENNIS SHOES CATERING

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All Fauntleroy neighbors are invited to attend the monthly FCA board meetings held at 7:00 P.M. the second Tuesday of each month at the meeting room of the Fauntleroy School.

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Check out our new look!

THE FCA ANNUAL MEETING EXHIBITORS

The popular Fauntleroy Food Fest and Annual Meeting was held in March at The Hall at Fauntleroy. The evening was not only fun, but had a record turnout. The event was two-fold: a celebration of community and the Annual Meeting, it also was an essential part of a membership drive for the FCA. Both the evening and roster of new and renewed members were extremely successful.

In order to simplify recordkeeping, we have changed our membership term so all memberships expire at the beginning of the year

and should be renewed by the time of (or at) the Annual Meeting.

Our local food vendors, **Abbondanza Pizza, Bird on a Wire Espresso, Endolyne Joe's, Guadalajara Restaurant, Tuxedos and Tennis Shoes/The Hall at Fauntleroy** and **The Original Bakery** once again responded warmly and generously to our invitation to participate. We are grateful to them and urge you to enjoy their offerings throughout the year.

Due to the generosity of our neighborhood businesses we were able to offer several door prize

baskets, each of which was claimed with a broad smile on the part of the lucky winner!

As dictated by our bylaws, we held the election of officers and were pleased to add two new talents to our board roster. Susan Lantz-Day serves not only on the FCA board but is our representative on Metro's Rapid Ride committee. Gordon Wiehler has been volunteering for the past year or more and brings not only his enthusiasm for our neighborhood, but multiple talents to the board as well.

Please support those businesses
who support
your community association