

Spring 2002 Issue

- Brian Baird returns to neighborhood meeting
- New Ben Franklin School to get bigger gym
- Rail project options will impact 39th St crossing



Events Calendar



Thursday, April 4 (7 p.m.)

Quarterly meeting at Ben Franklin Elementary (53rd and Franklin)

Saturday, July 13 (noon-4)

Annual neighborhood picnic at Franklin Park (56th and Cherry) instead of a quarterly meeting

Thursday, October 10

Quarterly meeting

Schedule for City Meetings

can be found on-line at www.ci.vancouver.wa.us

Farmers' Market

Esther Short Park on Saturdays 9-3 now through October 26 and Sundays 10-4 from April 20 through September 29



Hear Ye, Hear Ye! Our Neighbor (and US Rep) Brian Baird is Coming to Our April Meeting

Of the four meetings held this year, the one on Thursday April 4th, is sure to attract the largest attendance like it did last year. That's because Brian Baird will attend from 7-8 p.m. to share his thoughts and concerns, and to answer our questions.

Following that, Kevin Jeffers, Project Engineer for Washington State DOT, will address the group to discuss the railway project down the slope west of our neighborhood. Although the official comment period closed March 27, WSDOT will include comments from our meeting. (See related article on page 2.)

If you have concerns for either of Brian Baird or Kevin Jeffers, please plan to attend the meeting.

Thanks, Kevin! Hello, Leonard!



With this issue, Kevin Cornwell passes the baton to Leonard Bauhs, yet another of your neighbors. All newsworthy contributions are welcome. We reserve the right to edit accepted material, as well as not to publish.

What's a Picnic without Volunteers?

Plans are well underway for the annual neighborhood picnic at Franklin Park! But we still need volunteers for a variety of small tasks that will add to the day. This is a great way to participate and to meet your neighbors. Please call Tom Knappenberger at 693-1877 or sign up at the meeting on April 4th.

