

CITYWIDE NEWS

MAYOR FERRELL AND CITY COUNCIL TOUR THE WOODBRIDGE CORPORATE PARK



During the **Elected Officials** tour, Mayor Jim Ferrell, City Council President Linda Kochmar, Councilmembers Jack Walsh and Susan Honda, King County Councilmember Pete von Reichbauer, and Tanja Carter, Economic Development Director, recently visited two newly completed industrial buildings at **Woodbridge Corporate Park**. Thanks to **Michael Grayum**, founder and the owner of **Grayum Consulting** (pictured far left), for inviting us to the former and historic **Weyerhaeuser property**! **Industrial Realty Group (IRG)** plans to create **3,100 permanent jobs**, generate **\$6.8 million in annual tax revenue for the City of Federal Way**, and invest **\$3.5 million** to enhance the **City's Right of Way**.



Los Angeles-based IRG purchased the old Weyerhaeuser property in 2016 for \$70.5 million. These photos are courtesy of IRG. Amazon recently made headlines for leasing the building pictured to your left.

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We thank **Federal Way** resident **Evan Cook**, consultant, artist, and football coach—pictured at the bottom left—for inviting **Mayor Ferrell** to share a few words of encouragement to kick off his ***More Than Athletes Camp*** at **Decatur High School** last week! Evan organized the camp to provide access to **resources beyond sports**, such as **careers in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)** and **Civic Engagement** opportunities. The City of Federal Way **sponsored** this valuable three-day camp for local student-athletes. **Evan is a proud graduate and former football player at Eastern Washington University in Cheney!**

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Over the weekend, **Mayor Ferrell** and our **City Council** supported the **free Fix-It Repair Cafe event** at the **South King Tool Library**. The community brought in damaged furniture, small household items for fixing, and torn clothing, and the South Tool Library crew did their best to make the items usable again—they're fantastic! **The City of Federal Way thanks our excellent Public Works Department** for partnering with the South King Tool Library.

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Thank you to **Aydepi**, a local organization committed to enriching the lives and empowering African descendants in our state, for inviting **Mayor Ferrell** and our dedicated **City Council** to its 2nd Annual ***The Beauty of Our African Roots*** event at **Federal Way High School** on Saturday, June 29!

“The students did an excellent job representing their country through fun activities creatively and memorably,” said Mayor Ferrell. “**The City of Federal Way** commends the organizer and **Aydepi Executive Director, Beatrice Kiraguri**, for hosting the educational and cultural event. We fully support our brothers and sisters in the Federal Way community.”



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FWPD'S PROPERTY & EVIDENCE UNIT: THE UNSUNG HEROES



In the heart of the **Federal Way Police Department (FWPD)** lies a crucial yet often overlooked group—the **Property & Evidence Unit**.

An integral part of the criminal justice system, this unit maintains the integrity and safekeeping of **evidence crucial to investigations and court proceedings**.

They're led by a seasoned Property & Evidence professional and a technician and assisted by two of the best volunteers.



The Property & Evidence Unit operates with meticulous attention to detail and adherence to strict protocols.

The unit upholds a secure chain of custody for each piece of evidence, ensuring its integrity and admissibility in legal proceedings.

The FWPD Property & Evidence Unit has shown its commitment to **excellence by receiving 100% Unannounced and Announced Audits for the last several years**.

It has **less than a 1% margin of error** when conducting a high-value accountability inventory, helping with the **FWPD's Dual Accreditation**.

The Property & Evidence Unit's tireless efforts behind the scenes contribute mightily to the **FWPD's vision, mission, and values**, which are important to the department and its service to the community.





*Relive the memorable moments from the **6th Annual Make Music Federal Way Festival** at Steel Lake Park on Saturday, June 22. **Mayor Ferrell** shares how the event started and involves a **Federal Way Lions Club member**—it's a great story!*

[WATCH HERE](#)



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CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF THE FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY



RED WHITE & BLUES FESTIVAL



**FREE
ADMISSION**

GAMES - INFLATABLES - LIVE ENTERTAINMENT - FIREWORKS

EVENT STARTS AT 4 PM

LOCATED AT CELEBRATION PARK!

1095 S. 324th Street, Federal Way, WA 98003

FEDERAL WAY'S ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

RED WHITE & BLUES FESTIVAL

- ★ 4 – 5:30 PM Stacy Jones
- ★ 6 – 7 PM BroHamm
- ★ 7 – 7:10 PM Mayor's Address
- ★ 7:15 – 7:30 PM Kid's Parade
- ★ 7:30 – 8:30 PM Rockshop
- ★ 9 – 10 PM Nite Wave
- ★ 6 – 10 PM Alex Zerbe (Emcee)
- ★ 10:15 PM Fireworks Display

**FREE
ADMISSION!**

- ★ Interactive Arts
- ★ Family Games
- ★ Inflatables
- ★ Free parking

Event starts at 4:00 pm
Fireworks Display at 10:15 pm
At Celebration Park
1095 S. 324th St., Federal Way

Sound provided by Black Dog Sound

**RED
WHITE
& BLUES
FESTIVAL**

NO ALCOHOL / DRUGS
NO BBQ'S / GRILLS
NO FIREWORKS
NO PETS
NO SMOKING
NO RE-ENTRY AFTER 9:30 PM

Event starts at 4:00 pm
FIREWORKS AT 10:15 PM
FREE Admission

Celebration Park
1095 S. 324th St., Federal Way

www.ItAllHappensHere.org/rwb

HAVE A SAFE 4TH OF JULY!



**WE LOVE
ALL TYPES.**



CITY OF FEDERAL WAY

Bloodmobile | 33325 8th Ave S Federal Way

Tuesday, July 2nd

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

(closed for lunch 11:00 -11:45am)

Scan the QR code to book your one hour appt
or click this link bloodworksnw.org/giveblood

Appointments are required for the best possible donation experience.
Same-day appointments available at most locations. Photo ID required.

For safety, we kindly request no visitors under 16 at our donation sites.
Eat a hearty meal and drink plenty of fluids prior to donation.

800-398-7888 | bloodworksnw.org/giveblood

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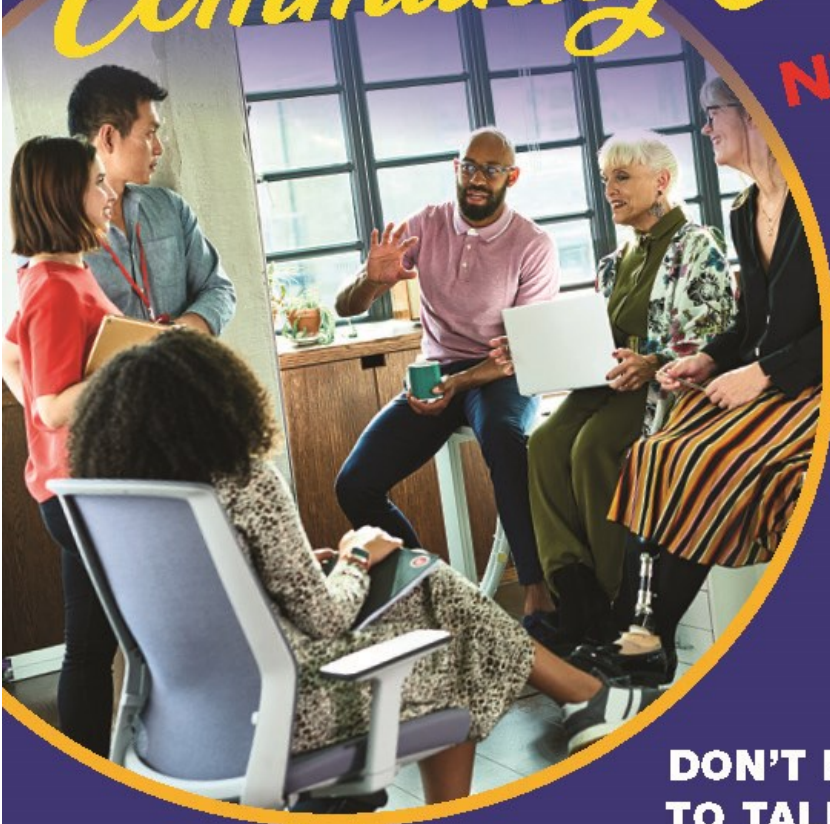

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– Arthur Brisbane

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BEER, WINE,
COFFEE,
AND APPETIZERS
AVAILABLE.



RECYCLING COLLECTION EVENT

SATURDAY, JULY 13
9 AM - 3 PM

**FREE! ON-SITE PAPER SHREDDING,
DROP OFF TEXTILES, FOAM AND APPLIANCES**
OPEN TO ALL FEDERAL WAY RESIDENTS



SCAN QR CODE FOR
TRANSLATIONS AND
LANGUAGES



PAPER SHREDDING

Seadrumar Recycling is shredding paper and sensitive documents for recycling on-site.

Shred up to three shopping bags of paper. No pre-shredded paper.



EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE FOAM

Styro Recycle is collecting expanded polystyrene foam for recycling.

Only clean and dry #6 expanded polystyrene containers and blocks white in color, packing peanuts (any color). No tape or labels, no hot tub covers



TEXTILES

Goodwill is collecting new and used clothing, towels, bedding, fabric, and rags.

If items are not suitable for resale, please label them "threadcycle" for proper recycling.



SMALL HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES AND ELECTRONICS

Goodwill is collecting small working household appliances and electronics.

Please do not include microwaves or refrigerated appliances.



SOUTH KING
TOOL LIBRARY

RECYCLE BATTERIES, DONATE TOOLS

South King Tool Library recycles batteries and collects tools year round!

No lithium or rechargeable batteries. NO gas powered tools. Battery, corded or manual functional tools only.

LOCATION & CONTACT



South King Tool Library
1700 South 340th Street
Federal Way, WA 98003

PLEASE ENTER FROM
S. 340TH STREET
NORTHBOUND PACIFIC HWY



Questions?

Contact event organizers:

Email: recyclenw@wm.com

Upcoming EVENTS

FWPAEC

7.14

SISTER'S SUMMER SCHOOL CATECHISM

3:00 PM

7.19

FINDING NEMO

6:00 PM

7.31

HARRY POTTER MARATHON

11:00 AM

8.2

JUMANJI

6:00 PM

8.18

ENCANTO

6:00 PM



EVENT CALENDAR

31510 PETE VON REICHBAUER WAY S
FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003

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SUMMER READING

in the parks

For Adults.

Bring a book to read in the beautiful outdoors, enjoy local Federal Way parks, and discuss books with neighbors! Sit at picnic tables, your own blankets and chairs, or the grass. Some chairs and blankets will be available to borrow. Refreshments provided while supplies last.

Thursday • June 6th

2 – 4pm at Adelaide Park
30619 16th Ave SW, Federal Way, WA 98023

Wednesday • July 24th

5 – 7pm at Steel Lake Park
2410 S 312th St, Federal Way, WA 98003

Friday • August 16th

11am – 1pm at Palisades Park
5039 SW Dash Point Rd, Federal Way, WA 98023



Sponsored by the Friends of the Federal Way Libraries
and the City of Federal Way Parks & Recreation.

Reasonable accommodation for people with disabilities is available by request. Email access@kcls.org at least seven days before the event. Automated closed captioning is always available for online events.



CELEBRATING 21 YEARS!

COMMUNITY RESOURCE / HEALTH & SAFETY FAIR

Saturday, June 22nd & July 20th

9:00am – 3:00pm

Sponsored by Sound Transit

Everything you need to know about your Health & Fitness,
Fire & Police Safety and your Local Resources. Ask about WIC distribution.



**ENJOY LUNCH AND SNACKS FROM OUR
FOOD VENDORS IN OUR COVERED EATING AREA**

SHOP AND ENJOY — Our many farmers with in-season fresh fruit
and vegetables, fresh flower bouquets,
bakery goods, snacks, plants, artisans and sponsors.

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federalwayfarmersmarket.com | 253-261-0207

Accepting: WIC, EBT, SFMNP, & Market Snap Coupons



Evergreen Middle School 1-5pm
Saturday, July 20, 2024

Gather your **team of SIX** and join us
for family-friendly FUN!

Raising funds to benefit your
community!



Scan QR Code
to register

TEAM EARLY BIRD SPECIAL!

Register before July 8th

TEAM of SIX (reg. \$295)

- Early Bird (code EARLY) \$255
- Individual Player \$50
- Buffet & Auction Only \$30



Rotary
Club of Federal Way



Sponsorships are available...

Donations and Auction items are appreciated.

Contact Cindy Ducich at 253-336-5362

Email rotaryfederalway@gmail.com with questions.



Kiwanis®

The Federal Way Kiwanis Salmon Bake returns for its 68th year at beautiful Steel Lake Park!

This event raises funds to support youth and community programs throughout Federal Way.

Join us for the following and more:

- A delicious salmon dinner with salads, rolls, corn (if the crop comes in)
- Kid's hot dog meal available
- A beer and wine garden (over 21 only)
- Classic Rock with the Max Rensha Band (and maybe more)
- Ice cream from Sub-Zero
- A silent auction and a "gift card wall"
- Booths featuring local non-profits



68TH ANNUAL KIWANIS SALMON BAKE

July 26, 2024

4-8pm

Steel Lake Park

TICKETS:

Advance Purchase

Salmon Meal \$30*

At the door

Salmon Meal \$35

Kids Hot Dog Meal \$5

*fees apply for online sales

GET YOUR TICKETS ONLINE AT:

federalwaykiwanis.square.site



**KIWANIS FOUNDATION
OF FEDERAL WAY**

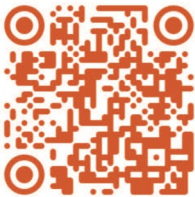
PO Box 3232

Federal Way WA 98063

The logo for the Bike Safety Event features the word "BIKE" in a large, bold, dark blue sans-serif font. Below it, the words "SAFETY" and "EVENT" are written in a smaller, bold, sans-serif font. "SAFETY" is in green and "EVENT" is in yellow. The background of the logo area is light blue with a subtle pattern of white and light blue geometric shapes, including triangles and squares.

BIKE
SAFETY EVENT

- Bike Rodeo (safety course)
- FREE Helmet Giveaway
while supplies last
- Safety Checks
- Repair Station
- Bike Decorating Station
- Recycle Station
all types of bicycles accepted
- Bicycle Giveaway & Other Prizes



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or scan the QR code

**SATURDAY
JULY 27
10 AM - 12 PM**

South King County Fire Department
South King Tool Library





FREE

Federal Way COMMUNITY Festival 2024

Celebrate and experience diverse cultures in and around Federal Way!

- Free Admission!
- Fun for the Whole Family
- Fun Activities for Kids
- Vendor Booths
- Variety of Food Trucks
- Multicultural Stage Performances



AUGUST 10
11AM - 6PM

TOWN SQUARE PARK

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