



Village Green Community Center

Welcome to Village Green

WHERE COMMUNITY COMES TOGETHER

We are at the heart of Kingston and our purpose is to CONNECT AND STRENGTHEN THIS COMMUNITY. The Kingston Library, Boys & Girls Club, Elevated Adventures, and Senior Center are all located here in one place. We are also an event space for weddings, conferences, meetings and more. Located near downtown Kingston and the Kingston/Edmonds ferry.

FEBRUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER

HIGHLIGHTS

Artist Reception for Margaret
Wright-Niemann

February 9th at 6:30 pm

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Couple's Massage Class

February 10th from 10 am - 1 pm

to register call 360-271-7094

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Hometown Reunion

February 17th from 10 am - 12 pm

Kingston Historical Society

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MUCH MORE INSIDE...



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www.MyVillageGreen.org

26159 DULAY ROAD NE
KINGSTON, WA 98346

WHAT'S NEW?

The Kingston Historical Society is hosting an event for our 2025 book

All in One Place: 100 Families from Kingston's First 75 Years.

Please save this date:

Hometown Reunion

Saturday, February 17, 2024

10 am – 12 noon

Village Green Community Center, Kingston



Invitation and further details will follow in January.

Please share this email so our Kingston neighbors know to join us to reminisce about the earlier days of our tiny town.

Add family members to our invite list or submit family histories or photographs:

kingstonwahistory@gmail.com

Kingston Historical Society | PO Box 263 | Kingston, WA 98346



Things to know about AARP Tax-Aide:

- Customers from last year will receive an invitation via email
- Appointments can be made starting February 1st
- AARP Tax-Aide operations begin February 8th
- The link to make appointments can be found on our home page at www.MyVillageGreen.org

ARTIST'S RECEPTION FEBRUARY 9 , 2024 6:30 - 8 PM



MARGARET
WRIGHT-NIEMANN



SHOWING IN THE GRAND HALLWAY GALLERY
FEBRUARY - MARCH 2024
SPONSORED BY THE VILLAGE GREEN ARTS PROGRAM



GREENWORKS LECTURE

Come join us for a discussion on transplanting

Lead by Dr. Ross Bayton,

the Garden Director of Heronswood Garden

February 13th @ 10- 11:30 am

Village Green Community Center

Register @ www.MyVillageGreen.org

Jointly sponsored by

The Northwest Perennial Alliance & Village Green's All Things Green

GROUPS & CLUBS

Village Green
Photo Group
1st and 3rd
Mondays @ 6 pm



Bridge
Wednesdays
@ 12:30 pm



Kiwanis Club
Thursdays @
7 am



Kingston
Writer's Group
3rd Thursday
@ 2 pm

KFOL Book
Donations 2nd
Saturday and
Monday @ 11 am
*only 1-2 small boxes or
bags per person



Rotary Club
Wednesdays @
12 pm Every 3rd
Wednesday @ 6
pm

Painter's
Drop-In
Thursdays @
12:30 pm



Kingston
Historical
Society
3rd Mondays
@ 11:15 am



Little Norway
Toastmasters 2nd
and 4th Tuesdays
@ 6:30 pm



Radio Club
1st Thursdays
@ 7 pm

Professionally Speaking
Toastmasters 1st
Thursdays @ 6:30 pm

Mahjong
Mondays @
12:30 pm



Laptops & Littles
Tuesdays @
9:45 am



Chamber of
Commerce 1st
Thursday at
11:30 am



Kingston Super Senior Luncheon

3rd Wednesday of
Every Month at 12 pm

Enjoy a hot meal and beverages while
spending quality time with friends.

\$10 per person

RSVP to HETTY at (360) 297-2241
or CAROL at (360) 860-5891



EXERTION

Easy ♥♥♥♥♥
Moderate ♥♥♥♥♥
Strenuous ♥♥♥♥♥

DANCE WORKOUT



Energetic, Fun, Easy to Follow
\$4 | Thur. @ 5:15 pm, Sat. @ 10 am

YOGA



Hatha-style, Relaxing, Rejuvenating
\$5 | Tues. & Thur. @ 8 am

PICKLEBALL



Fun, Competitive (indoors)
\$4 drop-in or \$30 for 10 passes
M-F 9am-12pm, Sa 10-12

CHAIR YOGA



Gentle, Relaxing, Rejuvenating
Tue. @ 10 am, Thu. @ 12 pm
\$2 drop-in or \$20 for 11 passes

CARDIO

KICKBOXING



Get a whole body workout based
on martial arts.
\$15 | Saturday @ 1 pm

BARRE



Low-impact, ballet-inspired
workout \$15 or 8 passes for \$95
Tues. 1 pm, Thur. @ 2:30 pm

QIGONG



Breathing & meditative exercises
Donation | Tues. @ 2:15 pm

LINE DANCING



Exercise body & brain and have a
blast
FREE | Tuesday @ 11 am

FULL BODY TONING



Stretching, cardio and resistance
training to tone every part of your
body | Mon, Wed, Fri @ 11 am
\$2 drop-in or \$20 for 11 passes

TAI CHI



Gentle, Relaxing
Donation | Tues. @ 2:45 pm

VILLAGE GREEN COMMUNITY CENTER



Village Green Community Center is bringing new life to its monthly newsletter. Now, locally printed and designed, it has brighter pages, sharper images, flexible ad spaces, and a steadily growing reader base as more of Kitsap discovers the heart of Kingston.

To advertise with us, contact Programs@myvillagegreen.org

February Library Programs



Adults

Kingston Book Group

This month we will discuss: "L.A. Weather" by Maria Amparo Escandón
Wednesday, Feb. 7, 10:00 -11:30 a.m.

Kids

Read to a Dog

Grades K-5

Wednesday, Feb. 7 & 28, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Take & Make: Lunar New Year Craft

Daily, Feb 12-16. While supplies last.

LEGO Lounge

Drop-in to build LEGO creations!

Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2-4 p.m.

Dot Art

Drop-in to paint a dot art masterpiece. Grades K-5

Wednesday, Feb. 21, 3:30-4:30 p.m.



Little Learners

Parachute Party

Shake and move the big parachute to silly kids' music. Ages 2-5 years.

Thursday, Feb. 1, 11-11:30 a.m.

Family Storytime

Ages 0-5

Mondays, 10:30-11 a.m. - No storytime Feb. 19

Baby Storytime

Mondays, 1-1:30 p.m. - No Storytime Feb 19

Little Explorers

Explore different STEM concepts through hands-on activities. Ages 3-5

Tuesday, Feb. 13, 11-11:45 a.m.

Baby Band

Babies and caregivers enjoy musical experiences that build early literacy skills and encourage social and emotional development.

Wednesdays, Feb. 14 & 28, 10:30-11 a.m.

Thursdays, Feb. 8 & 22, 1-1:30 p.m.



KITSAP REGIONAL



Library

For more information
visit KRL.org/events



Valentines Cupid by Karen H

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Barre
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Line Dancing
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February 2024



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Thursday
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Friday & Saturday
10 am - 5 pm
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Krl.org



NORTH KITSAP BOYS &
GIRLS CLUB
6:30 am - 6:30 pm
For more information
call (360) 297-3996
bgcsc.org



VILLAGE GREEN
COMMUNITY CENTER
REGULAR HOURS
Monday through
Thursday 9 am - 6 pm
Friday 9 am - 5 pm
Saturday 10 am - 5 pm

Visit our website at
MyVillageGreen.org for
our most up-to-date
calendar.

Follow our Facebook
page "Village Green
Community Center"

Sunday28	Monday29	Tuesday30
10 am Agate Pass Friends - Quakers 1 pm Baking with Isabel: Napoli-Style Pizza	11 am Full Body Toning 12:30 pm Mahjong 6 pm Childbirth and Newborn Care	8 am Yoga 9:45 am Laptops & Littles 10 am Chair Yoga 11 am Line Dancing 1 pm Barre 2:15 pm Qigong 2:45 pm Tai Chi
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CLASSES AND EVENTS

Wednesday 31	Thursday 1	Friday 2	Saturday 3
11 am Full Body Toning 11 am Senior Computing 12 pm Rotary 12:30 pm Bridge Club	7 am Kiwanis 8 am Yoga 11:30 Chamber Lunch 12 pm Chair Yoga 12:30 pm Drop-In Painting 2:30 pm Barre 5:15 pm Dance Workout 6:30 pm Professionally Speaking Toastmasters 7 pm Greater Kingston Radio Club	9 am Kingston Stakeholders 11 am Full Body Toning 12:30 pm Needlecraft	10 am Dance Workout 1 pm Cardio Kickboxing
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Learning Compassionate Touch for Couples

Valentine's Delight

A transformative 3-hour class on learning to communicate with your partner through healing touch.

- Witness hands-on demonstration and actively participate in practical exercises.
- All necessary supplies will be provided to ensure an immersive experience.
- Relevant references and tools.
- Take home kit: including foot bath, salts, oils, rose petals, treats from Sweet Life Cakery, and more.
- Enhance your connection and learn the art of compassion touch.

Date: February 10th

Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Location: Village Green , Kingston

Tuition: \$125 per couple

Presented by:

Aimee' Lee Busch— Butterfly Bodywork

Kaylee Willman— Willman Wellness



Puzzle 1 (Medium, difficulty rating 0.47)

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MAKE YOUR OWN GREETING CARDS!

Next card making sessions:

Wed., February 7th at 9:30 am

Tue., February 13th at 6:30 pm

Wed., February 14th at 9:30 am

\$10 per person for 3 cards

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Come to a Dementia Friends information session to learn a little more about what it's like to live with dementia and turn that understanding into action.

What happens at the Information Session ?

The 1-hour session is a discussion lead by a Dementia Friends Champion. It is not a training session. You'll learn what dementia is, what it's like to live with the disease, and some tips for communicating with people who have dementia.

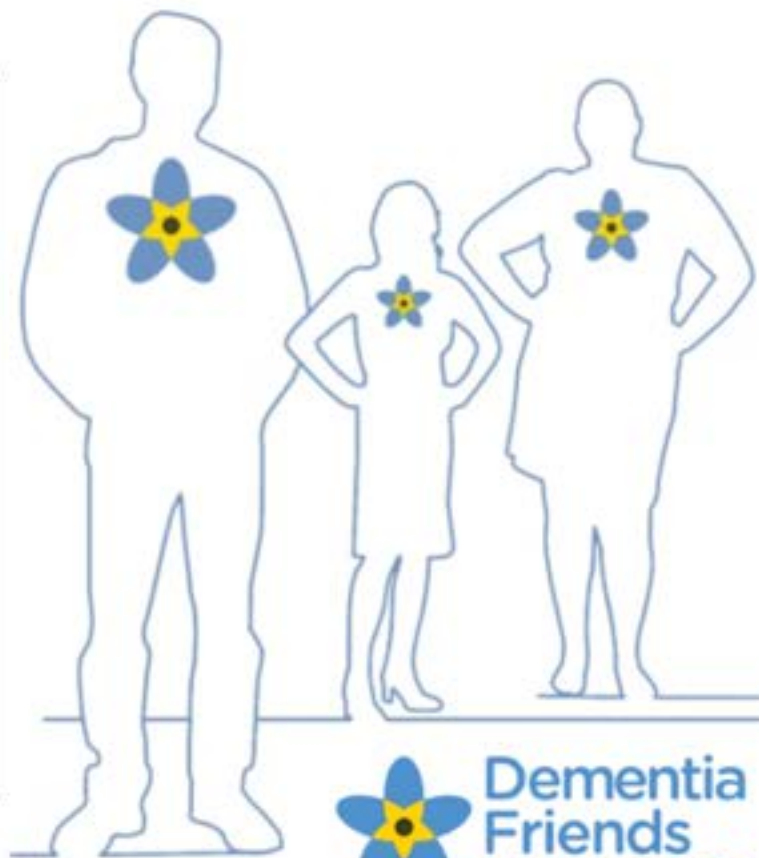
Date: February 20th

Time: 6-7:30pm

Location: Village
Community Center

Register at:

myvillagegreen.org
(or at the front desk)



**Dementia
Friends
USA**



A Dementia Friendly America Initiative

2024 ANNUAL BLUE DOOR GALA

March 23, 2024
5:00 PM

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HAND YOUR
FOR



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
OF NORTH KITSAP**

Tickets: bgcsc.org/BlueDoorGala



WATERCOLOR TECHNIQUE ART CLASS

Learn simple drawing and composition techniques while you explore various watercolor methods, including color theory, washes and wet-on-wet and wet-on-dry approaches. This class will begin with learning and practicing brush control skills while experimenting with color mixing methods. Take home a finished piece at the end of class. All high-quality art supplies are included.

\$45

Next Session:

Thursday, February 29, 2024

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Open to artists ages 16 years – Adult



NEW Art Class!



Flamingos in February

Thursday, February 8th - 6:00 PM

Fun & Fabulous! Fantastic class for couples. Fine for any age. Supportive and experienced instruction by longtime local artist Beverly Jewett. Family friendly drinks and snacks. \$40 per person (+tax) includes all supplies.

Village Green Community Center
26159 Dulay Rd NE, Kingston



Sign up here

Visit art-by-beverly.square.site for more classes and information.

Coming soon...

Isabel Gates' baking classes for February - go to www.MyVillageGreen.org to check for new classes and to register.

Kitsap Environmental Coalition 2024 movie theme: "Conversations about climate change and our community" - look for upcoming movies scheduled every 3rd Sunday.

Childbirth and newborn care classes are coming in March, May, July, September, and November this year. Watch for schedules coming soon!

VILLAGE GREEN COMMUNITY CENTER

We invite you to a FREE Community Meal

Friday, February 9th at 5 pm,

sponsored by:

Kingston Cares

&

Rotary Club of Kingston/NK



The Village Green Community Center opened in May 2016. It is managed by The Village Green Metropolitan Park District with the support of The Village Green Foundation, a 501(c)(3) organization.

The elected VGMPD Commissioners are Bobbie Moore, Tracy Harris, Jason Manges, Bob Netzel, and Pat Pearson.

Managed by Marcy Kispert

Indoor Pickleball

Monday thru Friday

9 am - 2 pm

Saturday 10 - 12 pm

\$4 drop-in

\$30 for 10 passes

**During the school year, non-school days affect pickleball hours.*



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