



CLINTON PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION

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ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

April - May 2010

Mayfest is on the horizon. Mark your calendars for May 29th. The fun begins at 5:00 p.m. There'll be food served until 7:00 p.m. Wine will be available, local brewed ales too! Entertainment will include South Whidbey's own 'Rural Characters' again with their homespun musical reflections of our island life.

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Recent events

March 17th Potluck and Member Meeting

St. Patrick's Day was the day, and we had the perfect potluck to mark the occasion. Corned Beef, Cabbage and Potatoes set the mood and were accompanied by Salad, Beans, Cornbread and Cookies.

Norm Brocard's presentation was highly entertaining. Teetering precariously atop his orchard ladder whilst demonstrating his futile attempts to thwart infestation by the evil Apple Maggot. Norm is quite the after dinner entertainer, let's hope that there are other topics with which he can weave his wry magic.

Projection Screen

Thanks to a \$350 grant from South Whidbey Rotary we now have a large projection screen available for presentations, videos, slide shows, movies etc. Three mounting locations are currently available in the main hall.

Mayfest Grant

More thanks...this time to the Port of South Whidbey and Whidbey Island Bank, both major sponsors for this May 29th event.

Clinton Water Forum

Funded with a grant from Puget Sound Partnership, this forum, on March 13th was well attended and well received. Valuable information was shared on water quality and pollution prevention, home made non-toxic cleaning supplies, organic gardening and rain gardens.

Rummage Sale

Another successful Rummage Sale Fundraiser. Donations poured in Tuesday through Friday, and the doors opened at 9:00 a.m. Saturday 27th for the sale.

We took in over \$1,500 that will go toward maintenance and improvements at the hall. Many thanks to our volunteers, the donors and the 'rummage hungry' public.

Landscaping Party

On Thursday April 8th a group of fourteen volunteers turned out to help tidy up and improve the landscaped areas at the hall. In only three hours they had weeded, planted, pruned, and edged. New planting areas were also created. It was a wonderful display of commitment to the Hall. This work has been made possible through grants from the Whidbey Island Garden Tour and advice and direction from the South Whidbey Garden Tour, particularly Jean Zook.