<u>Deer Lagoon Meeting, Tuesday,</u> <u>August 6th, 2013</u> *Please come and enjoy our Potluck at 5:30PM on Tuesday August 6th.* <u>*Please note this is an early meeting!*</u>

CRITTER WORKSHOP

HELP IS STILL NEEDED

We need volunteers to help with the annual Critter Workshop to be at the Tilth Sunday Farmer's Market on August 11th. Call Chuck, 222-3110 if you can help or provide produce for the children to work with. Last year we had about 60 children and several adults build their Critters for later entry in the Whidbey Fair.

Whidbey Island Area Fair

It's that time again, this year the fair is from August 15 - 18. If you are willing to be a Steward, Judge, or help with set-up, collecting and placing entries let us know. Call Chuck. Be ready to sign up at the meeting on the 6th.

I need receiving and staging help on Tues. Aug 13; attaching awards and final staging on Wed. Aug 14. There are a few more Steward slots to fill, most are Sunday morning and evening.

GRANGE DISPLAY at FAIR

We will be constructing our Display in the next few weeks. Judy and Tarey have the design, but will need help putting it together. Call Tarey 341-2008 for time and place to HELP.

BURRIER BDLG CLEANUP

Saturday at noon, you can help get the display area for the Fair spiffed up. Please come and pitch in. 8/3.

TILTH FEAST

We are invited to the Tilth "Sustainability Field-to-Table Harvest Feast" on Thursday Aug 8th. The live music and raffle event starts at 4:30PM until the drawing at 7:00PM. Bring a side dish and utensils; Tilth is providing the grilled Salmon.

TUNA RUN TIME IS NEAR

Chuck is taking orders for this year's Tuna Run. It is planned for Friday August 23rd. You can relax and visit at the hall while you await your fish delivery.

Call or email Chuck for details (222-3110, Whidstar@whidbey.com)

HOW TO CAN TUNA

You can learn how to can your Tuna by watching Tarey prepare her fillets for the cooking sealing process that Friday evening when the Tuna is delivered to the Grange Hall.

Oil Tank for sale.

We have a year old 290 gal. oil tank for sale. Call Ken Schillinger, 341-2092, if you know someone who might want to purchase it.

Grange Competetion Results

We did very well. One "Best of Show"; two "Second Best of Show"; several "Best of Class"; and a lot of Blue ribbons. See "South Whidbey residents place at State Grange contests" on p.9 of the South Whidbey Record of July 24. Please enter your items at the Whidbey Island Area Fair on Aug. 10.

Upcoming Events

Aug. 8. Tilth picnic Aug. 11. Critter Workshop Aug. 15- 18. Whidbey Area Fair Aug. 23. Tuna Run Nov. 12- 16. National @ Manchester, NH.

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Another month has come and gone, and I'm further behind yet in getting my yard work caught up; I hope you're doing better. It's also time to make preparations for our participation in the Whidbey Island Area Fair (Aug. $15^{\text{th}} - 18^{\text{th}}$). I think that with the experience we've gained in the last few years, it should go smoothly. The building is in fairly good condition, and will need nothing more than some light washingdown, sweeping, mopping and a bit of decorating. Our next regular meeting is Aug. 6th, and I hope to see everyone there (don't forget the potluck starts at 5:30). In August or maybe September, I hope to get everyone to help with a clean-up party at the hall. It's looking a little shabby, and some cleaning would make a big difference. Fraternally Yours,

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