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JANUARY 2015

Jan 2 **Winter Wonders (Children's Activity),** two sessions, choose one:
11 a.m. – noon and 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Wintertime is full of wonders! From trees to animals, learn about what trees and animals do in the winter. We always make a fun craft to take home! **Ages:** 3 years and older. **Cost:** $2/resident and $3/non-resident. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-6885, course 90864 or 90865. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 3 **Lewis Creek Park Ranger Hike,** 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Explore the natural history of Lewis Creek Park with a Park Ranger. Look for signs of local wildlife, and learn what to do when encountering animals in the wild. Dress for the weather and wear sturdy shoes. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 4 **"Life: Mammals" (Nature Movie),** 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
From whales in the oceans, to lions and elephants on the African plains, mammals are successful at the game of survival. Learn about the adaptations that help mammals to thrive including familial ties, social structure, intelligence and warm-bloodedness. **Ages:** Best for ages 12 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 4 **Ranger Program: Lions, Coyotes and Bears, OH MY!,** 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
Do you know what large predators live in the Bellevue area? Learn about cougars, coyotes, black bears and other native hunters in this educational program. You will also learn why natural predators are so important to a healthy ecosystem, and what to do if you run into one of these large animals. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

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Jan 6 **Creative Garden Writing Workshop with Steve Lorton,**
9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Steve Lorton, former Northwest Bureau Chief and Garden Editor for *Sunset* magazine, will teach attendees how to write descriptive articles about gardens. Attendees will spend some time in one of the Bellevue Botanical Garden's gardens, after which they will write about what they observed, with Steve's guidance. Steve has written extensively about gardens in America, Japan, Korea, Finland, England, Spain, France and Brazil. Class is limited to 15 participants. This class is offered again on January 27, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Cost:** $25 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $35. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:**
http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

Jan 8 **Basic Snowshoe Course, 6:30 p.m. – 9 p.m. (with field trip on January 17 or January 25)**
Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
This course, offered by TRACKS and the Foothills Branch of the Mountaineers, is designed for anyone over age 18 who wants to learn snowshoe skills and how to safely enjoy snowshoeing in our Puget Sound winter wonderland. The course consists of one weekday evening lecture and a full-day weekend instructional field trip. Participants will learn how to travel safely on snowshoes, select and use proper gear and clothing, and choose the right outing and routes for their skill level. The course will also provide an introduction to avalanche awareness and the basics of winter survival. Some gear will be provided by request. **Lecture:** Thursday, January 8**. Field trip:** Saturday, January 17, or Sunday, January 25 (student chooses one). **Ages:** 18 years and older, or 14 years and older if taking the course with a parent. **Cost:** $65 for Mountaineer members; $85 for non-members. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:**
www.mountaineers.org – click on the "Learn" tab and then follow the prompts to find the Foothills Branch Basic Snowshoe course.

Jan 10 **All About Bones,** 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Come examine the skulls of several animals that live in Bellevue, and find out which is which! Discover the reason that each skull looks the way it looks, and how bones can tell the life story of an animal. **Ages:** 5 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 11 **"Wild Kratts: Platypus Café" (Children's Movie),** 2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Join the adventures of the Kratt Brothers as they meet up with cool creatures from around the world. Each episode is an adventure that also features how animals use science in their natural lives. Running time is 30 minutes. **Ages:** 3 years and older. **Cost:** Free! Donations will be gratefully accepted. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

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Do you know what large predators live in the Bellevue area? Learn about cougars, coyotes, black bears and other native hunters in this educational program. You will also learn why natural predators are so important to a healthy ecosystem, and what to do if you run into one of these large animals. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

Jan 13 **Becoming a Northwest Gardener, 7** p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Tom Fischer, senior acquisitions editor at Timber Press and former editor of *Horticulture* magazine, will lead this lecture. Tom traces the development of his front and back gardens in choosing plants and design elements. His talk also focuses on his "learning curve" (both successful and unsuccessful) after moving from the east coast in 2004. **Cost:** $5 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $15. **Pre-registration:** Not required; lectures are first-come, first-served. **Info:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

Jan 14 **Farm Hands – Chicken Meet & Greet,** 1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
Farm Hands is designed for school-aged kids with early release Wednesdays. Blend a touch of work and a dash of play, and mix together for a fun afternoon with Farmer Jayne. We'll learn about our animals, make treats and work in the farm yard. **Ages:** 5 to 8 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-7688, course #90764. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

Jan 16 **Plantsmanship as Competitive Sport - Special Event with Dan Hinkley and Jim Fox,** 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Bellevue Botanical Garden Education Center, 12001 Main Street
Please join us for what promises to be a lively evening as plants-men Dan Hinkley and Jim Fox discuss their favorite plants. Silent auction includes rare plants, rare prints, and dinner at Windcliff. Proceeds benefit plant exploration and study. **Admission Cost:** $45. **Info and to purchase tickets:** http://www.heronswoodgarden.org/events/ and go to prompt for Fox/Hinkley lecture BBG.

Jan 17 **Coal Creek Park Hike,** 10 a.m. - noon
Meeting place: Redtown Trailhead (Cougar Mountain) on Lakemont Blvd SE
Discover Bellevue's largest park and get lost in the wilderness while still in the city! This area is rich in history and wildlife. **Distance:** 5 miles. **Level of difficulty:** Moderate (100 feet elevation change). **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

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Jan 17 **Bellevue Aquatic Center – Open House,** 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Bellevue Aquatic Center, 601 143rd Avenue NE
Come to our open house to learn more about opportunities for employment and volunteering at the Aquatic Center! We'll have information about customer service positions, and lifeguard and swim instructor/ instructor aide positions for paid staff and volunteers. **Ages:** 15 years and older for staff positions; 13 years and older for volunteers who have a swim background. **Cost:** Open house is free. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** Scott Armstrong – sarmstrong@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2806.

Jan 17 **Photography 101 Class (two-part class),** 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Professional photographer Leslie Cohan, of Images through the Door Photography, teaches "Getting to Know Your Camera." The second class will be held on January 24. **Cost:** $45 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $55. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

Jan 19 **MLK Day Health Fair & "Celebration of a Dream" Community Tribute - "Live Healthy, Live Longer" -** 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Crossroads Bellevue Shopping Center, 15600 NE 8th Street
The Bellevue Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. proudly presents this tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Event features onsite mammograms, health screenings, community resources, zumba demo, voter registration, Kids' Korner, raffles, live entertainment and guest speakers! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Co-sponsored by:**
City of Bellevue Parks & Community Services Diversity Program, King County Library System, and KBCS-FM 91.3**. Info:** Kevin Henry – khenry@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7886

Jan 22 **Beginner Nordic Skiing Course – Intro Lecture, 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.**
Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
This course, offered by TRACKS and 1 World Outing Club, is for anyone looking to start cross country skiing! A great activity for all ages, we'll show you the basics and open the doors to trips throughout the winter. This lecture will cover the basic how-tos of planning a trip, choosing and renting gear, and getting started on your skis to prepare you for the day field trip (February 28), or to head out on your own. **Lecture:** Thursday, January 22**. Ages:** 16 years and older, or 8 years and older if taking the course with a parent. **Cost:** Free. **Pre-registration:** Optional; not required for evening lecture. **To register (optional):** www.MyParksandRecreation.com, course 93942. **Info:** Lance Young, 1 World Outing Club, 206-363-0859.

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Jan 23 **Create a Wildlife-Friendly Habitat in Your Yard,** 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Your home is your habitat. As our city grows, wildlife lose their habitat. But you can help! Join a Ranger to learn how you can help create a wildlife habitat in your yard. Learn about the wildlife that live in Bellevue and how to help provide the four basic needs: food, water, shelter and space. **Ages:** All ages; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993, course 90749.

Jan 23 **Owl Prowl,** 7:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Discover what owl species live in the Pacific Northwest. Then take a night hike with a Ranger to listen for owls and other nocturnal wildlife in the park. Bring a flashlight or headlamp, as well as good shoes, for the journey! **Ages:** 5 years and older. **Cost:** $5/resident and $6/non-resident. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-6885, course 90873. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 24 **Capturing Nature through Watercolor (two-part class),** 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
This two-class series is taught by Carol McKinney, a professional watercolorist for over 30 years. She has exhibited in Washington, Massachusetts, California, and Italy. All supplies are included. **Cost:** $50 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $70. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

Jan 24 **Frozen,** 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24th Street
'Chill-out' with Miss Karen! Make icy treats, snow people art, and dance to everyone's favorite movie soundtrack. **Ages:** 2 to 5 years old. **Cost:** $20/residents and $25/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-4106, course 93027. **Info:** NWAC@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-4106.

Jan 24 **I Painted That! (three class series),** 12:30 p.m. – 2 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
This three-class series is for children 7 to 10 years old, and is an introductory watercolor class taught by Carol McKinney. All supplies are included. The second and third classes will be held on January 31 and February 7. **Cost:** $60 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $75. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

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Jan 25 **Hiking Year Round – Winter Trail Series, Twin Falls,** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Leaves from Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
Your season doesn't have to end in October. The crisp winter air or eerie fog rolling through a valley can really add new beauty to a hike. In this all-ages hiking series, we'll head out into the nearby mountains to see some old classics with a new perspective. Be sure to dress for the weather with warm layers and boots. Our experienced guides will explain the basics of staying happy and safe on a wintertime hike, and will lead you on the trail. Transportation will be provided. Some gear is available. Bring a snack and water. **Ages:** All ages welcome; children must be accompanied by an adult. **Cost:** $5. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 89695. **Info:** 425-452-6883.

Jan 25 **Northwest Perennial Alliance Winter Lecture,** 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Join us for the Northwest Perennial Alliance Lecture with Mary Palmer Dargan and Hugh Graham Dargan: "Lifelong Landscape Design: Can your landscape fit your lifestyle like a glove?" Doors open at noon for plant and book signing. Open to all ages. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free for Northwest Perennial Alliance members; $15 for non-NPA members.
Info: http://www.northwestperennialalliance.org

Jan 25 **Coal Mining at Cougar Mountain (Eastside Heritage Center program),**
2 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
This program focuses on 100 years of local coal mining. In 1888 there were 20 mules and 200 men employed here! Exporting coal to San Francisco turned Seattle into a dominant seaport. Learn what is underneath a mountain that is older than Rainier. Presented in partnership by the Eastside Heritage Center and Bellevue Parks & Community Services. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Jan 25 **Wolves of Washington,** 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
Did you know that Washington State is being recolonized by a native wolf population? This is a very controversial topic, and there are many differing opinions throughout the state on the allowance of such an event. Come learn about both sides of the story, the history of the grey wolf, and the benefits of natural predators in an ecosystem. **Ages:** Best for ages 10 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

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Jan 28 **Animal Enrichment – Rainy Day Rabbits,** 1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
This program is for 8-10 year-olds on early release Wednesdays. Help Farmer Jayne create opportunities to actively engage and entertain our farm animals. Learn how they think and which activities animals need to stay busy. Let's make our farm animals' habitats rewarding and fun. **Ages:** 8 to 10 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** Call 425-452-7688 to register for course 90785. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

Jan 30 **"Clash: Encounters of Bears and Wolves" (Nature Movie),** 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
In Yellowstone's vast and complex kingdom, two dominant predators reign supreme: the grizzly bear and the wolf. Size and power square off against speed and teamwork, as mighty grizzly bears contend with powerful packs of wolves for control of the food supply. We'll provide the popcorn! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

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Feb 1 **"Planet Earth: Forests" (Nature Movie),** 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Investigate temperate regions and find elusive wildlife and well-adapted plants. From the giant sequoia trees of the West Coast, to the forests of Siberia, explore the forests of the world. Running time is 44 minutes. **Ages:** 12 years and older. **Cost:** Free! Donations will be gratefully accepted. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 3 **Discover the Birds of Lake Hills Greenbelt – Walk with Hugh Jennings,** 8:30 a.m. – 10 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Demonstration Garden Kiosk, 15500 SE 16th Street
Get to know our winter birds in the Lake Hills Greenbelt! Join Hugh Jennings, an avid birder since 1988, to explore our wetland waterfowl, native songbirds, and woodland edge woodpeckers. Learn which birds spend their winters here and which ones you should expect to see in the spring. Please dress for the weather. If you have binoculars, please feel free to bring them along! **Ages:** 9 years and older; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993, course 90750.

Feb 5 **Winter Wildlands Alliance Backcountry Film Festival,** 7 p.m.
Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
The Winter Wildlands Alliance Backcountry Film Festival celebrates the human-powered winter experience through film. The festival aims to entertain while helping to raise funds and awareness for Winter Wildlands and our like-minded partners. The selection of unique films that make up the Backcountry Film Festival will inspire you to grab your buddies to embrace the fun and beauty of winter. Event is co-sponsored by The Mountaineers. **Ages:** All ages. **Cost:** Advanced tickets - $12 for Mountaineers members and Bellevue residents. Day of show tickets - $15. **To buy tickets:** www.brownpapertickets.com . **Info:** jwalenga@bellevuewa.gov or http://winterwildlands.org/what-we-do/backcountry-film-festival/ .

Feb 6 **Going Batty (Children's Activity),** two sessions – choose one:
11 a.m. – noon and 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
What does it mean to go batty?! Come find out what bats do! We always make a fun craft to take home. **Ages:** 3 years and older. **Cost:** $2/resident and $3/non-resident. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-6885, course 90866 or 90867. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

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Feb 7 **Lewis Creek Park Ranger Hike,** 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Join a Ranger to explore the natural history of Lewis Creek Park with a Park Ranger. Look for signs of local wildlife, and learn what to do when encountering animals in the wild. Dress for the weather and wear sturdy shoes. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 7 **Mason Bees (Garden Class),** 10 a.m. - noon
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Join us for this class with Dave Hunter of Crown Bees, Woodinville. Learn about the gentle nature of these amazing pollinators. Creating safe havens for bees also protects our environment, food supply, water and even our pocketbooks! **Cost:** $45 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $55. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

Feb 8 **"Growing Up Wild: Crazy Croakers" (Children's Movie),** 2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
"Growing Up Wild" gives fun and entertaining insight into the animal kingdom. In this episode, learn all about amphibians from frogs and toads to salamanders! Running time is 30 minutes. **Ages:** 3 years and older. **Cost:** Free! Donations will be gratefully accepted. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 8 **Ranger Program: Creatures of the Night,** 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
At night when people go to sleep, the forest comes to life! Many nocturnal creatures make their home in the northwest and have amazing adaptations that allow them to success in a world with no light. Whether it's a group of bats, a silent owl, or even a sneaky raccoon, the world of darkness is a fascinating place! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

Feb 11 **Farm Hands – Happy Valentine's Day to our Animal Friends**,
1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
Create Valentine's Day treats for our animal friends and deliver the goodies around the barnyard with Farmer Jayne. We'll use our imaginations with card making for our favorite people too, and end up our time with a special holiday treat for ourselves. **Ages:** 5 to 8 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-7688, course #90765. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

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Feb 14 **My Little Valentine,** 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24th Street
Bring your mom or dad and make a special box-lunch for both of you to share. Together, make a special gift to take home. Sing songs, do a little dance, and complete the morning by decorating a sweet Valentine treat. **Ages:** 2 to 5 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-4106, course 90609. **Info:** NWAC@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-4106.

Feb 14 **Sweetheart Hike,** noon – 1 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Get outside before your dinner date! Bring your sweetheart or best friend and join a Park Ranger on a hike to celebrate Valentine's Day. Learn about native animal pairs as we wander through Lewis Creek Park. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 15 **Ranger Program: Creatures of the Night,** 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
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Feb 19-April 9 **Docent Training,** 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., eight consecutive Thursdays
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
The Bellevue Botanical Garden Society is accepting volunteer applications for new docents. Learn how to be a garden docent and give tours at the Garden – share your gardening passion! Go to www.bellevuebotanical.org for the Volunteer Application or contact bbgsoffice@bellevuebotanical.org .

Feb 20 **Bats of Bellevue,** 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Have you ever wondered what bats we have around Bellevue? How much or what they eat? What exactly do these little flying mammals do? If so, come by the Ranger Station to discover all about bats, their benefits, and how they contribute to a healthy ecosystem. **Ages:** All ages welcome; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993, course 90762.

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Feb 21 **Now You See Me, Now You Don't,** 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Why are deer brown? Why are frogs green? Why do owls have spots? Discover how various animals disguise themselves and "disappear" into their environment using camouflage. **Ages:** 5 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 21 **Bat Hike,** 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
Discover what types of bats live in Mercer Slough, and then take a short Night Hike to look and listen for bats and other nocturnal wildlife. Bring a flashlight or a headlamp, as well as good shoes for the journey! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

Feb 22 **Hiking Year Round – Winter Trail Series, Little Si,** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Leaves from Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
Your season doesn't have to end in October. The crisp winter air or eerie fog rolling through a valley can really add new beauty to a hike. In this all-ages hiking series, we'll head out into the nearby mountains to see some old classics with a new perspective. Be sure to dress for the weather with warm layers and boots. Our experienced guides will explain the basics of staying happy and safe on a wintertime hike, and will lead you to the top of Little Si. Transportation will be provided. Some gear is available. Bring a snack and water. **Ages:** All ages welcome; children must be accompanied by an adult. **Cost:** $5. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 89696. **Info:** 425-452-6883.

Feb 22 **Crows (Living with Wildlife),** 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
Crows are one of our most common wildlife residents – they have more advanced cognitive abilities than many mammals, have amazing memory and are very social. Find out why crows gather at Factoria Mall, and what the fuss is all about. Learn what crows know, and discover how we can get along together. **Ages:** 8 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 25 **Animal Enrichment – Valentine Surprise,** 1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
This program is for 8-10 year-olds on early release Wednesdays. Help Farmer Jayne create opportunities to actively engage and entertain our farm animals. Learn how they think and which activities animals need to stay busy. Let's make our farm animals' habitats rewarding and fun. **Ages:** 8 to 10 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** Call 425-452-7688 to register for course 90786. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

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Why are deer brown? Why are frogs green? Why do owls have spots? Discover how various animals disguise themselves and "disappear" into their environment using camouflage. **Ages:** 5 years and older. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 27 "**The Secret World of Bats" (Nature Movie),** 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
This 48-minute film, originally shown on CBS television, captures all aspects of bat behavior across five continents with remarkable slow-motion photography. We'll provide the popcorn! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

Feb 27 **Night Hike,** 7:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE
When the sun sets and the dark of night creeps in, Lewis Creek Park comes alive! Learn about the different nocturnal and crepuscular species that call Bellevue home, and join a Ranger on a hike through the woods after dark. Bring a flashlight or headlamp, as well as good shoes and warm clothes, for the journey. **Ages:** 5 years and older. **Cost:** $2/resident and $3/non-resident. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com or 425-452-6885, course #90887. **Info:** 425-452-4195.

Feb 28 **Beginner Nordic Skiing Course – Day Trip,** 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Leaves from Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
This course, offered by TRACKS and 1 World Outing Club, is for anyone looking to start cross country skiing! A great activity for all ages, we'll show you the basics and open the doors to trips throughout the winter. The course consists of one weekday evening lecture (January 22) and a full-day weekend instructional field trip. You may attend one or both. **Field Trip:** Transportation will be provided, leaving from Highland Community Center. This will be a full-day trip with a beginner lesson and plenty of time to explore on your own. **Gear is not provided; you must obtain your own equipment prior to the trip. For advice on choose rental gear, we recommend attending the January 22nd lecture.** **Ages:** 16 years and older, or 8 years and older if taking the course with a parent. **Cost of Day Trip:** $50. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com, course 93943. **Info:** Lance Young, 1 World Outing Club, 206-363-0859.

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Feb 28 **Discover the Birds of Lake Hills Greenbelt – Nature Walk with Hugh Jennings,** 8:30 a.m. – 10 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Get to know our winter birds in the Lake Hills Greenbelt! Join Hugh Jennings, an avid birder since 1988, to explore our wetland waterfowl, native songbirds, and woodland edge woodpeckers. Learn which birds spend their winters here and which ones you should expect to see in the spring. Please dress for the weather. If you have binoculars, feel free to bring them along! Meet at the kiosk in front of the Master Gardener's Demonstration Garden at 15500 SE 16th Street. **Ages:** All ages; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993, course 90750.

Feb 28 **Bringing the Living Space into the Garden (Garden Class),** 10 a.m. - noon
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
This class will be taught by Karen Stefonick, award-winning landscape designer. Learn how to enhance your indoor living space into the garden. **Cost:** $45 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; $55 for non-BBGS members **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** www.bellevuebotanical.org .

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March 1 **Ranger Program: Black, White, and Grey: of Crows, Seagulls, and Pigeons,** 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
How much do you know about the most common of flyers? People living in the cities of the northwest see crows, seagulls, and pigeons every day, but do we really know that much about them? Where do pigeons nest? How do seagulls care for their young? Just exactly how smart is a crow? Come find out in this fascinating class designed for children and adults! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

March 4 **Farm Hands – Rabbit Wiggles and Giggles**, 1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
How far can you jump? Hop on over to practice your rabbit skills and meet our beautiful rabbit friends with Farmer Jayne. We'll pet and brush and work by the rabbit cages with our rakes, making the area tidy and neat for them. **Ages:** 5 to 8 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** 425-452-7688, course #90766. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

March 5 **Plan Your Spring Vegetable Garden,** 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Learn about soil preparation for organic in-ground vegetable gardening, including seed sowing, cold frames, companion planting and Northwest crop cycles/rotation. This class is offered in conjunction with Seattle Tilth. **Cost:** $45 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $55. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and reservations:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

March 8 **Ranger Program: Black, White, and Grey: of Crows, Seagulls, and Pigeons,** 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
How much do you know about the most common of flyers? People living in the cities of the northwest see crows, seagulls, and pigeons every day, but do we really know that much about them? Where do pigeons nest? How do seagulls care for their young? Just exactly how smart is a crow? Come find out in this fascinating class designed for children and adults! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

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March 10 **Design Tips for an Environmentally-Friendly Ooh-La-La Garden,** 7 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Ciscoe Morris, writer and radio/TV personality, teaches ways to make your garden more attractive, fun, and interesting to work in. Learn how to create a garden to attract birds and wildlife and will be easier to maintain without resorting to chemical pesticides. **Cost:** $45 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $55. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and reservations:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

March 13 **Gardening with Your Children Series – Plan and Prepare Your Garden,** 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Learn about ideas to make your garden fun for the entire family. We'll discuss how to pick a location, use the materials you may already have, and how to prepare the soil for a successful garden. Learn about what seeds and plants can go in the ground in early spring, and which need to wait for the warm sun of June. You will make a fun craft to bring home to your very own garden. **Ages:** All ages welcome; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 90780. **Info:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993.

March 14 **March Mania Plant Sale,** 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Get a jump on spring and stock up with plants available from specialty nurseries. Bring the whole family – there will be a kids' corner that might inspire our next generation of gardeners! Proceeds support the NPA perennial border at the BBG. **Ages:** All ages welcome; bring the family. **Cost:** Free admission; various prices for plants. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** http://www.northwestperennialalliance.org/

March 14 **Lucky Leprechauns,** 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24th Street
Top o' the mornin' to ya! Join us for art, games, music and all things green! Don't forget to wear something Leprechaun green so you won't get pinched! There's a pot of 'gold' waiting for you at the end of the rainbow! **Ages:** 2 to 5 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** Call 425-452-4106 to register for course 90610. **Info:** NWAC@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-4106.

March 15 **Northwest Perennial Alliance presents Nikolay Memorial Lecture,** 1 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Seth Hogan presents "From Old Classics to New." **Ages:** Open to all ages. **Cost:** NPA members - $5; non-members - $20. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** http://www.northwestperennialalliance.org/

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March 15 **Western Grey Squirrels,** 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
Once a prominent species in Washington, the threatened Western grey squirrel is now seldom seen in its native habitat. Guest speaker Katrina Fiske has been studying the Western grey squirrel with the Pacific Biodiversity Institute. She will present her findings on this creature and speak about the importance of maintaining natural habitat. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

March 18 **Animal Enrichment – Springy Goats,** 1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
This program is for 8-10 year-olds on early release Wednesdays. Help Farmer Jayne create opportunities to actively engage and entertain our farm animals. Learn how they think and which activities animals need to stay busy. Let's make our farm animals' habitats rewarding and fun. **Ages:** 8 to 10 years old. **Cost:** $25/residents and $30/non-residents. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** Call 425-452-7688 to register for course 90787. **Info:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

March 20-21 **Puget Sound Dahlia Association Tuber Sale,** 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Ages: All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free admission; various prices for plants. **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** http://www.pugetsounddahlias.org/

March 20 **Gardening with Your Children Series – Maintain Your Garden – Watering, Weeding and Trellising,** 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Learn some fun and environmentally friendly ways to keep your plants growing throughout the summer. Learn which plants need a little help along the way with supported structures, and how you can make some easy and fun trellises. Bring a plant home to start your own garden! **Ages:** All ages welcome; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 90954. **Info:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993.

March 20-29 **"Oblio and the Pointless Forest" (Bellevue Youth Theatre Production),** March 20, 21, 27 and 28 at 7 p.m.; March 22, 28 and 29 at 2 p.m.
Bellevue Youth Theatre-Crossroads, 16051 NE 10th Street
This is a story based on Harry Nilsson's "The Point." It includes all the classic songs such as "Me and My Arrow," and is suitable for all ages. Come be a part of the first show of the first season at the new BYT Theatre! All seats are reserved. We recommend purchasing tickets in advance, as BYT shows frequently sell out. **Ages:** This show is suitable for audiences of all ages. **Cost:** $10 advance tickets, or $12 if purchased after March 13. **Info and to buy tickets:** 425-452-7155.

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March 27 **Gardening with Your Children Series – Attracting Pollinators and Determining Helpful Bugs from Harmful Bugs,** 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Bees, butterflies and hummingbirds are all important pollinators for a vegetable garden. Learn about the process of pollination and how to attract these essential garden helpers. We'll also talk about other beneficial bugs and harmful bugs, and how to tell them apart. You will get to plant your own flowers to attract pollinators in your garden. **Ages:** All ages welcome; we encourage families to attend. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 90955. **Info:** ParkRangerProgram@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-6993.

March 27 **An Original Duckumentary (Nature Movie),** 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, Douglas Fir Community Room, 1625 118th Avenue SE
This program follows a wood duck family as a male and females create a bond, migrate together across thousands of miles, nurture and protect a brood of chicks, then come full circle as they head to their wintering grounds. We'll provide the popcorn! **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** Not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

March 28 **The Wonderful World of Trilliums,** 10 a.m. - noon
The Aaron Education Center at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main Street
Join us for this lecture by Susie Egan, landscape designer, master gardener, speaker and owner of Cottage Lake Gardens. Susie's lecture will focus on the history, botany and culture of trilliums while showing photographs of many of the most popular trilliums that are easily grown in the Pacific Northwest. Lecture is first-come, first-served. **Cost:** $5 for Bellevue Botanical Garden Society members; non-BBGS members - $15. **Info:** http://www.bellevuebotanical.org/classes.html

March 29 **Hiking Year Round – Winter Trail Series, Middle Fork Snoqualmie River,** 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Leaves from Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Road
Your season doesn't have to end in October. The crisp winter air or eerie fog rolling through a valley can really add new beauty to a hike. In this all-ages hiking series, we'll head out into the nearby mountains to see some old classics with a new perspective. Be sure to dress for the weather with warm layers and boots. Our experienced guides will explain the basics of staying happy and safe on a wintertime hike, and will lead you on the trail. Transportation will be provided. Some gear is available. Bring a snack and water. **Ages:** All ages welcome; children must be accompanied by an adult. **Cost:** $5. **Pre-registration:** Required. **To register:** www.MyParksandRecreation.com , course 89697. **Info:** 425-452-6883.

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YEAR-ROUND EVENTS

Daily, times vary
Kids on the Farm
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
Meet the farm animals and learn interesting animal facts. Experience the old-fashioned skill of wool carding while creating a wooly sheep to take home. These tours are for preschool and school groups. Tours are available weekdays and are approximately one hour in length. **Ages:** 2 years and older. **Cost:** $85 for 15 or fewer people (children and adults). Additional attendees are $5.50 per child and $2.50 per adult. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

Daily, times vary
Springtime in the Barnyard
Kelsey Creek Farm Park, 410 130th Place SE
Welcome springtime with a tour of our farm animals, which may include chicks, goat kids, piglets and a calf. Learn about their special care, then finish up in the garden to plant pumpkin seeds. Tours are available weekdays and are approximately one hour in length. **Ages:** 2 years and older. **Cost:** $85 for 15 or fewer people (children and adults). Additional attendees are $5.50 per child and $2.50 per adult. **Pre-registration:** Required. **Info and to register:** kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-7688.

3rd Sunday of each month
NWRSA Area 2060 Greater Sammamish Hand Spinners, Noon - 2 p.m.
Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park (Farm House), 410 130th Place SE
Visitors invited to drop in and watch as spinners demonstrate the traditional art of hand spinning as they turn fuzzy fiber into yarn. New spinners welcome! **Register:** not required. All ages welcome; children must be accompanied by an adult. **Info:** 425-452-7688 or e-mail kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov.

4th Tuesday each month
Bellevue Youth Court, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, 450 110th Avenue NE, Council Chambers
Monthly session of Bellevue Youth Court with two juvenile court cases. **Info:** 425-452-2846 or hstephens@bellevuewa.gov .

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1st and 3rd Wednesday each month
Youth Link 25th Anniversary & Community Leadership Awards Event Planning Meeting, 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, 450 110th Avenue NE, Room 1E-120
Assist in planning our 25th anniversary celebration scheduled for May 2015, and help set the theme, program and marketing of the youth recognition event. Students will help plan and will gain experience in planning the community event from concept to delivery. **Info:** Youth Link: 425-452-5254 or palina@bellevuewa.gov . Visit www.youthlink.com for program and updated schedule.

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month
Bellevue Youth Council Meeting, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, 450 110th Avenue NE, Room 1E-120
Youth leadership and community service program for Bellevue middle and high school students. **Info:** Youth Link: 425-452-5254 or palina@bellevuewa.gov . Visit www.youthlink.com for program and updated schedule.

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month
Youth Link Marketing Committee, 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, Room 1E-120, 450 110th Avenue NE
Learn marketing through hands-on training and activities! Marketing team members work on the Bellevue Patch, YouthConnect, an online youth publication, develop marketing materials for the program and develop other marketing strategies using social media**. Info:** call Youth Link at 425-452-5254 or email palina@bellevuewa.gov . Visit www.youthlink.com for program and updated schedule info.

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month
Youth Link University Project Planning Meeting, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, 450 110th Avenue NE, Room 1E-120
Assist in the development of a youth business training course during the school year. Students will work with other adult volunteers and business professionals in the planning of the training curriculum, marketing and delivery of the program. **Info:** Youth Link: 425-452-5254 or palina@bellevuewa.gov . Visit www.youthlink.com for program and updated schedule.

1st Thursday each month
Bellevue Network On Aging Meeting, 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Bellevue City Hall, 450 110th Avenue NE, Room 1E-120
Info: 425-452-7681 or visit www.bellevuewa.gov/network_on_aging.htm.

Every Thursday
Kids Care Coat Drive Planning Committee, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Bellevue City Hall, Room 1E-120, 450 110th Avenue NE
Help plan an annual city-wide coat drive for families in Bellevue. **Info:** Youth Link at 425-452-5254 or palina@bellevuewa.gov . Visit www.youthlink.com for program and updated schedule info.

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Every Saturday
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Walk, 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16th Street
Do you know the story behind the Phantom at Phantom Lake? Have you ever seen our feathered migratory visitors? Can you spot a nurse log? Join a Park Ranger for a free guided tour of the Greenbelt. Discover the history of the park, view community gardens, and share stories about our local wildlife. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration** is not required. **Info:** 425-452-7225.

Every Saturday
Mercer Slough Nature Walk, 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.
Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118th Avenue SE
At 320 acres, Mercer Slough Nature Park is Lake Washington's largest wetland and Bellevue's second largest park! Meet a Park Ranger at the Environmental Education Center for a free guided tour to learn about the fascinating flora, fauna and history of the park. Please dress for weather. **Ages:** All ages welcome. **Cost:** Free! **Pre-registration:** not required. **Info:** mseec@bellevuewa.gov or 425-452-2565.

Every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
Luncheon, Noon
North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148th Avenue NE
Adults 60 and older can enjoy a delicious, hot lunch. ***Suggested donation***: $3 for those 60 and older; fee of $5.95 for those under 60. Lunches sponsored and prepared by Catholic Community Services staff and Center volunteers. Special events such as Thanksgiving and Holiday lunches. **Info/Pre-register:** 425-452-7681.