

**Bellevue Parks & Community Services  
Event List**

**February**

- Feb 5**      ***Dream Weaver by Jonathan London, part of Fiction Fridays***, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Look, Listen and Create during an hour of stories and activities with a Park Ranger. Parents and children will explore together. Ages 3 to 6. All children must be accompanied by a registered adult. Donation of \$1 per person is suggested. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885.
- Feb 5**      **Geology from Mountains to Sound**, 7p.m.-8:30p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118th Ave. SE. Geologist Rob Viens will present and discuss the geologic history of the region as it is expressed in the trails and parks along the Mountains to Sound greenbelt. Cost: \$5. Pre-registration is required. To register: 425- 452-6885.
- Feb 5**      **Dance- Disco Fever Dance**, 7pm-9:30pm, Highland Community Center, 14224 Bel-Red Rd. Dance for Teens and Adults with Developmental Disabilities. Cost: \$7 for Bellevue Residents \$9 for Non Residents. Information: 425-452-7686. To register: go to MyParksAndRecreation.com.
- Feb 6**      **Birds and Beaks!**, 2p.m.-3p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Join Eastside Audubon to discover the differences in birds' beaks. Learn about backyard birds and how to attract them, and make a feeder to take home. Ages 6Y and up. All children must be accompanied by a registered adult. Registration is required. A donation of \$2 is suggested for materials. To register: 425-452-6885.
- Feb 6**      **Avian Photography II**, 1-3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Learn successful tips for photographing birds in the wild. Please dress for the weather. Participants must bring their own digital cameras. Cost: \$5. Pre-registration is required. To register: 425- 452-6885.
- Feb 6**      **Winter Olympics Odyssey**, 10-11:30a.m., Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24<sup>th</sup> ST., Olympic games themed family workshop. Fun-filled morning competing for an 'Olympic' medal. How fast can you run? Throw? Art projects, music and treat! Ages 4-6. Information: [NWAC@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:NWAC@bellevuewa.gov) or call 425-452-6046.
- Feb 7**      **Ranger Program-Wildlife Tracking**, 2:30 p.m.- 3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Learn the techniques of animal tracking! Identity who made the tracks, what direction they were going, what they were doing and at what speed. All ages welcome. FREE. Information: 425-452-2565.
- Feb 9**      **Touch of Country Life: Hip Hop Valentine**, 10:30-11:30a.m. Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park, 410 130<sup>th</sup> PL SE. Join Farmer Jayne for a morning of farm fun! Classes are designed for children ages 2-5, paired with an adult. Registration is required. Registration: 425-452-6885. Cost: \$18/\$22. Information: 425 452-7688 or e-mail [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov).

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- Feb 9**      **Sweethearts Dance**, 2-4p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148th Ave NE. Join Sound of Swing as they play favorites of the Swing era and some special songs in honor of Valentine's Day. Fee \$3. Information: 425-452-7681.
- Feb 10**      **Volunteer Recognition Celebration**, 11:30a.m.-1:30p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148th Ave NE. This is a very special event to honor all the wonderful people who volunteered their time and talents for the North Bellevue Community/Senior Center in 2009. Watch for your invitation in the mail. Co-sponsored by the Bellevue Firefighters Community Support Foundation.
- Feb 13**      **Family Movies**, 2-4p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. It's Movie Time at Lewis Creek! *Wolves: A Legend Returns to Yellowstone*-National Geographic follows the re-introduction of the wolf into Yellowstone National Park and reveals how returning the species to this ecosystem has helped to restore natural balance. Appropriate for ages 5Y and up. Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult. Registration required. Information: 425-452-4195. To register: 425-452-6885.
- Feb 16<sup>th</sup>**      **"SBCC Olympic Movie Night"**, 6-9p.m., South Bellevue Community Center, 14509 SE Newport Way. "Popcorn Your Way to the Gold" In the spirit of the Winter Olympics, join us for the SBCC Popcorn Games, and a showing of 'Cool Runnings' on a 40-foot screen in the SBCC gym. This movie carries a PG rating. Movie will start at 7p.m. Cost: Free. For more information, call 425-452-4240.
- Feb 18**      **Avalanche Awareness**, 7p.m.-8:30p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Join avalanche expert Ken White in a dynamic discussion of avalanches. Learn the basics of avalanche hazards, the proper equipment in avalanche terrain, and how to avoid one. Ages 10Y and up. Registration required. All children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult. To register: 425-452-6885.
- Feb 26**      **Family Movie- The Biggest Dam Movie You Ever Saw!**, 5p.m.-6:30 p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118th Ave. SE. This movie shows several beaver families in their wild surroundings. With breathtaking underwater photography, you travel inside the lodge for a rare look at these charming and industrious creatures. Best for ages 10+. Free. Information: 425-452-2565.

**March**

- Mar 5**      ***The Salamander Room* by Anne Mazer, part of Fiction Fridays**, 11a.m.-12 p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Look, Listen and Create during an hour of stories and activities with a Park Ranger. Parents and children will explore together. Ages 3 to 6. All children must be accompanied by a registered adult. Donation of \$1 per person is encouraged. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Mar 7**      **Ranger Program-Wildlife Camouflage**, 2:30-3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Uncover strategies plants

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and animals use to conceal and deceive with camouflage. All ages welcome.  
FREE. Information: 425-452-2565.

- Mar 7**      **March Mania Plant Sale**, 11a.m.-3p.m., at Bellevue Botanical Garden Visitor Center, 12001 Main Street, Bellevue. This unique sale kicks off the local plant sale season. The show has evolved from its humble beginnings eight years ago into a successful event with a long line of gardeners waiting for the sale to begin. The sale is known for its unique specialties, spring ephemerals and treasures not readily found elsewhere. Admission is free. For more information, visit [www.n-p-a.org](http://www.n-p-a.org)
- Mar 9**      **Bellevue Park Walking Series 5% Day at Whole Foods Market**, 888 116<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, 7a.m.-10p.m. 5% of all purchase made will be donated to support Bellevue's free walks that highlight the best of city's art, parks, natural and historic sites. Information: Debbie Pettersson at 425-452-7106 or [DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov).
- Mar 9**      **St Patrick's Dance**, 2-4p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148th Ave NE. Join Sound of Swing as they play favorites of the Swing era and some special songs in honor of St. Patrick's Day. Fee \$3. Information: 425-452-7681.
- Mar 11**      **An Intro to the Night Sky**, 7-8:30pm, Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Join solar system ambassador and president of the Eastside Astronomical Society, Tom Gwilym, as he takes you on a journey of the stars. Explore the basics of star gazing and what the Spring stars reveal. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Mar 13**      **Call of the Wild Cost**, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Screeeech! Barump! Whoosh! And Owwww! Come join us to learn about how animals communicate with each other. Participate in a "smell mail" activity and look for coyote trail markers in the woods. \$10 per person. Ages 8Y and up. To register, call Nature Vision: 425-836-2697. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Mar 13**      **Family Movies**, 2-4p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. It's Movie Time at Lewis Creek! Whales: An Unforgettable Journey- Come learn about some of these fascinating giant mammals in this stunning movie, originally an IMAX film. Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Mar 13**      **Leapin' Leprechauns!**, 10-11:30a.m., Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24<sup>th</sup> ST., Join us for a darlin' of a time celebrating St. Paddy's Day! Eat green ice cream shakes, make green bowler hats, sing songs and read a story or two! Ages 2-5 with caregiver. Information: [NWAC@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:NWAC@bellevuewa.gov) or 425-452-6046.
- Mar 16**      **Touch of Country Life: Hip Hop Valentine**, 10:30-11:30a.m. Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park, 410 130<sup>th</sup> PL SE. Join Farmer Jayne for a morning of farm fun! Classes are designed for children ages 2-5, paired with an adult.

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**Mar 17** **St. Patrick's Day Luncheon**, 11:30a.m.-1p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE. Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with the North Bellevue Community Center. Bingo will be featured. Information: 425-452-7681.

**Mar 19-28** **Madeline**, March 19, 20, 26 & 27 from 7-9p.m., March 21, 27 & 28 from 2p.m.-4p.m. Bellevue Youth Theatre, 16661 Northup Way, Bellevue. Enjoy this retelling of the story of the cute little French girl and her classmates who find adventure and wiggle their way out of mischief. Wonderful for all ages, especially the young at heart. Information: Contact Sheila Framke at 425-452-7155.

**Mar 20** **Learning to See by Looking-Digital Photography**, 1-3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. This introductory course teaches nature photography techniques, provides one-on-one instruction, and time to practice your skills in Mercer Slough Nature Park. Participants must bring their own digital cameras. Cost: \$5. Pre-registration is required. To register: 425- 452-6885.

**Mar 26** **Family Movie-MicroCosmos**, 5-6:30 p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. This epic documentary captures the infinitely small and hidden world of insects. Best for ages 10+. Free. Information: 425-452-2565.

**Mar. 27** **Peep! Peep!**, 10-11:30a.m., Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24<sup>th</sup> ST., Family workshop. Make cheerful chicks that peek out of decorated eggs as well as other springtime creatures. Music, snack and an egg hunt round off our morning of FUN! Ages 2-5 with caregiver. Information: [NWAC@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:NWAC@bellevuewa.gov) or 425-452-6046.

**Mar 27** **Solar System**, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Come explore our solar system, understand how big it really is, and take home a "tape measure" of our planets. \$10 per person. Ages 8Y and up. To register, call Nature Vision: 425-836-2697. Information: 425-452-4195.

**April**

**Apr 2** **Going to be... a butterfly by Colin Walker, part of Fiction Fridays**, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Look, Listen and Create during an hour of stories and activities with a Park Ranger. Parents and children will explore together. Ages 3 to 6. All children must be accompanied by a registered adult. Donation of \$1 per person is encouraged. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.

**Apr 4** **Ranger Program-Bird Basics**, 2:30-3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Mercer Slough Nature Park attracts many migratory birds and year-round residents. Discover why the park is a great habitat

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for birds and see the incredible variety of species. All ages welcome. FREE.  
Information: 425-452-2565.

- Apr 7**      **Spring Fling Luncheon**, 11:30a.m.-1:30p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE. Celebrate Spring with the North Bellevue Community Center. Bingo will be featured. Information: 425-452-7681.
- Apr 10**      **Geology Rocks**, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Come find out more about the Rock Cycle, and play a game that shows how it works. You may take on the role of a volcano, magma, or the core of the Earth. \$10 per person. Ages 8Y and up. To register, call: 425-836-2697. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Apr 10**      **Family Movies**, 2-4p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. It's Movie Time at Lewis Creek! *Bees: Tales from the Hive*- Part of the series NOVA, this episode features fascinating close-up footage, capturing some of the most important moments in a bee's life. Running Time: 54 min. Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult. Registration required. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Apr 10**      **Ducks, Coots, and Loons**, 9a.m.-12:00 p.m., Enatai Beach Park, 3519 108th Ave. S.E. Get to know our web-footed friends by way of canoe! Join Master Birder Brian Bell and a City of Bellevue Park Ranger as they explore our wetland waterfowl. Learn which birds spend their winters here and who you should expect to see in the slough this summer. Some paddling experience required. Pre-registration is required. Age: Adults only. Cost: \$12 (R) \$14 (NR). Information: 425-452-7225.
- Apr 13**      **Spring Fling Dance**, 2-4p.m., North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148th Ave NE. Join Sound of Swing as they play favorites of the Swing era and some special songs for Spring. Fee \$3. Information: 425-452-7681.
- Apr 13**      **Touch of Country Life: Springtime at the Farm**, 10-11a.m. Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park, 410 130th PL SE. Join Farmer Jayne for a morning of farm fun! Classes are designed for children ages 2-5, paired with an adult. Registration is required. Registration: 425-452-6885. Cost: \$18/\$22. Information: 425 452-7688 or e-mail [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov)
- Apr 17**      **April Pools Day**, 12-3 p.m. Bellevue Aquatic Center, 601 143<sup>rd</sup> Ave NE. This event promotes water safety and proper lifejacket use. Free swimming, raffles, and water safety demonstrations. Information: contact Scott W. Armstrong at 425-452-4444 or [sarmstrong@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:sarmstrong@bellevuewa.gov)
- Apr 17**      **Bugs, Beetles and Worms, Oh, My!**, 10-11:30a.m., Northwest Arts Center, 9825 NE 24<sup>th</sup> ST., Family workshop. Parents and child go 'buggy' together into the fascinating world of creepy, crawly, slimy creatures. Join us for crafts, music, snacks and a good time! Ages 2-5 with caregiver. Information: email [NWAC@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:NWAC@bellevuewa.gov) or call 425-452-6046.

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- Apr 21**      **Little Lake-to-Lake ~ Earth Day Walk – 5 K**, 2-6p.m. at the Lake Hills Greenbelt Park, 156th and SE 16th St. Walk the Lake Hills Greenbelt Trail in celebration of Earth Day visiting free Earth Education Stations set up within the park. Parking located at Community Gardens: 156th and SE 16th St. Pre-registration not required. Sponsored by Whole Foods Market. Information: Debbie Pettersson at 425-452-7106, [DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov).
- Apr 23**      **Owl Prowl**, 7-8:30p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Discover what owl species live in the Pacific Northwest. Then take a night hike with the Rangers to look for owls and other nocturnal wildlife in the park. Bring a flashlight or headlamp for the journey. Preregistration required. \$3 per person. Ages 6Y and up. All children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a registered adult. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Apr 24**      **Sheep Shearing**, 11a.m.-3p.m. at Kelsey Creek Community Farm, 410 130th PL SE. See the sheep being shorn of their winter coats, spinning demonstrations, children’s crafts, tractor rides, pony rides, food and more! Free admission. Costs vary for food and activities. No ATM on site, and no charge cards are accepted. Information: [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov) or call 425 452-7688.
- Apr 24**      **Volunteer at Sheep Shearing** event, shifts available 10a.m.-4p.m., Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park, 410-130th PL SE. Students earn community service hours while assisting with children’s activities. Dress to work outside with the public; wear sturdy shoes that can get wet. Sign up by Wednesday, April 19– no late sign-ups accepted. Information: [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov) or call 425 452-7688.
- Apr 24**      **Fraser Cabin Heritage Programs** 11a.m.-3p.m., at Kelsey Creek Farm Park, Fraser Cabin, 410 130th PL SE. Visitors are invited to participate in hands-on activities that relate to 1880s settler life: agriculture, dairy, household tasks, log cabins, games and eastside history. The programs are free to the public and appropriate for people of all ages. Presented by the Eastside Heritage Center, in partnership with Bellevue Parks & Community Services. Information: contact the Eastside Heritage Center at 425-450-1049 or visit [www.eastsideheritagecenter.org](http://www.eastsideheritagecenter.org).
- Apr 23-25**    **The Music Man**, April 23 & 24 from 7-9p.m., April 24 & 25 from 2-4p.m. Meydenbauer Theatre, 11100 NE 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Bellevue. This icon of American Musical Theatre will be performed by a large cast on the big stage at the Theater at Meydenbauer. Escape to another era with beautiful period sets and costumes, lively dancing and memorable songs, like “Trouble in River City”, “Pick a Little, Talk a Little”, “Gary, Indiana”, and the rousing “Seventy Six Trombones”. Information: call Sheila Framke at 425-452-7155.
- Apr 24-25**    **Hua Yuan Chinese Floral Art Exhibition**, 9a.m.-3p.m., Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main St. The exquisite floral arrangements created by members of the school will be on display in the Visitor Center. Admission is free. Information: 425-452-2750.

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- Apr 24**      **Food Web**, 11a.m.-12p.m., Lewis Creek Park, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Come find out how and discover how life keeps going. Take home a food web card game that we will make. \$10 per person. Ages 8Y and up. To register, call: 425-836-2697. Information: 425-452-4195.
- Apr 26**      **Mom and Me at Mercer Slough**, 10-11a.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Become a naturalist with your child. Learn how to observe and explore the small wonders of Mercer Slough and practice together. All children must be with a registered adult. Pre-registration is required. Best for ages 3-5 years. Cost \$5. To register: 425-452-6885. Information: 425-452-2565.
- Apr 30**      **Family Movie-Earth Navigators**, 5-6:30 p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118th Ave. SE. The migration of animals is one of the most astonishing phenomenons in the natural world. Twice a year, over land, in the air, and through the oceans, animals move in the thousands, prompted by the changing seasons. Best for ages 10+. Free. Information: 425-452-2565.
- Apr 30-May 8** **The Little Mermaid**, April 30, May 1, 7 & 8 from 7-9p.m., May 1, 2 & 8 from 2-4p.m. Bellevue Youth Theatre, 16661 Northup Way, Bellevue. Join us as we retell the classic Hans Christian Andersen tale of The Little Mermaid. Join the adventures on land and on sea. Information: call Sheila Framke at 425-452-7155.

**Seasonal Events**

- Dec-Apr**      **Kids on the Farm**, Kelsey Creek Farm 410 130<sup>th</sup> PL SE. Explore our farm and meet our goats, pig, sheep, rabbits, chickens and ponies. Experience the old fashion skill of wool carding and create a wool sheep to take home. Daily viewing. Pre-registration required. Information and registration: 425 452-7688 or e-mail [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov).
- Jan - Feb**      **Garden d'Lights Classes**, at Bellevue Botanical Garden 12001 Main Street. Learn to make beautiful flower light creations that will actually become part of the display at the yearly Garden d'Lights at the Bellevue Botanical Garden. Visit the website [www.bellevuebotanical.org](http://www.bellevuebotanical.org) for class types, times and dates.
- Jan-March**      **2010 Community Garden P-Patch Program**, The City of Bellevue is offering seasonal and year-round P-patches to local gardeners. Each plot measures approximately 400 square feet and water is supplied on site. Returning gardeners apply in January. New gardeners please contact Laura Hughes for more information, and to be added to our mailing list. Information: 425-452-7225 or email [LHughes@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:LHughes@bellevuewa.gov).
- Apr**              **Pioneer Days**, times and dates vary Kelsey Creek Farm, 410 130th PL SE. Experience life in the 1880s with a trip to our historic log cabin. Children grind wheat and coffee, churn butter, card wool, hammer nails, pump water, create a

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fabric and paper quilt, play dress-up plus more living history activities. Storytelling about pioneer life with Laura Ingalls Wilder's Little House books helps children compare their life based on electricity and modern conveniences with the life of Laura and Mary in their log cabin in Wisconsin. Pre-registrations required. Information: [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov) or call 425 452-7688.

**Apr. – May Arbor Day Poster Art Displays, Trees are terrific...and Energy Wise!**  
Inspired by the beauty and benefits that trees provide in our community school age children create poster art for the public to enjoy. Exhibits open at the following locations during normal open hours: Bellevue Arts Museum, Whole Foods Market, Bellevue City Hall, Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, and Lewis Creek Visitor Center. Information: Debbie Pettersson at 425-452-7106. [DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:DPettersson@bellevuewa.gov).

**Apr – Oct Docent-led tours, 2-3:30p.m. every Saturday & Sunday at Bellevue Botanical Garden, 12001 Main St. Reservations are not required. Information: 425-451-3755.**

### **Ongoing Events**

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month**

**NWRSA Area 2060 Greater Sammamish Hand Spinners, 11-3:30p.m., Kelsey Creek Community Farm Park (Farm House), 410 130<sup>th</sup> Pl 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! No registration necessary. All ages are welcome; children must be accompanied by an adult. Information: 425-452-7688 or e-mail [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov).

#### **Last Sunday of each month**

**Winter Wildlife Walks (Jan – April), 2-3p.m., Lewis Creek Park Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE.** Join a Ranger in exploring dynamic Lewis Creek Park. Look for signs of local wildlife and learn what to do when encountering animals in the wild. Information: 425-452-4195. FREE. All ages.

#### **Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday each month**

**Outspoken Teen Newspaper, 4-5p.m., Bellevue City Hall, 450 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, 1E-119.** Teen newspaper created by teens for teens. Information: Youth Link, 425-452-5254 or visit [www.youthlink.com](http://www.youthlink.com)

#### **Last Monday of each month**

**Youth Link Teen Closet Distribution Event, 4:30-6:30p.m., World Impact Network, 2015 Richards Road, Bellevue.** Teen Closet is a free clothing bank for teens and families in the Bellevue area. Individuals, families, and community groups interested in volunteering at the event can contact Patrick Alina, Youth Link Program Coordinator, 425-452-5254, e-mail [palina@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:palina@bellevuewa.gov) or visit [www.youthlink.com](http://www.youthlink.com).

#### **Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month**

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**Community Leadership Awards Night Planning Committee**, 4-5p.m., Bellevue City Hall, 450 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, 1E-119. Help plan a citywide youth recognition event in our community! Information: Youth Link, 425-452-5254 or visit [www.youthlink.com](http://www.youthlink.com)

### **4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month**

**Bellevue Youth Court**, 6-8p.m., Bellevue City Hall, 450 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, Council Chambers. Monthly session of Bellevue Youth Court. Two juvenile court cases. Information: 425-452-2846.

### **Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday each month**

**Bellevue Youth Council Meeting**, 5-7p.m., Bellevue City Hall, 450 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, 1E-120. Youth leadership and community service program for Bellevue middle and high school students. Information: Youth Link, 425-452-5254 or visit [www.youthlink.com](http://www.youthlink.com)

### **1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month**

**Bellevue Network On Aging Meeting-** 8:30-10:30a.m., Bellevue City Hall, 450 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, 1E-112. Information: 425-452-7681 or visit [www.bellevuewa.gov/network\\_on\\_aging.htm](http://www.bellevuewa.gov/network_on_aging.htm).

### **Every Thursday each month**

**“Jub-Hub” Teen Café Peer Mentoring Project & TRACKS Action Team**, 4-6p.m., Jubilee Reach Center, 14200 SE 13<sup>th</sup> Pl. Plan special events with other teens, help other students with their homework, learn more about our environment and the world we live in at a Café-like atmosphere. Be the difference! Information: 425-452-5254 or visit [www.youthlink.com](http://www.youthlink.com).

### **First Saturday each month**

**Bellevue Birding**, 9-10a.m., Lewis Creek Visitor Center, 5808 Lakemont Blvd SE. Once a month, grab your binoculars and your boots and come join us to look for birds. FREE. Information: 425-452-4195.

### **Every Saturday**

**Winter Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Walk (Jan.- March)**, 2-3p.m., Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16<sup>th</sup> Street. Join a Ranger for a free guided tour of the Greenbelt. Visit restoration sites and learn about local wildlife! Fun for the whole family, all ages welcome. Free, no registration required. Information: 425-452-7225.

**2010 King County Master Gardener Workshops (Jan-Oct)**, 10:30p.m.-12p.m., Lake Hills Greenbelt Ranger Station, 15416 SE 16<sup>th</sup> Street. Learn good gardening practices and home-based horticulture tips from a trained Master Gardener! For a full schedule of topics and dates please visit <http://www.mgfk.org>. Free, no registration required.

### **Every Saturday**

**Mercer Slough Nature Walk**, 2-3p.m., Mercer Slough Environmental Education Center, 1625 118<sup>th</sup> Ave. SE. Did you know that Mercer Slough Nature Park is 320 acres? Join us for a free guided tour of the Environmental Education Center. Then, explore the Park with a Ranger. No registration necessary. All ages welcome. FREE. Dress for the weather. Information: 425- 452- 2565.

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**Luncheon**, North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, starts at 12 p.m. noon. Adults 65 and older can enjoy a delicious, hot lunch for a suggested donation of just \$3.00. Lunches are sponsored and prepared by Catholic Community Services staff and Center volunteers. Special events such as Thanksgiving and Holiday lunches require pre registration.

**Every Wednesday and Saturday**

**2010 King County Master Gardener Drop-In Clinics (April-Oct.)**, 9a.m.-1p.m., Lake Hills Greenbelt Demonstration Garden, 15500 SE 16th St. Consult with Master Gardeners about all aspects of plant care, disease, propagation, identification and more. Be sure to bring your questions! Free, no registration required. For more information on the Demonstration Garden, please contact: [bellevuedemo@hotmail.com](mailto:bellevuedemo@hotmail.com).

**Daily. Must pre-schedule**

**Group Tours**, Kelsey Creek Farm Park. Seasonal group tours for preschool and school groups. Pre-registration required. Information: 425 452-7688 or e-mail [kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:kelseycreekfarm@bellevuewa.gov).

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