Headlines

News from University Place City Hall



July 26, 2023

Music on the Square

The Village at Chambers Bay is buzzing with excitement as Music on the Square returns with a bang!

Get ready to enjoy a lively evening of free live music featuring **Darelle Holden** and DHQ on Wednesday, July 26, from 6 to 8 p.m. Darelle Holden is a legendary touring singer who has performed with some of the world's biggest names in music, including Stevie Wonder and Earth Wind & Fire. Her soulful voice blends blues, jazz, and pop,



creating a unique and expressive style that's hard to resist. And that's not all the evening promises to be a gastronomic delight with food trucks and popular eateries offering delicious dinner options.

Bring your friends and family to Market Square and revel in a night of foottapping music and delicious food. Boss Mama food truck will be there to satiate your hunger pangs. Don't miss out on this amazing opportunity to dance the night away and make lasting memories!

For a complete list of this summer's Music on the Square performers visit **the City Website**.







University Place Police Blotter

Keep yourself up-to-date with the latest public safety activity in University Place by checking out the U.P. Police Blotter! From July 10 through July 23, Chief Burke has highlighted some of the most notable incidents that the U.P. Police Department responded to. But that's not all - you can also browse through recent Calls for Service to get a better understanding of the local happenings in

your area.

Don't miss out on staying informed and being part of a safer community - view the U.P. Police Blotter on the **City website** for updates!



The Twisted Cider 5K is This Saturday!

Are you looking for a fun event the whole family can take part in? Gather your crew for the second annual **Twisted Cider 5K run and walk** this **Saturday, July 29**. The event starts (and ends) at the Curran Apple Orchard with **the 5K at 8 a.m.** With its flat and fast sections, rolling hills, and views of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge and the Puget Sound, this is sure to be an enjoyable course.



The 12 and under Children's 1K begins at 9:15 a.m., with an out-

and-back along Sound View Drive. For this 1K, parents can run with their kids without having to register.

Runners and families alike are invited after the race to the Curran Apple Orchard to enjoy apple cider and treats from the Manic Meatballs food truck. The band Moonyard, featuring Stan the Guitar Man, will provide live music and there will be select vendors on hand as well.

So get those running shoes ready and go the extra mile while you have a funfilled day with friends and family at this fun 5K event! Register ahead and get all the details on the **TCMA website**.

Motorists are reminded to slow down and give the runners and walkers plenty of leeway as they wind their way around the area of Grandview Drive from the Orchard over to Sound View Drive. Plan your travels accordingly by **viewing the race map here**.

(The event date was incorrectly stated in the last edition of the "Headlines," so check your calendars, it's Saturday, July 29 at 8 a.m.)

Join Rapunzel at This Year's Movie in the Park

Are you ready for an enchanting evening under the stars?

The City of University Place is bringing back the free and family-friendly Movie in the Park! Head over to **Cirque Park on August 5 at 7:30 p.m.** for an evening filled with sweet treats, savory eats, and tons of children's activities. But that's not all! As the sun sets, snuggle up on a



cozy blanket and get ready to be captivated by Disney's "Tangled," a modern

retelling of the timeless classic "Rapunzel." Join Rapunzel on her journey to fulfill her dream of watching the floating lights on her birthday! This is the perfect opportunity to make unforgettable memories with your loved ones.

Don't miss out on this summer tradition of fun and excitement, sponsored by the City of University Place. Mark your calendars and grab your friends and family for a tangled up night of entertainment!

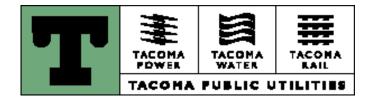
An Un-bear-lievable Good Time!

The Teddy Bears' Picnic at the Curran Apple Orchard was such a fun event for kids, bears, and families alike! With dancing bears, a Teddy Bear March, the Harrison Street Band, plus all the wonderful activities, there was something fun for every generation to enjoy and share. Enjoy these special pics of the amazing day for kiddos and bears! Thank you to Dance Theatre Northwest for putting on this magnificent community event! To view more photos from this year's event, visit the **City's Facebook page**!



Do You Own an Investment Property?

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Find the right offer for you – Look at incentives for:

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- Rental properties with 1-4 units
- Rental properties with 5 or more units

Find more information at www.mytpu.org.



You may be the person we are looking for!

We are currently hiring the following positions:

-Parks Maintenance Tech 1

See the job description on the City website.

WE WANT YOU ON OUR TEAM!





Tahoma Audubon, in Our Own Backyard

The Tahoma Audubon Society advocates for the protection of birds, other wildlife and their habitats through education, conservation and recreation. They are headquartered within Adriana Hess Wetland Park in University Place and work throughout Pierce County. Since 1969, they have helped preserve tens of thousands of acres as well as restore local green spaces in our community.

To get involved and find out more, please visit the Tahoma Audubon website at **TahomaAudubon.org**.



PRIMARY ELECTION **AUGUST 1, 2023**







Community Harvest Day is Sunday, Aug. 27

Come celebrate the apple season at Community Harvest Day, Sunday, August 27 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Regrettably, due to a lack of volunteers and an inadequate number of cider presses, the Cider Squeeze is cancelled for 2023.

In its place, the community is invited to come out to the Curran Apple Orchard and pick apples from untaped trees. Tree adopters will harvest from their taped

trees at a later date. Please, do not pick from taped off trees.



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There will be no other activities scheduled on this day (no pressings available). Community Harvest Day is simply an opportunity for people to come and enjoy the park. If you are unable to attend, you may also pick apples after this date from untaped trees.

Tree Adopters will also receive email notices about additional options available to them.

The Curran Apple Orchard is located at 3920 Grandview Drive West in the City of University Place. CORE (Curran Orchard Resource Enthusiasts) meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at City Hall (3609 Market Place West, Suite 200), as well as via Zoom. Please visit curranappleorchard.com for more info, along with future volunteer opportunities.



CORE PRESENTS THE 2023 CURRAN APPLE ORCHARD SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

THURSDAY EVENINGS 6:30 - 8 P.M.

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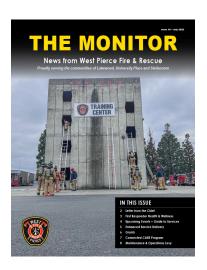
Visit www.curranappleorchard.com for more details!

Latest Edition of 'The Monitor' Now Available

The latest edition of West Pierce Fire & Rescue's community newsletter, The Monitor, is being delivered to mailboxes throughout Lakewood, University Place and Steilacoom.

This edition includes information about programs, community services, upcoming events and the Maintenance & Operations levy on the August 1st ballot. This is not a new levy, but a replacement of the current four-year levy that has been supported by the community for nearly 50 years.

To read the full online version of The Monitor, please click here.



Waddle Back in Time!

Relive the memories and take a look at the incredible recap video from the Duck Daze Parade! You won't want to forget the amazing sight - West Pierce Fire & Rescue, Pierce County Sheriff's Department, 16th Combat Aviation Brigade, Joel Gibson Jr., MAGIC in the PNW - Character Parties and Events, University Place School District, The Clan Gordon Pipe Band, The Daffodil Festival, University Place Pack 148, University Place Refuse and Recycling, Chambers Bay, Pierce County Library (and more!) - that made this year's Duck Daze Parade one to remember.



Get to U.P. Events with ORCA!

The City of U.P. has free ORCA regional transit passes to help you get to events this year in University Place. The passes are issued on a first-come, first-serve basis, and limited to four passes per household. Each pass has enough fare to cover two All Day Passes, or five one-way trips. There are a limited number of passes left; don't miss your opportunity to receive yours!



Simply **complete the online form** in advance. Have it on hand to attend summer events such as any of the Wednesday night Music on the Square performances, our Movie in the Park, or our seasonal celebrations of Oktoberfest and the Christmas Tree Lighting.

Three Days of Summer Fun and Live Music at Sound & Sky

Tacoma Arts Live announces Sound & Sky at Chambers Creek Regional Park, three days of events to celebrate summer **August 11-13**, **2023**. Sound & Sky at Chambers Creek Regional Park offers two concerts and a beer festival with live music and entertainment as well as several Northwest food and drink vendors. Events will run all three days in the central meadow area of Chambers Creek Regional Park next to Chambers

Bay, a beautiful open-air location with stunning views of the Puget Sound and sights of the Olympic Mountains in University Place. Tickets are on sale now.

Friday, August 11: Legends of Country Rock:

Firefall & Pure Prairie League

7 p.m. (gates open at 5 p.m.) Advance tickets are \$65 through July 31

Firefall and Pure Prairie League will play radiorecognizable hits that are as comfortable as a well-worn

pair of boots.



Saturday, August 12: Brew Five Three: The 253's Beer and Music Festival

2 - 8 p.m.

Advance tickets are \$50 through July 31

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Sponsor: Craft Master Growlers, O BEE Credit Union, State Farm: Calen Nelsen,

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Sunday, August 13: Smash Mouth & Spin Doctors

5 p.m. (gates open at 3 p.m.)

Advance tickets are \$65 through July 31

Sponsor: Artistic Plastic Surgery

Enjoy blue skies, sunshine, and stunning views with Tacoma Arts Live at Sound & Sky at Chambers Creek Regional Park. Ticket prices vary by event and **are on sale now**. University Place residents can use the promo code **CITYUP** for a discount on tickets. Additionally, subscribers who buy three or more shows will receive a discount, and always receive early ticket access, waived exchange fees, and ticket waitlist priority. To buy tickets, subscribe, or learn more, call Tacoma Arts Live Box Office at 253.346.1721, visit in person at 1001 S Yakima Ave., or go online at **TacomaArtsLive.org**.



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