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# For your dining pleasure

# Discover Snohomish's many dining varieties

the wide selection of eat-

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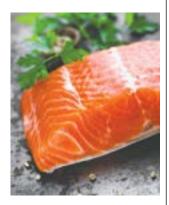
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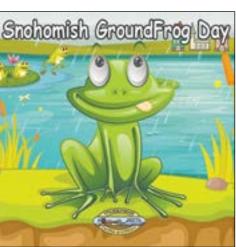
GroundFrog Day is scheduled for January 27, 2024 at the Snohomish Aquatic Center, 516 Maple Ave. in Snohomish, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

This the official GroundFrogDay Proclamation with Snohomish Mayor, Linda Redmon.

drawings throughout the

Meet and greet official Frognostication with Kla Ha Ya Days' Tad and Lil.

Enter the Lazy River Frog Race (\$5 entry fee, proceeds benefit the Swim For Life



There will be free raffle Program). The first three fiishers will win a prize! Tickets will be available for purchase at the Aquatic

About Swim for Life: This isanon-profitorganization formed by local Snohomish community members who haveapassionforenriching the lives of young peopole in our communit. They are dediated to prviding swimming lessons and water safety services to children regardless of their ability to pay. Visitwww. SwimForLife.

GroundFrog Day is organized by the Snohomish Chamber of Commerce with assistance from the City of Snohomish.

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### **Discover Snohomish**

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# Recreationists



The Snohomish Boat Launch is located at Julia's Landing, a 20-acre property at 20 Lincoln Avenue along the Snohomish River.

It is a City-owned and maintained recreation facility surrounded by unimproved future parkland.

The facility's parking lot has eight trailer spaces, two ADA-

accessible spaces, 11 standard spaces and overflow parking.

The boat launch was built to replace the city's damaged and deteriorated Cady Park boat launch off of First Street.

The Cady Park boat launch has been retained for hand launched, non-motorized

# Snohomish Library



The Snohomish Library is located at 311 Maple Ave. and is part of the Sno-Isle Library System.

Many classes and events are held at the 23,000 sq. ft. library throughout the year for youth and adults alike.

Internet PC's may be reserved online or in the library. For more information call 360-568-2898.

### Events Subject to change

# enjoy boat launch 2023-2024 Calendar of Snohomish Events

**OCTOBER 2023** The Month of October: Snohomish Festival of Pumpkins, Citywide and

local pumpkin patch farms. Farms have special activities every weekend.

7: Community Breakfast, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

7: Bingo & Brats Dinner, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

14: Snohomish Walking Tour, www.snohomishwalks.com

15: Snohomish River Run, 5K, 10k, Half and Full Marathons www.snohomishriverrun.com 28: Zombie Walk, First Street, 4:00 p.m.

31: Trick-or-Treat Downtown Businesses, 3-5 p.m. www. historicdowntownsnohomish.org

**NOVEMBER 2023** 

4: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Snohomish Senior Center, 506-4th St. 360-568-0934 4: Snohomish BrewFest,

Thomas Family Farm, 9010 Marsh Road, Snohomish.

www.snohomishbrewfest.com 18: Holiday Bazaar, Snohomish Senior Center, 506-4th St. 360-568-0934

25: Snohomish Home for the Holidays, Santa comes to town! Community Christmas Tree Lighting. www. historicdowntownsnohomish.org

**DECEMBER 2023** 2:CommunityBreakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Snohomish Senior



Center, 506-4th St. 360-568-0934 3: Chase the Grinch out of Sno**homish,** 5k and 10k runs databrevents.com/chasethegrinch

WinterFest 8 - 10: "Mirackle on First Street," downtown Snohomish, www. historicdowntownsnohomish.

9: Holiday Wine Walk, downtown Snohomish 4-8 p.m. www. historicdowntownsnohomish.

**TBD:** Freestyle Christmas **Lights Cruise,** downtown. www. historicdowntownsnohomish.org 21: Winter Solstice, Downtown Snohomish Riverfront Trail

#### JANUARY 2024

6: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

27: Groundfrog Day, (West Coast's version of Groundhog Day). Family fun for all. Snohomish Aquatic Center, 516 Maple Ave.

360-568-2526 www.groundfrogday.com

#### FEBRUARY 2024

3: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

**MARCH 2024** 

2: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

2: Wine Festival, Thomas Family Farm, Snohomishchamber.org **TBD: Citywide Cleanup**, For update visit www.snohomishwa.

30: Easter Parade and Bonnet Contest, First St. www.snohomishchamber.org

#### APRIL 2024

6: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

TBD: Household Garbage and Recycle Event, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. For update visit www.snohomishwa.gov

TBD: Spring Bazaar, Snohomish Senior Center, 506 Fourth St., 360-568-0934

**22: Earth Day,** Avenue A Gazebo, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

27: Garden Club Plant Sale, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at The Farm at Swan's Trail, 7301 Rivershore

Road. www.snohomishgardenclub.com

**TBD: Spring Tea,** Snohomish Senior Center 360-568-0394

#### **MAY 2024**

2, 9, 16, 23: Farmers Market, Thursdays, 3 p.m.-7:30 p.m., Cedar Avenue and Pearl Street. www.snohomishfarmers-

market.com 4: Community Breakfast/ **Bingo Bonanza**, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-

0934

19: Antique & Classic Motorcycle Show, Downtown Snohomish. www.skyvalleybikeshow.com

#### **JUNE 2024**

1: Snohomish Pride Celebration, Downtown Snohomish, Parade at 10 a.m. on First St. Street festival, entertainment. www.historicdowntownsnohomish.org

1: Community Breakfast/Bingo Bonanza, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

1: Snohomish Wedding Show**case,** 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Many beautiful venues with vendors. 360-563-9900

www.mysnohomishwedding.com 1-2: Snohomish Lacrosse Harvey Cup Tournament, Harvey Field, www.snolax.com

6, 13, 20, 27: Farmers Market, Thursdays, 3 p.m.-7:30 p.m., Cedar Avenue and Pearl Street. snohomishfarmersmarket.com 23: Snohomish Garden Tour,

12-4 p.m., www.snohomish gardenclub.com

#### **JULY 2024**

4, 11, 18, 25: Farmers Market, Thursdays, 3 p.m.-8 p.m., Cedar Avenue and Pearl Street. snohomishfarmersmarket.com 6: Community Breakfast/ **Bingo Bonanza**, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934 17-21: Kla Ha Ya Days, city wide festival, carnival at Harvey Field, arts & crafts, car show, entertainment, soccer tournament and more. Parade July 20 at 11 a.m. on First St.

**AUGUST 2024** 3: Community Breakfast/

**Bingo Bonanza**, Senior Center, 506 4th St. 360-568-0934

www.klahayadays.com

1, 8, 15, 22, 29: Farmers' Market, 3-8 p.m. Cedar Avenue and Pearl Street. www. snohomishfarmersmarket.com

4: Snohomish Hard Cider **Festival,** Thomas Family Farm, 9010 Marsh Road, Snohomish. Noon-4p.m.www.SnohomishCider Fest.com

**TBD: Bigfoot Soccer,** Stocker Field, 11 Lincoln Avenue. www. snohomishyouthsoccer.org

23-25: Snohomish Block Party, Downtown Snohomish. www. snohomishblockparty.com







# **Festival of Pumpkins**



pumpkins are prime for one of the great family farms pickin'. Make it a fun day for to find the perfect pumpkin,

When fall is in the air, the the whole family by coming to

take a hayride or just savor the Haunted House) for an outing beautiful countryside.

A favorite activity for families is getting "lost" in a corn maze. There are a variety of mazes to choose from, some are even "haunted" at night for that extra-special scary experience!

Several of the farms allow you to reserve use of their maze and firepits for group outings. Visit each farm's website to confirm cost and the days/hours each maze is open to the public.

A couple of the farms offer

enjoy harvest decorations, Zombie Paintball (and even a you will never forget!

Each farm has many activities for the whole family. Bring the kids, bring the grandparents and bring your camera to catch all the





# **Festival of Pumpkins Pumpkin Patches**

• Bailey's Farm - www.baileyveg.com

• Bob's Corn and Pumpkin Patch - www.bobscorn.net

- Carleton Farm www.carletonfarm.com
  - Craven Farm www.cravenfarm.com
- Stocker Corn Maze & Pumpkin Park www.stockerfarms.com
  - The Farm at Swans Trail www.thefarm1.com
  - Thomas Family Farm www.thomasfamilyfarm.com

# Zombie Walk Saturday Oct. 28

Zombies and ghouls are invited to Downtown Snohomish for a friendly (or not!) visit Saturday, October

In preparation for the impending Zombie-Apocalypse, all participants and spectators are asked to bring "rations for the survivors." (Food donations to benefit the Snohomish Food Bank. Cash donations are also welcome.)

Zombie festivities will begin at Noon at the Snohomish Carnegie, 105 Cedar Avenue.

Festivities will include Zombify Face Painting stations, unique Zombie swag, Haunted Snohomish Tour Map, Costume Contest and more.

Walk begins at 4:00 p.m. Lurch through downtown Snohomish. Please stay on the sidewalks



### Haunts of **Snohomish**

#### By ANGELA **COOPER-McCORKLE**

Spirits linger around every corner of the Historic District down-

While shoppers bustling through may not see the town's haunted history, some residents know the unworldly inhabitants by name, while others know them by their chilling touch.

The spirit of a little girl, Sybill Sibley, aged 10, is well known at the Cabbage Patch Restaurant on Avenue A.

Employees have reported apparitions of the child who died in 1930.

"At one time the house next door was a rental house, that had an outdoor porch behind it, and (my neighbor's) 5-year-old son was talking to a girl, 10-years-old," After the mother questioned her boy, she told the owner Sondra McCutchan, "'you won't believe this." The boy said his new friend's name was Sybill.

The Oxford Saloon on First Street, one of the city's most storied, has carried its violent past with it through a century, until it now teems with as many as 45 spirits by one account.

Overseeing them all is Kathleen, a brothel madam who was decapitated in her clawfoot bathtub by a discontented customer according to owner Brian Swanson.

Staff have had knives fly down at them, and pots and pans jump their hooks, said a bar manager.

Many female visitors have reported encounters, with the sharp touch of cool fingers pinching them says Deverie Wood, a storyteller



The creepy doll at the Oxford Saloon and Eatery in Snohomish.

who specializes in Snohomish ghost tales.

Legend has it the handsy phantom was a bordello client aptly named John. He may be kept partly in check by a member of Snohomish's own police force of yore, in the disembodied form of Henry, an officer who moonlighted as a bouncer. He met his end late one night, stabbed to death while trying to break up a brawl between two gamblers.

But the most disturbing manifestation from beyond the grave may be the form of a child's doll whose glassy eyes have surveyed the Oxford for many years.

Antique shop owners who were former tenants sold the doll to a wealthy New York family, only to return her with a note months later. They wanted neither a refund or exchange, but to have nothing to do with the doll ever again. A second sale followed, but the dolly was dropped off after midnight with a similar note and has lived at the Oxford since.

Bar manager Rebecca Cadden knew better than to disturb the spirit in the figurine, but had to when her boss recently instructed her to move the doll away from customers who might be tempted to swipe her.

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Take a step back in time to the 19th Century when you enter Snohomish's Blackman House Museum.

This structure was originally built as a small farmhouse in 1879 for Hycranus Blackman, an early settler of Snohomish. He lived in the house with his wife and two children. Later, Blackman's daughter, Eunice, lived there with her husband, Dr. W.S. Ford.

In the 1930s, Dr. Ford enclosed the entrance to the home to create a sunroom for Eunice's plants.

The home was familyowned until 1970 when it was purchased and restored by the Snohomish Historical Society.

Much of the furniture in the Museum came from Emory C. Ferguson, the founding father of Snohomish, and the Norman Lenfest family.

The original etched-glass



Photo by Joanne Cole

The Blackman House Museum was originally built as a small farmhouse in 1879. It is now owned by the Snohomish Historical Society.

door and some of the original wallpaper, carpets, furniture old Victorian homes. and pictures remain intact arranged the furniture using 568-5235.

photographs of the inside of

The museum is open by and on display in the home. appointment only at this time. The Historical Society Fortourinformation, call 360-

# **Discover Snohomish**

Snohomish has much to offer visitors and residents alike. Downtown is a multiuse area that appeals to many different customers. Retail and gift shops, restaurants and coffee houses, antique stores, entertainment, and a wide variety of other businesses that are all part of the mix.

The City of Snohomish had a redevelopment plan in 1965 that proposed the destruction

Historic Downtown of the historic structures restrooms were added in along First Street in order order to further serve the to make way for a covered mall. Fortunately, the plan city hall and police station was not carried out due to lack of available funds and First Street and a new fire as a result, the area remains station was built, allowing today as it has through much those historic buildings to of history.

In the 1990s, First Street advantage of its historic can reinvigorate their busibuildings as a tourist attraction. The sidewalks

community and visitors. The were moved away from be renovated.

Today, Snohomish is very was redeveloped to take much a model of how cities ness districts by preserving their historic charm. The were rebuilt and public town has continued to grow with much of the development to the north along Bickford Avenue. The city has nurtured a great balance between regular businesses in modern facilities which serve the community and specialty shops in the historic part of town.

> Come stroll along First Street and admire the architecture and murals, enjoy refreshments at the many establishments and discover the great treasures to be found at many of the shops.

### Visit Blackman House Museum | Snohomish boasts a beautiful **Senior Center**



The Snohomish Senior Center is a great gathering place for senior citizens as well as a nice venue for weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, and gatherings of most any kind.

The Snohomish Senior sandwiches, hot dogs, best described as an "upscale Center is a lovely 6,000 nachos, cookies, candy, soft square foot building and drinks, coffee, tea and water. All proceeds benefit the more than 300 seniors enjoy the center.

There are more than 45 different programs available, including a Community Pancake Breakfast and also a Bingo Bash the first Saturday of each month.

Breakfast is from 8:30 a.m. -10:30 a.m. Enjoy delicious biscuits and gravy, pancakes or French toast, sausage links, scrambled eggs, juice, tea or coffee. All for just \$7 suggested donation!

Bingo, Early Bird is at 5:15 and the Bingo Session begins at 5:30 p.m. The Cafe is best value in the Seattle/

The Center hosts two bazaars a year, in March and November. A variety of local crafters showcase their unique goods - it's a great place to find special gifts for loved ones or yourself!

This facility is a wonderful venue for events such as weddings, meetings, rehearsal dinners, birthday parties and other gatherings of most any kind. The facility includes a great room, two Doors open at 4 p.m. for meeting rooms, a library, and a complete commercial kitchen. Priced to be the open for Bingo offering Snohomisharea, the Centeris from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

hall" and is only \$135/hour. Snohomish Senior Center.

The center is located at 506 Fourth Street and is a wonderful asset to the community.

Visit www.snohomishcenter. org for more information.

The Snohomish Senior Center also owns and operates the Fabulously Frugal Thrift Shop at 611 Second St. You will find clothes, housewares, jewelry, collectibles, books, furniture and more. All proceeds benefit the Snohomish Senior Center. The thrift store is open Monday - Friday

### **Important Phone Numbers**

 City of Snohomish 360-568-3115

www.ci.snohomish. wa.us

• Fire Department Non-emergency 360-

568-2141; Emergency 9-1-1

• Police Department Non-emergency 360-

568-0888; Emergency 9-1-1 • Snohomish County

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360-563-2200

 American Legion 360-568-5340

 School District 360-563-7263; www.sno.wednet.edu

 Library 360-568-2898

 Boys & Girls Club 360-568-7760

• Snohomish Tribune 360-568-4121 www.snoho.com

Chamber Commerce 360-568-2526

 Eagles Club 360-568-8406

• Blackman House Museum

360-568-5235 Snohomish Senior

Center 360-568-0934

• Garbage/Recylcing: **Republic Services** 

425-778-0188 Aquatic Center 360-568-8030

 Food Bank 360-568-7993



### The Centennial Trail is a popular recreation destination



The Centennial Trail is trail. The trail is lined with walking, bicycling, hiking, and horseback riding and is accessible to persons of equestrian trail runs parallel to the ten foot wide paved Snohomish to Skagit County. rest stop in the community

an enormously popular benches and picnic tables for recreational trail for your convenience. Portable style restrooms are located at the trailheads.

The trail, now over 30-miles all levels of physical ability. long, provides a safe A separate six foot wide alternative transportation route and extends from to visit the trailhead and

The county is also considering extending the Centennial Trail from Snohomish to Monroe.

The linear park also serves as a conservation protecting sensitive and important natural and cultural resources.

The closest trailhead to Snohomish is

located at 5801 S. Machias Rd., just north of town. There is also parking available along the north end of Maple Avenue for outdoor recreational enthusiasts.

Trail users are also invited

route will be from a replica of a railroad depot the Bothell area built in the late 1890s. The to Skagit County. depot once served a rail line which today is the Centennial Trail. The Machias Trailhead facility is available for rent. Call (425)388-6600 or e-mail scparksrec@gmail.com for reservations.

The trail is open for use during regular park hours, from 7 am to dusk. The c o r r i d o r trailheads are locked during off-hours.

#### Park History:

railway right-of-way built in 1889. The railway eventually connected Seattle with Canada and linked Everett with Stevens Pass. Operation ceased on the Hartford-Edgecomb section in 1972 and on the Snohomish- Hartford section in 1987. In King County, a section of this same abandoned railway line has become Seattle's heavily-used Burke-Gilman Trail, and the Sammamish River Trail.

The railroad provided local and international mail, freight, The Centennial Trail is and passenger service. It name, Centennial Trail.

Eventually the trail of Machias. This facility is constructed on the original carried timber from the forests, lumber from the saw mills, and iron, copper, lead, silver, and gold from Mount Pilchuck and Monte Cristo mines. Tourists could ride in open rail cars to Monte Cristo and back for the day, winding through the steep canyons of the South Fork Stillaguamish River, or go to the Big Four Inn at the ice caves on the "Mountain Loop" to the east.

Development of the trail began in 1989 during the state's centennial, hence the



This 12 foot, 5-inch diameter log is displayed at the Carnegie Building on Cedar Ave. It is from a Douglas Fir felled June 15, 1940 and is estimated to be 620 years old.

## Tim Noah Thumbnail Theater thrives on community

Tim Noah Thumbnail for performance Theater - "The Pacific recitals, Northwest's Cozy Home for rehearsals, the Performing Arts" is a non- audio and video profit organization staffed recording and by dedicated volunteers, and the support of individuals and businesses in our local Cyndi Elliott communities.

Offering high-quality lessons in voice, performing arts experiences guitar. in a uniquely intimate setting, "The Thumb" presents monthly concerts Mic, or other featuring local, national, and international touring artists. and experience Performances include Celtic, this local gem Americana/Folk, Indie, Jazz, in beautiful Bluegrass, and more.

The Thumb also hosts a weeklyFridayNightOpenMic, thumbnail offers Classes and Summer Musical Theater Camps, events and other and is available for rental information.

other projects.

Tim Noah and offer private

Attend show, Open special event Snohomish!

Visit www.



theater.org for Tim Noah Thumbnail Theater is located at 1211 Fourth Street in Snohomish.

## **Snohomish Aquatic Center** enjoyed by everyone



Doug Ramsay photo

Words used to describe the Snohomish Aquatic Center include "magical," "truly great" and "an aquatic won-

Aquatic wonderland is certainly one way to describe the 52,000- square-foot facility that for many is a dream come true for the community.

Among the many activities offered at the Snohomish Aquatic Center is swimming lessons for children as young as 36 months old, all the way up to teen and adult swim lessons.

The center is split into two main areas: the recreation side and the natatorium side.

On the recreation side are all the family-oriented "fun" pool perks, such as a recreation pool, warm-water therapy pool, spray-play and zero-entry area for children, the Flowrider, a lazy river and the Splashtacular water slide.

The Flowrider is a surfsimulation machine – the only of its kind in the area – crosses snowboarding, skateboarding and wakeboarding into an exciting ride with plenty of challenges and a whole lot of fun! Guests must be 42-inches tall to ride the boogie boards and 52-inches tall to ride the stand-up boards.

"This is an aquatic wonderland," said Kristin Foley, spokeswoman for the Snohomish School District, which built the facility. "Both sides (of the pool areas, separated by a large window) are saline. Our water is a saline system that produces natural chlorine. There are different bodies of water that are all inter-connected. Our lazy river is not very lazy. It moves along pretty quickly and kids love it!'

On the natatorium side of the facility is the muchneeded competition swim- edu/snohomishaquatic ming pool.

The 10-lane, 25-yard by 25-meter pool boasts a technologically advanced Colorado timing system, complete with touch pads and time board. It also holds a deep diving well and two diving boards, as well as 10 starting blocks. The natatorium can seat 420 spectators.

"We have this large glass window, so that the two areas — the Rec side and the competition pool side can operate independently of each other," Foley said. "So if there's a swim meet over (on the natatorium side), we can still have the rec side open."

Profits made from admission fees, lessons, parties, etc. go straight into the school district's general fund.

The Snohomish Aquatic Center is located at 516 Maple Avenue. www.sno.wednet.

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"I was being drowned, suffocated, choked ... someone shoved a sheet down my throat," Cadden remembered. When she told a coworker about the night terrors, they replied: "'you know, Rebecca, the story with her (first owner) is how she probably suffocated and died."

The nightmares began soon former 1920s and '30s librarian Catharine McMurchy. The eminently civilized and kind McMurchy was known to help children at the old Carnegie Library on Cedar Avenue.

"The first year doing my (storytelling) tour I had two parents and daughter" who "came up afterward, the last Local library lovers know the child saying about the Seattle's Evergreen-Washelli an entirely gentle spirit, the lovely talk she'd had with Ms. Cemetery.

McMurchy.

McMurchy's presence may have signaled unfinished business. Former Snohomish librarian Mike Malone found that his predecessor had been buried with indigent status and no grave marker. In 2002 he rectified that wrong, forever memorializing her to leave. I'm so happy she was as a "Cherished Snohomish a nice ghost," Wood recalls Librarian" on a marker at

### **Snohomish Area Parks**

- Averill Field/Skate Park: 400 Second St.
- Bob Heirman Wildlife Lincoln Ave. Preserve at Thomas' Eddy: 14913 Connelly Road
- Cady Park: 40 Maple Ave.
- Claytown Park: 329 Ave. I
- Ferguson Park: 1330 Roesiger Park: Ferguson Park Road
- Fischer Park: 1214 Madrona Dr.
- Flowing Lake County Park: 12921 **Park:** 17900 48th SE
- Fobes Hill Park
- Harrymans Farm Park: Riverfront and Lake Ave.
- Heirman Family Park: 3505 Lowell-Snohomish Cypress Ave. 20th St. off Bickford Ave.
- Hill Park: 1610 Park Ave.
- Homestead Park: 2000 Refuge: 1805 West First St. Ludwig Road

- Julia's Landing: 201
- Kla Ha Ya Park: 1117 First
- · Lake 1608 S Lake Roesiger Road
- ·Lord Hill 150th St. SE

· Lowell

- Rotary Park:
- River Rd. • Riverview Wildlife Maple Ave
- Morgantown Park: 200 Puget Park Dr. Long St.



Cabins are available for rent at Flowing Lake County Park.

- Pilchuck Park: 169
- Whistle Stop Park: 1103
- •Willis D. Tucker Park: 6705

# **Boat Launches:**

• Pilchuck Julia Landing: 20 acres at 20 Lincoln Ave. along the Snohomish River.

• Cady Park boat launch: 40 Maple Ave. is for non-motorized, hand launched boats.

### **Snohomish Community Kitchen** free dinner program resumes

**The Snohomish Community** Mondays and Thursdays ins who are unable to come from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. in person. The meals are served at St. Second St., Snohomish.

hungry for food, fellowship dinners September 11. or frienship to attend the Eleven churches and civic contact Sandie Wheeler at free dinners.

Kitchen offers free meals delivery available to shut-

After three years of serving John's Episcopal Church, 913 bagged meals because of COVID-19 and St. John's The nonprofit organizat- recent remodel, the meal ion invites all who are program restarted in-person

groups help prepare the 425-308-9813.

There is also free meal meals on a rotating schedule. Organizers would love to have more organizations help with this effort.

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