



League of Snohomish County Heritage Organizations

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Snohomish County Heritage Day and Malstrom Award Luncheon

Join us for Heritage Day, a nearby "mini-conference" of workshops and presentations along with networking and learning opportunities for those who are interested in all aspects of preserving heritage in the virtual world as well as our real world: **March 23, 2013**

Time:

9 a.m. – Noon: There will be a full morning of sessions from 9 am until noon covering archeology, paper conservation, historic preservation, geocaching, oral history, digitizing photographs and newspapers. (See next pages for list).

Bring table displays of publications and handouts, to sell and share -- what are your sales success stories?

Noon: the Malstrom Award Luncheon will feature hearty soups and salads with special desserts prepared by our hosts and famous Stanwood Area Historical Society kitchen crew.

Take a little time to bid in our special silent auction of local historically related prizes.

12:30 p.m.: Malstrom Award Announcement.

1 p.m.: Featured Speaker - Harriet Baskas

Place:

The Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center
27130 102nd Ave NW Stanwood WA

The Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center is part of the Stanwood Area Historical Society and is located two blocks north of the intersection of Highway 532 and 102nd Ave NW in the historic west end of Stanwood.

About 7 miles west of I - 5 Stanwood Camano exit 212

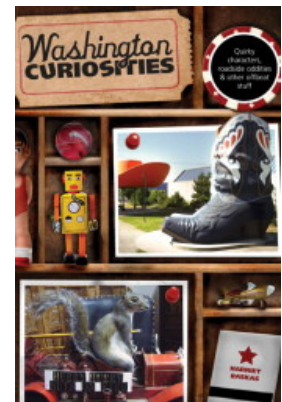
Parking is available in the parking lot just west of Center.



*Malstrom Award Luncheon Speaker
Harriet Baskas will present:*

HIDDEN TREASURES IN WASHINGTON'S MUSEUMS

Space restrictions allow most museums to display only about 10 percent of their holdings. However, there are also surprising political, philosophical, artistic, environmental and historic reasons why museums keep objects from view. Journalist Harriet Baskas will present a fast-paced, photo-filled and, at times, somewhat offbeat tour of Washington history through the stories of museum artifacts that are rarely – or never – shown to the public.



Examples include Bing Crosby's toupees in Spokane, a quilt made of Ku Klux Klan robes in Yakima and Native American spirit boards in Tacoma. We will explore how those objects came to be in the local collections and who makes decisions about what is displayed or kept from view.

About Harriet Baskas

Harriet Baskas writes about airports, museums and a wide variety of other topics for msnbc.com, USATODAY.com, AAA Journey and other outlets. She produced a major radio series on hidden museum artifacts that aired on National Public Radio, with Smithsonian-based historians as her advisers. Baskas has a master's in communication from the University of Washington and served as general manager for three community radio stations in Oregon and Washington. Baskas is the author of a half dozen books, including Washington Curiosities, Washington Icons and Oregon Curiosities, and is finishing a book about hidden treasures in museums. She also maintains a blog: StuckatTheAirport.com.



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2013 Heritage Day
Registration Form
Saturday March 23th, 2013
8:00 a.m.—3 p. m.

Heritage Day Schedule (subject to changes)

8:00 a.m. - 9 a.m. ---- Registration & Table Display setups

9:00 a.m. - 9:50 ---- Morning Sessions

Nordic American Voices Oral History Initiative Program -

FNCC 3rd Floor

Gordon Strand and Mari-Ann Kind Jackson of the Nordic Heritage Museum will share their experience on the amazing effort to collect, preserve, and share the life histories of Nordic immigrants and their descendants in the Pacific NW.

Archeology in Snohomish County

FNCC Main Hall

Crilly Ritz, Snohomish County Public Works and Jason Cooper, Archaeologist, AMEC, will provide a case study of the processes involved in archeological data recovery excavations at two sites near Granite Falls, Washington.

Accepting Donations/E-payments with credit/debit cards

FNCC 2nd Floor

Informal discussion with help from fellow heritage groups who have successfully managed or found alternatives to the high cost of credit card machines.

10:00 a.m. - 10:50

Introduction to Basic Paper Conservation

FNCC 3rd Floor

Emily Pellichero <http://conservationstudioseattle.com> This workshop is an introduction to the basic procedures of paper conservation so we can have a better idea of how to preserve the works of art and archival documents on paper that can become damaged with time. Techniques conservators employ to deal with these types of damage will be described.

Historic Preservation Basics, pt 1

FNCC Main Hall

Historic Preservation Basics, Michael Houser and Nicholas Vann of the Dept of Archaeology and Historic Preservation – why and how to preserve historic places, what are character-defining features of structures and how to best preserve them

11:00 a.m. - 11:50

Geocaching - Hidden Treasures at Historic Places

FNCC 3rd Floor

Tina Dinzl-Pederson – Interpretive Specialist, Cama Beach State Park. An outdoor treasure hunt using a smartphone or GPS. Geocachers try to locate hidden containers, called geocaches, and can then share their experiences online. This combination of technology and place is an opportunity to share historic photos and sites, online and with a physical location providing fun, educational family outings.

Historic Preservation Basics, pt 2 –

Meet at D. O. Pearson House

Tours of D. O. Pearson House, Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center & and other historic buildings in Stanwood (extent of tour will be weather dependent).

Digitization Projects the Washington State Library.

FNCC Main Hall

Evan Robb and Shawn Schollmeyer from the Washington State Library (WSL) will discuss two major digitization projects that enable historians, genealogists and other researchers to find primary resources previously inaccessible resources : *National Digital Newspaper* & the *Washington Rural Heritage* Programs.

Noon

Malstrom Award Luncheon, Presidents Report & Announcements, Malstrom Award Presentation

1 p.m.

Malstrom Award Program Feature Presentation

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Number attending			Price	Total
<input type="checkbox"/>	Malstrom Award Luncheon * ONLY Noon—1:30 pm		\$15.00 (non members \$20)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Heritage Day Workshops/Training Sessions* 9—3 pm		\$20.00 (non members \$25)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Both of above*		\$35.00 (non member \$45)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Table space reservation— Free for League member organizations.	<input type="checkbox"/>	6 ft table \$10	
		<input type="checkbox"/>	1/2 table (shared) \$5.00	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amount from Membership form (separate sheet)			
			TOTAL ENCLOSED	

* Members of the League or Local Heritage group qualify for the “membership” pricing.

* See separate page for membership form; Individuals and groups outside of Snohomish County are welcome to join!

Method of Payment—Prepayment Preferred

Check

CASH

Organization (if applicable) _____

Name (if applicable *) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

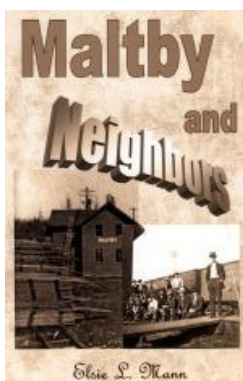
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Deadline is March 15th, 2013 for registration.

If you absolutely can't make deadline, a \$5.00 fee will be charged for same day registration.

MALSTROM AWARD Nominations for 2012 Projects :

Five great nominations were received for the 2012 Malstrom Award. The award will be announced and presented on March 23th at



Project Name: **"Maltby and Neighbors"**, a book documenting the history of the previously undocumented areas in South-Central Snohomish County, including the small communities of Maltby, Grace, Cathcart, and Clearview as well as settlements at Paradise, Crystal, Echo and Lost Lakes. The author is local historian, Elsie Mann. Several decades of research came together in this work published in 2012.



Project Name: **"Stillaguamish Valley Pioneer's 100 Years"**, a publication by the Stillaguamish Valley Pioneer Association. The Pioneer Association came into being in 1912 as five or six men stood on a street corner in Arlington and decided to start having picnics with other pioneer families. The book chronicles the organization's history, including museum structures, as well as historical highlights of Stillaguamish Valley communities, businesses and industries.

Project Name: **"Waistlines and Hemlines"**, a museum exhibit by the Stanwood Area Historical Society.



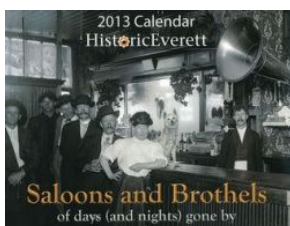
The exhibit vividly tells the story of the women who lived in the Stanwood area during the first seventy years of the twentieth century. *Waistlines and Hemlines* features an extensive collection of fashionable ladies' clothing that serves to illuminate women's history from 1900 through 1970. These are the clothes women saved and treasured. Docents enhanced the fashions by weaving into the exhibit

historical anecdotes, photographs from each decade, newspaper articles and ads of the day, period objects and an interpretive synopsis of each era covered.



Project Name: **"The Howard S. Wright House Restoration"**, 2108 and 2112 Rucker, Everett. William Belshaw, with support of Historic Everett. Everett resident and past Historic Everett president William Belshaw purchased the

rundown historically important American Foursquare Howard S. Wright home in Everett in 2006 and completed a top to bottom restoration of the structure in 2012. Both 2008 and 2012 Rucker were in virtual teardown status and the property was to be replaced with a 24-unit development when Mr. Belshaw stepped in, saved the houses and preserved one of the most historically significant and intact blocks on Everett's Rucker Avenue.



Project Name: **"Saloons & Brothels of Days (and Nights) Gone By"**, a 2013 calendar produced by Historic Everett. Historic Everett has published calendars for ten years, generally focusing on the houses, buildings and architects in Everett's past.

Last year Historic Everett's directors chose to examine the city's past night life side. Sources were Everett Community College, the Museum of History and Industry and Everett Public Library.



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Membership Information and Form
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The League, a 501(c3) tax-deductible non-profit organization, coordinates heritage organizations in Snohomish County for mutual assistance through workshops and conferences, sharing of technical information, an awards program and the organization of countywide heritage projects. The League members include individuals and Snohomish County heritage organizations. The League and its member organizations are operated by volunteers in an effort to better preserve the local history of the area.

Name or Contact Person: _____

Organization (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone number: _____

Email Address for [Loscho Enews](#) : _____

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_____ Individuals \$10.00 _____ Organizations \$15.00

_____ Lifetime Membership for Individuals 65 and older - \$100

_____ Donation

_____ TOTAL ENCLOSED

Contact the League by email ~ Thank you!



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