



Browns Point Improvement Club

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Upcoming Events

Sat Apr 15th, 9am: Easter Egg Hunt

Sat Apr 22nd: Earth Day/Park Clean Up

Sat May 6th 6:30pm: Cinco de Mayo Party

Sat Jun 24th 10am: Nature Day

Health & Safety Fair

Saturday, March 18th 9am-5pm

Come join Pierce County Fire District 13 for our Health & Wellness Fair! Come in for a free blood-pressure check, learn basic CPR/AED use*, first aid, healthy living tips and more from our fire command staff and volunteers! All portions of the event are free!



Browns Point Fire Station 77
4815 Wa Tau Ga Ave NE
*9-11am CPR/AED Class
9am-5pm Free Blood Pressure Check Drop-in

Easter Egg Hunt on April 15th

Saturday, April 15, BP Clubhouse and Lighthouse Park



Tue Jul 4th 10am: 4th of July Parade

Sun Aug 13th: Adult Salmon Derby

Sun Sep 10th: Kid's Fishing Derby

Sun Oct 29th: Trunk or Treat

Sat Nov 18th: Turkey Bingo

TBD: Christmas Ships/Tree Lighting

Mon Dec 11th: BPIC Santa

Sun Dec 31st: New Year's Eve Party

Browns Point's annual Easter Egg hunt will be held at 9 am sharp on Saturday, April 15th at the BPIC and Lighthouse Park.

Kids ages 0 to 9 can hunt for eggs and other surprises. Kids are divided into age groups, with the youngest ones hunting in a small, grassy patch closest to the clubhouse, and the older kids further around the park. The Easter Bunny will be there rain or shine!

An egg-stuffing party will be held on April 11 (time tbd). If you'd like to help, contact [Gloria Malone](#).



BPIC Quick Links

- [Become a Member!](#)
- [Events](#)
- [Contact Us](#)
- [Facebook](#)

Clubhouse Rentals



Email [Alice Owen](#) or call (253-927-1042) for available rental dates and further information.

Readerboard Ads



BPIC Scholarship Applications Due April 15th

The Scholarship Program is one of the many ways that the BPIC gives back to the local community. All high school seniors within the BPIC area with plans on attending college or a vocational school are encouraged to apply. The 2017 BPIC Scholarship applications will be due on April 15, 2017 at 8:00 PM..

Download the application [here](#) or go to brownspoint.org for scholarship instructions and application forms.

Curly Slide Park Cleanup

Saturday April 22

Grab your work gloves and join your neighbors at Browns Point Playfield a.k.a "Curly Slide Park" for [Parks Appreciation Day](#), **Saturday, April 22nd, from 9am to noon.** Participants are needed to help Metro Parks Tacoma clean up area parks by trimming limbs, spreading wood chips, clearing trails, grooming grounds, and planting more flowers and trees. Since the Lighthouse Park is scheduled to soon undergo a major renovation, Curly Slide Park has been selected as the Browns Point area park deserving some local volunteer "T.L.C." Metro Parks will provide the tools and supplies, we just need to provide the volunteers. Please check the BPIC reader board and Town Center bulletin boards in the coming weeks for additional details.



For more information about the Curly Slide Clean up, please call [Richard M.](#) at (253) 202-5978, or contact [Dave Malone](#). To learn more about Metro Parks Tacoma's County-wide clean up effort, please visit ParksAppreciationDay.net

2017 Cinco De Mayo Party

Saturday, May 6th 6:30p-11:00p

To get on the Browns Point reader board, [Email Bekki or Annika Hansen](#) or call 253-952-7775

Community Links

[Center at Norpoint](#)

[Dash Point Social & Improvement Club](#)

[Northpoint Cooperative Preschool](#)

[Points Northeast Historical Society](#)

[Seabury School](#)

[Soundview Little League](#)

No time for a Siesta... BPIC is having a Fiesta! We are excited to host this event at the Clubhouse on Saturday, May 6th from 6:30p to 11:00p. Come salsa the night away with delicious Mexican choices catered by Café Rio and get your groove on with our favorite DJ! Tickets may be purchased at Postal and More at the Point after April 4th - \$25 each. We're still working out a few details... watch the Browns Point Reader Board or contact [Aileen Williams](#) for additional information. Ole!



Free Spring Classes for Seniors

Click the following links for more information on free spring classes for seniors.

[Seatac Community Center](#)

[Des Moines](#)

[Auburn Senior Center](#)

[Burien Community Center](#)

[Center at Norpoint](#)

Kids Nature Day

Sunday, June 24th

This annual tradition is hands-on fun for the whole family. Divers retrieve sea treasures from the bottom of the Puget Sound for the children to see and, in some cases, touch! Arts & crafts and snacks are provided.

Volunteers are needed for set-up, take down and creating nature crafts. Contact [Dave Malone](#) to help out.

When: Sunday, June 24 from 10 am - noon

Where: BPIC clubhouse



Northeast Tacoma: Two Points of View

March 16 to June 3 at the Tacoma Historical Society

919 Pacific Ave in downtown Tacoma.

11am to 4 pm. Open Wed thru Sat

253-472-3738 www.tacomahistory.org



The Tacoma Historical Society, in conjunction with Points NE Historical Society, opened a new exhibit at the Tacoma Historical Society Museum at 1919 Pacific Avenue with an opening reception on Thursday, March 16.

The exhibit features the early development of



Northeast Tacoma including Browns Point and Dash Point, lighthouse keepers Oscar and Annie Brown, and Native American real estate developer Jerry Meeker. The exhibit includes photos

and items from Dash Point's pioneer school. It is curated by Mavis Stears and the Museum Committee of the Points NE Historical Society.

Click [here](#) for a list of special events associated with the exhibit.

Tours Resume Saturday May 6 for Light Keeper's Cottage and Museums

Mark your calendar for the opening of Lightkeeper's Cottage Season. Tours will be given of the 1903 cottage starting May 6 and continuing through Saturday, October 1, 2017. The Boathouse Museum, the Bell House and the Basement Museum will be open. Docents will provide the tour and answer questions from 1 pm through 4 pm.



More information can be found at www.pointsnortheast.org, or call (253) 927-2536.

About the Browns Point Improvement Club

The Browns Point Improvement Club is a non-profit organization established in 1919 for the purpose of engaging in activities to advance the interests of the community. Thanks to all our community members who make Browns Point a great place to live!

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