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**Today is: September 7, 2005**

(The Evergreen State Fair was greater than ever !!!!)

**Smile:** A.D. 200—Chinese invented the wheelbarrow and called it the 'wooden ox', only the wheel was in the center.

**Devotion:** "Go to the ant, you sluggard! Consider her ways, and be wise"

(Proverbs: 6:6)

**Prayers:** Our thanks for our giving community, our prayers for those in pain and sorrow: God Bless!! Amen.

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**TODAY'S PROGRAM:**

Lyn Iverson, Everett Herald, will tell us about 'niche' marketing in Snohomish county and how it is also 'unique'.

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**ROSTER UPDATES**

Thanks to Mary Lou Kennedy, I have, once again, a roster of members, so...  
**Happy Birthdays** to Gordy Keck (7/3), Lin (Miss Corvette '05) McIlrath (6/27), Ruth Rehm (6/9), Terry Simon (6/12), Vince Smith (7/20) and Dale Taylor (8/15).

**Membership Anniversary** Celebrations to Bill Raser (37) and Paul Reasoner (24). Congratulations and thank you!!!! Our club is very fortunate to have such

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dedicated members, working for our community!

**UPDATES PLEASE**

Your updates are important for the Roster. Copies of the current Roster are available. Please call or email Mary Lou Kennedy with your changes.

**BOARD MEETING ON THE 25<sup>TH</sup>**

The business of the club was postponed one month when the lack of a quorum crept into the process of governance, i.e., it's the holiday season!

Mark your calendar, please. The next Board meeting is September 29.

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**PROGRAM NOTES from the desk of Ron Park**

Next week, our speaker will be Richard Oliver of the Downtown Merchants Association, addressing the needs of his membership.

- In the following weeks we will have:
- Sept. 21: Jim Replik, with personal service experiences.
- Sept. 28: Bill Prenoveau returns with his annual update on education.
- Oct. 5: Lin McIlrath, VGH Foundation.
- Oct. 12: Diana Parker, Sea-Tac Airport
- Oct. 19: Kinder Holdaway, "Eagles' Wings"
- Oct. 26: Jim Spaulding, Supt. of the Monroe Correctional Facility.



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Ron has more programs already lined up for Nov. as well. Thank you, Ron!!!

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## CAREFUL WHAT YOU ASK FOR

(you might get it)...and don't ask questions for which you don't already know the answer....are two potent pieces of sage advice; however, here goes:

What would you like to see different in your newsletter...add something new, delete something drab, change the tone, whatever...I'd like to know. For example, the last two issues contained a report of Sharon and Torrence at Int'l Convention. Personally, I'd like more of that...inputs from YOU. How about you? More pictures?...or how about games, e.g., for \$5. off on a lunch:

Who wrote and within what title:

*"Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,  
And sorry I could not travel both  
Being one traveler, long I stood  
And looked down one as far as I could  
To where it bent in the undergrowth."*

**Email me the answer!**

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## SCHOLARSHIP WINNER SPEAKS OUT

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## MONROE'S KIWANIS GOLFING EVENT

**Sept 17: only 10 days left to practice**

**up:** Contact Jim Bloss @ 425-231-5186)

8 a.m. SHOTGUN Tee Off!

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Volunteer help is needed; sign up TODAY. Let's get behind our last big event of the summer.

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## FALL FEATURETTE

It happens every fall, like the song of crickets and honk of geese flying north. Moles return, just like starlings in the spring. Folks suggest pouring water down their burrows, siccing dogs on em and making vibrations with whirley gigs, called "mole spinning". I've heard of putting chewing gum down the holes. I suppose someone expects it to stop up their bowels ??if they chew too much ???

A fellow in Colorado bought an old sewage pumping truck, drives around using his hose to suck up the lil var-mints, and sells em as pets.

Experts claim if you can get rid of insects in your lawn, the moles will just go away....right!?? I know if I wait long enough, they'll go away by themselves...til next spring, and fall. If I could only figure out where they go in the winter, and keep em there.

I saw a man on TV once, sitting in his pasture, watching an active mole hill, with elbows braced on his knees and nickel plated .38 between his hands. "When ya see the dirt move, ya shoot straight down the hole, otherwise, yu miss em for sure." Well, he did: Ka-Boom....and he yelled, "Rats, missed another one". Excuse me, but I thought he said he was hunting MOLES!

Personally, I recommend a mole trap instead, which works really well, if the mole uses the same path more than once. I think that's more neighborly than sitting in my wife's flower bed with a .38 revolver. And this ain't Texas, so the deputy sheriff living next door might have a few things to say and do with me.

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