

# Briarcrest Neighborhood Newsletter

*Winter Edition  
January 2017*

## *Calendar of Events*

### Ongoing Events:

BNA Meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month 7-8:30, Patty Pan

Humble Feast Community Dinner – 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month, 5:30-7:30

Patty Pan's Neighborhood Kitchen

### Seasonal Events:

Briarcrest Storytelling Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

Jon and Amy Anscher's home  
16010 25th Ave NE

School Bond Election Day  
Tuesday, February 14

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Next BNA newsletter scheduled for Spring 2017

## Letter from the Director

Happy New Year from your Briarcrest Neighborhood Association! Hope your holidays were lovely and that you're enjoying the start to 2017.

Our neighborhood storytelling evenings continue to grow, with more neighbors joining us each time for tales and treats. Please join us for our next event on Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at the home of Jon and Amy Anscher, 16010 - 25th Ave NE from 7 to 9 pm. Come prepared with a five- to seven-minute story or just come to listen.

In early December we were excited to be awarded a Community Project Grant from the Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Arts Council, the first ever for our neighborhood association! We plan to use the grant to present a Storytelling Workshop with special guests Norm Brecke and Anne Rutherford this coming summer. More details to come!

The BNA hosted Shoreline School District Superintendent Rebecca Miner at our January meeting, who told us all about the school construction bond issue that Shoreline voters will decide in February. In December we met with Brian Dixon, Emergency Management Coordinator for the City of Shoreline, who chatted with us about neighborhood emergency hubs and how Briarcrest might set one up. BNA'ers will continue to work on this issue in the coming months.

As always, the BNA would like to make a difference in our neighborhood, whether by helping with school or community projects, assisting neighbors with establishing their own Shoreline Watch program, or hosting discussions of neighborhood issues of concern. If you have a project or an issue you'd like help with, let your Briarcrest Neighborhood Association know about it!

If you're new to Briarcrest or know someone who is and you'd like a Briarcrest Hospitality Packet, please contact us. You can also find us at our website, Google Group, Facebook page, or contact us directly.

We invite you to join us at our regular Briarcrest Neighborhood Association meetings (second Tuesday of each month at Patty Pan Co-operative Kitchen, 7 to 8:30 pm) as well as our neighborhood events. We look forward to meeting you or seeing you again!

Jean Hilde-Fulghum  
BNA Director

## New Website Manager

The BNA website now has a new manager, Alice Keller. Many thanks to Amy Anscher for creating the site! Check it out for upcoming BNA events, meeting announcements and minutes, newsletters (including archived minutes and newsletters), and related neighborhood news. If anyone has an item you'd like posted on the site, send it to Alice: [briarcrestalice@gmail.com](mailto:briarcrestalice@gmail.com).

## Look for Briarcrest in "Currents"

Briarcrest neighborhood will be featured in April's issue of "Currents," the City of Shoreline newsletter. If you don't already receive "Currents" and would like to, contact Communications Specialist Tavia Tan at (206) 801-2226, [ttan@shorelinewa.gov](mailto:ttan@shorelinewa.gov).

