

March 2010 Town of Oakesdale Newsletter



CAREGIVER COFFEE

Caregiver Coffee is intended to be a safe and confidential place to get together with other people who understand what you are going through. A place to express the joys, frustration, humor, and anger that can be associated with care giving. Caregiver groups can be a valuable place for problem solving, developing strategies for providing care and learning about your resources. All are welcome! The support group meets in Oakesdale on the 2nd Monday each month from 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. in the council chambers at City Hall. For more information contact Sarah Rial or Jenny Schwartz at (800) 526-2273 ext. 6483 or (208) 883-6483 from Project Access.

ORGANIC YARD WASTE RECYCLING CENTER

As we welcome the mild winter and “spring like” weather, our organic yard waste and recycling center is open to receive tree limbs and shrubbery clippings. We can accept tree limbs up to one foot in diameter. We will be receiving grass clipping in another few months. You can enter the recycling center from the corner of Bartlett and Second Street. The gates are unlocked and we ask that you please close both gates when you leave the facility. There is a receiving area marked for tree limbs and shrubbery clippings. When we start collecting grass clippings, there is an area designated for that as well. We hope to begin using a chipper soon as the pile has begun to grow already from tree branches and clippings. Maps are available at City Hall if you are unsure where to locate the outdoor recycling center.

JUNK CARS

This is a friendly reminder as we head into our spring clean-up modes, if you have a wrecked or junked vehicle you can contact **Good Guys Towing at (509) 455-6666** and they will haul your junk vehicle for FREE! Junk vehicles are defined in our town code 3.24.022 where a vehicle is defined as junk if it at least meets three of the following requirements: (1) Is three years old or older; (2) Is extensively damaged, such damage including but not limited to any one of the following: a broken window or windshield, missing wheels, tires, motor, or transmission, or cannot be operated legally on the highway as the result of damage or disrepair; (3) Is apparently inoperable; (4) Has an approximate fair market value, when taken as a whole, equal only to its approximate scrap value; (5) Has no valid license plates or license tabs displayed or is not insured for the minimum amount required for a motor vehicle operated on public roads within the state of Washington.

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