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Free
St. Patrick's Day
Virtual Yin Yoga

Yoga Instructor:
Joy Koniicka

☘ **Thursday March 17, 2022**
☘ **8:30am via Zoom**

- Yin Yoga is "yoga for the joints".
- Poses are held for 2-5 minutes.
- This is a beginner-friendly practice.
- Irish affirmations & blessings to celebrate the day.
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6:30PM | MARCH 17, 2022
DURING PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING



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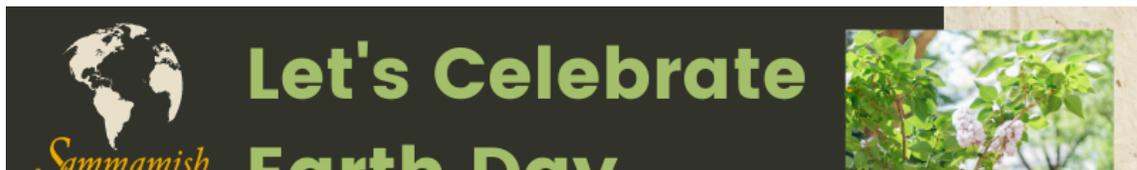


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Earth Day

Friday, April 22
4pm - 6pm
East Sammamish Park

Volunteer to removal invasive plants. Give back to your community, learn about native plants and enhance wildlife habitat!

Saturday, April 23
11am - 2pm
Lodge at Beaver Lake

This event will feature crafts, activities, informational booths, petting zoo, scavenger hunt and many more!

Sunday, April 24
10am - 1pm
Various Sites

Docent tours on actively worked sites at Evans Creek Preserve, Ebright Park, East Sammamish Park and much more!

<https://sammamish.us/parks-recreation-facilities/special-events/earth-day/>



Join us for the City of Sammamish Earth Day celebration! This event will feature crafts, activities, informational booths, prizes, food trucks, performances, petting zoo, scavenger hunt and many more! All ages are welcome! *Click on the image to learn more!*






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King County Library System and the City of Sammamish presents



OUTDOOR STORY TIME

Sundays
1pm

MARCH- MAY
SUNDAYS AT 1:00
ON THE PLAZA

FAMILY PROGRAM
AGES 1-6 YRS

Join Librarian Sara for stories and songs- outdoors under the pergola on Sammamish Commons.
Dress for the weather, bring something to sit on- rain or shine.
Masks and social distancing encouraged

Nature VISION

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS
SAMMAMISH
March April May

- March, April, May -
Beaver Lake Park in Sammamish, WA

Register Now!

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COMMUNITY VAN

Sammamish's Alternative Transit Service

- Take a trip up to 2 hours away for the cost of a Metro fare
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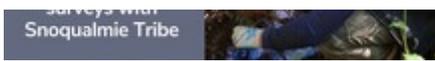
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Community Bulletins



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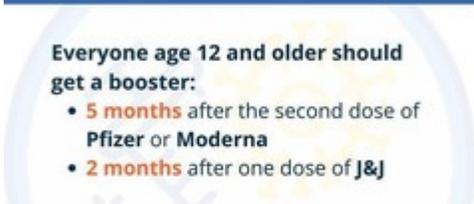
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