

WEST PANORAMA RIDGE RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION

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Spring 2017 Newsletter

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President's Message

Happy Spring to you all...can it come fast enough? Will the rain ever stop? I guess we said the same thing about all the snow we had this winter. When local companies start coming door to door to save our drowning lawns, well, that about says it all!



I would like to thank our Board for another year of dedication to serving their Community, attending meetings and voicing their concerns and participating in their own special ways to making the WPRRA a great organization, and to being part of the democratic process.

We have tackled many issues on behalf of residents, the main concern being the re starting of Train Whistling in early February. This was necessitated by BC Rail as the City of Surrey was working at their new temporary fill operation at the Colebrook site near Birdies and Buckets. Dump trucks were spotted on the train tracks and this was a very busy area for almost three months. Timing was not great as the roads were muddy due to the constant traffic, but necessary, as the type of soil that was available to the City was deemed valuable as they go forward in 2017/2018 in their Dyke reparation project. This will be a large (\$!) but important undertaking, to build up the dykes along Mud Bay. There will be more information in future newsletters. The whistling ceased after a few phone calls and once flagging crews were brought in, the dump truck traffic was better controlled. Needless to say, residents were alarmed that the dreaded whistling was back!

This year is Canada's 150th Birthday and we hope you will participate in the various City and Provincial initiatives to celebrate this sesquicentennial, 150 years after Confederation. We will be hosting our Annual Ridge Day, September 16th, and celebrating in true Panorama Ridge style. We encourage you to come out and tell us what Canada means to you, what brought you to Canada and the Ridge!

We will be hosting our WPRRA Annual General meeting on Wednesday April 26th at Colebrook Church at 7:30 p.m. There will be no worries about attendance this year as Play-off hockey in Vancouver will not be an issue. You are encouraged to attend, become a member and find out more about the WPRRA and learn how you can get involved. We host Community events, advocate for our residents, operate various Block Watch groups, pick up garbage (often!) and deal with many issues brought to our attention.

We are a Registered Society (not for profit) and our motto is "to preserve the semi-rural nature of the Ridge". We encourage preservation of our trees, nature and our parks, Joe Brown, Delta View and our new soon to be open Colebrook Park.

Presidents Message continued...

Election Day is Tuesday May 9th and you will find more details inside as to polling locations for our new riding of Surrey-Panorama.

A special thank you to our regular advertisers. This paid advertising allows us to print our newsletter AND deliver at a minimal cost to the Association. We welcome new advertisers and our requirement for a \$150.00 Business card size ad, is that you live on the Ridge.

And a friendly reminder to be vigilant and alert for suspicious activity on the Ridge, if you see something, do something....make a call to the non-emergency number 604-599-0502 if the situation warrants call 9-1-1 if an emergency! Report, report, report...this is the way the RCMP presence will increase on the Ridge. There have been reports of mail theft and a big increase in break-ins and illegal activity, mostly at the east end of the Ridge. If you have any issues that need to be addressed, bring them to our attention: panoramaridge@shaw.ca. Best wishes for a great spring and summer. See you at Earth Day April 22nd or at other Community Events.

Tammy Ritchie, President, WPRRA

Colebrook United Church

Telephone: 604-596-2412, e-mail info@colebrookunited.org, website: colebrookunited.org, and find us on facebook.

Colebrook United Church has been part of this community for over 70 years. The "heart of Panorama Ridge" we are a place of spiritual nurture and community for people of the Ridge. We gather to explore our spiritual selves and work together to bring the spirit of love into the world. We have space for family gatherings, meetings and community activities. We have worship that is open to all at 10:00a.m. on Sundays and various activities throughout the week. Drop by or give us a call. We'd love to connect.

Upcoming Events at Colebrook United Church:

April 22, 9am – 2pm, Yard Sale. Books, household items, plants, small furniture, tools & much more! All welcome!!
June 14, 1:30-4pm, Strawberry Tea. Adults/\$8; Children 3-6 yrs./\$3; Under 3/free. All welcome!!

Ongoing Happenings at Colebrook United Church:

- Drop-In Bridge: Fridays from 12:30-3:00pm until the end of May. \$3.00 per person. Bridge players welcome. No partner required. NO BRIDGE APRIL 14, 21 & MAY 5.
- Pickleball: Wednesdays from 3:00-5:00pm. \$4.00 each session. Played with a wiffle ball, tennis net and ping-pong racket. A fun indoor sport.
- Prayer Shawl Group: alternate Tuesdays from 10am-noon. Stitching together prayerfulness and needle work. The gifted shawls wrap the recipients in love. Come & join this fun group.
- Yoga: Mondays from 9:30-10:30am. \$48.00/8 sessions, \$7.00 for drop-in.
- Zumba: Tuesdays from 7:00-8:15pm beginning April 4th. To register for the whole session go to www.zumbavancouver.ca. (\$10/class) or drop-in rate is \$13/class.

Colebrook United Church also collects:

- Food for the Surrey Food Bank
- Children's clothing up to size 14 and Diapers (sizes 4-6) for the Clothes Closet.
- Adult clothing, pants, shoes, tops which are given out at Community Dinners at the Hub once a month.

Upcoming Dates:



April 22nd: EARTH DAY 11th Annual 10:00 a.m. (new meeting location!) at 12336-53rd Avenue (due to increased congestion at Colebrook Church/School)

April 22nd: COLEBROOK ELEMENTARY Flea Market/Garage Sale AND Pancake Breakfast Saturday April 22nd 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Tables available to rent for \$25.00 or \$20.00 if you have your own table and just need a space. Breakfast is \$5.00 for 2 pancakes, sausage and Coffee/Tea or Juice Hotdogs/Smokies available after breakfast

April 22nd: COLEBROOK UNITED CHURCH YARD SALE 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

April 26th: WPRRA AGM - Colebrook United Church- 7:30 p.m. (open to members or those wishing to join at the event)

May 12th: COLEBROOK ELEMENTARY Funnight 5.00pm to 9.00pm

June 14th: STRAWBERRY TEA 1:30-4:00 p.m. Colebrook United Church



PROVINCIAL ELECTION – TUESDAY, MAY 9TH.

Eligible voters in our new riding of Surrey Panorama will vote at Colebrook Elementary. Advance polls will be held at Colebrook United Church on April 29, 30 and May 3, 4, 5 and 6th. Voting hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m on all dates. You can vote in this B.C. provincial election if you are at least 18 years old on Election Day, a Canadian citizen, a resident of B.C. for 6 months before the election and registered to vote. Proof of identity and address are needed to vote. Further information is available at <http://elections.bc.ca/2017/>

B.C. Election History

1871- First general election for B.C. Legislative Assembly

1874 – Chinese and First Nations persons disenfranchised.

1895 – Japanese disenfranchised.

1907 – Hindus disenfranchised.

1917 – Women allowed to vote.

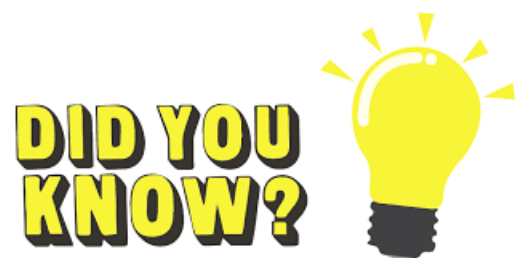
1945 – Members of disqualified groups, allowed to vote if served In World War 1 or 2, and otherwise qualified.

1947 – Prohibition against Chinese and Hindus removed.

1949 – Prohibition against Japanese and First Nations peoples removed.

1991 – First female premier – Rita Johnston

2000 – First Indo-Canadian premier – Ujjal Dosanjh



Biodiversity in the Community

Yes, in Panorama Ridge, we're rich!—not just in our property values and in having room to breathe between houses but in having three parks that play an important role in conserving nature within our semi-rural neighbourhood. We like to have nature close by—it's why many of us chose to live on the Ridge-- and we know the value of biological diversity and a healthy ecology but how to do that in a city? Surrey's GIN (Green Integrated Network) is a plan to maintain large natural areas or **hubs**, smaller **sites**, and **corridors** that interconnect these so that wildlife can move between areas to increase their food supply and to increase genetic diversity.

Colebrook Park, all 175ha /432 acres of it, is a **hub** with forested swamp, old fields, natural shrubland and forest. It rates high in naturalness, high in ecological significance, and, because it's so large, is able at its core to provide refuge for wildlife that is more sensitive to human interference. Both barn owls and herons nest here.

Joe Brown is a **supporting park**, and its forested areas also rank high in naturalness and in ecological significance, especially around Eugene Creek in which last fall, for the first time in living memory, salmon returned to spawn. The centre of Joe Brown has much less diversity and this is where the conceptual plan puts human activities. It's interesting to note that around both parks, large lots with high tree cover extend the areas of high ecological value beyond the parks boundaries.

Corridors are vital, enabling wildlife to move between hubs and sites to increase their food supply and to increase genetic diversity. Colebrook and Joe Brown are connected to Mud Bay Park, Watershed Park, and large natural areas in Delta, west of Joe Brown. Tiny little **Delta View** park, which abuts Joe Brown and Eugene Creek, is a stepping stone to the west.

You've probably spotted some of the wildlife the area supports: raccoons, beaver, bats, Douglas squirrels, mice, moles, voles, rabbits, hawks, skunks, opossums, coyotes, bats, deer, coyote, garter snakes, frogs and toads, herons, woodpeckers, and numerous songbirds. Having mice and moles may not thrill us, but they do feed the owls and eagles which we do love; in turn, these raptors keep the mice and mole populations down.

The number and diversity of native plants and wildlife indicate how healthy our ecology is. However, a healthy ecology is built from the soil up and what's on the forest floor is as important as the trees. The forest floor needs large coarse woody debris—branches and fallen trees—in various stages of decay. These create microclimates and provide both cover and movement corridors for wildlife. Different plants and shrubs provide food and protection. A healthy forest floor isn't neat and tidy. Similarly, shrubland and old fields, with their own types of vegetation, habitat and species support, are 'messy' in comparison to our gardens.



Joe Brown forest undergrowth

We can support biodiversity and GIN by becoming more knowledgeable (surrey.ca and type in biodiversity strategy), being aware of and supportive of Surrey's efforts to create biodiversity and provide habitats for wildlife, and encouraging our politicians to also make wise decisions. In our back yards, we can support biodiversity by providing food, shelter and water to birds, amphibians, pollinators and butterflies. Some possibilities: plant trees for nest sites. Provide bird boxes, maybe even a bat box, create a bit of ground-level shelter by densely planting shrubs and ground cover. Try to include native plants. Shy little garter snakes might prefer a pile of sun-warmed rocks; provide water: even a simple bird bath helps; plant for blossoms that attract pollinators and berries that will feed birds try to maintain pockets of natural areas if you are lucky enough to have them.

So yes, **we are rich in biodiversity** and that may be the most enduring richness of all, the most enduring gift you can pass on to your children.

Great Blue Herons on the Ridge

It seems that predators, bald eagles, hawks, barred owls and crows may have taken over the heron territory this year. Up to this date, mid-March, 2017 the great blue herons have been sighted on only two occasions checking their “rookery.” This would be the first year in twenty years that they have not returned to their nests.

Perhaps the long winter has prevented them from nesting this year. Perhaps this has been an example of natural selection. Last Summer their nests and young were devastated by crows (for the eggs) and bald eagles for their young. This year David Hancock, a wildlife biologist, who has monitored the eagle nest for three years on Coulthard Road and 54A Avenue, has now been asked to monitor the herons.



David has spent a lifetime observing and conserving the Bald Eagle in Alaska, BC and Washington. He is responsible for placing Webcams into the nests of bald eagles in order for us to gain an understanding of this magnificent raptor.

Occasionally, the neighbours of Coulthard Road get to meet him!

Heritage Trees on West Panorama Ridge:

As you drive through the Ridge you’ll notice the tall and abundant tree growth. One neighbour used to say, he could breathe out and relax when he drove onto the Ridge at the end of the day. One can concur if you drive by the magnificent “Sugar Maple” at the junction of 132nd and 56th. The Fall colours of this maple are astounding. Yet, is this maple a Heritage Tree?

How do you know that you have a heritage tree on your property?

Some research with the help of Surrey Planning and Development Department: Trees and Landscaping will help. Heritage Trees are defined in Surrey’s Bylaw as “significant Trees.” There is a list in Appendix B of the Tree Bylaw. This is organised by tree number.

Here is the direct link to the Tree Bylaw in its entirety:

http://www.surrey.ca/bylawsandcouncilibrary/BYL_reg_16100.pdf#sthash.eiE6ffz6.dpuf

This link is on the City’s website as well, so its accessible to anyone who wants to read it. Part 6 of the Bylaw will provide you with more information on Significant trees.

Many of the trees on this list have a plaque at their base, which should help people identify them.

Another resource is the Heritage Tree page on the City’s website: <http://www.surrey.ca/community/12836.aspx> .

This page also provides information on how to nominate a tree for Heritage (Significant) status.



It would be a great research project for a school or family or individual to undertake to fine out when the tree was planted and by whom? How old is it? Is it an ‘exotic’ or natural to the West Coast.

Maybe we can add to the list of Heritage (Significant) trees growing on West Panorama Ridge?

Heritage Tree on the Ridge

There's something about Cedars:

The cedar trees on the Ridge are one of 30 species, belonging to the pine, cypress and other coniferous cone bearing evergreen families. *Thuja Plicata* is our native Western Red Cedar and is a member of this group. They are “monoecious”, which means that they produce male and female cones on the same tree every other year or so. Western Red Cedars are a pioneer species and were the first trees to colonize cleared land. This cedar grows up to 60 meters tall in moist soils in mixed coniferous forests such as Joe Brown Park and Watershed Park. It has red/brown bark with thin long vertical strips that is easily peeled. Its leaves develop in sprays of about 15 cm long with small aromatic leaves. The twigs, leaves, bark and roots were all used medicinally by native peoples. Other names for *Thuja Plicata* are: “canoe wood and shingle wood”.

The Lebanon cedar (*Cedrus Libani*), is the national emblem of the Lebanese republic and appears on their flag, symbolizing immortality and tolerance. This tree is also on the logo of the Middle Eastern Airlines. A relative, *Thuja orientalis* or *Arbor Vitae*, which means “tree of life”, grows in the Eastern part of Canada and United States. Some fine specimens can be found in Redwood Park as well as many other beautiful non-native trees that were planted in this park in the early 1900's.

The Deodor Cedar (*Cedrus Deodora*) known for its weeping habit, often seen in our neighborhood gardens, is not a true cedar.

Forests of these cedars in Pradesh, India were considered sacred places where Hindu sages lived and meditated. This tree is the National tree of Pakistan.

Poles out of Western Red Cedar were used as markers in hunting territories by natives. Oil derived from these trees is still used today as natural repellents for insect and for closet linings. Guitar boards are made of this wood as well. European settlers have used this wood from broom handles to cedar rail fences that still line many a farm property today. Cedar wood was used in ancient times in the ship building industry.

Cedars provide shelter for many mammals and birds all year long. Squirrels as well as pine siskins, juncos and redpolls enjoy the seeds this tree provides. Snowshoe hares and deer nibble on the twigs and leaves to sustain themselves through the winter.

Aboriginal tribes have used these trees as medicinal herbs for many purposes, from treating infections, with ointments made from the natural oils of the tree to teas rich in vitamin C made from the young tips of the leaves. Clothing was made from the tree bark and huge totem poles and canoes were carved from this lightweight wood and bark. The chemical substance in the mature trees, called Thujaplicin prevents the wood from rotting. It acts as a natural fungicide and has anti-bacterial properties. This effect in the tree can last up to 100 years after the tree is felled!

Many people are allergic to plicata acid in the tree's wood, this is a serious hazard in the wood industry, it can also cause cedar induced asthma!

This beautiful, native and hardy tree on its own, or maintained as a hedge can be a jewel in your yard! Great looking built as a fence on our property lines and durable as shingles on our roofs! The Western Red Cedar is BC's official tree!



Useful Surrey Numbers:



ITEM	Phone
City of Surrey (<i>general line</i>)	604-591-4011
Emergency issues (<i>water mains, missing stops signs</i>)	604-591-4152
By-law and Animal Complaints	604-591-4370
Street and sidewalk repair	604-591-4152
Fire: <i>burning regulations, abandoned building, suspected grow-up, general issues</i>	604-543-6700
Blockwatch program	604-502-6560
Crimestoppers	1-800-222-8477 (TIPS)

Consider downloading the **Surrey Request App** on your cell phone device.

You can report litter, graffiti, potholes and much more. Many of us have had great success using this App.

Recipe Corner: Boneless Chicken Curry

- 2 TABLESPOONS OIL
- 1 MEDIUM ONION
- 1 INCH GINGER – PEELED
- 3 CLOVES OF GARLIC
- 1 LARGE TOMATO
- 1 TABLESPOON TOMATO PASTE
- 1 TSP SALT
- ¼ TSP RED PEPPER
- 1 ½ TSP TURMERIC
- 1 TABLESPOON GARAM MASALA
- 1 BUNCH CORRIANDER
- 2 BONELESS CHICKEN BREAST CUT INTO ONE INCH PIECES
- 2 CUPS WATER



PROCESS ONION, GINGER AND GARLIC IN FOOD PROCESSOR TILL FINE – ADD ¼ WATER IF NECESSARY

SET ASIDE

PROCESS TOMATO AND CORRIANDER IN FOOD PROCESSOR TILL FINE – SET ASIDE

HEAT OIL IN LARGE SAUCE PAN ON MEDIUM HIGH HEAT

ADD CUMIN SEEDS LET SIZZLE TILL LIGHTLY BROWN

ADD PROCESSED ONION, GINGER, GARLIC – COOK ON MEDIUM HIGH TILL LIGHTLY BROWN – ABOUT 5 MIN – IF NEEDED 1/4 CUP WATER WHEN STICKING TO PAN

ADD PROCESSED TOMATO AND CORRIANDER MIX AND COOK FOR A FEW MINUTES

ADD TOMATO PASTE, SALT, PEPPER, TURMERIC, GARAM MASALA COOK FOR ANOTHER 5 MINUTES -ADDING A LITTLE BIT OF WATER IF NECESSARY TO PREVENT STICKING.

ADD BONELESS CHICKEN PIECES, ADD WATER, COVER PARTIALLY AND COOK FOR ABOUT 10 MINUTES TILL CHICKEN IS COOKED. STIR ONCE IN WHILE.

TASTE AND ADD MORE SALT IF NEEDED.

NOTE: TURMERIC, GARAM MASALA, RED PEPPER, GINGER, CORRIANDER (NOT PARSLEY) CAN BE BOUGHT AT FRUITICANA ON 64TH AVE AND 132ST, OR AT SAVE- ON FOODS.

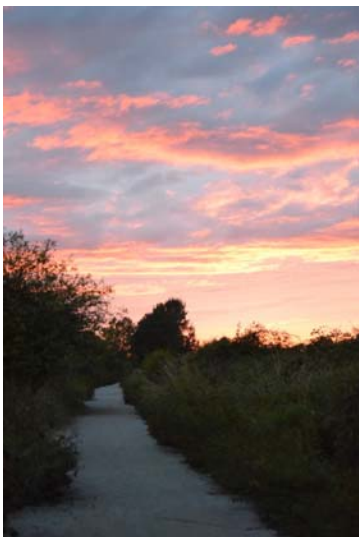
Living on the Ridge

Gravel trucks once travelled 53 Avenue 6 days a week. They were carrying gravel from the Colebrook Sand and Gravel pit which was owned by the Bray family. 53 Avenue went further west than today but extensive mining undermined part of the street and it was eventually closed. The overpass on Hwy. 99 was built with gravel from that pit. There was a second gravel pit in Joe Brown Park which was accessed via the present park entrance. This northern pit was owned by Surrey and a Mr. Mathers managed the operation. His large family included 7 children who all lived in a small house in the park.

Paul Corbett has lived on the Ridge for most of his life. He went to the 1 room Colebrook School which was closed for some years due to lack of students. Joe Brown had donated land for the park, church and school. This little school only got indoor plumbing in 1956/7. Many homes were just summer cottages which were slowly replaced and the school reopened in the late 60s. There was a day when a grade 3 student was left to supervise grades 1, 2 and 3 while the teacher took a sick child home. He biked or walked to J.T. Brown School for grade 4 – using lots of shortcut trails. His father was involved with Newton Little League ball and worked with several others to cut and clear land in Joe Brown Park and build a ball diamond where the park washrooms are presently located. This was a major feat as the area was heavily forested. Needless to say, Paul enjoyed playing ball for many years. There was also a second local ball field built under the power lines on 56 Ave. A Cub and Scout master named Mr. Whittaker helped build trails throughout the park which the Panorama Ridge Riding Club maintained. Paul's mother was a member of the Riding Club and owned 3 horses. Many other residents also owned horses and stabled them on their properties.

Most shopping was done in Newton or on 120th.near 88 Ave. There were no traffic or stop lights between their home and the tolled Patullo Bridge. Trev Daley's family ran motorcycle races down Endersby Hill at the west end of New McLellan. The Endersby and Denis families ran family businesses at the corner of 120 and New McLellan. Paul watched as Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip drove past Hwy.10 and Scott Road when they visited Vancouver to open the Massey Tunnel and Oak Street bridge in 1958. The Brown family owned a 5 acre parcel on 52nd.and operated a glucose factory on 52 Ave. Udam Singh operated a produce farm along Colebrook Road. The Corbett family could watch as he chased his horses across his fields when he wished to hitch them to a plow. Several others also operated farms along Colebrook.

Paul carpooled to UBC for several years and then moved to Vancouver to complete his CA. He married Lois in 1972 and they lived in Newton until they moved back to the Ridge in 2006. He now enjoys retirement after working as an income tax auditor. He relishes the quiet life of his neighborhood and suggests the biggest changes he's noticed over the years have been the increase in population and the cessation of train whistling.



Emergency Preparedness: Is Your Family Prepared?

You should be prepared to take care of yourself and your family for a minimum of 72 hours. If a disaster happens in your community, it may take emergency workers some time to get to you as they help those in desperate need. By taking a few simple steps today, you can become better prepared to face a range of emergencies – anytime, anywhere. These basic steps will help you take care of yourself and your loved ones during an emergency.

Step #1 – Know the risks. Know your region.



Although the consequences of disasters can be similar, knowing the risks specific to your region can help prepare yourself better. In BC, we face a number of hazards, from earthquakes, windstorms, blackouts, industrial or transportation accidents, and the possibilities of acts of terrorism on Canadian soil.

Step #2 – Make a plan.



Every household needs an emergency plan. It will help you and your family know what to do in case of an emergency. Remember, your family may not be together when a disaster occurs. Plan how to meet or contact one another and discuss what you would do in different situations.

Step #3 – Prepare an emergency kit.



In an emergency you will need some basic supplies. You may need to get by without power or tap water. Be prepared to be self-sufficient for at least 72 hours. You may have some items already, such as a flashlight, battery operated radio, food, water and blankets. The key is to make sure they are organized and easy to find. Would you be able to find your flashlight in the dark? Make sure your kit is easy to carry. Keep it in a backpack, duffel bag or suitcase with wheels, in a easy-to-reach, accessible place, such as your front hall closet. Make sure everyone in the household knows where the emergency kit is.

To learn more about emergency preparedness visit

www.getprepared.gc.ca



IS YOUR FAMILY
PREPARED?

Annual Earth Day and Ridge Day Clean Up Celebration

Date: Saturday April 22nd 10:00 a.m.
NEW LOCATION: 12336-53rd Avenue

It's time for our Annual clean up of the Ridge and to set a good example for others!

You're invited to come out and pick up garbage, the never ending supply. How does this happen and who thinks this is o.k.? We just do our part day after day, year after year.

Please come out with your own pickers/gloves. Bags are provided. We meet at a new location this year and then back to the same location for free BBQ Lunch for those who participate in Earth Day. Some of us "celebrate" all year round!

Rain or shine and the whole clean up takes less than two hours. It's a great way to spend a small part of your day and to meet your neighbours. For more information contact Tammy at t.richie@shaw.ca



Pictures from last year's Ridge Day Clean Up

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Drag Racing on Colebrook Road

Several residents have noticed that with the arrival of Spring and some clear sunny days, this has brought out the speeders on Colebrook Road. I'm not talking about those that drive a few (or more) kilometres over the posted 50 KMH. I'm referring to the racers who set up at various parts of the road, and have a somewhat organized race!

This is beyond dangerous as this stretch of road is used by runners and walkers, cyclists, (who sometimes ride more than 2 abreast!) as well as horse riders and dog walkers. This is also an area where young drivers go to learn to drive as well as many auto dealers do test drives. The screeching of tires can be heard up on the Ridge if you haven't experienced it first hand down on those straight stretches. RCMP have advised us to call (non-emergency 604-599-0502) every time we hear those tires screech and engines race. This will get everyone's attention and ensure that accidents do not happen.

We did have one serious incident last summer. If you see a race about to start call 9 -1-1 and try and get a plate number or make and model of vehicle(s). There will sometimes be spotter vehicles at either end to watch for non-racers, but it's beyond terrifying when you get passed at over 120 kmh down there or have a "race in progress" coming at you



Membership in the WPRRA



Our community of West Panorama Ridge is bounded by Highway 10 on the north, King George Highway on the east, Highway 99 on the south and Scott Road on the west. We are proud to live in one of Surrey's most desirable residential communities.

For over 50 years the West Panorama Ridge Ratepayers Association has provided its' residents with a strong voice relative to promoting the further development of green spaces and parks within our community's boundaries. The Association directors are vigilant in ensuring that the residential development reflects the direction provided by our community.

The community website www.panoramaridge.org was established to provide all residents with an opportunity to find information about available essential services, and to communicate the most current information available on happenings and events of concern and interest to you in our community.

Our Directors work hard to fulfill the mandate of the community association. We would encourage you to consider participating as a Director or a volunteer. Even if you can't spare any time, we need you to support the community association by becoming a member! Just being a member shows the City of Surrey that the residents of this community support the WPRRA. Your membership fee allows us to create and distribute the newsletter and the website. It is the best \$100 (Lifetime), \$25 (Three year membership) or \$10 (One year membership) investment you can make in your community!

website: www.panoramaridge.org

Receipts will be sent to the address you list above.

The WPPRA keeps all membership information completely confidential.

Return this portion of the membership form with your payment to:

Darryn Langstaff WPRRA Treasurer
5475 125A Street
Surrey BC, V3X 1W4

Or drop your completed membership form at the home of any Director.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ Email Address: _____

Please briefly describe below how you would like to volunteer your time and efforts in the community: