

**Deer Lagoon Meeting, Tuesday,
April 1st, 2014**

*Please come and enjoy our Potluck
at 5:30PM on Tuesday April 1st.*

*Please note our regular meeting time
in 6:30PM!*

APRIL is GRANGE MONTH

April 26th at 3:00PM. Please come and celebrate with us as we present the “Citizen of the Year – 2013” (Terry Permenter) award posthumously to Rhonda. We will have Ag. Students from SWHS; FAA Officers from Stanwood HS; and recognition of Jean Farnen for 70 years service.

**Arts, Quilting, Baking, Sewing,
Photography, Embroidery, etc.**

It's time to get your entries ready. *May 9 - 10* is the entry time for this year's Competition! Rules and Categories are in the Program Handbook (available on-line). Call Gary or Tarey 341-2008 or Judy 222-3110 with your questions.

BOOSTERS

Many thanks to Dan Ollis and Nichols Boat-works for your help. Dan contributed to our operational funds at this critical point in our year.

WEDNESDAY WORKSHOPS

We are having Wednesday workshops at 6:00PM to help learn how to make entries for competition. Call Tarey to learn what is next. (baskets, truffles, wine, quilts, so far)

WHIDBEY FARM FORUM

March 31! Your Grange will be represented at this event “All Things Farming on Whidbey”. A full program that includes: NABC; Whidbey Island Grown; Slow Foods; Farmer's Markets; Conservation District; Grange News; WSU Extension Service; and South Whidbey Tilt. RVSP quickly 888-678-4922. It is nearly a sell-out. 63 Jacobs Rd. Coupeville (new Nordic Hall) 6:30 – 8:30 PM

WHAT'S YOUR BEEF?

April 22nd, “Introduction to Grass fed beef and how to prepare it.” with a panel including local beef producers and chefs”.



Dr. Jan Busboom

This meeting is co-sponsored by Slow Food of Whidbey Island and Deer Lagoon Grange. There will be beef samples to taste. Donations appreciated to cover ingredients with remainder split between the Grange Building Repair Fund and Slow Food.

Upcoming Events

May 10. Pomona @ DLG - Entries due for judging
June 24 – 28 125th WSG Convention, Vancouver
Aug. 9 Pomona @ SCG
Nov. 8 Pomona @DLG

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As March leaves, and hopefully takes the cold with it, we need to be prepared for the good weather to come. There's no time like the present to be preparing for spring and summer gardening. While we're preparing for gardening we may as well prepare our schedule to include the 125TH ANNUAL WSG CONVENTION JUNE 24TH - 28TH IN VANCOUVER WA. Other items that need attention are **YOUR** resolutions, to be brought before the convention! A really good time to submit resolutions would be at our upcoming potluck/general business meeting, 5:30 pm, April 1st 2014.

Fraternally Yours,

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