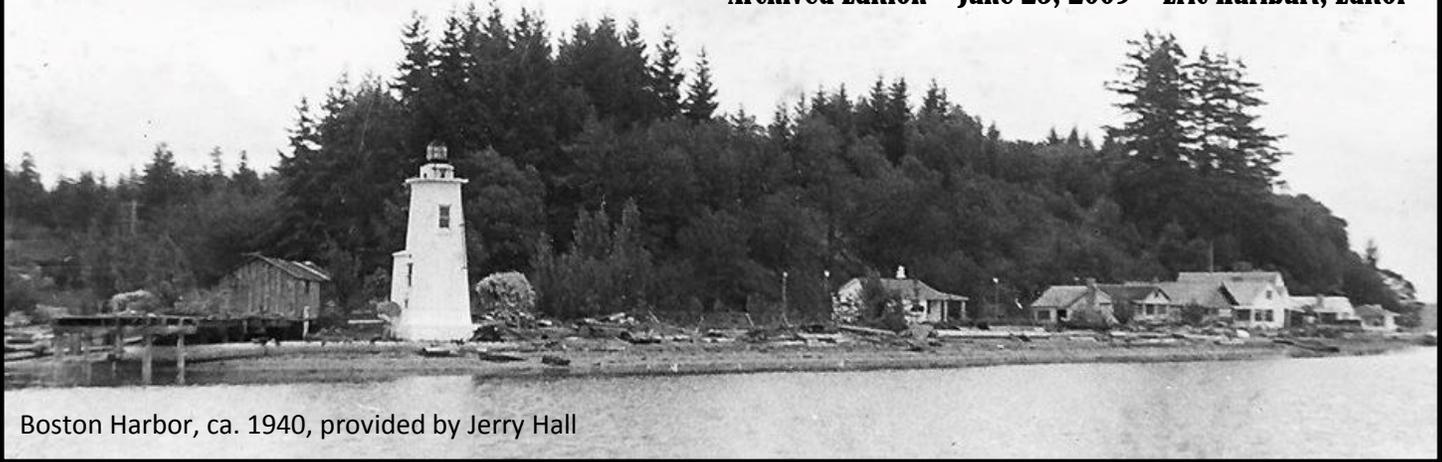


Boston Harbor Neighborhood Newsletter

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Boston Harbor, ca. 1940, provided by Jerry Hall

Just a couple of reminders:

Garden Tour

First, the summer garden tour this Saturday. It begins at 73rd NE & Boston Harbor Road at 10:00am. Tickets (\$5.00) are available at the Marina or at any of the stops along the way. While you're at it, volunteer for the next Burfoot Park Ivy Pull.

July 3rd Fireworks

Then, on Friday, July 3 we will have our annual Independence Day Celebration. We hope you will enjoy the fireworks with your friends and neighbors. We also hope that it will satisfy any pyromaniacal urges to set off illegal fireworks that scare the neighbors' dogs, risk bodily injury and earn the ire of the safe and sane. Instead, please make a donation to the display that everyone can enjoy.

To accompany the display, and add to your entertainment, Radio Boston Harbor will again be broadcasting demographically appropriate music on 101.1FM. Chris Hamilton just did a quick check and the signal was coming in strong all around the Harbor.

As usual, traffic will be a challenge so be patient and considerate. It is a great night for parties and if you are having guests, please ask them to keep the roads clear and not block driveways. It is critical to keep all the roads open in case of an emergency.

And, if you are having a party, please encourage your guest to help support the display. Donation jars are available at the Marina.

During the evening the North Olympia Fire Department will have a truck at the boat launch. The kids always enjoy seeing the truck and the firefighters are happy to show them around. Our Thurston County Sheriff will also be helping by patrolling the neighborhood.

Finally, we always need contributions to pay for the fireworks, the Sheriff, extra SaniCans, etc. It is contributions from your neighbors that pay for this show, so if you haven't donated yet, you can make a donation at the Boston Harbor Marina or send a check to the BHA at 312 73rd Ave NE, Olympia, WA 98506. Remember, this isn't like voting – you can donate as much as you want as often as you want.

We hope you enjoy the show,

Eric Hurlburt, President
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