

Monday Morning Memo – 07.12.2021

Part 1

Dear *Wider Horizons* Members and Friends,

Wider Horizons Events and Information

1. **Book Group** meets tomorrow morning at 10:30 am on Zoom -
- <https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/83509459945?pwd=RFVnSXNlWm5mSjMwZ2RUdlMwSkNmQT09> – All are welcome. Even if you haven't read the excellent book, *The Women's Hour* by **Eileen Weisse**, you can listen to the stimulating discussion led by **Chris Morris** and **Sandra Wheeler**! The book is about “the nail-biting climax of one of the greatest political battles in American history: the ratification of the constitutional amendment that granted women the right to vote.”
2. **Tuesday Afternoon's All-Member Zoom**, led by **Bob Anderson** and **Susan Adler**, with guest hosting sometimes by **Deirdre Cochran**, happens in its new usual time slot, **7 pm – 8:15 pm**. The Zoom link and small group questions will be sent out tomorrow.
3. **Thursday Morning's All-Member Zoom** with **Sue Lerner** and **Debbie Ward** will happen, as always, at **9:30 am**. Look for the link and the small group questions later this week.
4. **KNIT/CROCHET INTEREST GROUP... Friday, July 16 from 10:30-12:30**. Help keep insecurely housed youth "Warm For Winter" with handmade hats and scarves - or - work on personal projects around the amiable table at **Donna Sunkel's** Montlake home. All levels welcome. Yarn available. Call Joan **Bergman** at 360-204-6780.
5. **On Monday, July 19** (just a week away), we're having our first in-person large event, an Outdoor House Concert at **Ann Lawrence's** (**Bill Lippe** is co-host and producer). Come as early as **4 pm** to socialize (**music by Larry Murante begins at 5 pm**). Check out the attached flyer for details and RSVP here: <https://tinyurl.com/2ms2nfbs> - Everyone is welcome and it is so helpful to know who is coming!

6. Rounding out all this excitement is a photo of **Maggie Pheasant** (taken by **Carol Mirman**) standing outside her new digs at her co-housing community in Spokane. I've attached an article from last fall's Newsletter that tells of the saga of her decision to move last May. The really good news is that **Maggie** will continue her *Wider Horizons* membership!



Part 2

Members and Friends Share Recommendations

1. **Carol Mirman** wanted to share information about the **Women's Shelter Jewelry Project Sale, July 31 – August 2**. See the attached flyer for details.
2. **Alline Thurlow** has info about how to make your own **Wildfire Smoke Filter**. She says, "Considering last year, I wanted to be prepared for what could be coming again this summer. I have an expensive air filter in my bedroom, but these options offer a portable, viable option that's also easy to make! A Cube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aw7fUMhNov8> or Flat Against Fan: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9vJk5BM8xUo> Note: duct tape can be used."
3. **Kathleen O'Connor** sent me a marvelous NYT article about the joy of being with people face-to-face in groups—something we missed for more than a year but is now starting to happen: <https://tinyurl.com/m69sxzyj>
4. **Rick Grossman** tells us about **7 Freebies** (see attached AARP Article). Says Rick, *I would add that one can get FREE tickets to museums in Seattle by signing up at the Seattle Public Library:* <https://www.spl.org/programs-and-services/arts-and-culture/museum-pass>

5. **Sue Lerner** has shared information (attached) about accessible *Detached Accessory Dwelling Units*. This information would come in handy for any of you single-family homeowners who are contemplating adding an “ADU.”
6. **Nora Langan** sent me a compelling and whimsical piece this morning that shows elders from around the world “dressing up with nature.” See attached.

What an interesting and curious lot of members we have!

Yours,

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