

OUR MISSION

It is the goal of Silverdale Water District to provide the highest quality water at the lowest reasonable price, assuring reliability of source, storage and distribution. The District is constantly planning for present and future preservation of its most precious resource, through prudent financial and personnel management and long term regional planning.

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April 2017 Newsletter

WATER MAIN FLUSHING

Silverdale Water District crews will be flushing water mains, Monday-Friday from 9:00AM to 4:30PM for 8 weeks, starting Monday, April 3, 2017.

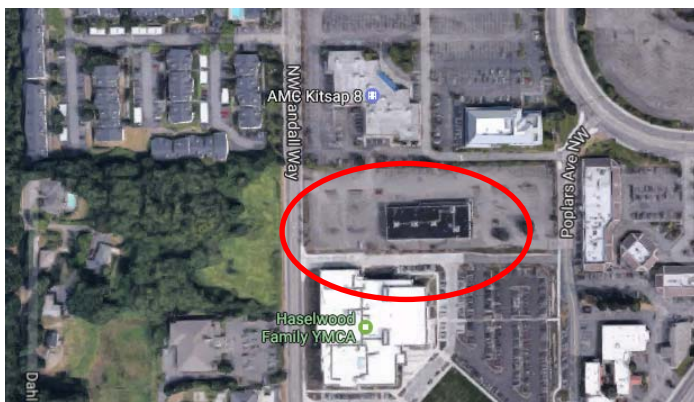
Work crews will post signs in advance for areas to be flushed. Please watch for signs to see when your neighborhood will be flushed. Signs are typically placed 1-3 days prior to flushing.

The District recommends that you do not use your hot water and minimize use of cold water during the actual flushing.

For more information or questions, please call our office at (360) 447-3500 or email us at info@swd16.org. We appreciate your patience during this necessary procedure.



Silverdale Water District Construction Project



- Newlife Training Center — February 2017
A construction agreement was signed to extend the water main in front of the new training center, located in the former Regal Cinemas building. Approximately 90 feet of 6" ductile iron water main will be installed to serve the 14,000 square foot building.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

APRIL 18, 2017



WaterPAK

Silverdale Water District is a member of the Water Purveyors Association of Kitsap (WaterPAK). WaterPAK is an association of the water purveyors and other related agencies in Kitsap County.

WaterPAK's mission is to:

- Gather and disseminate information regarding water utility service and water resources.
- Advise Kitsap County and other appropriate governmental officials about water issues and standards.
- Actively participate in public outreach activities to educate the citizens of Kitsap County about water quality and quantity, conservation, and other issues.
- Establish a network of communication for interested water purveyors.
- Support implementation of and recommend changes to the Kitsap County Coordinated Water System Plan.

For more information, visit: www.waterpak.org.

Volunteers Help With:

- ⇒ Presentations
- ⇒ Exhibits
- ⇒ Bus/Kid Wrangling
- ⇒ Fish Printing

Sign-Up: www.kpud.org/waterfestival/volunteer.php

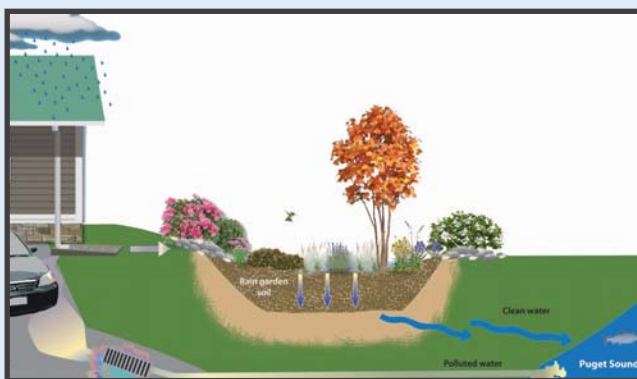
Contact: Kim Jones (360) 728-2222
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It's a whole day of learning about and celebrating water. Education experts, environmental professionals, storytellers, entertainers, and members of the community make this a fun and memorable event for local students, but it wouldn't be possible without volunteers!



What is a Rain Garden?



Rain gardens are designed to store and filter water that flows off of hard surfaces, like roofs and roads. Most of the time, rain gardens look like a typical garden that just happens to deepen in the center. During heavy rainfall, the bowl-shape allows rain gardens to collect water and slow down the flow of water.

The community and individual landowners benefit from:

- ⇒ Protection from flooding during heavy rainfall. Excess water is contained.
- ⇒ Reduced strain on stormwater system by catching runoff. May help avoid expensive sewer system expansions.
- ⇒ Removes pollutants from water and helps recharge groundwater.
- ⇒ Creates a habitat and food for wildlife and pollinators.
- ⇒ Low maintenance and less watering.

Did you know that Kitsap County has a rain garden program, where landowners may be reimbursed for costs of materials and labor to build a rain garden? For more information, visit: www.kitsapcd.org/programs/raingarden-lid.

Source: <http://kitsapcd.org/programs/raingarden-lid/rgbasics>

SWD & COMMUNITY CALENDAR

April 6 — Commissioner Meeting

April 18—Kitsap Water Festival at the Kitsap County Fairgrounds & Events Center

May 4 — Commissioner Meeting

May 7-13 — AWWA Drinking Water Week



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