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Getting to know and help our neighbors

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Happy New Year!

I hope all that caught a glimpse of our Christmas caroling enjoyed it. The train was full of carolers and they all sounded great! The general comments when we all arrived back to the station was "frozen to the bone", it was nice to defrost over cocoa and cookies though.

It was great to have so many of our S.C.O.P.E friends come out and greet us, the train is a great asset to our community. It was previously owned by the V.F.W., a few of us volunteers got together to fix it up and share its use. It was in horrible shape when the project began. We all had the same goal in mind, to make a safe dependable community train.

Many hours have been spent fixing up the train, preparing it for its first ride. One member especially has dedicated a great deal of his time and efforts, a huge thank you to Ken Tinkham with out all of his hard work the train would not be what it is today. Your work is greatly appreciated!

We use the train every chance we get. We take it to the Lilac parade, Valley Fest, other S.C.O.P.E events and not to mention our very own Craft Fair! The children are always eager to go for a ride, and it is a great way to draw attention. It helps to show the progress we have made over the 10 years cleaning up our community and helping it grow. We all should be proud of the improvements we have made. There will be several activities in the up coming months, be sure to keep informed by reading your monthly newsletter!

Sincerely,

Bill Doré
Edgecliff S.C.O.P.E President

Lower your energy
bills by setting
your hot water
tank to 120°

Wow is it 2007 already...



REMINDER

Check the batteries in your smoke alarms

Is your fire extinguisher
charged?



Reduce the amount of
heated air that escapes by
checking that your
fireplace is properly vented.

Brave Men

Sandra Lampe-Martin

What makes brave men dive and swim
Beyond some sea born earthly rim.
What makes him, his soul sear
Face the blade with no outward fear?

Make a place in your heart to hold
Brave of heart and the ever bold.
Claim their choice a mad man's lot,
But extend credit for what you dare not.

Take up the banner of kith and kin
Who would defend oft other men.
Flight to battle on a distant shore
Struggle for right at freedom's door.

To spare the world a lunatic's choice,
Who listens to none, but his own voice.
May not come back to us the same,
Yet sear their souls in virtues name.

**Remember those who fight for our
freedom, and wish them well this
holiday season.**

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Check us out!!!

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Calendar of Events:

*S.C.O.P.E General Meeting Wed. Jan. 10th @ 6:30 p.m.
at the Pratt Elem. Library

*** TECH NIGHT @ PRATT ELEMENTARY EVERY TUESDAY
OPEN TO EVERYONE!!!**

*Ice cream social for Patriots Pen Contest. Jan. 13th 1:00 - 3:00
p.m. at the VFW

*FROG races & Steak n Bake Sat. Jan. 13th 4:00 p.m. at the
VFW

*Martin Luther King Jr. day (**no school**) Mon. Jan. 15th

*Camp Read Family Night Fri. Jan. 19th @ 6:00 p.m. at the
Pratt Elem. Library

VOLUNTEER HOURS

1075

Want a flag patch for your S.C.O.P.E. shirt?

Come to the meeting on January 10th at the
Pratt School library and see if "Honest Ed" will
draw your winning number. The doors will
open at 6 p.m. for refreshments and the
meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. Tickets for the
flag drawing will be given at the door.

C.E.R.T ALERT

A new class for Certified Emergency
Response Team will be starting January
10th. This training will be each Wednesday,
6 –10 p.m., for seven weeks. The class
sessions will be held at the City Fire Station
near Spokane Community College on
Rebecca Street. Hopefully, citizens of the
Edgecliff community will take advantage of
this preparedness training. Check with your
S.C.O.P.E Station at 6th and Thierman or call
477-6345 for more information.

Got any creative ideas?

Our newsletter and website need your help to create
interesting topics. Did you know our newsletter and website
are looked upon by more than just our community members.
We receive attention on the National level! Help us to invite
a larger audience. If you have any suggestions please either
email the web master at: n7bw@comcast.net. Or email our
newsletter editor at: edgecliffscope@comcast.net. We need
input from you to keep our media fresh!

The circus was in town and the Strong Man squeezed an orange until not a drop was left. He made a challenge that if anyone could squeeze one drop out of the orange he would pay them \$100.00. Several men accepted his challenge and were not able to squeeze out a single drop. The audience all mocked and laughed as a man of medium build came up to squeeze the orange. After a short amount of time squeezing the orange suddenly one drop, then two, three, four... and five. The Strong Man was amazed and asked him how he was able to squeeze so many drops from the orange. The man responded " It was easy... I am the treasurer at the S.C.O.P.E station"

DID YOU KNOW

Part #2

By Don O., Staff Writer

Way back many years ago, in fact the year was 1853. The west coast states were laid out much differently than they are today. Of course there was California, Oregon (territory), and Washington (territory), but there was no Idaho or Montana. In their place was Nebraska which stretched from the Canadian border clear down to Kansas.

In 1850 California became a state. In 1859 it was Oregon's turn, then in 1867 Nebraska relocated to its present spot in the fifty states. Montana and Washington became states in 1889 and Idaho was added in 1890. Of course there were many changes in boundaries and size before the states actually came into being. For example, Washington Territory stretched from the Pacific Ocean all the way to the Continental Divide. When Idaho and Montana were added to the map it pushed Washington back to the west as it is today.

Just the other side of the divide is Fort Benton and Great Falls where the Mullen Road started. There will be more about the road in Part #3 next month.

Cocoa Miz ala Mom G.

1 1/2 cups unsweetened cocoa
4 cups powdered sugar
8 cups dry milk powder
1 1/2 cups coffee creamer
1 tsp. salt

Blend together very well and store in an airtight container. Two heaping tablespoons cocoa mix to cup of very hot water, stir until blended. Add whip cream or marshmallows to top and enjoy.

Santa's version has 1 1/2 cups instant malted milk powder added.

Happy New Year, happy new year. You may be saying it yourself and hearing it from others. Is it a casual greeting for the season, or are you really hoping it will be a happy, fulfilling and good one for our community and our world? The start of 2007 means a fresh start and a new calendar on the wall. Perhaps there are a few new resolutions you have considered to enrich your life. Is volunteering one of them? Ask any volunteer you know – “why do we volunteer?” Working full time or retired, chances are that we seek out tasks that give us a connection and a sense of purpose. We all have special talents and abilities that may benefit others and our community. If you are already a S.C.O.P.E member, stop by the station and get reacquainted. If you're not, come in and ask for an application to become a member. Happiness is a journey, not a destination.

May the New Year bring you health, happiness and a sense of purpose.

Lyn Ferguson
Edgecliff S.C.O.P.E Co-Vice President

Jackpot / Exxon

As a special feature we would like to acknowledge and thank each of the businesses who faithfully support our efforts to make Edgecliff a safer and better community.

Since 1993 Mr. Amjad Munawar has made many generous donations to Pratt Elementary and S.C.O.P.E. Edgecliff. Operating the Jackpot /Exxon Gas and Convince Store on Sprague and Coleman he has had several gas promotions which have benefited the community at large. He has also donated 80 turkeys to families in the neighborhood for Thanksgiving dinner and has helped with the Pratt yearbook. He believes that giving back to the community makes us all better neighbors and is a way of thanking all of his patrons. Next time you are in Jackpot, please say hello and thank Amjad for his generosity and support to S.C.O.P.E Edgecliff and our community.

We at S.C.O.P.E extend our most heartfelt thanks.

CRIME WATCH - SHERIFF'S DISTRICT # 2

<u>Street</u>	<u>Crime</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Crime</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Crime</u>
6TH		12TH		CUSTER	
6000 E.	VEH. PROWL	7100 E.	VEH. PROWL	400 S.	THEFT
7100 E.	THEFT	19TH		GIRARD	
8TH		5900 E.	THEFT	25 S.	THEFT
6100 E.	BURGLARY	25TH		PARK	
10TH		5500 E.	VEH. PROWL	600 S.	PARK
6700 E.	THEFT	CARNAHAN		SPRAGUE	
11TH		500 S.	BURGLARY	5300 E.	BURGLARY
7200 E.	THEFT	500 S.	BURGLARY	WARDSON	
		800 S.	THEFT	1600 S.	BURGLARY