

The Daily Insider

Southern Washington Edition

Marsha Evans, American Red Cross president and retired rear admiral, is Marshall speaker

Marsha Evans, president of the American Red Cross, a post held by Gen. George C. Marshall from 1949 to 1950, will be the 14th annual Gen. George C. Marshall lecturer at 11 a.m. Friday, Nov. 7, in the Hudson's Bay High School auditorium.

Evans, the first woman to become an admiral in the Navy, at one time held the post of director of the George C. Marshall European Center for Security studies in Garmisch, Germany.

After 29 years of service in the Navy, Evans became president of the Girl Scouts of America before becoming president of the Red Cross.

Former Marshall lecturers include secretary of state **Colin Powell**, former secretary of state **Madeleine Albright**, and NBC News anchor **Tom Brokaw**.

The Marshall lecture, sponsored by the Vancouver National Historic Reserve Trust's Celebrate Freedom program and the City of Vancouver, is a free, but ticketed, event. Of 5,000 seats available, 2,500 will be reserved for students. Reservations for tickets by the general public can be made through Wednesday, Oct. 29. For further information, call **992-1800**.

Performing arts steering committee looking for subcommittee members

The Center for the Arts Steering Committee is seeking members for subcommittees as the organization gets ready to acquire feasibility information for a permanent arts venue in Clark County, reports committee co-chair **Blaine Nisson**.

The committee is the result of a project initiated by the 2003 class of Leadership Clark County. Envisioned is a performing arts center large enough to house a 1,200- to 1,500-seat theater, a smaller 500-to-600 seat theater, and a 'black box' theater with a capacity for about 200 seats. The building would also have a lobby large enough to serve as an art gallery.

Clark College, a possible location for a community center, is conducting a feasibility study. The steering committee will also oversee a feasibility study.

According to Nisson, the studies are required to more accurately gauge community needs. Nisson says no local taxes are envisioned. "We hope to be able to develop the center with grants and private foundation support," Nisson says.

Co-chair of the committee is retired state representative **Val Ogden**. The subcommittees for which members are being sought are resource development, chaired by **Steven**



Marsha Evans

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Turner, research, chaired by **Gus Norwood**, public relations, and site visits.

For further information, call Nisson at **992-2000**.

Swap thermometers, toss computers

As part of Clark County's observation of Household Hazardous Waste Awareness Week, Southwest Washington Medical Center will trade 250 safe thermometers for mercury thermometers, reports spokesperson **Ken Cole**. Thermometers may be brought to room 2, in the Health and Education Center from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Oct. 10.

Clark College will be accepting television sets, computers, monitors and related gear all day Friday, Oct. 10, in the parking lot in the 1900 block on Fort Vancouver Way.

For further information on hazardous waste disposal, call **397-6118**, extension **4352**.

News briefs

The Portland International Airport Citizen Noise Advisory Committee meets at 6 p.m. today in the Water Resources Education Center. ~~Port of Ridgefield~~ Port of Ridgefield commissioners meet in regular session at 6 p.m. today in port offices at 111 W Division Street, Ridgefield. ~~The Clark County Planning Commission's~~ continued hearing on updating the county growth management plan is at 6:30 p.m. today in Vancouver City Hall. ~~The Greater Brush Prairie Neighborhood Association~~ meets at 7 p.m. tonight in Lauren Middle School, 13601 NE 97th Avenue. ~~Clark Public Utilities'~~ commissioners meet in special session at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 10, to discuss potential legislative issues with southwest Washington state legislators.

Thursday on the Air

Animal Control Hearings (live)—3:30 p.m. CVTV
Clark County Planning Commission (live)—6:30 p.m. CVTV
Sacramento at Portland Trail Blazers (live)—7 p.m. KXL

Stocks of local interest at 4 p.m. EDT Thursday, Oct. 9, 2003

Alaska Air Group	31.60	+1.07	Linear Technology	39.94	unch
Alcoa	29.68	+1.01	Microsoft	28.94	+12
Amazon.com	57.86	+2.16	Nautilus	13.52	+26
Bank of America	80.67	+33	Nike	63.92	-06
Bank of Clark County	15.00	unch	Nordstrom	28.21	+1.18
Bemis	45.18	+04	PepsiCo	47.98	+18
Boeing	36.79	+51	Precision Cast	38.21	+09
Boise Cascade	28.22	+05	RLRN	25.46	+15
CenturyTel	35.70	+27	Starbucks	30.21	+30
Costco	32.99	+06	TSM	11.35	-11
Expeditors Intl.	36.37	+13	Tektronix	26.55	+42
Georgia Pacific	26.06	+56	US Bancorp	25.38	+39
HPQ	21.04	+79	Wash. Mutual	40.47	+14
Intel	29.77	+10	W. Coast Bancorp	21.40	+55
Kyocera	60.97	-48	Weyerhaeuser	59.92	+35

DOW: 9680.01 +49.11 ~~NASDAQ: 1911.9 +18.12~~ ~~S&P: 1038.73 +4.95~~

Town Tabloids and The Weather

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