

The Daily Insider

Southern Washington Edition

Addison Jacobs elected Clark College board of trustees chair



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Addison Jacobs, Vancouver businesswoman, yesterday was elected chair of the Clark College Board of Trustees. Jacobs succeeds **Kim Peery**, Camas, governmental relations executive, Public School Employees of Washington, and former state representative.

Jacobs, who was appointed to the five-member board in 2000, owns a management services consulting firm. **Susan Fratt**, executive director,

Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, Oregon, and southwest Washington Affiliate, was elected vice chair.

Other members of the board of trustees are **Bill Fromhold**, Democratic state representative, 49th District, and **Rhona Senn Hoss**, partnerships manager, the *Columbian*.

Clark College is the third largest in the state system of community and technical colleges and last year served 12,500 full- and part-time students.

Some automated electric meters being recalled for failure to communicate

Several hundred of Clark Public Utilities' 155,000 residential automated electric meters are being recalled by the company that sold them to the utility because their transmitters have failed, **Rick Dyer**, Clark Public Utilities finance director, told utility commissioners today.

Dyer said none of the customers whose meter transmitters have been found faulty have had their meters read wrong, nor have they been misbilled.

"When a 'no reading' shows up on the computer of the meter reading vehicle, someone is sent out to actually physically read the meter," according to Dyer.

The meters are working properly," Dyer said. "The problem is that a diode has failed in some meter transmitters."

According to Dyer, when more meter transmitters were failing than ordinarily would have been expected, the utility took the matter up with the company, Itron, that had sold them to Clark.

Itron, Dyer reported, is recalling all meters with faulty transmitters. Customers whose meter transmitters have been found faulty will be sent a letter and the meter will be replaced, Dyer said.

August dates set for Wine and Jazz Festival

The sixth annual Vancouver Wine and Jazz Festival will be Friday through Sunday, Aug. 22-24, in Esther Short Park, reports director **Michael Kissinger**.

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Jazz acts have not been announced. Kissinger says, however, more than 30 wineries and 40 artists will be represented.

Tickets are \$10 for Friday; \$15 each for Saturday and Sunday, and are available from Safeway TicketWest outlets and the festival box office, **904-0441**. They will also be available at the gate.

Volunteers, who will earn admission to the festival, are being accepted.

First public meeting on real estate excise tax proposal to acquire greenways is today

The first of three public meetings on a proposed .25 percent real estate tax ballot measure to finance acquisition of greenways, wildlife habitat and farmland, is at 7 p.m. today in the Water Resources Education Center.

The proposal would raise \$45 million over ten years, providing for acquisition of 4,000 to 6,000 acres in Clark County.

The second meeting is at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 26, in the Camas Police Department community room. The final session is Tuesday, July 1, in the La Center High School Commons.

News briefs

The Vancouver Planning Commission meets at 7 p.m. tonight in City Hall. ~~ZZZ~~ The Portland International Airport Noise Compatibility Study open house is at 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 25, in the Rose Besserman Community Room at the Fisher's Landing Transit Center. Noise abatement alternatives developed over the past several months will be discussed.

Tuesday on air

County Commissioners: Comp Plan Alternatives (6/23)—3 p.m. CVTV
Vancouver Planning Commission (live)—7 p.m. CVTV
Seattle Mariners at Anaheim (live)—7 p.m. FSN, KOTK
Memphis at Portland Beavers (live)—7 p.m. KKAD

Stocks of local interest at 4 p.m. EDT Tuesday, June 24, 2003

Alaska Air Group	20.26	-.02	Linear Technology	31.85	-.38
Alcoa	24.96	-.11	Microsoft	25.70	-.08
Amazon.com	35.40	-.18	Nautilus	11.88	+.23
Bank of America	77.55	-.37	Nike	56.63	+1.26
Bank of Clark County	15.60	unch	Nordstrom	19.28	+.08
Bemis	47.05	+.67	PepsiCo	43.94	-.23
Boeing	34.50	+.04	Precision Cast	29.95	-.11
Boise Cascade	24.56	+.31	RLRN	22.00	-.03
CenturyTel	35.56	+.35	Starbucks	24.05	-.03
Costco	36.25	+.33	TSM	9.97	-.16
Expeditors Intl.	32.67	-.28	Tektronix	21.20	+.04
Georgia Pacific	19.00	+1.60	US Bancorp	24.55	+.33
HPQ	21.17	-.26	Wash. Mutual	42.40	+.15
Intel	20.45	+.09	W. Coast Bancorp	17.72	+.41
Kyocera	56.66	-2.14	Weyerhaeuser	53.11	+.88

DOW: 9109.85 +36.9 ~~ZZZ~~ **NASDAQ: 1605.61 -5.14** ~~ZZZ~~ **S&P: 983.45 +1.81**

Town Tabloids and The Weather

Wayne Nelson successfully unquoted. ~~ZZZ~~ **Byron Hanke** looking for circumstances on which to stand. ~~ZZZ~~ **Don Strick** offering good words of advice. ~~ZZZ~~ **Duane** and **Peggy Lansverk** sponsoring "First Car." ~~ZZZ~~ **Anne Mitchell** being in three places at once. ~~ZZZ~~ **Margaret Kretschmar** getting warm shoulder. ~~ZZZ~~ **Tuesday**, sunnier, 75. **Wednesday**, sunny and warmer, 80. **Thursday**, all sunshine, 86.

Acapulco	90/78
Athens	92/75
Chicago	92/71
Dallas	92/76
Hong Kong	90/79
Los Angeles	68/60
London	74/58
New Orleans	90/76
New York	88/72
Orlando	91/72
Paris	76/59
Phoenix	102/74
Rome	91/71
Seattle	72/52
Sydney	63/45
Tokyo	74/64
Washington	94/72