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# FOOLS GOLD

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## Fools Gold Publications: News for the Clampers of the Great Northwest

We saw the need for a newsletter, to keep everyone up on current Clamper goin' on's, and keep brothers who are unable to attend meetings informed of the good, the bad, and the ugly. Also to let the brothers that aren't involved know what they're missing. Hopefully by connecting with the brethren this way we can all stay better informed and help promote the growth of the Ancient and Honorable Order of E Clampus Vitus!

## Doc's Eighth Candle Lite Initiation

Well it is another month and is a miracle that I pulled off another issue of Fools Gold, I am a Clamper after all. Not only is this another issue but we actually have clamper stuff to talk about in this one. We just had our Spring doings the weekend of April 18<sup>th</sup>. The weekend started about 3:00 PM Friday. The weather was great all weekend just a little chilly, but no rain that was the kicker. Doc was only pervading food for one meal so Buzzard went and



Clallam County Sheriff's Chain Gang

got a bunch of grub and most everyone else brought food and all donated it to the cause. Those who didn't and even a lot who did bring food donated money for food so again we ate like kings all weekend. We had plenty of libations as usual.

We broke in a new hangman this time, from what I heard brother Butter shits did an awesome job. All in all we had a fairly successful doins well as much as you can with a bunch of clampers involved. We are looking forward to the Fall doins and planning the 2009 widders ball, so that you keep up on the most up to date material make sure to support your club and come to the meetings. Thanks for you being a captive audience.

Tony "CRASH" Carlson

## Letter From the Editor



The First Tast of Apple Pie

Well another candle lite has come and gone. It was a bitter sweat gathering the mural was kind of low knowing that it this was the last doins at brother Buzzards home on the Island. The sweat part at least for the grey beards is that we

can see what the future can hold for us. With the great quality of PBC's and the support of the member ship this club I believe is ready to take the plunge and cut our teeth, so don't get discouraged and when ever you see a spot that

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## Drink of the Month

### Hot Afternoon Storm

2 oz of Sailor Jerry Rum  
(congrats on 10 million bottles produced)  
2 fat juicy lime wedges  
3 to 4 oz Buffalo Rock or similar spicy gingerale  
5 hefty dashes Angostura Bitters

1. In 14 oz glass mud-dle limes and bitters. Pack glass full of ice, rum, and shake to a calypso beat. Top with ginger ale. Sip until it's empty and repeat.

I am positive orange bitters will work nicely in this as well. This is one of the most easy mixed drinks recipes there are, even after a long day at the



Buzzard out going Protector Of The Fork

you can participate don't be afraid to jump in this club will be what ever we make of it and right now we can make it great. I think that I speak for the rest of the Grey beards and officers when I say thank you for your continued and growing support and the trust that we will always have the most fun possible while



### Right After the Initiation

still taking care of business. And thank you so much Buzzard for putting up with us and the tireless hours in the

kitchen making sure all of us drunks had enough to eat, you have single handedly helped form this club and built a reputation with all the guys that helped you we would not be where we are today, so thank you and to your wider too for letting us disrupt her life as well for sometimes two weekends a year.

**Tony "Crash" Carlson**

## Passing of the Fork

At this years Spring doins there was to be a new kind of ceremony that Buzzard had looked forward to for sum time. This was the time that he was going to pass on his legacy as the cook to another deserving Clamper that works as hard in the kitchen when ever he is able to attend the event. Fortunately for buzzard, Pickles was not there to

defend him self, so Buzzard was met with less resistance he could have. All joking aside Buzzard was very proud to pass on the fork to Pickles and I can't think of a more deserving person or anyone who will hold that position with more pride and responsibility. I know most of you don't know what that word means the rest will deny it, basically he will



Pickles incoming Protector Of The Fork

do good. So congrats brother pickles you are now the protector of the fork and the hero of future P.B.C.s

**Tony "CRASH" Carlson**

## SIX WEB SITES YOU MIGH FIND INTERESTING

<a href="#"><u>Non Clampers Guide To Clamperdom</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Short History on ECV</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>San Juan Island Historical Park (Pig War)</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Meeker Mansion</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Battle of Seattle Jan 1856</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>Galloping Gertie</u></a>

## QUOTE OF THE

I have a very strict gun control policy: if there's a gun around, I want to be in control of it.

**Clint Eastwood**





Now that our Spring Doin's is behind us, planning has begun for our Fall Doin's. We've narrowed down our list of location choices, and once the Greybeards make their final decision, we'll announce where it's gonna be at the next

meeting, on May 8. Be there. Since the Fall Doin's is gonna take a lot of prep work, more help will be needed for setup, cooking, libations, hawking, clean-up, etc. More on that at the meeting too. Meanwhile, parade sea-

son will soon be upon us, and we'd like to have a larger turnout this year at the ones we march in. If you haven't marched with the drill team yet, come along, even if you only show up for a parade or town. It's a lot of fun, and all the towns we march in think we're awesome, for some odd reason. Parades are also a good time to bring along the widders and orphans, and there's always a lot to do.

We're in the process of nailing down the parade schedule, but some of the ones that we've enjoyed in the past – and where we've picked up armloads of awards – have been the Buckely

Loggers Jubilee, Edmonds 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Wilkeson Days, Snoqualmie Railroad Days, and Black Diamond Labor Day. I hope to see lots of redshirts again at each of these events, so come along and have some fun.



From a 1919 poster from a Montana history book

## PEOPLE IN NEED

I don't know how many of you noticed that Mark was not feeling well at the doins in April. Our brother mark is suffering from liver failure, he is having more test continuously and as soon as we know anything we will let you all know. Please keep him in your prayers, chants or what ever you do because he is our brother and deserves everything that we have. So we need to try everything in our power to help. Thank you for your time I am sure that he appreciates everything that any of us can do.

**Tony "CRASH" Carlson**

Pickles (Dan Smithson) had a vision problem along with dizziness and confusion last Friday night at work.....So they went to the doctor and took some tests and made an appointment for his eyes on Monday (13th). So Monday comes and the eye doctor took one look at his eye's and Said you need to go to the hospital now and I'll drive. Terry (Dan's Wife) called this morning with the results on the test that were taken on Dan. The Docs determined he had 95% blockage in the Main artery to his Brain. He had surgery to have a stint put in.....he is going to go home tomorrow (16th) and going to see how he does cause there's also a problem with the second artery as well which they will fix in about six weeks.....hope this gives you a little more understanding of whats going on.....He called me after his Surgery today and he was feeling good and in good spirits. He said that at this point it looks like the only permanent problem will be the loss of most of his peripheral vision in his right eye. I told him now I know how to fuck with him now.

I am going over to his house on Friday to see him, I would go tomorrow but I think he will have to busy a day with checking out, going home and getting settled in. Needless to say He won't be able to make it to the doins this weekend. He wasn't very happy about that, but at least this didn't happen on the island. I will let you all know more after I see him.

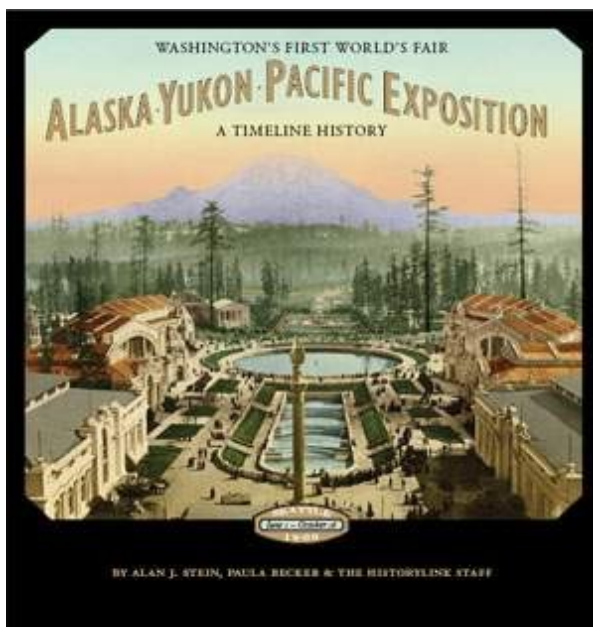
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The Last that I herd is that Dan was back to work and feeling better But that is all that I have herd. So Lets keep Him in our prayers or what ever you believe in lets keep him and Mark covered the best that we can.

Tony "CRASH" Carlson

## Cap'n Al's Book Sighing

All members of Doc Maynard Chapter 54-40 are invited to attend the book launch of *Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition; Washington's First World's Fair*, co-authored by our own Nobel Grand Humbug, Cap'n Al. The event will be held on May 22, 2009 between 5:30 and 7:30, at Cafe Impromptu, inside McCaw Hall at the Seattle Center. This even will be part of the free Seattle Folklife Festival, so bring along the widders and orphans to enjoy live music, eats,



and fun afterwards.

*Cap'n Al at Doc's 200th*

This richly illustrated, 180-page hardbound book, tells the complete story of the 1909 fair, from conception and planning, to its 4-and-a-

half month on the UW campus, to its legacy. Clampers may be interested to read about the Arctic Brotherhood and the Hoo-Hoos, two fraternal organizations -- not unlike our own -- who had their own buildings at the fair. You'll also enjoy to read about some of the wacky hijinks on the Pay Streak,

the A-Y-P's Midway.

Best of all, Cap'n Al gives a shout-out to Doc Maynard Chapter 54-40, E Clampus Vitus, in the acknowledgments section, for all of their help and support while he was writing the book.

## WHO THINKS OF THIS CRAP CORNER



In the Sixteenth Century it was considered elegant and sophisticated to put ribbons in the pubic hair of fashionable ladies.

Barrowed from the internet

## JOKE OF THE MONTH

A man approached a beautiful blonde at a bar. "I'd like to call you," he said. "What is your number?"

"It's in the phone book," she answered.

"But I don't know your name," he said.

"She replied, "That's in the phone book too."

Playboy May09 Party jokes

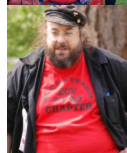
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**Crash  
Gold Dust**

**Butter Shits  
Hangman**

**And  
Jerry Mathers  
As  
The Beaver**



## Useless Tidbits

### Forks

Before forks became popular, the difference between refined and common people was the number of fingers that they ate with. The upper class used three; everyone else used five. This began to change in the 11th century, when tiny, two-pronged forks became fashionable in Italian high society. But they didn't catch on; the catholic church opposed them as unnatural (it was an insult to imply that the fingers God gave us weren't good enough for food), and people who used them were ridiculed as effeminate or pretentious. Forks weren't generally considered polite until the 18th century—some 800 years after they were first introduced.

Source: Uncle John's Bathroom Reader EXTRAORDINARY BOOK OF FACTS AND BIZARRE INFORMATION Page 27

# USEFUL CLAMPER WEBSITES

<a href="#"><u>ECV #54-40 Home Page</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>IRJR</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Squibob E-Store</u></a>	Coming soon Hopefully <del><a href="#"><u>Doc's Drug Store</u></a></del>
<a href="#"><u>ECV Gazette</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>CLAMPER NET</u></a>

## National History Day

We are currently the only ECV Chapter to be associated with NHD, I believe that this is our 5th year. Through Washington History Day we have developed a strong relationship with the Washington State Historical Society & the Governor's Office as well as supporting the study of History in general.

**E Clampus Vitus Award**, sponsored by the Doc Maynard Chapter #54-40 of the Ancient and Honorable Order of E Clampus Vitus. Recognizes outstanding performance entries concerning the history of the American West, 1850-1900 with \$100 award in each division.

- Abby Burlingame, Jessie Benton Fremont: Shrewd Strategist, Compassionate Wife, International Community

School, coach Mark Bach. Senior Individual Performance.

Alana F. Peters, *Narcissa Whitman: Faithful Actions, A Surviving Legacy*, Housel Middle School, coach Dean Smith. Junior Individual Performance.

### Letter to us from Historyday

Dear Special Award Sponsors:

Thank you for sponsoring a special award at this year's Washington History Day state contest. Judging by the reactions of students when their names were announced, we have a very enthusiastic and excited group of winners.

I'm forwarding this for your information; we'll also post it on our website. Students

There will be a lot more info in the future Publications we plan on putting this out once a month. Feel free to give us your input and suggestions. If you got a joke stories or something that has to do with the well being of Doc Maynard shoot us an email. Hope you all had a great holiday season. See you all Feb. 13, 2009 in Auburn **CRASH**

received a letter of instruction that explains how to claim their prize, so you will likely be hearing from them separately if your prize has an experiential component.

Thanks again for supporting History Day!

Lauren

Thank You to Tugboat and Cap'n Al for this info I just copied what they sent me.

## DOC'S APPOINTMENTS

May 2009						
	June 12 General meet'n At the Auburn Eagles				1	2
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

### Auburn Eagles

**Friday, 7:54:40 PM**

**Monthly General Meetin'**

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie  
#2298

702 "M" Street

Auburn, WA 98002

Bar phone 253-833-2298

Take Auburn Ave (Hwy 164) off of Hwy 18 in Auburn,  
turn right at the end of the ramp & go back under the freeway to 4th Ave SE (Burger King on corner), turn right and go to "M" street (alphabetical...comes after "L" street), turn right again & Aerie is down about 2 blocks on the left.

### OTHER NOTES OF INTEREST

**May 12** General Meet'n

**May 16** Grand Council

**May 22** Cap'n Al's book launch At the Folk life festival in McCaw Hall in the Seattle Center.

**Sept 19** Fall Doins Possibly at Ocean Shores "Screaming Eagle Campground"

**Oct 17** Widders Ball



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