

Beaverton Now!
June 2012
Hosted by Margie Lynch

Opening:

- Lady chats about Beaverton having more to offer, being family-friendly, all the free events and the Library system
- Two ladies talk about Beaverton being home, “it’s very homey; I love Beaverton. It’s just a very nice place to be.”

Margie Lynch opens the show, then introduces Mayor Denny Doyle

Mayor Doyle mentions events

- New Seasons Beaverton Last Tuesday Concert Series
- Picnics in the Park
 - 10th year
 - New things
 - Garlic Jim’s Pizza
 - QDoba Mexican Grill
 - Have a good time with
 - Your NAC’s (Neighborhood Association Committees)
 - Elected local and county officials

Margie Lynch then introduces Jayne Scott, Senior Program Manager, Arts, Culture and Events, and asks her why the Picnics in the Park have been such a success. Jayne Scott responds, “Enjoying a meal on a warm summer evening, in a beautiful park with your neighbors and family; what’s not to love?”

- They are good for building community
- Help brand our city as friendly and welcoming to everyone
 - There are 11 NACs within Beaverton.
 - Anyone who lives, works or represents an institution within the boundary is automatically a member of the NAC
 - They provide opportunities to get involved
 - Aid in problem solving
 - Opportunities to work together on projects
 - A chance to meet neighbors

The NAC contact telephone number appears on screen: (503) 526-2243

Margie Lynch asks about the really good feedback

- Love to grab their dinner and listen to the Community Band
- Information on city programming

Jayne Scott talks about what is new this year

- Children’s Story Time provided by the Library
- New food vendors providing either pizza or burritos – NO MORE HOT DOGS

Mayor Doyle presents the Picnic in the Park schedule

- Monday, July 9 – Carolwood Park, 14950 SW Carolwood Drive
- Friday, July 13 – Camille Park, 10200 SW Marjorie Lane
- Monday, July 16 – Center Street Park, 17540 NW Fieldstone Drive
- Friday, July 20 – Center Street Park, 11895 SW Center Street

Mayor Doyle states “See you at the Park. It’s a lot of fun.”

Broadcast transitions to video interview of father, with his young daughter, who says, “People are always nice to us.” He just enjoys getting out and there is always something to do

Lady pushing her children on the swing set at City Park talks about the Library being close by, the playground, picnics – likes to spend a few hours at City Park

Broadcast continues with Margie Lynch discussing New Seasons Beaverton Last Tuesday at The Round

Mayor Doyle talks about the purchase of the South Office Building at the Round

- Purchased it for one half the price of its value
- Discusses the lease details and resulting savings of \$13.3MM
- Mentions the two open houses regarding potential use of the building
 - Top floor of the building will be open to the public
 - Tuesday, June 26 – running concurrently with the concert
 - Thursday, July 12 – a more formal event
- Mentions the South Office Building as the home of “general government services”
 - Beaverton Area Chamber of Commerce approves
 - City Council decisions later in the year, maybe even this summer
 - A dialog with the citizens is necessary

Jayne Scott discusses the New Seasons Beaverton Last Tuesday summer concert series presented by the Beaverton Arts Commission

- 5:00 – 8:00 pm
 - Listen to great music
 - See Arts & Crafts vendors
 - Fine indoor / outdoor dining at
 - Mingo
 - Mio Sushi

Margie Lynch asks Mayor Doyle about the inception of the series

- About 8 years ago, merchants at The Round expressed an interest in having people discover the restaurants on the weekdays
- Jayne Scott and Mayor Doyle worked together to generate support

Address for The Round is displayed

- 12600 SW Crescent Street, Beaverton

Information about the three performances is then listed

- June 26 – corporate sponsor Pepita’s Mexican Restaurant
 - Toque Libre – musical entertainment
 - Portland Flamenco Events – dance performance

- July 31 – corporate sponsor The Round
 - Patrick Lamb – musical entertainment
 - Painted Sky / Northstar Dance Company – dance performance
- August 28 – corporate sponsor Artisan Renovations
 - Michael Allen Harrison – musical entertainment
 - Kalabharathi School of Dance – dance performance

Broadcast transitions to lady pushing children on the swing set who talks about feeling welcome, and enjoying the Farmers Market and getting to know local farmers

Another lady states “there is just so much to do in Beaverton”

Broadcast continues with Margie Lynch asking Mayor Doyle and Jayne Scott about the Celebration Parade

Mayor Doyle

- The changes to the parade
 - The parade route – to avoid traffic headaches, the parade is not running through downtown
- Parade is in its 55th year
- Theme: “The Many Faces of Our City”
- Grand Marshall - Mariel Zagunis, Fencing Olympian Gold Medalist
 - Floats
 - Music – marching bands
 - Mascots
 - Politicians

Mayor Doyle reiterates the change to the parade route, where a map is displayed showing the route from SW Allen to SW Erickson to SW 5th to SW Griffith Drive and City Hall

Margie Lynch then asks Jayne Scott about how to enter the parade

- Parade Entry Form found online at the city’s website, www.beavertonoregon.gov

Mayor Doyle offers

- Great community tradition since 1957
- A massive undertaking, mostly done by volunteers
- About an hour, start to finish

Transition to information about the parade

- Saturday, September 8
- Theme = “The Many Faces of Our City”

Margie Lynch thanks Jayne Scott and Mayor Doyle; then invites people “to come out and enjoy Beaverton”

Mayor Doyle talks about

- The International Celebration at the end of July
- Flicks by the Fountain in August