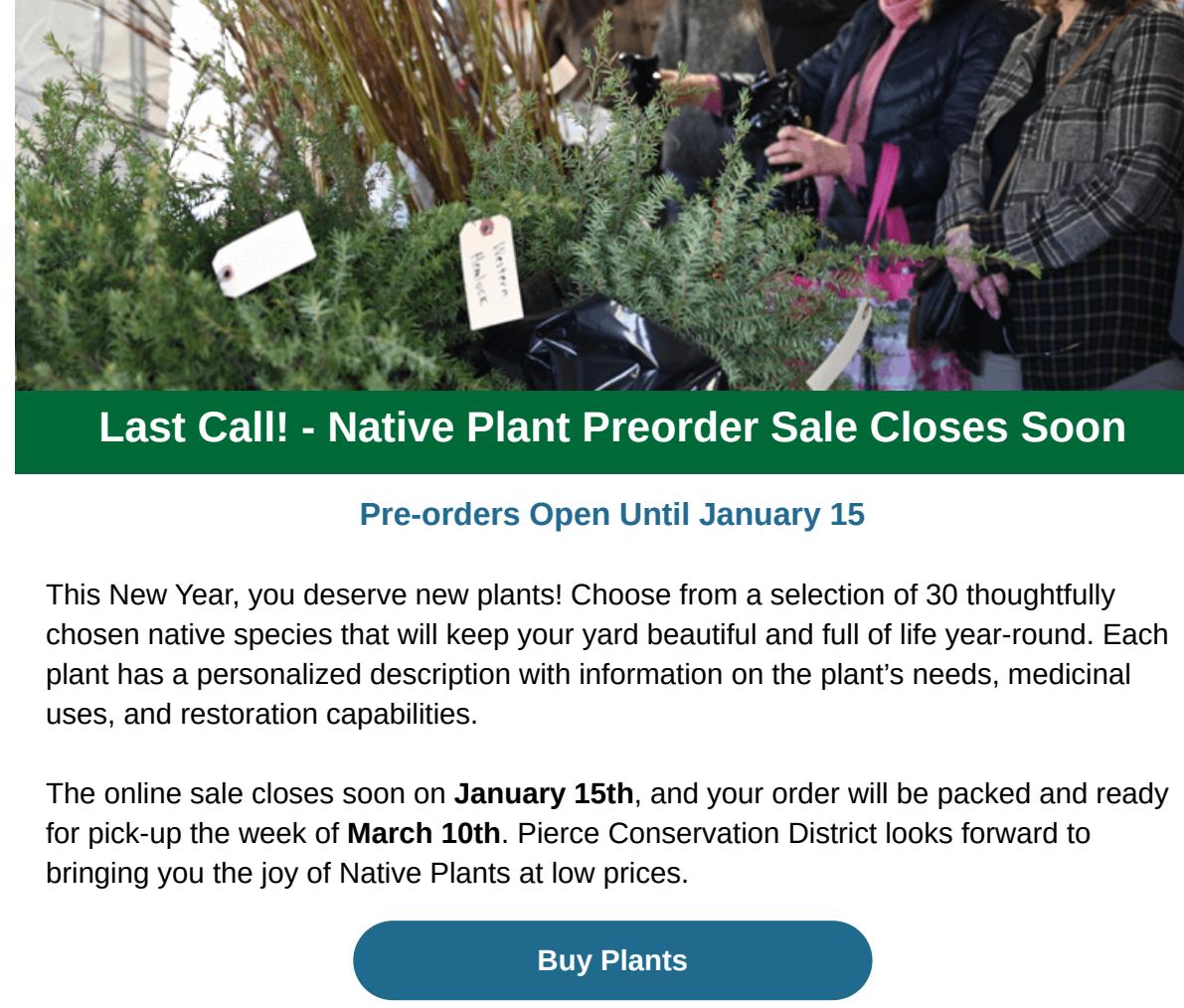




Events & Opportunities



Last Call! - Native Plant Preorder Sale Closes Soon

Pre-orders Open Until January 15

This New Year, you deserve new plants! Choose from a selection of 30 thoughtfully chosen native species that will keep your yard beautiful and full of life year-round. Each plant has a personalized description with information on the plant's needs, medicinal uses, and restoration capabilities.

The online sale closes soon on **January 15th**, and your order will be packed and ready for pick-up the week of **March 10th**. Pierce Conservation District looks forward to bringing you the joy of Native Plants at low prices.

[Buy Plants](#)



Monthly Board of Supervisors Meeting

January 8th from 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

In Person at PCD Office and Virtual

Open to the public. Our monthly Board of Supervisors meeting to update work accomplished and future plans.

[Calendar Event](#)

[Agenda](#)



2025 Annual Seed Swap

12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

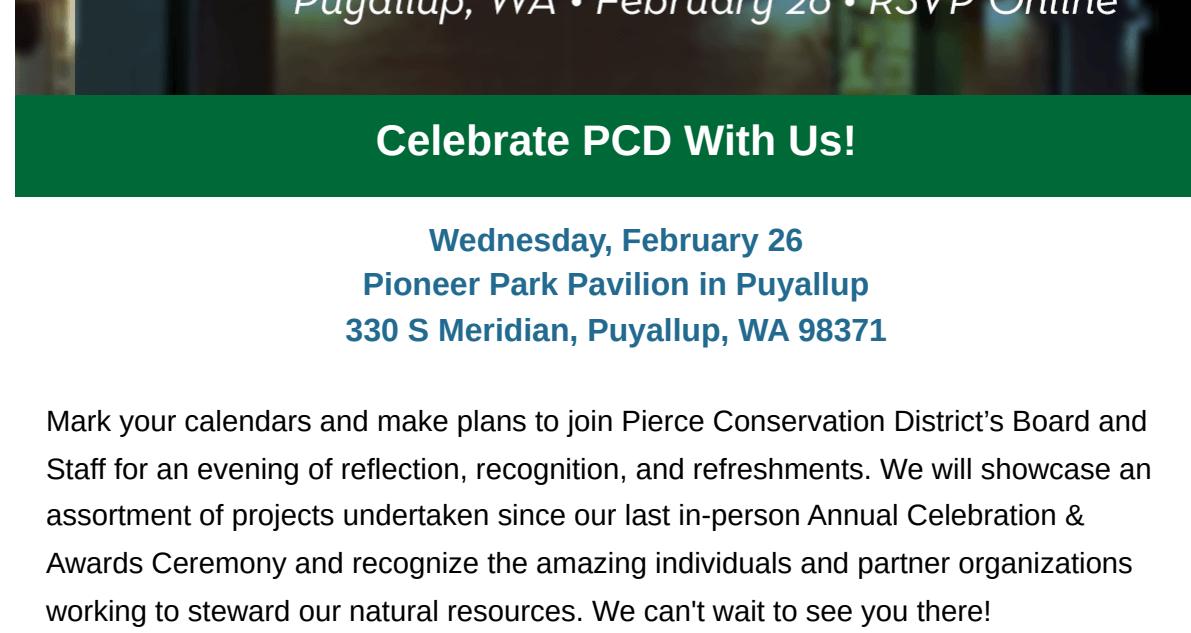
February 2, 2024

Pioneer Park Pavilion in Puyallup

330 South Meridian Puyallup , WA 98371

Spring is just around the corner, and we invite you to attend our annual Seed Swap. We will kick off the Spring season with a celebration and exchange of seeds. You are encouraged but not required to bring seeds. Whether they are old, new, or saved by you, there is a guarantee that others will enjoy them just as much. In addition to this you can expect light refreshments, demonstrations, and abundant opportunity to connect with other passionate growers. Registration is required.

[Register](#)



PCD 2025 Board Member Election - Important Dates

Our Board of Supervisors is elected by the residents of Pierce County*. To vote in the election, you must request a ballot. Requesting a ballot only takes a few minutes, and has a major impact on what PCD does and how well we can support community-driven solutions to our most pressing environmental challenges.

*Eligible voters are registered voters who reside within the boundaries of the District. Voter information must match the Pierce County Auditor's voter database.

IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

Candidate Application Deadline - January 10, 2025 at 4:30 PM

Deadline to Request a Mail-In Ballot - January 29, 2025 at 4:30PM

In-Person Polling - February 26, 2025 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Election Unofficial Results - Around 10PM - March 11, 2025

Election Results Verified by WSCC - May 2025

[Learn More](#)

2025 ANNUAL CELEBRATION

Puyallup, WA • February 26 • RSVP Online

[Celebrate PCD With Us!](#)

Wednesday, February 26

Pioneer Park Pavilion in Puyallup

330 S Meridian, Puyallup , WA 98371

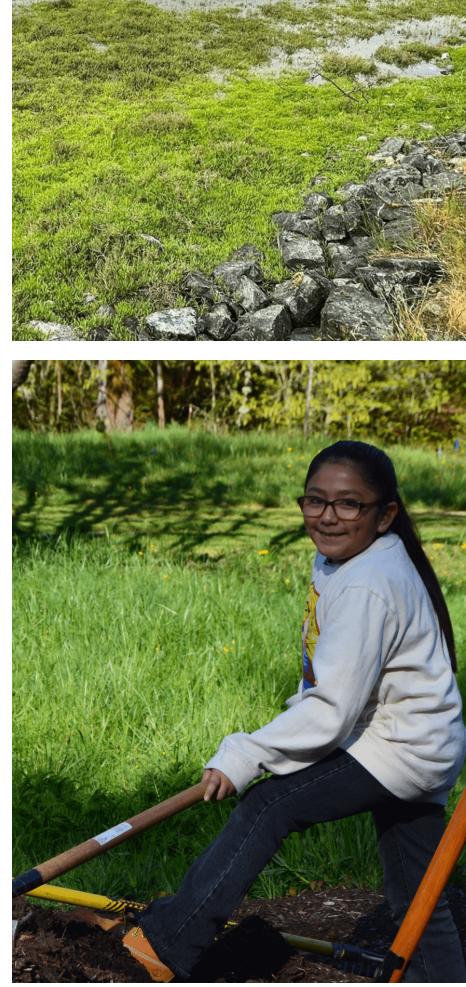
Mark your calendars and make plans to join Pierce Conservation District's Board and Staff for an evening of reflection, recognition, and refreshments. We will showcase an assortment of projects undertaken since our last in-person Annual Celebration & Awards Ceremony and recognize the amazing individuals and partner organizations working to steward our natural resources. We can't wait to see you there!

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This event is also a chance to [cast a Board of Supervisors election vote](#). Polling will be open between 4 pm and 8 pm.

[RSVP](#)

Volunteer Opportunities



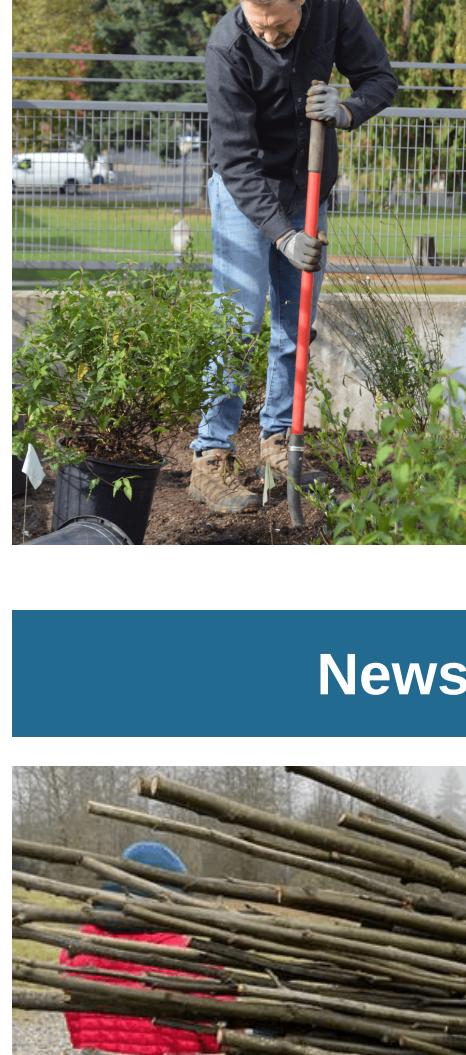
qw̱iqw̱əlut (Little Salt Marsh) Work Party

Saturday, January 11th, 9AM - 12PM

Tacoma

Volunteer with us by spending 3 hours working around the qw̱iqw̱əlut salt marsh down in the port of Tacoma. Activities include caring for existing plants, removing weeds, and mulching.

[Sign Up](#)



MLK Jr. Day of Caring

Friday, January 20th, 9AM - 12PM

Puyallup, Lakewood, Edgewood

Help us honor the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by enhancing our community green spaces! building community and improving habitat at one of our local restoration sites.

[Sign Up](#)



Puyallup City Tree Planting

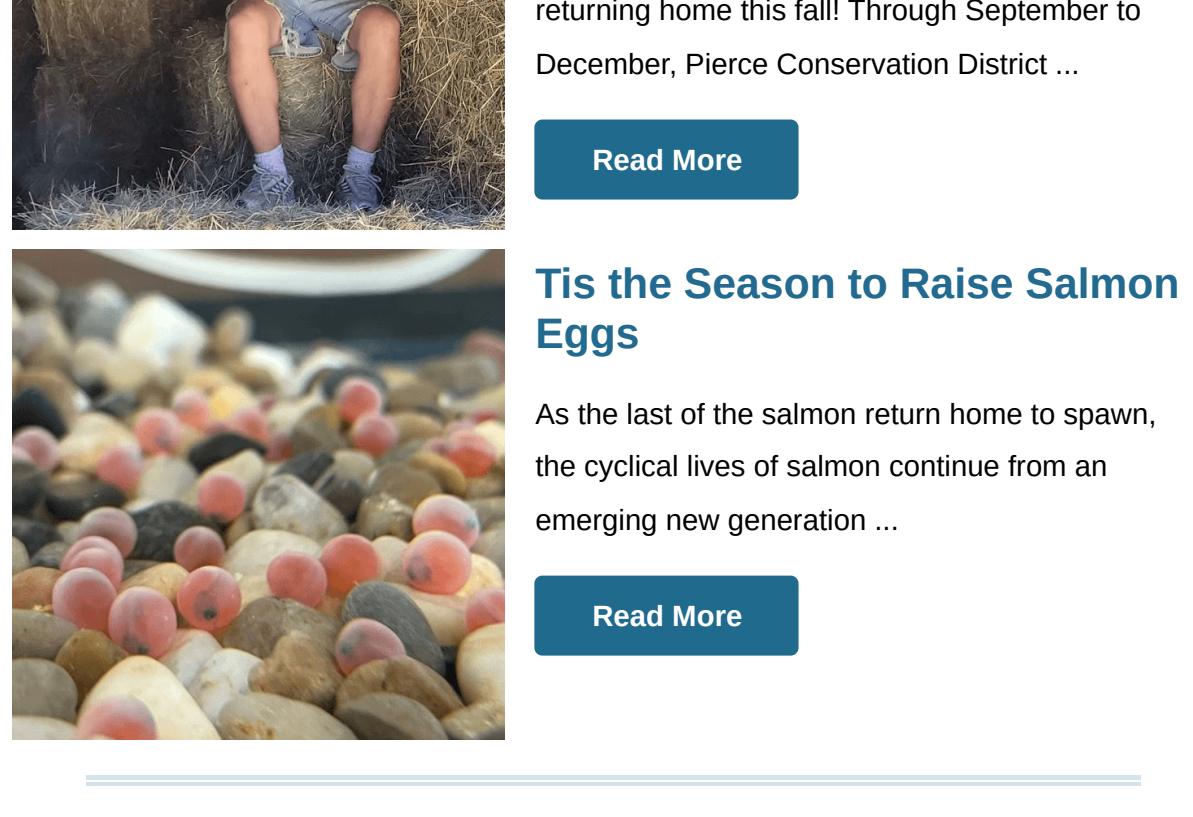
Friday, January 30th, 9AM - 12PM

Puyallup

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News from Pierce CD

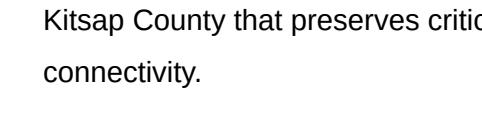


Willow live stakes used to restore wildlife habitat at South Prairie Creek Preserve

Volunteering Leads to South Prairie Collaboration

What began as volunteering eventually sprouted into fruitful collaboration for William Babcock, a long-term volunteer with Pierce Conservation District. He began participating in work parties at South Prairie Creek Preserve (SPCP) in 2022. By 2023, William was in the process of removing many self-seeded black cottonwood (*Populus trichocarpa*) trees that had overgrown along an access road on his property...

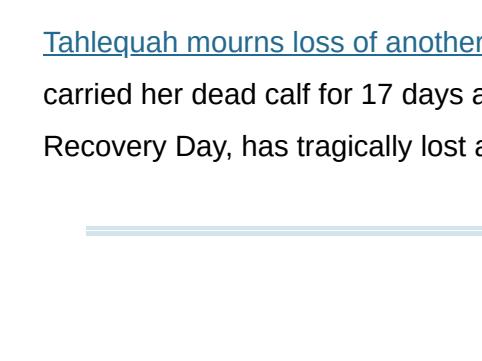
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Gary's New "Hayday" Thanks to Pierce CD

Rain or shine, every fourth-grade class in [Puyallup School District](#) observed salmon returning home this fall! Through September to December, Pierce Conservation District ...

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Tis the Season to Raise Salmon Eggs

As the last of the salmon return home to spawn, the cyclical lives of salmon continue from an emerging new generation ...

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In the Conservation Community

[Marketing Assistance for Specialty Crops](#) - One-Time Payment Opportunity The USDA Farm Services Agency (FSA) has announced a new program providing one-time payments to producers of specialty crops. Application deadline January 8.

[Mapping the Course & Business of Forestry Products](#) - This yearly conference discusses opportunities and stressors for the North American forest industry. Topics will highlight ongoing trends, issues, market forces, and helpful strategies.

[Great Peninsula Conservancy Completes the Kitsap Forest and Bay Project in North Kitsap, Washington](#) - Great Peninsula Conservancy (GPC) announces the acquisition of the 467-acre Divide Community Forest, a strategic land conservation project in north Kitsap County that preserves critical wildlife habitat and supports planned regional trail connectivity.

[Tahlequah mourns loss of another calf](#) - Tahlequah, the Southern Resident orca who carried her dead calf for 17 days and nearly 1,000 miles in 2018 and inspired Orca Recovery Day, has tragically lost another calf around New Year's Eve.



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