

## Craig Spiezle

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**From:** Craig Spiezle  
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**To:** Craig Spiezle  
**Subject:** Pancake Breakfast RSVP & Board Nominations

Craig,

On behalf of the Lochleven Community Association we hope you will be joining us this Saturday for our [First Annual Pancake Breakfast](#). Mayor Robinson, Council Members Barksdale and Stokes along with representatives of the Bellevue Police, Planning and Parks Department will be attending. [RSVP Today, \(https://lochleven-pancake.eventbrite.com\)](https://lochleven-pancake.eventbrite.com)

- When: Saturday April 23, 9 to 11:00 AM
- Where: 423 99th Avenue NE / Outdoor Carport
- Why: Have fun, connect with neighbors and build your community
- What: We will provide pancakes, muffins, coffee and all of the fixings!
- Cost: Free, donations appreciated!
- Hosted by LCA members Jeff & Alicia Jorgenson

**Call for Board Nominations** – LCA needs you! We are looking to increase age, cultural and residential location diversity of the Board. If you have a passion to collaborate and build community, we want to hear from you! The deadline for applications is this Wednesday April 20<sup>th</sup> at 10 PM. [Submit online](#). The Board will review applicants and put forth a recommended slate of nominees in advance of the vote at the annual meeting scheduled for May 10<sup>th</sup>. As specified by LCA's bylaws, we must have a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 9 board members. Once the new Board is elected, they will vote on officers including President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

**IRS 501(c)3 non-profit status.** The Internal Revenue Service has approved LCA's charitable non-profit status, retroactive to our formation on October 6, 2021. Your dues and donations may now qualify for tax deductions as well as corporate matching! [Donate online](#).

**May 10<sup>th</sup> – Annual Member Meeting.** Mark your calendar. The member meeting will start with a social hour followed with the annual meeting including voting in new board members and reviewing bylaws updates reflecting LCA's non-profit status and the new Washington State non-profit act. The Board is working to provide members the option to attend in-person or by zoom. Stay tuned for details.

**July 4<sup>th</sup> Planning Update** – Since last August, founding members of LCA have been meeting with the city regarding plans to help mitigate traffic, parking and associated litter the downtown July 4<sup>th</sup> celebration. The city has addressed LCA's concerns and has agreed to restrict parking on 1 side of 99<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, schedule litter pick up on streets adjacent to downtown and staff key locations within Lochleven to help prevent and resolve gridlock conditions. Additional details will be shared at the May 10<sup>th</sup> annual member meeting.

I look forward to meeting you at the Pancake Breakfast. For more information visit the LCA site for summaries of [recent meetings](#) and our [photo archives](#).

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