



# Cruisin' News

Mt. Rainier Cruisers Club  
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November 2009

## Let's Get Ready to Party!

November is here and you know what that means...turkey and gravy and family and friends! It also means you have a month to decide on how to decorate your car for the annual Puyallup Christmas Parade! Since it's in the evening and it gets dark early this time of year, think *lights* and think *big*! The photo at the right is from 2006. Looks like Theresa and Jeff had fun with their giant snowman!

Let's have an even better showing than last year! Sign up with Jeff – spaces are limited.

## Elections

Nominations continue this month and elections are in December. We have one nominee for each open position so far: vice president and secretary. Please consider volunteering a bit of your time and taking one of these positions. It's not that hard – really!

If you don't want to hold an office, consider volunteering to help with the holiday party and other events throughout the coming year. You have to speak up, though because sometimes we're so busy we just can't ask you individually. Don't be shy!



## Dues

Dues will be due January 1<sup>st</sup> but you can pay for them now! See Theresa at any of the meetings and upcoming events or mail it in (the address is at the top of this newsletter). Remember, it's been raised to \$20 to cover the cost of our annual membership cards.



## Upcoming Events

- Dec 5 Santa Parade
- Dec 12 Leavenworth  
Christmas Tree  
Lighting Bus Trip

**November Member of the Month - Leslie Hagen**



I was born in Spokane and raised at Otis Orchards, WA.

In 1966 I moved to Seattle and lived at the YWCA downtown. After several years I moved to Lewiston, Idaho and got married and had two children. My son, Brian, lives with a family in Soldotna, Alaska and my daughter, Debra, lives and works in Paris, France.

In April 1995, I moved back and have lived in Auburn since then.

In Feb of 2009, I retired from medical billing. I manage the apartment building I live in and it keeps me busy. I also volunteer at

Auburn Regional Medical Center 2 days a week.

In March 2006, Jim and I were at a NASCAR race in Las Vegas and we rented a PT Crusier. We both loved it and in April 2006 we purchased my very first brand new car – a red PT.

Shortly after Jim passed away in June 2008, Jason and Nancy Johnson asked me if I'd like to go to a Mt Rainier Cruisers meeting. It was just what I needed. Everyone made me feel at home. I have really enjoyed the great times and the great people.

	<b>Birthdays</b>		<b>Anniversaries</b>
	➔ Jan Blankers 11/13		➔ Pat & John Major 11/10
	➔ Jean Cox 11/18		➔ Jan & LeRoy Ljunggren 11/11
	➔ Val Ensor 11/21		➔ Jean & Roscoe Cox 11/22
	➔ Nancy Johnson 11/28		➔ Jan & Jeff Rich 11/24
	➔ LeRoy Ljunggren 11/30		➔ Diana & Roger Klein 11/29
	➔ Jon Thibodeau 11/30		