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Peter Buttitta (Retired Computer Programmer)
"I mean more police patrols. But pretty much the only responsibility. The problems all start at home. People have to be careful of who their children play with. And parents should be making sure that their kids got to know other people's cars."
Families of crime victims lash out at system

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Smith, the fund's founder, also sits on the board, as does her daughter; Brenda Baker, Nancy Brinkman, similarly murdered woman whose daughter was killed as a result of her vital, and in the non-profit, a board member, is a board member, whose husband, where she herself the case, and where she was killed while at the time of the murder.

"Altehough the fain goal is to help families of victims bury their loved ones, we do not want them to be forgotten," she said. "We want to see them put away at the appropriate time."

Smith said the fund is "a very, very important" organization for families who have lost loved ones in violent crimes. "It's an organization that my husband and I started," she said.

Many families have contacted the fund for help, Smith said. "We receive phone calls and letters from victims' families around the nation," she said. "We have to be a part of the process."

When a victim's family contacts the fund, Smith said, "They usually want to know what to do next."

"We tell them to start by signing up for community services," she said. "We also want to give them some hope."

But Smith said, "We don't want to give them false hope."

Smith said the fund is still in its early stages, and "we're just starting to get organized." She said she hopes to have the fund up and running "in the next few months."
Smoke to be snuffed at school next year

by MELROSE STIGER

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**Wagner brings softball success to Omni helm**

**Gators absorb semifinal loss, miss title game**

**By TIM CLOTTON**

After 10 years of leading the Pettiters, Pay ’N’ Play and now South Kitsap, Doug Wagner will take his fast ball team to national prominence in the fall when he takes his hand at the helm of the Federal Way High School American Legion basketball team.

"I have a winning record and I’ve had good players," says Wagner, "but I’ve never had a team with kids that get together." Wagner will look to bring that winning spirit and consistency to the Legion team this year.

Wagner inherits a team that went 34-9 last season, but he believes that this year’s roster has the potential to be even better than last year’s team. He is looking forward to working with the players and developing their skills.

Wagner is excited about the new challenge and is determined to help the team achieve success at the national level. He is confident that the team has the talent and determination to make a strong showing in the upcoming season.

**By GERARDO BOLONG**

The Federal Way girls' 3,200 meter race had its share of surprises, and the competition was intense.

Anderson outdueled Lisa French, the girls' state champion, in a time of 11 minutes and 0.6 seconds.
Newman et al. in flying contest

By CHUCK MINDOHO

Federal Way's Jim Newman and Lisa Newman and her partner, Bill "Chip" Brown, finished second in a 150-mile sportsman's category at a regional air show last weekend in
Ephrata.

In the "3-Toupe" category, the Crevlings were dis

qual ified because he flew out of the box marked off on the ground for
a "joke and a half." They were told to point the nose of their aircraft
at the box but still got points for pilots who flew in front of it and
behind it. Unlike Newman, Brown, 34,
a graduate of Decatur, did not take part in the maneuvers, but instead, other pilots in his division and
individuals in the 50- to 75-pound division of the 47th annual flight meet.

Junior Legionnaires open with win

Federal Way's Junior Legion baseball team
won a 15-3 victory in 6 1/2 innings against
Alhambra Thursday.

The Jrl. Legionnaires broke the game open with five runs in the sixth, putting the score at 15-3.

Sebastian Johnsson, who had just taken the mound to relief of start
ning pitcher Danny Garvey, started the inning with a
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Regional Arco Jack Owens meet June 3

There will be a regional Arco Jack Owens meet at the Tukwila Center Sunday.

Boys and girls born in 1979 or earlier are eligible to compete if they are 16 years old or younger.

Gymnasts claim first place in Anchorange

Jean Leuty, a sophomore at Federal Way High School, won the allaround crown at the Alaska State Championships.

In gymnastics in Tukwila, took first place in the Class 3 all-around meet, the state's top 24 girls, 10 high bar, silver medals on the rings and vault and a bronze on the parallel bars. Leuty also placed fourth in the vault.

The regional gymnastics meet included gymnasts from Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Alaska and Washington.

Leuty, who was selected to the U.S. Olympic junior team last year, said the key to the win was "having a lot of fun and a whole lot better," she said. "I'm looking forward to next year!"

In the first round, Newman said she discovered that trying to keep her plane flying within the box marked off on the ground was a "joke and a half." "When the box is where it's supposed to be," she said, "I'm happy with her performance the rest of the afternoon.

All I asked I improved, I didn't do so bad. "I flew with the second pilot of the team that had 39 percent and the one in third at 37 percent. I felt burned out of the box," she said.

It was Newman's first aircraft, a Bonanza, and she was happy with her performance the rest of the afternoon.

NEWFAX EXPLAINED that the maneuvers that she and Newman had been practicing were different from the ones they were expected to perform in the contest.

For example, when pilots were asked to do a eon, they were told to point their nose straight at the ground when they were coming out of the maneuver.

"After they explained what we were supposed to do, we did it fine."

After Jeff Range reached bases on the hitter's choice and went on an error on a Josh Austin single, the next batter hit a sacrifice fly.

Rang, Caldwell and Janison all had two hits, both with runs of Range's hit being decision.

The second round, Newman, a graduate of Federal Way High School, broke the game open with five runs in the sixth, putting the score at 15-3.

Sebastian Johnsson, who had just taken the mound to relief of starting pitcher Danny Garvey, started the inning with a triple and scored on a fly hit by Jerry Sommeried.

"The pitching is good, we will see if we can win out," she said.

"If we play three or four days to a row we won't go over much whether or not we win," said Walnut. "On the flip side, we are outdistanced."
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Barden may seek veto of bill to cap campaign spending

By LEON FRANCISCO
King County Councilman Paul Barden said the King County Executive Tim Hill to veto a proposed charter amendment that sets limits on campaign contributions and spending.

The council approved the measure on Monday, agreeing at the same time to place it on the Nov. 7 ballot for voter approval.

Barden said if he is not opposed to setting limits on campaign
costs, but he does oppose public financing of political campaigns.

As an incentive to encourage voluntary spending limits, the measure allows candidates dollar-for-dollar public matching money, up to $64 for each contribution.

"It's premature to write off the future of campaign financing," said Barden. "If the people favor voluntary spending limits, it makes sense to put it into a charter amendment."

Democrats are likely to do everything with the taxpayers' money," he said. "I wasn't aware that we had that much in the bank."

If approved by the voters, the charter amendment would limit contributions to campaigns for county executive, auditor, and council members to $10,000 per person, and $50,000 per group.

Spending limits would be voluntary, with the dollar-for-dollar public matching money available to candidates who sign up.

Under those limits, council candidates could not spend more than the annual salary of $85,000. County executive candidates could spend up to three times the annual salary of that office, which would restrict spending to $250,000 this year.

Hill said that he does not oppose setting limits on campaign
costs, but he does not believe such limitations are effective in curtailing campaign spending.

In earlier statements, Hill indicated he would veto the charter amendment if spending $750,000 to win re-election this fall.

If the measure wins approval, Hill said he would go into effect as of Jan. 1, 1990.