

Hi All,

I would like to invite you all to participate in a celebration of community and world pride.

I am proud to share that our very own Manson El Vaquero business owner's son, JC Vivero and Manson High School Graduate, Barbara Guzman, are heading up their first annual Manson Bay Earth Day Cleanup! Inspired by a walk along the beach recently, they have decided to "partner-up to clean-up" Manson Bay. Litter and broken glass turn our beautiful, scenic town into something a little "trashy."

This "Earth Day" event will take place this coming Saturday, April 19, 2008 beginning at 9am. JC and Barbara are looking for people to help with the clean-up, as well as donations of supplies (gloves, garbage bags, etc.) and food and water for volunteers. Their goal is to clean up the beach front and park areas in Manson Bay Park and the "Old" Park (or the Dog Park, as some of us know it!).

They have been circulating in Manson so you may have already heard about their project and I heard that there may be some very generous people donating hot dogs and dragging BBQ's down to the park. As far as the Business Association goes... what a great opportunity for all of us to join in to take care of our whole downtown and public beach areas!!! We are quickly approaching our tourist season and this is the time to start getting ready for our visitors. I propose we take on the entire downtown area from Jack's Red Apple to the "Old" Park!

Please take extra care to do a little clean-up and gardening of your own town area, drop in and help a friend or business partner/associate, pick up anything you see along the curbs, pull weeds as you walk by them, plant some flowers if you are inclined, trim the trees nicely in front of your business and, of course, stop by the park and help down there. If we all started at 9am and did a little here and a little there, it would be a snap! THEN we could enjoy the Chelan festivities the rest of the day!

I'll be out there, will you???? GO Manson!!!

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