



Plan of the Week



April 18th-April 22nd, 2016

Veterans Resource Center Events

Monday	18	
Tuesday	19	Free frozen Meat from Fallen Brothers Seattle, after 12:00, VRC Lounge Drop-In Advising, 10:00-11:00, VRC Lounge
Wednesday	20	
Thursday	21	Drop-In Advising, 10:00-11:00, VRC Lounge WorkSource Employment Specialist visit 11:00-12:00, VRC Lounge
Friday	22	

Campus and Community Events

VRC FOCUS GROUPS!!!!

April 21st at 2:30, or April 28th at 1:30.

Help improve your Veterans Resource Center!

Do you have ideas on how to improve the Veterans Resource Center? Are we doing something you like? Is there something you want to see change? We would like your feedback!

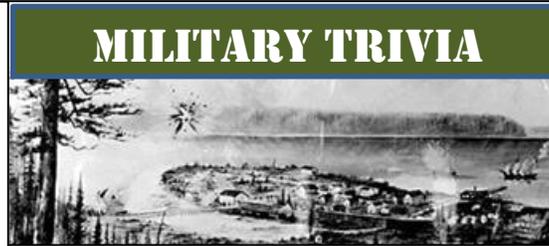
Meet up at the BlackBox Theatre Lobby at Mukilteo Hall. Please RSVP to Jon Shimoda at jonathan.shimoda@edcc.edu

Advisor's Corner

by Lee Doran, USA (Ret.),
Veterans Academic Advisor

Do you experience test anxiety? Do you have trouble focusing in class? Taking notes? Do you feel you need extra time on tests? Many EDCC students experience improved academic performance by utilizing academic accommodations offered through the Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD) department located in MLT 159. You do not need medical documentation to access these services.

Find out more on the SSD Website:
<http://students.edcc.edu/ssd/>



MILITARY TRIVIA

By Jonathan Shimoda, Military Trivia Editor

The Battle of Seattle

Not to be confused with the 1999 WTO protest, The Battle of Seattle was fought between an allied band of Native Americans and Seattle settlers supported by US Naval forces. The battle was one of the many skirmishes that composed the Puget Sound War.

The USS *Decatur* limped into Elliot Bay in Dec. after hitting an uncharted reef (Decatur Reef) near Bainbridge Island. The ship's presence was meant to deter raids by natives on the small settlement located near present-day Pioneer Square. Men from the ship organized a volunteer militia company from the fifty Seattle settlers. They also constructed a blockhouse from logs meant for sale in San Francisco.

On Jan. 26, approximately 150 natives attacked the settlement. Those settlers that had doubted an impending attack were forced to run to the blockhouse from scattered land claims separated by large tracts of forest.

The first fatality of the engagement was Jack Drew, a deserter from Decatur, who attempted to enter a cabin through a window, and was shot dead by fifteen-year-old Milton Holgate. Milton himself was later shot dead by a bullet meant for the militia's captain. Another settler was killed after exposing himself from behind a stump to get a drink of water.

Supported by disembarked Marines and cannon fire from the ship, the settlers held off the attack. Although the exact number of native casualties is unknown, it is estimated to be roughly 28 dead and 80 wounded. A US military trial later acquitted all 21 of natives implicated in the attack after deeming their actions constituted legitimate warfare.

EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
CAREER FAIR

This event is **FREE** and open to the public

April 19, 2016
10:00a - 1:00p
Woodway Hall #202

For more information www.edcc.edu/careerfair

Attention Veteran Job Seekers:

Come meet over 50 local companies with full-time, part-time and seasonal positions. There are jobs which will help support you while in school and/or career opportunities you may be seeking. Bring your resume, dress professionally, and be prepared to follow up with companies you are interested in. Even if you're not currently on the job hunt, stop by and see what's out there.

Hours of Operation	
Monday	0900-1800
Tuesday	0900-1800
Wednesday	1000-1800
Thursday	0900-1800
Friday	0900-1700