
Happy Sustainable Thanksgiving!

So it seems this Thanksgiving is going to look a bit different. Why not take this opportunity to try a [simple sustainable meal](#)? Or take the time to [show your gratitude](#) differently? We are so grateful to **all of you** for supporting us during these trying times!

Meaningful Movies : Sustainable Ballard - "America Recycled" - Nov. 30



Please join us to view and discuss the film AMERICA RECYCLED, which follows brothers Tim and Noah Hussin as they bicycle 5,000 miles across the U.S. South over a period of two years, in a wildly poetic yet personally intimate experiment into scaling down, relocalizing, and connecting to community and land. **Monday, Nov. 30, 5:30 p.m.**

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Reserve Your Spot: Virtual Holiday Party and Barter Fair - Dec. 5, 6-9 p.m.



Sustainable Ballard is celebrating the holidays with our 15th Annual Holiday Barter Fair on **Saturday, Dec 5**. This enjoyable alternative to the more commercial holiday gift buying experience is going virtual this year. **If you want to barter, register for a table by Nov. 27.** Guests who just want to browse or come say "hi" are also encouraged.

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Little Free Library - Fall Shuffle/Drive Continues



Do you have a library that needs books, or have you seen one that does? Our latest map shows nearly 50 Little Free Libraries in Ballard, and there has been an uptake in activity since schools and libraries closed. But some books are stale for some audiences, so we're organizing a fall Book Shuffle/Drive to restock libraries and re-market some titles.

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Volunteers Still Needed for Gleaning Team



We need YOU to help feed hungry neighbors! Join our team of volunteers who collect donations from the Ballard Farmers Market vendors. At the end of each Sunday market, we deliver donations to the nearby Ballard Food Bank, supplying hungry folks with fresh, local produce. Volunteers can help by collecting produce from the vendors, carrying boxes and sorting the collected food into containers at the food bank.

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Knitters Meet Again - Dec 15



We can always use an excuse to sit and knit! Build a cozy space, gather your own beverage

We can enjoy, use an excuse to sit and knit, build a cozy space, gather your own beverage and treats and join us on our usual third Tuesday! Come enjoy the opportunity to create and keep others warm.

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Ballard Sprouts Project Starts Again in February



In 2020, Ballard Sprouts grew and distributed over 23,000 starts to Seattle gardeners, who then donated the produce to food banks around the city. We bought soil, seeds, fertilizer, pots and used electricity. This year we are participating in a national Seed Money Challenge to replenish our funds. And you can help! Every donation from \$1 or \$200 is appreciated, and all funds go directly to us, no overhead.

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Less Stuff, More Room! (Part 4)

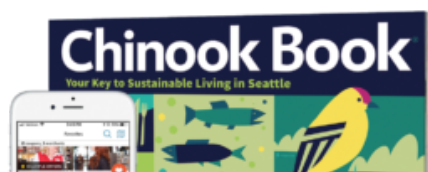


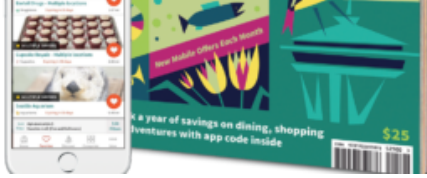
Part 4 of a series designed to help you free yourself from the stuff that clutters your home and your head.

Say NO to the landfill, and YES to reusing and recycling. This time, we're focusing on local treasure, Ballard ReUse, a place where you can send your old, salvageable household materials like doors, windows, lights, cabinets, toilets and/or find some great materials at a low cost for your next project.

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A Special Thank You Gift From Our Friends at Ballard Market





As a token of our appreciation for your support, we have arranged a gift for you: a 12-month full access subscription to the Chinook Book app (a \$16 value)! Our friends at Chinook Book partner with some of the best local and sustainable businesses in Seattle to offer rewards and discounts you can use right now.

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