

**Volunteer Recognition Dinner
Corcoran neighborhood
February 4, 2008**

Award Nominees:

Shanna Barnes helped create outdoor movies, the book sale, a wine tasting, and the volunteer dinner through her work on the Events Committee. Shanna grew up in the neighborhood and now shares her smile with clients at the Cedar Animal Hospital.

Melanie Casiday's friendly face is known to countless kids on her block and at the Park. Melanie has recruited and worked with numerous young people this year on several Corcoran murals. She also contributes photos, articles, and editing skills to the Corcoran News.

Corey Coakley, Sr has coached basketball, baseball, and football at Corcoran Park. Outside of practice, you'll often find Corey helping park staff with the kids or just joking around at the park.

Suzanne Fischer is a canning and pickling master who brings her passion for produce to the Midtown Farmers' Market. After four years on the advisory committee, Suzanne recently became co-chair of the Marketing subcommittee to explore new ways to promote our market.

Cynthia Frost is a wise and hard-working member of the Housing Committee, offering insight and strategy to individuals and the neighborhood as we grapple with foreclosures. Professionally, Cynthia works in various housing arenas and runs a Corcoran-based business.

Jullonne Glad is an articulate critic of the Midtown biomass project, and led efforts to petition for an Environmental Assessment Worksheet. Guided by a desire to protect the public health, Jullonne gathered and submitted over 500 signatures.

M'Angelo Harris has coached basketball, track, and football at Corcoran Park. ML may be park staff, but all of his time coaching is volunteered. ML continues to help kids become better athletes and citizens.

Eric Lindberg is kind-hearted presence on his block and in the larger community. A crucial contributor to the Corcoran News, Eric does layout and editing and writes feature interviews. Eric also serves on panels and trainings with Restorative Justice.

Bob Milner is the architect of our six-neighborhood planning barbeque for National Night Out, and has helped grow NNO participation citywide. Bob works through a number of avenues to better the world, always starting with his own Longfellow Avenue block.

Sue Redmond, a key leader for Youth Murals, continues to contribute writing, editing, advertising sales, and infectious enthusiasm to the Corcoran News team. Her advocacy of light rail riders will bring improvements to our station. Sue also chairs Restorative Justice.

