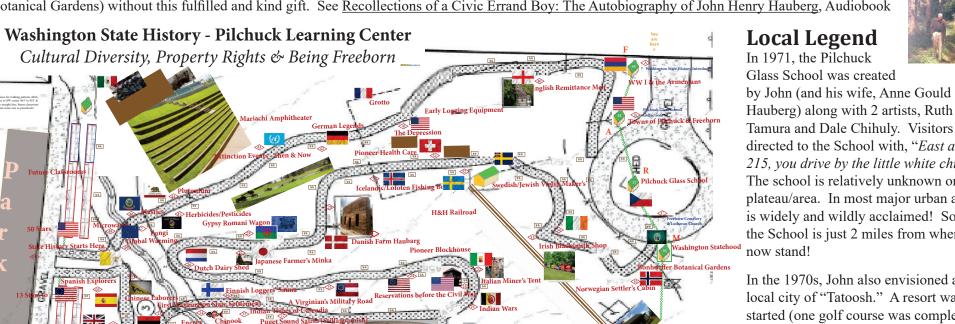
TRIBUTE TO JOHN HAUBERG

NW History

You are standing within the Pilchuck Tree Farm (all around you, except for the land to your right) founded by John Hauberg. His autobiography describes how he started a collection of farms and holdings that sum to over 16,000 acres of northern Snohomish County. It was his gift of the Tree Farm option to purchase the land on which you stand that created this Farm. If you judge a man by his actions, rather than just his words, John was a great man. We thank him (he died in 2002) and we also thank his Page family descendents. Again, there would be no Living History Farm (or Preschool or Bonhoeffer Botanical Gardens) without this fulfilled and kind gift. See Recollections of a Civic Errand Boy: The Autobiography of John Henry Hauberg, Audiobook



Ethnobotanical Gardens

8 pedestals exist outside the fence so visitors can walk/read if PLC's Washington History Farm is closed

Native plant "starts" from Bonhoeffer Gardens (to your SW, by the I-5) illustrate 99 foods and materials available to the American peoples who lived here 10,000 years without the need to develop agriculture. Planter boxes contain:

Tamura and Dale Chihuly. Visitors are directed to the School with, "East at Exit 215, you drive by the little white church." The school is relatively unknown on this plateau/area. In most major urban areas, it is widely and wildly acclaimed! So close, the School is just 2 miles from where you

In the 1970s, John also envisioned a new local city of "Tatoosh." A resort was started (one golf course was completed), a housing development was also created (SnoCo, still in existence), and a Water Company (the Tatoosh Water Co.) that serves PLC (essential for the public use of this property) was built. Without Tatoosh Water neither the Gardens, Farm nor preschool would exist. Like the 1920s town of Pilchuck that existed 4 miles to the East of where you stand, Douglas Fir grow on putting greens and where the golf lodge once stood. John was an astute businessman, a patron of the arts, and a philanthropist. He helped shape the State as we know it today.