

**PROCLAMATION
WEEK OF THE CHILD
April 30 – May 7, 2008**

WHEREAS, the children of Mason County are our future; and

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of each adult in our community to ensure that all of the needs of every child are met; and

WHEREAS, the focus we can bring to meet the needs of our children through positive actions, partnership and education should be established; and

WHEREAS, Mason County citizens, staff, elected officials shall work closely with federal, state, local and tribal governments, and with non-governmental organizations to support and participate in events designed to strengthen community around our children; and

WHEREAS, Mason County proudly recognizes all who take a proactive role in celebrating the diversity and prioritizing the shaping of our most valuable asset, our children.

NOW, THEREFORE, We the Board of Mason County Commissioners do hereby proclaim the week of April 30 – May 7, 2008

THE WEEK OF THE CHILD

in Mason County and urge all of our citizens to make a mindful contribution to the overall health, safety, education, recreation and social development of our children for which we shall provide leadership.

Dated this 8th day of April 2008.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Tim Sheldon, Chair

Ross Gallagher, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Rebecca S. Rogers, Clerk of the Board

Lynda Ring Erickson, Commissioner