

**PeaceTags**, a jewelry line started last year by Fredda Goldfarb, has joined with the nonprofit Fisher House Foundation to raise money for its Beacon Hill development, which opened this week. The development has room for 42 family members of military veterans undergoing treatment at the VA Puget Sound medical center. A quarter of the proceeds from PeaceTags sold today at Alvin Goldfarb Jeweler in downtown Seattle will go to the new Fisher House.

Fredda Goldfarb, whose late father, Larry Golden, was a World War II veteran, is married to Steven Goldfarb, president of Alvin Goldfarb Jeweler. PeaceTags are sterling-silver "dog tag" necklaces engraved with quotes from peace advocates, including the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., Mother Teresa and the Dalai Lama. They sell for \$129.95. — *AM*

**The Landing** in Renton will get three new restaurants before the winter holidays: The Rock, which serves wood-fired pizza amid a classic-rock theme; Izakaya Sushi; and Papaya Vietnamese Cuisine. Element Salon and Spa and Massage Envy will open at the 46-acre mixed-use development later this fall, followed by Emerald City Sun early next year. — *AM*

**Baristas will compete in latte art** championships this weekend at Coffee Fest Seattle in the Washington State Convention & Trade Center. The seventh annual competition includes 40 baristas in preliminary rounds at 10 a.m. on Friday and Saturday, with 10 finalists competing at 9 a.m. Sunday for the \$5,000 first prize. — *MA*

**Salmon Bay Events**, organizer of the Northwest Flower & Garden Show, will make environmental sustainability a major focus for 2009. Next year's show, Feb. 18-22 in Seattle, will have the theme "Sustainable Spaces. Beautiful Places," Salmon Bay revealed last week. — *AM*

**A festival of local food** will be held from noon to 5 p.m. Saturday at University Heights Center, 5031 University Way N.E., followed by a local foods dinner. Called Eat Local Now! A Hands-On Festival, it is sponsored by several organizations led by BALLE Seattle, the Seattle arm of the Business Alliance for Local Living Economies. Sponsors suggest a donation of \$15 for the afternoon event; dinner costs \$25 to \$30. — *MA*

**Starbucks stores** began giving away "Good Sheets" on Thursday as part of a partnership with the magazine Good, in an effort to generate conversation about issues in a nonpartisan way as the November election approaches. The first sheet is about carbon emissions. It features a graphic showing U.S. carbon emissions