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"People  
Helping  
People"



## COMING EVENTS

Mar 3-5	Hands Border	Chehalis, Wa
Mar 17-19	Region I	N. Portland
Mar 24-26	Region III	Coquille
Apr 7-9	Region II	N. Lincoln
Apr 21-23	Region V	Lakeview
Apr 28-30	Region IV	Baker City
May 5-7	Fun-vention	Prineville

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## STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - **John King**



### Aerie State Officers

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JrPast Worthy President  
**John King**— Medford  
Worthy President  
**Carl Wilson**— Wood Village  
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Worthy Chaplain  
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**Jeff Wilson**— The Dalles  
Outside Guard  
**Steve Wiley**— Woodburn  
Trustee  
**Fran Herber**— Springfield  
Trustee  
**Kenner Echols**— N. Lincoln  
Trustee



Brothers and Sisters,

Believe it or not, the Eagle year is already half over. Lynne and I want to say thank you for all of the hospitality that we have received during all of the visitations that we have done. The Maslow Project and all the homeless children are extremely grateful for the donations that we have received for them. I would like to thank ALL who have donated or purchased shirts-hats-pins, and raffle tickets for my Charity. We have decided that we are going to take the month of January off from visitations and finally go on our honeymoon to the Caribbean. We are looking forward to starting up again in February and visiting the Lodges that we haven't made it to yet.

I am hoping all you Brothers are out hunting for new members and re-enrollees to help our membership chairman Joyce and the State Aerie reach our goal of being a Net Gain State. Membership is the life blood of our organization.

Before we know it, the spring Region meetings will be here. I hope to see everyone try and attend these meetings, and look forward to seeing all the Brothers and Sisters around the State. Those of you that attend, please try to bring a new member with you and get them involved. They can learn so much from the workshops and Ritual Competition and make new friends.

Wishing everyone a Happy New Year.  
Fraternally, John King SWP

**MASLOW  
PROJECT**

## STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - **RayNora Piatt**

Happy New Year!

Hope everyone had a great holiday. Guess I chose the right time to have surgery, with all the snow and ice. Please be careful on your Eagle travels.

We have visits starting again in February, so if you have a certain day for us to visit, please let me know.

Looking forward to hearing about the many new members that we are adding. Hope your Auxiliary is planning an open house membership drive. Karen is ready to help you in any way she can.

Please note my new e-mail address– [msray2146@gmail.com](mailto:msray2146@gmail.com). I try to check it as often as possible – usually 2-3 times every day.

Remember that you are the only person who controls your destiny, and attitude is 90% of it.

RayNora Piatt  
State Madam President



### Auxiliary State Officers

**Sue Calderwood**– E. Portland  
JrPast Madam President

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**Candlelighters.**  
For Children With Cancer



# MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS



Joyce Lee  
Aerie  
2016-17



Karen Sanders  
Auxiliary  
2016-17

No article this month, probably snowed in...

Dear Sisters,  
Happy New Year! I am so proud of our Auxiliaries and all the hard work you have done in your community. Isn't it time to invite your family and friends to join so that they too can have that great feeling of helping others?

We have 3 net gain Auxiliaries already and a whole bunch more that just need a few more to get there. I have sent out letters to all the Presidents to let them know how many they need to make that happen in their Auxiliary and an extra couple to help make us a net gain state. If you need help to make the goals you have please feel free to contact me and I will be glad to help you put on a membership drive.

We also need to invite our sisters to join us at Region meetings. So please ask a sister or two to come to your next region meeting, enjoy the other sisters and learn at the clinics being held.

Until next month--  
For Home, For Country and For God.

Love, Karen Sanders  
Membership Chairman





## Pendleton Fire & Ambulance

Dec 29 at 10:21am • 🌐

The Pendleton Fire Department wishes to thank the Pendleton Eagles #28 Auxiliary for their generous donation of approximately \$1,400 for the purchase of a King Vision video laryngoscope. This life saving tool will allow our Paramedics to insert a breathing tube into a patients lungs quicker and more safely than traditional methods.





# The Dalles Eagles Auxiliary



ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME

## 13TH ANNUAL DIABETES FUND POOL TOURNAMENTS

9-Ball Tournament = January 8, 2017

Jack-n-Jill Tourney = January 15, 2017

\$10.00 per player

sign-ins begin @ 11am matches start @ 1pm sharp

Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places

RAFFLES

FOOD

T-SHIRTS

For more information contact Sue or Candy at The Dalles Eagles  
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A man in northern Minnesota woke up one morning to find a bear on his roof. He looked in the Yellow Pages, and sure enough, there was an ad for "Up North Bear Removers." He called the number listed and the bear remover said he'd be over within an hour.

The bear remover arrived, and got out of his van. He had a ladder, a baseball bat, a 12 gauge shotgun, and a mean looking, heavily scarred old pit bull.

"What are you going to do?" the homeowner asked.

"I'm going to put this ladder up against the roof, then I'm going to go up there, and knock the bear off the roof with this baseball bat. When the bear falls off the roof, the pit bull is trained to grab his testicles, and not let go. The bear will then be subdued enough for me to put him in the cage in the back of the van.

He then handed the shotgun to the homeowner.  
"What's the shotgun for?" the homeowner asked.

"If the bear knocks me off the roof, you shoot the dog."

The **Beak and Quill** welcomes letters to the Editor.

To be considered for publication, letters must be signed and include a current address and daytime telephone number to be used for verification purposes only. No letter will be considered with out a signature. The **Beak and Quill** does not publish anonymous letters. Your name will be put with editorial articles unless otherwise requested and at the discretion of the editor.

Letters that are, in the view of the editor, potentially libelous or inflammatory will not be considered for publication.

Due to space limitations, it is requested that letters be no more than 200 words long or about 1 double spaced page if typed. All letters are subject to editing.

A writer is limited to one letter per month in order to allow everyone an opportunity to have their letters published, at the discretion of the Editor.

Letters are considered on a first come, first serve basis. The deadline for letters submission is 5:00 p.m. on the 10th day of each month. If the 10th falls on a Sunday or a holiday, the next business day will be the deadline day.

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"She Flies With Her Own Wings"*

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