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"People  
Helping  
People"



## HAPPY HALLOWEEN

### COMING EVENTS

|           |            |            |
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| Oct 19-22 | PNWRC      | Valdez, AK |
| Nov 3-5   | Mid-Winter | Salem      |
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## STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - Carl Wilson



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Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

I hope this letter finds you well and in good spirits. It's been a ride since my last letter. Amazing things, good things, and sad things that you go through as a SWP that really go to making you a better person. We have amazing good people in our organization! Good deeds that we do for people and sad things that we face and overcome on a daily basis.

All of us are certainly no strangers to adversity. We do have lodges that are dealing with their problems and we have sadly lost some others, but we still go on being the very best fraternal organization year after year! That in itself shows the strength of our love and commitment to our fellow man. Please, always remember the compassion and commitment that several theater owners had for an outcast part of society in establishing "The Order of Good Works" and the great fraternal organization that grew from that compassion.

We are and always have been "People Helping People." I love you one and all for who you are and what you do. Keep up the good work. See you at Mid-Winter. PS- Many thanks to Anthony for his great patience with me on my letter for the Beak and Quill...

SWP Carl Wilson



# STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - Sue Cant

Sisters,

What a wonderful time our last set of Regions were. Thank you to the Aeries and Auxiliaries for hosting. I look forward to our first districts in the spring and hope that everyone embraces this change as a new beginning that will hopefully bring renewed interest in our beautiful ritual and the spirited competition we have had in the past and I hope to see new classes and workshops that will enable us to strengthen our Aeries and Auxiliaries.

Thank you Lincoln City for hosting my first visitation. I had an amazing time. What a way to start this journey. This month I have a rib feed in Coquille and a western night in Coos Bay on October 14th. I can't wait!

I am really looking forward to Mid-Winter. I encourage you to bring someone who has never been before or a sister who hasn't been in a while. Please send your letters for the service award in by October 15th. I know that our state has some amazing talent let's show it off, sponsor a contestant for the scholarship competition. I think the membership workshop will be very beneficial to everyone with the Grand Aerie Membership Director attending this year.

As our big drop date has passed, we have a lot of work to do to meet our net gain plus 2% goal. If you need help with a membership drive, please don't

hesitate to contact either me or Katie, we would love to support any ideas you have.

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Until next month,  
Sue Cant SMP



## Auxiliary State Officers

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# MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS

Dear Brothers,  
Mid-Winter is upon us. Please register and plan attending this special event. At Mid-Winter we do two very special things. First we have our Talent Show featuring young people ages 16 to 22. Please ask your Aerie to sponsor a talented young person for this special event.



**Greg Jones**  
Aerie  
2017-18

Also, at Mid-Winter we honor a deserving Brother with the Oregon Aerie Eagle Service Award. Please send me a letter of recommendation for an outstanding candidate from your Aerie by October 15.

Brothers, I hope to see you in Salem for our 2017 Mid-Winter Conference.

Fraternally,  
Greg Jones  
Membership  
Director



Sisters –  
Fall Regions are behind us and you all have done an amazing job recruiting new



**Katie Kindgren**  
Auxiliary  
2017-18

members! Remember our goal this year is net gain plus 2%. All auxiliary secretaries should have received an e-mail regarding nominations of an outstanding sister for the Eagle Service Award.

The main qualification is that this special sister be active in her community in addition to her local Auxiliary. Please have all nomination letters to me by October 15<sup>th</sup>. We will be presenting this award at Mid-Winter in Salem on November 4<sup>th</sup>.

I am looking forward to seeing you all at Mid-Winter. Keep up the great work!!

Katie Kindgren  
Membership Chairman

**Now Accepting Reservations for the  
2018 International Convention!**

Reservations are now being accepted at the Omni Hotel for the 2018 Fraternal Order of Eagles International Convention in Dallas, Texas, July 9-12.

Rooms are \$126/night with the Eagles' rate open to members from Thursday, July 5 through Friday, July 13. Guests arriving before the 5th or departing after the 13th may be subject to regular rates for nights which do not fall within the given window.

MOVE IN THE DIRECTION  
OF YOUR DREAMS TODAY...

EVEN IF IT'S  
JUST A LITTLE  
WADDLE.

~JANE LEE LOGAN



## Regions to Districts Committee

Now that the change of Regions to Districts has been approved by the Grand Aerie, we are moving ahead to implement the transition as smoothly as possible. The following committee of Aerie and Auxiliary members will meet at Mid-Winter Conference to iron out the details that need to be addressed.

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***This meeting is for the committee only,*** and we ask you to understand that it will be held behind closed doors so that we can complete our work as expeditiously as possible. Contact these individuals prior to Mid-Winter if you would like to give them your input. All Aeries and Auxiliaries will be notified by mail of the details of the transition by the end of November.

Al Piatt, Chairman

North Lincoln Eagles #2576 in Lincoln City has just completed a very successful School Supply Drive. This project was originated as part of our Scholarship Committee activities. We have targeted our supplies to go to the homeless students, grades 7 through 12. Working closely with the HELP Center (Homeless Education and Literacy Program), at the Taft High School, we were able to gather items which they knew were the most needed by these students.

At the end of September, we had delivered over \$1,500.00 in school supplies to the HELP center. Many thanks go out to the members and friends who were so generous.

Submitted by Angie Thompson, #2576 Auxiliary Trustee

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## Rosterbook Changes & Corrections...

Judy Frazier's new address:

144 Independence Dr, Grants Pass, Or 97527

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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.

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"She Flies With Her Own Wings"*

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