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"People
Helping
People"

Merry
Christmas
& Happy
New Year



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**



Greetings Brothers,

Mid-winter was held at Medford #2093 and a good time was had by all. The young contestants put on one heck of a show and were enjoyed by all that attended.

During this time of the year, we all like to be with family and friends. It is a time to remember the good times from the past year and hope for the coming year. There is much charity giving and attending charity events over the holidays. As you talk to others, let them know what we do for charities and then ask them if they would like to me a member of our great organization. We need to stop being the "best kept secret in town".

My visitations around the state so far have been fantastic. The generosity and hospitality that Lynne and I have received has been wonderful. And my charity "The Maslow Project" appreciates it also. My travels have taken me all across Oregon a few times and some of the events I have attended have amazed me with the cooperation between the Aerie and the Auxiliary. "THANK YOU"!

My visits for December are:

Dec 2nd at Mill City #3384

Dec 3rd at Woodburn #3284

Dec 4th at Springfield #3597

Dec 10th at Prineville #2555

The membership seems to be slow in getting in new and re-enrolled members back into the Aerie. We are the best organization in the world. Let's get the word out and show everyone why they should join and be part of an organization that does so much for others and provides so much for its members at such a small cost.

Fraternally,
John King, SWP

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**MASLOW
PROJECT**

STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - **RayNora Piatt**

Wow! December is here, how this year has flown. Seems just yesterday we were in Pendleton at State Convention.

Thank you to everyone for the cards, calls and many well wishes as I recover from hip surgery. Now my doctor has decided to get the other hip done right away, so, December 6th, I will go back in for surgery - again, ouch!!

We will be making a few visits before then as follows: Albany on December 3rd, Salem on December 4th for their annual "play" (sounds like fun) and Mill City on December 5th. Hope to see many of you at each visit.

What a great time we had at Mid-Winter in Medford. If you did not attend you missed seeing some very talented young people.

Special thanks to Katie, Susie, and Sarah for all the hours and work spent raising money and working to promote our project, 'Candlelighters for Children with Cancer'. They are real examples of "People Helping People". Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all our sisters and brothers. May the New Year bring health and happiness in abundance to all.

RayNora Piatt, SMP



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MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS

My Brothers, keep up the hard work and sign up new members and let's make net gain for Oregon. Happy holidays, stay safe on your travels to family and friends during the upcoming holidays.

Fraternally,
Brother Joyce Lee,
Membership Director



Joyce Lee
Aerie
2016-17



Karen Sanders
Auxiliary
2016-17

Dear Sisters,
Congratulations to our newest Eagle Service Award winner Linda Dunn. As her Hood River Auxiliary sisters said, she helps everyone whenever needed whether

local, regional, or state. It was truly an honor to present this well deserved award.

Our competitors were very talented and congratulations to the following winners:
Congeniality – Allie West sponsored by Coos Bay PP & Coquille Aux.
2nd runner up – Seven Convers sponsored by Grants Pass Aerie & Auxiliary.
1st runner up – Allie West sponsored by Coos Bay PP & Coquille Aux.
Winner – Jessica Gonzales sponsored by Woodburn Auxiliary.

Have you offered a gift of a membership to the greatest organization in the world? Invite your friends and family to help others thru the Eagles.

Please enjoy your time with loved ones and remember the reason for the season. Merry Christmas to all.

For Home, For Country and For God.

Love,
Karen Sanders
Membership Chairman 2016-17



Mid-Winter Contestants



Mid-Winter Pictures



PNWRP Marna Newby &
SMTre. Jenny Beutler-Page



GWTrustee Brian Rogers &
GMCond. Brenda Garrioch



PSP Greg Jones—M.C.



Brothers & Sisters
enjoying themselves.



Dog Chain Club Inductees
Cindy & Jamie Thomas



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2016 Eagle Service Award Winners



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