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"People
Helping
People"



COMING EVENTS

Intl. Nite Mar 6 Castle Rock, WA
HandsXborder Mar 7 Chehalis, WA
Eastern District Apr 3-5 The Dalles
NW District Apr 17-19 N Portland
SW District Apr 24-26 Toledo
FunVention May 1-3 Cornelius
SWP Homecoming May 22 Coquille
SMP Homecoming May 23 Coos Bay
State Convention Jun 25-28 Medford

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STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - **John Kindgren**



Brothers –

Well did your football team make it to the big game? Are you going to have a Super Bowl party? If you are, why not do a fundraiser for one of the many charities we support? Remember we are “People Helping People” and it’s always a good time to give.

I will be at the Coos Bay Aerie #538 for the Super Bowl game on February 2nd. I understand the Aerie is raffling off a recliner with the proceeds going to Life Flight. A big thank you to all and don’t sell all of the tickets before I get there because I need a new recliner!!

On the 15th of February, I will be in Albany to help them celebrate their birthday.

Here are a few events coming up – Hands Across the Border, March 6th & 7th. Also, in April we will be having spring District meetings. Start thinking about what chair you might want to hold for next year. Well that’s all for now. In closing, please remember our sick, our elders and always those serving our Country and their families.

John Kindgren, Sr.
State Worthy President

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STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - Cheryl Davis

Sisters,

Happy Valentine's Day to all!
Enjoy it with the ones you love.

Travels are slowing down for the Project Team and I due to the winter weather. We have no visits scheduled in February, but we will be back at it in March when, hopefully, Oregon warms up.

Don't forget that our District meetings will be held in April. We also will be having State Convention in June in Medford. I hope the Auxiliaries are working to be able to send delegates to Convention. You will always have a great time and make new friends.

And remember thru this WET winter, if the day gives you rain, put on cute boots and jump in the puddles.

Cheryl Davis
State Madam President



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MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS

Dear Brothers,

Congratulations to Portland 4, Pendleton, Tillamook, The Dalles, and Newport, you have reached Net again!! And Toledo, Prineville, Woodburn, Mill City, and Rainier, you are all really close to going over the Net again mark. Thank you!

Our Eagle year is moving along and it won't be long before we'll be meeting in Medford for the State convention. Please remember that we will be presenting Membership Awards at that time. Any Brother who has signed up 5 members or more will be receiving an award. Please be sure to come to Medford so we can express our appreciation to you for a job well done.

Fraternally,
Greg O. Jones
Membership Chairman



Greg Jones
Aerie
2019-20

Greetings...

Hoping this message finds each reader having a wonderful New Year! It's already time for another holiday.... Valentine's Day! Do you have a Secret Sister or a friend that has been wanting to join your Auxiliary or re-enroll? A great gift idea for them would be to pay their membership dues for a year! Remember it's the LOVE month.... give somebody a hug, open the door for someone, or send out a Valentine's Day card to the home-bound member.

It's also a good month for the "mirror test". Is your Auxiliary an inviting place to be? If it isn't, what can be done to change it? The more comfortable people feel in your Auxiliary, the more they will likely join. Make sure you and your Auxiliary Sisters can easily explain to applicants what makes YOUR Auxiliary the place they want to join! Tell your story. Why you love being an Eagle member.

District Meetings are coming up soon! Please start your plans to attend! They are full of good information for YOU and your Auxiliary. Share a room, gas money with another Sister and stay the weekend. Always good food, good company and knowledge for all!

Tell your story... inspire someone with your love of the Eagles.... Questions about membership.... call me! Message me! Facebook me! Instagram me! Call the Grand FOE.... look on our State FOE website. Look on the FOE.com (Grand Aerie website) Good information is out there! ATTEND YOUR LOCAL AUXILIARY MEETINGS...ASK YOUR OFFICERS OR SECRETARY! Hope to see you all soon...

Penne' Wagner, OR Auxiliary
Membership Chairman



Penne' Wagner
Auxiliary
2019-20

FOE's "Those That Have Served"



The F.O.E. Gives Back to Service Members with our "Those Who Serve Program."

The Fraternal Order of Eagles stands strong behind the men and women who serve and protect us. To show our gratitude, we've created the "Those Who Serve program", offering one (1) complimentary year of membership to active and retired Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, Emergency Medical Technicians, Correctional Officers, Active Military including National Guard and Reserves, Volunteer Firefighters and EMTs and Honorably Discharged/Retired/Inactive Military.

- * Your membership provides access to the countless benefits of being an Eagle.
- * Protection for your family through the F.O.E. Memorial Foundation.
- * Access to our exclusive library of discounts on hotels, rental cars, insurance, vacations, cruises, prescription medications and more through our affinity partners.
- * Admission to our 1,500 locations across the United States and Canada.
- * Ability to participate in various Eagles programs and events throughout the year including our annual International Convention.
- * Home delivery of Soar, our full-color, bi-annual publication that provides updates and information on Eagles activities.

Page 5 Learn more about our 'Those Who Serve Program' at FOE.com.

Things Happening in the World of Oregon Eagles

BLOOMER GIRLS UNITE!!

I would like to have a Bloomer Girl meeting and practice, March 21st Noon to 3:00 pm-ish at the Albany Eagles #2255. We need to work on some new moves for state and grand.

Please let me know if you can come. 503-871-1165 or
jenny.wood@oregonvma.org

Thanks,
Jenny Wood

OR STATE PAST PRESIDENT'S DUES AND MEETING!!

May 1, 2, & 3rd is FunVention in Cornelius and that means dues are due. Please send any Past President's dues to Jenny Wood, Secretary; 1880 Lancaster Dr. NE, Ste 118; Salem, OR 97305. You can also pay them at the district meetings as I will be there too!

See you soon!"
Jenny Wood

REPORTS NEEDED FOR AUX HEART FUND CHAIRMAN

Sisters,

Please send me your information on what, when and how your raised money for the heart fund. I have not received any information to be able to send to Grand Aerie. So far there has not been anything reported from the PNW and I am sure that some of you have done something. You can either send me your information by snail mail.

Marna Newby, 2801 SW Houtama Rd. #30, Pendleton Oregon 97801
E-mail: bigtufftruck117@gmail.com

Thank you in advance,
Marna, PNWR Heart Chairman

All it takes is a simple apology like,
'Hey, I messed up, let's fix this and drop it.'
But people are stuck in their childish ways
And would rather hold grudges for the rest
of their lives than own up to the fact that..

They hurt somebody.

Anonymous

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NEW ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBERS:

Gary and Tam have moved to La Pine Oregon.
Their email addresses have changed so they won't see
email on their account very much longer.

For records: New email is: glandis2007@gmail.com

Telephone is the same

New address: 15314 Ponderosa Loop La Pine OR 97739

Gary Landis, 503-805-6226

Tim & Sue Cant have moved. New address is: 140336 W.
North River Rd., Prosser, WA 99350.

David & Diane Eberhardt
20140 NE Sandy Blvd., Unit 2
Fairview, OR 97024

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