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LABOR DAY 2021

**Mid-Winter will be in Coos Bay,
November 5-7, 2021**

COMING EVENTS

Sep 10-12	Eastern District	Albany
Sep 17-19	NW District	Cornelius
Sep 24-26	SW District	Coquille
Oct 15-17	PNWRC	Ketchikan, AK
Nov 5-7	Mid-Winter	Coos Bay

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STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - **Jeff Wilson**



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Hello Eagle family,

I just finished escorting our GWP Brian Rogers and his wife Colleen around our state and to three scheduled visitations. I'm so proud of all of you who came to one or more of the visits. The Rogers said they felt very welcomed and were impressed with the hospitality they received from around our state.

Now that Grand Convention is behind us and summer is fading, it's time to start looking ahead to our Fall Districts and Mid-Winter. I will also be starting my visitations in October, so please watch for the letters I'll be sending out regarding possible visitation dates at your Aerie. If you have a specific date already in mind, please contact me asap, as the schedule is already filling up.

Just an FYI; I'm far from retired, so if you need to reach me, please call between 4:00 PM and 8:00 PM, Monday through Friday, on the weekends, noon to 5:00 PM or just send a text message and I'll get back to you as soon as I can... thank you in advance.

I'll see you where Eagles soar,
SWP Jeff



STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - Schawna Sachs

Sisters,

National Convention was a wonderful experience. It was an honor to carry the Oregon State flag at opening session.

District meetings will be starting in September.

Sept 10,11,12 Albany-
Eastern

Sept 17,18,19 Cornelius-
Northwest

Sept 24,25,26 Coquille-
Southwest

I look forward to seeing
you all.

My first visitation will be
in The Dalles on October 2nd. I
look forward to seeing you.

State Madam President
Schawna



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Hello Brothers,
Hope everyone is still safe and healthy, because Covid has raised its ugly head again.

We are doing great at reducing our NET LOSS number from the start of the year. We all need to keep up the good work.

FYI: During the Fall District meetings, I will be giving out awards to those whom have met their numbers. If you have earned a hat, they are on backorder. Hopefully, I'll have them in time for Mid-Winter. Shirts I'm hoping makes it by Districts. The numbers are still high, but I know we all will keep working hard to get Oregon as one of the net gain states. Great job, keep up the good work

WE CAN DO THIS Brothers.

Just remember the goal is **NET GAIN** for all Aeries. Anyone with events or ideas that work for them, pass it on, maybe it will work for others also.

NET GAIN, NET GAIN, NET GAIN

If I can help in any way, give me a call.

Johnny Jones
Oregon Membership Chairman



Johnny Jones
Aerie
2021-22

Hello Brother and Sisters,
To say that this year has sucked, for a change, so far has not been a lie.

Between the daily visits to radiation so Michael can find me... (I glow in the dark) and Thursdays a visit to the chemo doctor that makes sure Schawna and Penny can find me by following the trail of not pleasant stuff.

Also, right now I want to get my computer to come alive. I think I am going to have to see if Anthony can help. I will promise him all kinds of favors. I hope Susie is up for it.

As you all know by now, I am kidding with all of you. I do hope to find someone who can get me up and going.

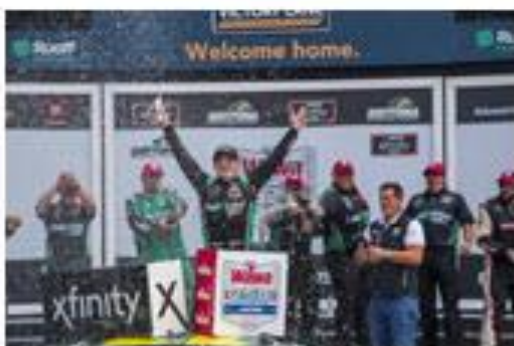
In for the long haul...

State Membership Chairman
Marna



Marna Newby
Auxiliary
2021-22

Justin Haley Wins the Daytona Xfinity Race!



AND, he placed 6th in the Cup Race!!!

This is an update on the State Worthy Presidents project from last year.

Vietnam War Memorial

Senate Bill 319 establishes a Vietnam War Memorial on the Oregon State Capitol Grounds. The Governor signed the bill into law on July 14, 2021. It has been assigned to Chapter 485 of the 2021 Laws. Mission accomplished! The southwest corner of Willson Park at the Capitol is now set aside for a Vietnam War Memorial. The major permissions are now in place for our project!

House Bill 5006 appropriates monies to the Emergency Board from the General Fund for allocations during the 2021 biennium. Section 84, Item 20 allocates \$400,000 to the Vietnam War Memorial Fund for the Vietnam War Memorial on the Oregon State Capitol Grounds. HB5006 was signed by the Governor on August 6th and the Secretary of State assigned it to Chapter 669 of the 2021 Laws. This law became effective August 6, 2021.

With this allocation, our total pledges and contributions to date exceed \$620,000. This is almost 18% of our current 3.5-million-dollar goal.

VWMF signs contract with University of Oregon for the Archaeological Survey of Vietnam War Memorial site

The VWMF executed a contract with the University of Oregon for the archaeological survey of the memorial site. The survey will be conducted by U of O's Museum of Natural and Cultural History and State Museum of Anthropology personnel. The permit application process for the survey is now underway with the State Historic Preservation Office.

If you know of a foundation who may contribute to this project, please contact us and let us know who we should contact.

Please keep VWMF in mind for your personal tax-deductible donations.

You can donate by credit card on our website at: <http://vietnamwamemorialfund.org/>

Or you can mail a check to: Vietnam War Memorial Fund
P O Box 1448
Boring, Oregon 97009

Steve Wiley
Jr Past State President

Corrections to the Rosterbook 2020-21

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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 15th day of each month. If the 15th 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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