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## Our New State Presidents!

**SWP RaAnne Green**

**SMP Peggy Aeh**

### COMING EVENTS

7/31-8/5	Intl Conv	Columbus, OH
Sep 9-11	Eastern District	Prineville
Sep 16-18	NW District	Woodburn
Sep 23-25	SW District	Medford
Oct 14-16	PNWRC	Spokane Vly WA
Nov 4-5	Mid-Winter	Coquille

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## STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - RaAnne Green



### Aerie State Officers

**Jeff Wilson**– The Dalles  
JrPast Worthy President

**RaAnne Green**– N. Lincoln  
Worthy President

**Glenda Creekmore**–  
Woodburn  
Worthy Vice President

**Johnny Jones**– The Dalles  
Worthy Chaplain

**Mikey Ward**– Rainier  
Secretary

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**Dan Winnings**–Albany  
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**Mike Smith**– Newport  
Inside Guard

**Richard Duckworth**–  
Greater North Portland  
Outside Guard

**Dave Randleman**– N Lincoln  
Trustee

**Mike Ferguson**– The Dalles  
Trustee

**Dan Reeves**– Medford  
Trustee

Hello Brothers,

Well, another year is in the books. I would like to shout out a BIG CONGRATULATIONS to PSWP Jeff and PSMP Schawna on a wonderful and very successful year they had.

What a great State Convention we had! Thank you, Pendleton, for a job very well done. Thank you to all the volunteers, for all the hard work it takes to pull this off AND deal with all of us for almost a week.

Thank you to all of my Brothers and Sisters for the undying support you have given me to get here, and I hope that I make you proud to keep that support going.

My project for this year is *Vets Helping Vets HQ*. It is an amazing (non-profit) group of people that go above and beyond helping veterans and their families in need, including, at times, using their own money. I will definitely be telling you more during my visitations. I am quite proud to have this as my charity and excited to share it with you.

I am looking forward to traveling to the state meetings and visiting with as many of you as I can. My schedule will be coming out very soon.

I have done something new this year, I have added a mascot to my team. His name is 'Ari', which in English means 'eagle'. He is quite the patriotic, fun loving, mischievous, happy little gnome, who will be traveling with me all year and having his own crazy adventures as well. So, stay tuned....

I wish nothing but fun, love and great success to my awesome running mate SMP Peggy Aeh. I know you will have a great year! Please, as well, show her your amazing support.

Remember to **Believe**....

Believe in yourself, in us, and in the FOE!

Fraternally,

RaAnne Green



## STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - Peggy Aeh

Hello Brothers & Sisters

This is my first letter as your new State Madam President. I am looking forward to a fantastic year, working with all the State Officers, and the Aerie. I know that State Worthy President RaAnne and I will work well together.

I am looking forward to my visitations, visiting all of our wonderful Auxiliaries. My project Chairman, Shirley Currey will be on vacation until sometime in August, so my visitations will not start until September. I will be sending a letter to see if you have special dates you would like me to attend.

My project this year is "**Go Baby Go**". A wonderful organization that helps little kids with mobility problems.

My Membership Chairman, Sandy Myhrvold, will be working hard with all of you to expand your Membership.

Remember:

"BUTTERFLIES ARE LIKE WOMEN, THEY MAY LOOK PRETTY AND DELICATE, BUT THEY CAN FLY THROUGH HURRICANES. "

State Madam President  
Peggy Aeh



### Auxiliary State Officers

Schawna Sachs- The Dalles  
JrPast Madam President

Peggy Aeh- Cornelius  
Madam President

Karen Sanders- Rainier  
Madam Vice President

Candy Wilson- The Dalles  
Madam Chaplain

Sue Calderwood- Portland 4  
Madam Secretary

RayNora Piatt- Grants Pass  
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Denise Kirkman- N. Portland  
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Madam Outside Guard

Miranda Bond- Pendleton  
Trustee

Sandy Myhrvold-Cornelius  
Trustee

Alaina Jones-N. Lincoln  
Trustee



# MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS

Hello Brothers,  
Hope this finds everyone safe, healthy, and comfortable with the heatwave (outside in it or inside out of it, your choice, whatever is good for you.)



**Johnny Jones**  
Aerie  
2022-23

We had a great membership year finishing at +4.0% for the State. Excellent job everyone! I was thrilled to see that we as Eagles spread our wings to reach beyond the goal set last year at this time. This is a new year, not sure of date, but Grand Aerie will be dropping Brothers for non-payment of dues. So, any Brothers that you know of that has not renewed their dues, give them a shout out.

We need to work on keeping new members from last year and continue to add more. You can try things like asking a group of brothers to do a mass calling to those that are close to being dropped. Because unfortunately, we lose some brothers. We need to work at keeping that number low.

Open Houses to get new members, something for the whole family; games, food, music. We do not need to lose so many members each year, we must retain our brothers, we are Oregon Eagles.

Together we can spread our Wings, and make our numbers GROW. Just remember the goal is NET GAIN!

Anyone with events or ideas that work for them, pass it on, it may work for others also.

SIMPLE and PLAIN... NET GAIN+  
NET GAIN+

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

Johnny Jones  
Oregon Aerie Membership Chairman

Hi.

My name is Sandy Myhrvold and State Madam Peggy has asked me to be her



**Sandy Myhrvold**  
Auxiliary  
2022-23

Membership Chairman for 2022-2023.

I will be traveling with our President Peggy as she makes her visitations. I will be keeping each Auxiliary informed of their membership numbers. We have several cool prizes for those of you that bring in new or re-enrolled members.

The Aerie made their quota this last year, so I am striving for the Auxiliary to make quota plus 2% this year. If we work hard, we can do it. So, let's get started bringing in new members now and all year long.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call 503-359-4737.

Thank you,  
Sandy Myhrvold  
Membership Chairman



## Volunteer TOTALS FOR 2021-2022

<b>GREATER N. PORTLAND #3426</b>	<b>\$2,151.03</b>
<b>GRANTS PASS #2146</b>	<b>\$5,244.76</b>
<b>THE DALLES #2126</b>	<b>\$9,766.48</b>
<b>HOOD RIVER #2150</b>	<b>\$34,448.74</b>
<b>SALEM (KIEZER) #2081</b>	<b>\$38,752.59</b>
<b>ALBANY #2255</b>	<b>\$42,877.84</b>
<b>PENDLETON #28</b>	<b>\$46,952.17</b>
<b>BAKER CITY #3456</b>	<b>\$52,747.96</b>
<b>MEDFORD #2093</b>	<b>\$55,823.28</b>
<b>COQUILLE #2196</b>	<b>\$78,215.61</b>
<b>MILL CITY #3384</b>	<b>\$79,722.34</b>
<b>RAINIER #4022</b>	<b>\$84,259.64</b>
<b>NEWPORT #2817</b>	<b>\$95,519.76</b>
<b>TILLAMOOK #2144</b>	<b>\$101,108.72</b>
<b>CORNELIUS #4177</b>	<b>\$130,294.76</b>
<b>PORTLAND #4</b>	<b>\$150,816.51</b>
<b>SUTHERLIN #3508</b>	<b>\$158,268.74</b>
<b>WOODBURN # 3284</b>	<b>\$159,547.76</b>
<b>NORTH LINCOLN #2576</b>	<b>\$236,926.71</b>
<b><u>PRINEVILLE #2555</u></b>	<b><u>\$365,161.32</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,928,606.73</b>

These numbers are what is reported to us from these Aeries and Auxiliaries that include miles, hours, and monies collected!

## *Volunteerism at its Best!*



Brothers and Sisters;

We thank everyone for attending our NW District meeting and for attending FunVention this last year. We are on the mend and have had our first charity presentation to Care Partners Hospice. Our Aerie came up with \$2500 and the Auxiliary beat that with \$5000.

Past Worthy President Steve Nodland

## *Attention Secretaries*

Check and see if you have all the officers and committee people in your MMS!!! This info will be needed for the Roster books! Also look in MMS ADMIN, then CLUB ADDRESS INFO (it also has meeting date/time), and update if needed. Thank you.





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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 without 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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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 20th day of each month. If the 20th 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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the previous  
month!**

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