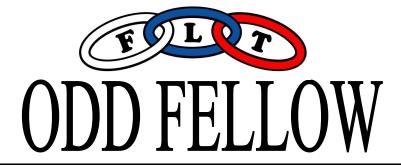
# OREGON PACIFIC



#### December 2014

Volume 121

No. 12

#### ~ Coming Events ~

Dec. 6.....Holgate Board Meeting..11 am ..Friendship Health Center

Dec. 25....Merry Christmas!

Jan. 2015.. Thomas Wildey Month

Jan. 1.....Happy New Year!

Jan. 31.....Annual Reports Due



Have a holly, jolly Christmas; It's the best time of the year. I don't know if there'll be snow but have a cup of cheer. Have a holly, jolly Christmas and when you walk down the street, say hello to friends you know and everyone

you meet.  $\sim$  Johnny Marks

## Heart of the Valley Encampment Works to Fund a Scholarship



Heart of the Valley (HOTV) Encampment, (Corvallis) chartered last Fall, is cutting and selling firewood to fund a \$500 scholarship for a local student. Four Encampment members (Brad Probst, Gene Russell, Bonnie Tomski and Daniel Lykins) aided by two Barnum Lodge members (John Criscitiello and Ed Epley) recently cut, hauled and stacked two cords of wood from a member's farm. One cord has already been sold. HOTV Encampment is committed to being active in, and contributing to, our community.

## Barbara Bennett Celebrates 70 Years as a Rebekah

Barbara Bennett will celebrate her 70th year as a Rebekah on December 5th, having joined in 1944. She belongs to Etna Rebekah Lodge No. 49 in Grants Pass. She also belongs to Golden Rule Odd Fellow Lodge No. 78





#### **Grand Master Ron Kunze**

I can't believe it's December as time sure seems to be flying by at a rapid pace. I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving with lots of our traditional foods and events. As we move into the Christmas season I would like to wish you all a



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Please help aid and assist all of those you know who are in sickness and distress.

I would like to congratulate the Noble Grand of Springfield Lodge, Brenda West who announced the arrival of her newest granddaughter (Sylvia) who weighed in at 6lbs and 2 ounces and 20 inches tall. Brenda is one happy grandmother and we are all excited for her.

The degree team never made it to Eureka Lodge in Pendleton as it was cancelled due to large amounts of snow and ice. We will be rescheduling this conferral for a better weekend. If any member would like to assist the degree team please let us know. We are always looking for new members to help us. I fear too many Lodges have forgotten how to confer the degrees. When we come to assist your Lodge I would ask that all of you 3rd degree members take up a part. Remember only 3rd degree members can hold office.

The Grand Marshal, Grand Secretary and I continued to the Wimawala Encampment for their 140th year celebration that was held at the Spencer Butte Lodge in Eugene. It was there that I met the Mayor of Eugene, The Honorable Mayor Kitty Piercy who gave a wonderful speech as she had knowledge of the history of Odd Fellowship and the Encampment and commented on the contributions the lodges had made throughout history in not only Eugene but all over the world. We spoke for about fifteen minutes and we seemed to have a lot in common. One thing we both agreed upon was that sometimes when we make decisions there will be those who agree and those who don't agree. This is where we try to find a common solution that all can live with. Thank You Kitty for the kind words you spoke of our Fraternity.

I then continued lodge visitations starting with Bandon Lodge where Grand Marshal Lloyd Fries and I had a wonderful dinner at a local restaurant and afterwards a lodge meeting where I was presented with a gift of my emblem the Eagle. This was a beautifully quilted 3 foot

by 4 foot display with the eagle quilted in the middle. I thank them very much for such a beautiful gift. From there I made my official visit to Lebanon Lodge where we had another fine meal at a restaurant and a well conducted meeting following. From there I made an official visit to Sheridan Lodge where we had the privilege of listening to Emily Addams who was one of the Delegates to go on the UN Trip. She told an awesome story of the trip and I am always thrilled to hear them. From there we visited Estacada Lodge. We had a wonderful potluck dinner and a meeting afterwards. My next visitation was to Spencer Butte Lodge in Eugene where we had fine dinner with the theme of Thanksgiving followed by their meeting. From there my next official visitation was to the Mill City Lodge with a great dinner and meeting. This lodge is in need of our Statewide Degree Team as they have new candidates, so after the New Year we will put them on the schedule and get the degree team to them. Last but not least I made a visitation to Philitarian Lodge in Roseburg, where we had a wonderful lunch and meeting. I was presented with a couple of gifts. One was a large mug glass with the three links of our fraternity engraved into it and the other was tote bag with the three links also. Thank You for the gifts and all of the contributions to my projects some of you have so generously given.

We need new members and I can see this as I travel but there is one thing I have noticed. The members who join just for the ATV park I have not seen much in Lodge. Brothers and Sisters remember we have a responsibility to ensure our future. If we are initiating those for a single sole purpose and still running low quorums at our meetings then we must ask ourselves if these are the kind of members we really need. Don't get me wrong, most of those are good people but I would still like to see them in Lodge from time to time. I know not everyone can make it all the time but it would be nice to see you once and a while. Remember quality not quantity.

Please remember,

Only we can be the stewards of our time and hope our actions makes it better for those who follow. Today we decide for tomorrow so we must remain diligent.

Ronald Kunze Grand Master



## **Assembly President** *Shirley Mathews*

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

As the holiday season approaches, may your home be filled with lots of love, laughter and yummy smells!!

Best wishes for a wonderful holiday and a very happy new year.



The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched; they must be felt with the heart.

In Friendship, Love and Truth
Shirley, President
503-522-9407 Happygolucky41@hotmail.com

## **President's Itinerary**

Dec. 1......Lorane No. 252.. Dinner 6 pm...Confirmed

Dec. 4.....Leone No. 84.. Dinner 6 pm.. Confirmed

Dec. 11.....Rose City No. 170

Dec. 18......Vespertine No. 74..Dinner 6pm..Confirmed

#### **Grand Master's Itinerary**

Dec. 11.....Chemeketa No. 1.. Salem..7:30 pm..*Confirmed*Feb. 12.....Freewater No. 202..Milton-Freewater..3 pm.. *Confirmed* 

CHRISTMAS	PRANCER	<b>JESUS</b>
NOEL	DOLL	CARROLING
EGGNOG	REINDEER	PRESENTS
HAPPY NEW YEAR	SNOW	TOY
PEACE ON EARTH	TOYS	MISTLETOE
INN	SLEIGH	REJOICE
PARTY	WASSAIL	AWE
JOY	NOEL	RED
BELLS	HOLLY	MASS
STAR	PIE	GIFT
SANTA CLAUS		

Samaritans 5th Wednesday
December 31st, New Year's Eve
It's a Taco Bar!
We will supply the meat and shells,
You supply the sides.
Tomatos, lettuce, cheese, sour cream,

chips, salsa and of course beans!



Let's send the old year out with a bang.

We will have a free-will offering jar that will go to help support our Brothers and Sisters in need.

I take life with a grain of salt...
a slice of lime and a shot of tequila ~ Unknown

#### **CHRISTMAS WORD SEARCH**

Р	S	S	Α	M	T	S	I	R	Н	С	R
R	Ε	J	0	ı	С	Ε	Ε	Α	Н	Α	J
E	S	Α	R	E	Ε	D	N	ı	Ε	R	E
s	U	R	С	W	L	J	0	Y	Н	R	S
E	Α	E	Α	E	Ε	R	W	L	0	0	U
N	L	С	G	Т	0	Ε	В	Ε	L	L	s
Т	С	N	E	0	N	N	0	Ε	L	I	s
s	Α	Α	ı	Y	N	S	E	Т	Y	N	L
N	Т	R	Р	s	I	G	Т	Α	F	G	E
О	N	Р	Α	R	Т	Y	G	Α	R	I	ı
							_	_		_	_
W	Α	S	S	Α	ı	L	O	E	R	ı	G

#### Grand Patriarch Allan Jackson

Greetings Patriarchs,

I enjoyed the week end in Eugene, with the Pacific North West Department Council on Friday and then Northwest Odd Fellow Rebekah Association on Saturday and Sunday. The next Northwest Meeting will be hosted by



Idaho, but it will be in Ontario, Oregon. I would invite everyone to make plans to attend April 10,11,12, 2015.

I hope you all had a special Thanksgiving Day. We as Odd Fellows have lots to be thankful for as members of our great Order.

On Veteran's Day, I attended the Albany Veteran's Day Parade. It's one of the largest parades in the nation with over 200 entries on a very cool and clear day.

I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

It is still "Time To Ask" someone to join our Order so that all of the units can grow and increase membership. Thank you all for doing so.

In Faith, Hope and Charity, Allan Jackson, Grand Patriarch



May love and light fill your home and heart at Hanukkah. ~ Author unknown

## **Welcome New Members**

Beulah Rebekah Lodge No. 35
Debra Scott



Bandon Odd Fellow Lodge No. 133

**Dwight Comer** 

Mel Garrett Richard Gunther
Connie Thrush Dorothy Mick

Peninsula Odd Fellow Lodge No. 128

Daniel Bowers Craig Lewallen

Christmas Greetings
from the
Grand Lodge,
Rebekah Assembly
and the OPOF Editors
We wish you a
Alerry Christmas
and a Successful
Happy Rew Pear!



Editors Estella, Robert & Jopce

The Grand Lodge Office will be closed December 24th-26th and December 31st-January 1st

#### **Grand Secretary's Corner**

#### Patricia Olson Fries

I hope everyone had a wonderful and filling Thanksgiving. And for those black Friday enthusiasts I hope you got lots of good buys.

A lot of lodges take the time in December to have a Christmas party and they remember their shut ins. It is also a time to remember those who don't have



families and a time to share of ourselves to help others. What a wonderful way to celebrate what is right with the World by sharing with those less fortunate than ourselves.

December has our lodges nominating next year's officers. Choose wisely and make sure they are a third degree member and they have held two prior offices. Your desk officers will also be getting their books ready to complete the annual report that will need to be completed and sent back to the Grand Lodge office by January 31.

My wish is for everyone to have a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Fraternally
Patty Fries



#### **NUMBERS TO POST**

Grand Lodge Secretary	(503) 236-9300
Cell	(503) 435-8396
E-mail	orgrandsecretary@comcast.net
S Fax (only)	(503) 236-2629
Website	http://www.oregonioof.org
Grand Master	Ron@CascadeGutterservice.com
Phone	(503) 319-5159
Rebekah Assembly Secretar	yOffice (503) 477-4198
Home	(541) 942-9341
E-mail	lemahoule@yahoo.com
Oregon Pacific Odd Fellow.	mkwalter23@comcast.net
Jesse Jones Campground	(541) 997-7546
E-mail	oddfellowspark-j@live.com
Rocky Point Resort	(541) 356-2287
E-mail	rockypointresort@hotmail.com

## From the Desk of the Assembly Secretary Mary Houle'

Seasons greetings to all my sisters and brothers.

The holidays are here and I wish all of you the very best. During this incredibly busy season remember to take time to relax and enjoy your family and friends. Keep in mind that we have brothers and sisters who may not have family close by



and you could be the one to help them have a happier holiday season.

You will be receiving your annual report forms this month and there are no major changes this year. Please give me a call if you have any questions or problems with completing your report.

I would like to remind all the lodges that when you are giving a donation to the President's projects that you must give this donation in the form of a check. The check should be made out to the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon IOOF and mailed to the Assembly Secretary. It is not appropriate to give the President cash for her projects, this practice could cause problems for our President.

Again happy holidays to each of you, Mary Houle', Secretary Rebekah Assembly

## **Educational Seminar Committee Update**

Your Educational Seminar Committee has been very busy working for the betterment of the Order since The Grand Lodge Sessions.

Each of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodges should have received a letter letting you know of the changes for this committee.

We are looking forward to visiting and working with your Lodge.

The Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodges for 2015 have been chosen and letters will be arriving shortly.

Your Educational Seminar Committee Liz Adams, Chairman

## Annual Halloween Carnival at Peninsula Lodge Hall



The Portland Aikido Club meets in Peninsula Lodge Hall. They sponsored their third annual Halloween Carnival for neighborhood children and their families. Many of the Aikido Club students are members of Peninsula

Lodge No. 128. The club Sensei (teacher) is David Scheer. David is currently Noble Grand at Peninsula Lodge.

Approximately one hundred people attended. Everyone had a great time. Proceeds from the event help supply scholarships to low income neighborhood children.



Joan Scheer

#### Lorane Rebekah Lodge No. 252

The Rebekah members hosted a Celebration of Life and potluck dinner at the hall for a local resident who passed in October. Lots of people attended and food was plentiful.

December 15th will be a social night meeting to make and decorate cookies for our annual Christmas bake sale, which will be held on the 18th from 11 am-4 pm at the hall. A nice variety of baked goods and candy will be available.

Eugene Lodge No. 55 and Spencer Butte No. 9 visited our lodge as a body and presented cards and donations. They outnumbered our lodge count. It was a very nice surprise. A potluck followed.

Our foundation contractor is moving along nicely in spite of the weather. We want to express our deep appreciation and thanks for your thoughtful and generous donations to our cause.

Merry Christmas Everyone!

#### Wimawhala 140 Years!

What a legacy! 140 years for Wimawhala Encampment No. 6 and years of community service for both Eugene and Springfield as well as for their members.

October 11th proved to be a wonderful day. The weather had sunny outbursts, no rain and a comfortable temperature. Decorations were purple and gold tissue paper, the food was fabulous and the individuals present were happy and talkative.

The Master of Ceremonies, Dan and Shirley Mathews were excellent at keeping the crowd interested showing a slide show of individuals who were members of the Encampment and the years of changes that have come into place. The Mayor of Eugene brought greetings from the city. Ron Kunze, Grand Master introduced the special guests. Joan Compton did the entertainment and was able to keep everyone's feet tapping. Allan and Susan Jackson gave the prayers for the day. Patty and Lloyd Fries greeted all the guests as they entered the Lodge hall.

Present members of the Encampment kept the food trays filled and seated the crowd as they came into the room.

What a wonderful time with congratulations in order!!

It is Christmas in the heart that puts
Christmas in the air .~ W.T. Ellis

## Three New Oregon Odd Fellows



*Left to Right:* Daniel Bowers and Craig Lewallen Peninsula No. 128 and Robert Miller Samaritan No. 2.

## Oregon Odd Fellow / Rebekah lodge cards

#### **Odd Fellow Lodge Cards**

Chemeketa No 1, 1492 Brush College Road, NE, Salem, OR 97304, meets 2nd & 4th Thurs at 7:30 pm except July and August. NG Shawn Sullivan, 5644 Salinas Ct. S, Salem, OR 97306. Ph 503-763-1763 email: smlsullivan@q.com. Sec Trey Anderson, 2150 Stonehedge Dr, NE, Keizer, OR 97303. Ph (503) 304-0034. email: sandtrey@yahoo.com Lodge Ph 503 363-6716.

Samaritan No 2, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR 97222 , meets 2nd  $\&\,4\text{th}$  Wed at 7:00 pm NG Christine Hebert, 11760 SE Yamhill Ave, Portland, OR 97216. Ph 503-307-3872. Sec Eugene Voyton, 8832 N Syracuse St Apt 911, Portland, OR 97203. Ph 503-839-6580. Send mail to lodge address

Oregon No 3, Pioneer Community Center, 615 5th Street, Oregon City, OR 97045, meets 2nd Wednesday at 7:00 pm, except July & August. NG Dwain Colton, PO Box 2950, Clackamas, OR 97015. Sec Dan Foy, 19351 Vincent Dr, Oregon City, OR 97045. Ph 503-650-9081

Albany No 4, 738 5th Avenue SE, Albany, OR 97321, meets 1st & 3rd Wed at 7:30 pm, each month. NG Bill Hawes, 32264 Tangent Drive, Tangent, OR 97389. Ph 541-926-5970. Sec Joyce Lynn, 2618 Geary St SE, Albany, OR 97322-5507 Ph 541-928-7290 email bojolynn@gmail.com

Columbia No 5, 421 1/2 Second Street, The Dalles, OR 97058, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 8 pm, Sec Gary Clark, c/o IOOF Cemetery 1100 West 18th Street, The Dalles, OR Ph 541-296-2739. Lodge Ph 541296-3114

Barnum No 7, 223 SW 2nd, Corvallis, OR 97333, meets 1st & 3rd Tues at 7 pm, year round. NG William (Bill) Koch, 720 NW 34th St, Corvallis, OR 97330. Ph 541-757-2910. Charmain@peak.org. Sec Marie Martin, 1234 NW Hillcrest Dr, Corvallis, OR 97330. Ph 541-740-8018. martinmz468@gmail.com Send mail to Lodge Hall. Website: barnumlodge@gmail.com.

Philetarian No 8, 715 SE Cass Avenue, Roseburg, OR 97470, meets 2nd Thurs at 2:00 pm except July & August. NG Colleen Suiter, PO Box 547, Winston, OR 97496. Ph 541-679-9902. Sec LaVon Thiems, 746 Elgarose Road, Roseburg, OR 97471. Ph 541-677-0102.

Spencer Butte No 9, 1233 Charnelton St, Eugene, OR 97401, meets 2nd & 4th Tues at 7:30 pm NG Ed Morris, 3130 U Street, Springfield, OR 97477. Ph 541-747-9892. Sec Robert Lydon, PO Box 1404, Veneta, OR 97487. Ph 541-520-9300. email bobl@bottemline.net

Jacksonville No 10, 175 Oregon Street, Jacsonville, OR 97530, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7 pm Sec Sheryl Rohde, PO Box 883, Jacksonville, OR 97530 Ph 541-899-

Covenant No 12, 190 Smith Street, Harrisburg, OR, 1st Thursday, 7:00 pm except July & August. NG James McClure, 585 LaSalle Street, Harrisburg, OR 97446. Ph 541-913-0089. email jhmcclure007@gmail.com. Sec Jaimi McClure, PO Box 68, Harrisburg, OR 97446. Ph 541-554-9047. email jaimi792000@yahoo.com.

Douglas No 14, 5th & Pine Streets, Canyonville, OR 97417, 2nd & 4th Monday at 7 pm Except July & August. Sec Jack Picket, 371 Canyon Park Road, Canyonville, OR 97417. Phone 541-944-9416.

Eureka No 32, 19 SW Dorion, , Pendleton, OR 97801 Mailing Address PO Box 1234, Meets 1st & 3rd Tues at 7pm, except July & August. NG Gladys Biggerstaff, 26 SE 11th Street, Pendleton OR 97801. Ph 541-377-0068. Sec Vivian L Larsen, 802 NW Bailey Ave, Pendleton, OR 97801. Ph 541-276-4490.

Myrtle Lodge No 38, 221 N Main Street, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 8pm. NG Larry Witt, 171 Dewey Lane, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457. Ph 541-378-8697. Sec Ronald W Witt, PO Box 1806, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457. Ph 541-643-4884.

Lebanon Lodge No 47, 20 E Ash Street, Lebanon, OR 97355, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7pm except July & August. NG Brenda Spence, PO Box 286, Scio, OR 97376. Ph 503-394-2961. Sec Rhoda Davis, 20 E Ash Street, Lebanon, OR 97355. Ph 541-619-3062. Send all mail to Lodge address.

Farmers No 49, First & Main, Summerville, OR, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8 pm. Except July & August. Sec Lynn Haliday, 1514 "V" Ave, LaGrande, OR 97850 Ph 541-963-2357.

Montezuma Lodge No 50, 267 E Main, Hillsboro, OR 97123, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 pm except July & August. mailing Address PO Box 278, Hillsboro, OR 97123. NG Steve Love, Phone 503-647-5105.email: steve.love2@gmail.com. Sec. Gary Hahn, PGM, PO Box 278, Hillsboro, OR 97123. Ph 503-997-0652. E-mail: gary@aracnet.com.

Coquille Lodge No 53, 13 E 1st, Coquille, OR 97423, Mailing Address PO Box 154, Coquille, OR 97423. Meets 1st Tuesday 7:00 pm, 3rd Tuesday at 1:00 pm except July & August. NG Joe Muenzer, PO Box 22, Broadbent, OR 97414. Ph 541-572-3055. Sec Kathy Creason, 94023 Covey Lane, Coquille, OR 97423. Phone 541-396-3665.

Dierdorff Lodge No 54, 38952 S Main St, Scio, OR 97374, meets 4th Friday at 7:00 pm except July & August. NG Tim Dehne, 136213 NW Fillmore Street, Corvallis, OR 97330 Ph 541-829-9848. Sec Margy Rebmann, PO Box 258, Scio, OR 97374. Ph 503-394-

West Point Lodge No 62, 91119 N Willamette St, Coburg, OR 97408 PO Box 8543 meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 6:30 pm NG Wade Kivett, 32400 Herman Road, Coburg, OR 97408 Ph 541-484-6866. Sec George Cook, 2900 Coburg Road, Eugene, OR 97408. Ph 541-343-7013.

Stayton No 64, 122 N 3rd Ave, Stayton, OR 97383, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 8 pm Except July & August. NG Sara Gonzalez Sec Cheryl Adams, PO Box 672, Stayton, OR 97383. Ph 503-762-2223. Lodge email oddfellows64@yahoo.com

Willow No 66, 239 North Main, Heppner, OR 97836, meets 2nd Wednesday at 7:00 pm Except June, July & August. NG Jim Kindle, PO Box 642, Heppner, OR 97836. Phone 541-676-5040. Sec Corey Sweeney, PO Box 991, Heppner, OR 97836 Ph 541-256-0355 email: coreypsweeney@yahoo.com.

Cottage Grove Lodge No 68, 319 E Main Street, Cottage Grove, OR 97424, Mailing Address PO Box 1213, Cottage Grove, OR 97424. meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 7:30 pm. NG Catherine Johnson, PO Box 965, Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Ph 541-942-6947. Email: floatingbearus@Yahoo.com. Sec Teresa Gates, PO Box 1213, Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Ph 541-915-8422. email: Send mail to PO Box 1213, Cottage Grove, OR

Springfield Lodge No 70, 342 Main Street, Springfield, OR 97477, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 8pm. NG Janice Compton, 86639 Lorane Highway, Eugene, OR 97405. Ph 541-338-8205. Sec Teresa Gates, 342 Main Street, Springfield, OR 97477. Ph 541-915-

Harney No 77, 348 N Broadway, Burns, OR 97720, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 8pm Sec Penny Hornbeck, Send mail to: 348 N Broadway, Burns, OR 97720. Ph 541-589-

"Be well, do good work, and keep in touch."

~ Carrison Keillor

Golden Rule Lodge No 78, 101 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7pm except July & August. Encampment meets 1st Wednesday. NG Ken "KC" Carr, 1133 SW Bridge St, Grants Pass, OR 97526. Ph 541-660-7949. Sec Dennis Wilkerson, 101 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526. Ph 541-659-6085..

Sheridan Lodge No 87, PO Box 393, Sheridan, OR 97378, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7pm except July and August. NG Joan Compton, 330 NE 27th Street, McMinnville, OR 97128. Ph 503-472-3941. cell 971-241-0462. email joancompton27@comcast.net. Sec Roger Schaff, PO Box 393, Sheridan, OR 97378. Ph 971-237-2194. 5/6/14

Tillamook Lodge No 94, 3130 Gienger Road, Tillamook, OR 97141, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 6pm except July & August. NG Bret Hurliman PO Box 44, Tillamook, OR 97141. Ph 503-847-3695. email: BHurliman@yahoo.com Sec George Spink, Ph 503-815-8114. Lodge mail PO Box 44, Tillamook, OR 97141. Message ph 503-842-2321. E-mail: IOOF94@lycos.com

Heceta Lodge No 111, 04906 S Jetty Road, Florence, OR 97439 (JTJ Campground), meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 pm, except July & August. Sec Cassandra Green, 04906 S Jetty Rd, Florence, OR 97439. Ph 541-997-7546. Lodge mailing Address: PO Box 1306, Florence, OR 97439. email: Hecetalodge111@yahoo.com 11/1/14

Villa Lodge No 124, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR, 97222 meets 2nd Thursday at 7pm social meeting 4th Thursday (date & time may vary) except July and August. NG Phillip Segura, 15703 SE Hawthorne Ct, Portland, OR 97233. Ph 503-577-1330. Sec Shelly Ayers, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR 97222. lodge email: angel546@yahoo.com. Facebook: Odd Fellows Villa 124 7/29/14

Peninsula Lodge No 128, 4838 North Lombard, PO Box 83930, Portland, OR 97283-0930, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 8pm. NG David Scheer , PO Box 83930, Portland, OR 97283. Ph 503-290-4747. email david@akidoportland.com Sec Merrilea Manning, PO Box 83930, Portland, OR 97283. Ph 503-317-1704. mmanning.family@gmail.comSend mail to Lodge address. e-mail: peninsula.128@gmail.com

Gold Hill Lodge No 129, 483 4th Avenue, PO Box 394, Gold Hill, OR 97525, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7pm NG Greg Walch, PO Box 619, Gold Hill, OR 97525. Sec Viola Reaves, PO Box 394, Gold Hill, OR 97525. Ph 541-855-7682.

Gardiner Lodge No 132, 77249 Hwy 101, Gardiner, OR 97441, meets 2nd Wednesday & 4th Saturday at 7:30 pm NG Sheryll D. Loftin, 04636 Heceta Beach Road, Florence, OR 97439. Ph 541-997-7664. Sec George R. Potter PGM, PO Box 135, Gardiner, 97441. Ph 541-271-2861. Send mail to: Gardiner Odd Fellow Lodge No. 132, PO Box 52, Gardiner, OR 97441 Lodge e-mail: Queen\_SDL@yahoo.com 9/2/14

Bandon Lodge No 133, 88184 Hwy 425, Bandon, OR 97411, meets 2nd Tuesday at 7 pm & 3rd Wednesday at 10 am except July & August. NG Susan Stetter, 51495 Bustling Rd, Bandon, OR 97411. Ph 541-347-9580, email: skstetter@frontier.com. Sec Kim Carroll, 49279 Hwy 101, Bandon, OR 97411 Ph 541-404-3943. email: quiltinkim-mie@gmail.com 9/8/14

Klamath Lodge No 137, 2209 Gary Street, Klamath Falls, OR 97603, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7pm, except July & August. NG Neal Baldwin, 2209 Gary St, Klamath Falls Or 97603. Ph 541-883-6510. Sec Neal Baldwin, 2226 Hope Street, Klamath Falls, OR 97603. Ph 541-883-6510 email: nealbaldwin@charter.net 9/15/14

Mill City Lodge No 144, 158 SW Broadway, Mill City. OR, meets 2nd Wednesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Tony Trout, PO Box 953, Mill City, OR 97360. Ph 503-910-6414. Sec Roxanne Emerson, 129 Louisa Street, Gates, OR 97346. Ph 503-897-3254.

Enterprise Lodge No 153, 105 NE 1st Street, Enterprise, OR, meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 8pm except July & August. Sec Kim Phelps, 68788 Warnock Road, Lostine, OR 97857. Ph 541-569-2310.

Lexington Lodge No 168, Lexington Or, meets 1st & 3rd Thurs at 8pm except July & August. Sec Lyle Peck, 64040 N Lombard Street, Portland, OR 97203. Ph 541-676-9888.

Woodlawn Lodge No 171, 3102 SE Holgate Blvd, Portland, OR 97202, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 11am except July & August. NG Gordon Corda, 3102 SE Holgate Blvd, Box 131, Portland, OR 97202. Ph 541-991-9589. Sec Lisa Corda, 3102 SE Holgate Blvd, Box 131, Portland, OR 97202. Ph 541-991-9589. lisacorda61@yahoo.com

Estacada Lodge No 175, 267 SW 2nd Avenue, Estacada, OR 97023, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Larry Hare, 34663 SE Noodle Rd, Eagle Creek, OR 97022. Ph 503-637-3487. Sec Dan Tooke, 31591 SE Chin St, Boring, OR 97009 Ph 503-708-4464.

Kemp Lodge No 181, 3051 Odell Hwy, Odell, OR 97044, 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 1:00 pm. NG Marilyn Kaufman, 702 Garrison Street, The Dalles, OR 97058. Phone 541-296-6996. Sec Gloria Arnold, 1125 A 8th Street, Hood River, OR 97031. Phone 541-387-2025

Mt Scott/Star Lodge No 188, 10282 SE Main, Milwaukie, OR 97222, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 1:30 pm. NG Robert Worthington, 2267 SE 38th Ave. Portland, OR 97214. Ph 503-789-4774. email: thirtyeight9744@comcast.net. Sec Robert V. Long, 10282 SE Main St, Milwaukie, OR 97222. Ph 503-320-7846. email: jlongb4@aol.com. Send mail to lodge address

**Central Point Lodge No 193, 1130 Hazel Street, Central Point**, OR 97502, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 8pm NG Dave Carter, 2896 Margaret Way, Central Point, OR 97502. Sec Craig Horton, PO Box 3751, Central Point, OR 97502. Ph 541-772-4180.

6/3/2014

Mt Jefferson Lodge No 196, 16 SW "D" Street, Madras, OR 97741, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:00 pm. NG Beverly Sexton. Sec E.V. Smith, 16 SE "D" Street, Madras, OR 97741. Ph 541-546-4444. (Send mail to Lodge Hall.) Lodge email: culver-granny33@gmail.com

**Freewater Lodge No 202, 209 N Main Street, Milton-Freewater, OR 97862,** meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 pm Sec Theresa H Weaver, 209 N Main, Milton Freewater, OR 97862. Ph 541-861-9599. Send mail to lodge address.

Normal Lodge No 204, 225 E Main Street, Monmouth, OR 97361, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 5:30 pm Recess July & August. NG Mark Landau, 764 W. Warren Street, Monmouth, OR 97361. Ph 503-838-1971. Sec Ken Steele, 286 SW Bell Dr, Dallas, OR 97338 Ph 503-623-5710.

Bend Lodge No 218, 1503 NE 4th Street, VFW Post, Meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 5:30 pm except July & August. NG Larry Sanderson, 21070 Gardenia Ave, Bend, OR 97702. Ph 541-389-8016. Sec Russell C Chase, 1834 NW 2nd St, Bend, OR 97701 Ph 541-382-5376. email: chaseruss@bendbroadband.com 12/9/13

Ocean Lodge No 254, 1350 SE Oar, meets 2nd & 4th Monday, 7pm except July & August. Sec Kenneth Hunt, PO Box 1223, Lincoln City, OR 97367. 11/12/13

#### **Rebekah Lodge Cards**

Salem Rebekah Lodge No 1, 1492 Brush College Road, NW, Salem, OR 97304, meets every 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 pm except July & August. NG Jackie Anderson, 2150 Stone Hedge NE, Keizer, OR 97303. Ph 503-304-0034. email: jackieedna1@yahoo.com. Sec Gretta Underwood, 3295 Felina Ave NE, Apt D, Salem, OR 97301-2197. Ph 503-589-4182. email: GGrumpy4u@hotmail.com 5/2/13

Ruth Rebekah Lodge No 4, 175 S. Oregon Street, Jacksonville, OR 97530, Mailing address PO Box 262, Jacksonville, OR 97530, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Ileane Davis, 2606 Delta Waters Rd, Medford, OR 97504. Ph 541-776-3369. Sec Sheryl Rohde, 120 Twin Echo Way, Jacksonville, OR 97530. Ph 541-899-7080

Pauline Rebekah Lodge No 13, 19 SW Dorian Avenue, Pendleton, OR 97801. Mailing address PO Box 52, Pendleton, OR 97801. Meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 2pm, except July & August. NG Marguerite Maznaritz, 811 SE Court Ave, Pendleton, OR 97801 Ph 541-276-7631. email: penrecord@ucl,net. Sec Gladys Biggerstaff, 811 SE Court Ave, Pendleton, OR 97801. Ph 541-377-0068.

Mamie Rebekah Lodge No 20, Corner 1st & Central, Coquille, Oregon 97423, meets 1st Tuesday at 8:00 pm & 3rd Tuesday 2:00 pm, except July & August. NG Edna Parshall, 891 SE 3rd Ave, Coquille, OR 97423. Ph 541d-396-4584. Sec Kathleen Creason, 94023 Covey Lane, Coquille, OR 97423. Ph 541-396-3665.

Beulah Rebekah Lodge No 35, 738 East 5th Avenue SE, Albany, OR 97322, meets 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:30 pm except July & August. NG Sue Gilenwater, 2146 Madison Street SE, Albany, OR 97322. Ph 541-570– 1662. Sec Gretta Underwood, 3295 Felina Ave NE, Apt D, Salem. OR 97301-2197. Ph 503-589-4182. Email: GGrumpy4u@hotmail.com

Roseburg Rebekah Lodge No 41, 715 Cass Ave, Roseburg, OR 97470, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 6:30 pm except in July & August. NG Sharon Krause, 1575 NW Beacon, Roseburg, OR 97470. Ph 541-672-7769. Sec Colleen Suiter, PO Box 547, Winston, OR 97496 Ph 541-679-9902 Email: colleen\_suiter@yahoo.com 4/7/14

Sylvia Rebekah Lodge No 43, 348 N Broadway, Burns, OR 97720, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 6:30 pm except July & August. NG Jacquelyn Caizza, 506 E Jefferson, Burns, OR 97220 Ph 541-573-2218 . sjcaizza@centurytel.net. Sec Diane Denstedt, 348 N Broadway, Burns, OR 97720 Ph 541-589-0015. E-mail: mdiane@centurytel.net

Pearl Rebekah Lodge No 47, 20 E Ash St, Lebanon, OR 97355, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7:30 pm except July & August. NG Rhoda Davis, 790 Airway, Lebanon, OR 97355. Ph 541-619-3062. Sec Vickie Beaver, 264 E Ash St., Lebanon, OR 97355. email: dvbeav@proaxis. Lodge ph 541-259-2373.

Etna Rebekah Lodge No 49, 6th & "H" St, Grants Pass, OR 97526, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:00 pm except July & August. NG Lloyd Stiewig, 101 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526. Ph 541-476-9064, Cell 541-761-4510. Sec Lloyd Stiewig, PO Box 553, Merlin, OR 97532, Ph 541-476-9064

Unity Rebekah Lodge No 51, 4th & Hayes, Bay City, OR 97107, meets Wednesday at 1:00 pm except January & February. NG Marjorie Porter, 22655 E Beaver Creek Road, Cloverdale, OR 97112. Ph 503-398-5321. Sec Bonnie Ketcham, 8780 9th St, Bay City, OR 97107. Ph 503-377-2192. Lodge email emgero@embargmail.com 7/30/12

Hillsboro Rebekah Lodge No 54, 267 E Main, Hillsboro, OR 97123, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 8pm except July & August. NG Dan Mathews, Ph 503-642-2341. Sec Linda Dorland, 27835 NW Dorland Rd, North Plains, OR 97133. Ph 503-647-2723. 7/8/13

Eugene Rebekah Lodge No 55, 1133 Charnelton Street, Eugene, OR, 97401 meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 pm Except July & August. NG Cassatina Barnes, 635 Gilbert St, Eugene, OR 97402 Ph 541-688-1343. Sec Terri White, 2159 Valhalla, Eugene, OR 97401. Ph 541-513-2874.

Marietta Rebekah Lodge No 72, 4834 North Lombard, Portland, OR 97203, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Claus Scheer, 12601 SE River Rd, #121. Milwaukie, OR 97222. Ph 503-344-6087 cnjscheer@yahoo.com. Sec Eugene Voyton. Send mail to lodge address 10/29/13

Social Rebekah Lodge No 73, 148 N 13th , Philomath, OR 97370, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:30 pm, except July & August. NG Sandy Schreiber, 31795 Fern Rd, Philomath, OR 97370. Ph 541-929-5825. Sec. Colene Lamberty, 31773 Fern Rd, Philomath, OR 97370. Ph 541-929-5318. email: lcllacy@msn.com 9/15/14

Vespertine Rebekah Lodge No 74, 110 E 3rd Street, Yamhill, OR 97148, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 7pm except July &August. NG Tammy Griffin, 5649 SW Old Hwy 47, Gaston, OR 97119. Ph 503-351-0821. Sec Joan V Compton, 330 NE 27th, McMinnville, OR 97128. Ph 503-472-3941. cell 971-241-0462. email joancompton27@comcast.net

Leone Rebekah Lodge No 84, 38952 S Main Street, Scio, OR 97374, meets 1st Thursday at 7pm except July & August. NG Margy Rebmann, PO Box 258, Scio, OR 97374. Ph 503-394-3807. email: scten@smt-net.com Sec Rebecca Zelenka-Emis, PO Box 705, Scio, OR 97374. Ph 503-394-4158 Lodge email: scten@smt-net.com

Jewel Rebekah Lodge No 96, 309 Main Street, Summerville, OR 97876, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8pm except July & August. NG Diana Campbell, 61954 Behrens Lane, Summerville, OR 97876. Ph 541-534-9495. Sec Betty Smith, 10402 Emily Drive, Island City, OR 97850 PH 541-663-0436

Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No 104, 2209 Gary Street, Klamath Falls, OR 97603, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7pm except July & August. NG Susan Alexander, 2540 Gettle St, Klamath Falls, OR 97603. Sec Linda Breeden, 2209 Gary St, Klamath Falls, OR 97603. Ph 541-591-0700.

Shamrock Rebekah Lodge No 113, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR 97222, meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 1:00 pm except July & August. NG Frances Seal, 18235 S Grasle Road, Oregon City, OR 97045. Ph 503-631-8048. Sec Janice Straub, 15369 SE Sunrise Court, Milwaukie, OR 97267. Ph 503-656-0830.

Purity Rebekah Lodge No 130, Halsey, OR 97348, (meets in members' homes), meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 1:30 pm except July & August. NG Gracie Halsey, 25144 Powerline Road, Halsey, OR 97348. Sec Rosalie Koontz, 31511 Oak Plain Dr, Halsey, OR 97348. Ph 541-369-2377.

Holly Rebekah Lodge No 139, "C" Street, Lexington, OR 97839, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 7:30 pm except July & August. NG Edie Papineau, PO Box 505, Lexington, OR 97839. Ph 541-989-8115. Sec Marlene Gray, 65308 Rhea Creek Rd, Lone, OR 97843. Ph 541-422-7223.

Redmond Rebekah Lodge No 204, 639 NW Kingwood, Redmond, OR 97756. send mail to PO Box 301, Redmond, OR 97756. Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 1pm except December & January. NG Teddie Schmidt, 709 SW Belmont, Madras, OR 97741. Ph 541-279-9084. Sec Nancy Carter, PO Box 301, Redmond, OR 97756 Ph 541-923-3516. Lodge email: Charlieandnancy@msn.com 11/12/13

Centennial Rebekah Lodge No 147, 267 SW 2nd & Wade Street, Estacada, OR 97023. Mailing address PO Box 635, Estacada, OR 97023. Meets 2nd Wednesday at 1:00 pm except December & January. NG Leona Campanella, PO Box 234, Estacada, OR 97023. Sec Helen Swails, PO Box 37, Sandy, OR 97055. Ph 503-668-4068

**Hazel Rebekah Lodge No 156, Odell, OR 97044**, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 2pm NG Emily Phillips, PO Box 4, Odell, OR 97044. Phone 541-354-1210. Sec Gloria Arnold, 1125 A 8th St., Hood River, OR 97031 Ph 541-354-1457 12/5/13

Carnation Rebekah Lodge No 157, 704 Hwy 82, Wallowa, OR, 97885 meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 1:30 pm. NG Leslie Henderson, 1001 W Bear Creek Road, Wallowa, OR 97885. Ph 541-886-3138. Sec Amy Lou Werst, 74822 Lower Diamond Lane, Wallowa, OR 97885 Ph 541-886-8425. email: bratwurst@my180.net

Oak Rebekah Lodge No 159, Molalla Grange Hall, 127 Grange Street, Molalla, OR 97038, meets 2nd Tuesday at 1pm, 4th Tuesday, social, flexible, call. except July & August. NG Edna Oster, 11151 S Wildcat Rd, Molalla, OR 97038. Ph 503-829-2804. Sec Roberta Daniels, 30800 S Dryland Rd., Canby, OR 97013. Ph 503-651-2356.

Ethel Rebekah Lodge No 162, 143 SW Monroe, Sheridan, OR 97378, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm except July & August. NG Darlene Yoder, 138 E Main Street #6, Sheridan, OR 97378. Ph 503-437-6173. Sec Amanda Erickson, 1210 SW Goucher St, McMinnville, OR 97128. Ph 503-434-1516.

Santiam Rebekah Lodge No 166, meets 1st Wednesday - business meeting at 7pm, second meeting a social meeting - the date is flexible. NG Carmen Barnhardt, 35960 N. Santiam, Gates, OR 97346. Ph 503-897-2675. Sec Roxane Emerson, 129 Louisa St., Gates, OR 97346. Ph 503-897-3254.

Mt. Pitt Rebekah Lodge No 167, 1130 Hazel Street, Central Point, OR 97502, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Jean R. Frick, 2492 Taylor Road, Central Point, OR 97502 Ph 541-664-2471. Sec Martha Wright, PO Box 3804, Central Point, OR 97502. Ph 503-326-9960. email: MtPittRebekah167@aol.com

Rose City Rebekah Lodge No 170, 3102 SE Holgate Blvd, Portland, OR 97202, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 1pm except July & August. N.G. Gordon Corda, Ph 541-991-9590. Sec Lisa Corda, 3102 SE Holgate Blvd, Box 131, Portland, OR 97202. Ph 541-991-9589. lisacorda61@yahoo.com 1/9/14

Elkton-Umpqua Rebekah Lodge No 173, 247 1st Street, Masonic Hall, Elkton, OR 97436, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 2:00 pm except July & August. NG Peggy Ramer, PO Box 601, Drain, OR 97435. Ph 541-836-2459. Sec Juanita Higgins, 23620 State Highway 38, Elkton, OR 97436. Ph 541-584-2249

Integrity Rebekah Lodge No 175, 209 North Main, Milton-Freewater, OR 97862, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 1:30 pm except July & August. NG Kathy Williams, 53752 Appleton Road # 40, Milton-Freewater, OR 97862 Ph 541-429-3053. email: antykathy586@gmail.com. Sec Donna Stewart, 421 Willow St, Milton-Freewater, OR 97862. Phone 541-938-0346.

Bertha Rebekah Lodge No 188, 5th & Pine Masonic Lodge Hall, Canyonville, OR. meets 2nd & 4th Mondays at 7:30 pm or after the IOOF meeting. Exept July and August. NG Jacky McChesney, PO Box 236, Dillard, OR 97432. Phone 541-680-2980. Sec Lauretta McChesney, PO Box 236, Dillard, OR 97432. Ph 541-580-2407.

Sandy Rebekah Lodge No 193, 17459 Bruns Ave, Sandy, OR 97055, meets 4th Monday at 7pm except in July & August. NG Carolyn Parker, PO Box 3592, Gresham, OR 97030 Ph 503-512-8819. Sec Helen Swails, PO Box 37, Sandy OR 97055. Ph 503-668-4068

Welcome Rebekah Lodge No 211, George Millican Memorial Hall, 39259 Camp Creek Road, Walterville, OR 97489, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday at 1pm except July & August. NG Shirley Gray, 4631 Royl Ave Eugene, OR 97402. Ph 541-689-6902. Sec Helen Winnop, PO Box 556, Walterville, OR 97489. Ph 541-747-9728.

Someone remembers, someone cares; Your name is whispered in someone's prayers ~ Unknown

Rainbow Rebekah Lodge No 212, 22550 SW Washington St, Sherwood, OR 97140, meets 2nd Thursday, business & 4th Thursday, social both at 1:30 pm except July & August. NG Denise Nikolai, PO Box 1461, Sherwood, OR 97140 Ph 503-625-0671. Sec Polly Blankenbaker, PO Box 1384, Sherwood, OR 97140. Ph 503-625-6435 email: PBlankenba@aol.com 7/18/13

Ramona Rebekah Lodge No 222, 710 12th Avenue Seaside, OR 97138, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 1pm except July & August. NG Robert Jacobson, 35021 Hwy. 105, Astoria, OR 97103. Ph 503-325-1664. Sec Nancy Jacobson, 35021 Hwy 101Bus, Astoria, OR 97103 Ph 503-325-1664

Juniper Rebekah Lodge No 229, 16 SE "D" Street, Madras, OR 97741, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7pm except July & August. NG Doris Ridenour, 175 NE 16th, Madras, OR 97741. Sec Dorothy J Burgess, PO Box 796, Madras, OR 97741-0110. Ph 541-475-6918, Cell 541-777-9623 Send mail to lodge address 9/23/14

Three Rivers Rebekah Lodge No 240, 485 Greenwood Avenue, Reedsport, OR 97467, meets 2nd Thursday at 7:00 pm 4th Thursday 3:00 pm. NG Dianna Allison, PO Box 909, Florence, OR 97439. Ph 541-991-3262. Sec E. Lorraine Potter, PO Box 135, Gardiner, OR 97441. Ph 541-271-2861

Seafoam Rebekah Lodge No 250, 1350 SE Oar Street, Lincoln City, OR 97267, meets 2nd & 4th Monday, 5:30 pm except July & August. NG Kenneth Hunt, 6760 Gladys, Otter Rock, OR 97369. Ph 541-270-4583. Sec Babe Bogeart, PO Box 359, Lincoln City, OR 97367. Ph 541-994-3350. Lodge address PO Box 1223, Lincoln City, OR 97367

Lorane Rebekah Lodge No 252, 80284 Old Larane Road, Lorane, OR 97451. Mailing address PO Box 1008, Lorane, OR 97451. Meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 7:00 pm except July & August. NG Tara Wigle, 84692 Battle Creek Rd, Eugene, OR 97402. Phone 541-935-5245. Sec Mary Houle, 27997 CG Lorane Rd, Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Phone 541-942-9341. email: LemaHoule@yahoo.com

Aloha Rebekah Lodge No 253, Aloha, OR, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7pm at Aloha Church of God, 18380 S.W. Kinnaman Road N.G. Denice Meeuwsen, 44978 Hartwick Rd, Banks, OR 97106 Ph 503-324-7615. Sec Estella Virgin, 9696 SW Taylor St, Portland, OR 97225. Phone 503-292-3988.

Eta Theta Rho No 94, Lorane, OR meets every Thursday at 7:00 pm.

#### **Encampment / LEA / Canton**

Willamette Encampment No 2, 1492 Brush College Road, N.W, Salem, OR 97304-1404, meets 2nd Friday, at 7:30 pm except July & August. CP Robert Wilderson, 480 SE Alexander Avenue, Corvallis, OR 97333. Phone 541-754-8477 Scribe Bill Hawes, 32264 Tangent Dr, Tangent, OR 97389. Phone 541-926-5970 7/18/13

Wimawhala Encampment No 6, 1233 Charnelton Street, Eugene, OR 97401, meets 1st Friday at 7:00 pm except July & August. CP Beth Martinson, 822 S 71st Street, Springfield, OR 97478. Ph 541-747-7563. Scribe Vangy Smith Provins, PO Box 445, Veneta, OR 97487. Ph 541-517-5195. Lodge email: vsmith3237@aol.com 2/27/14

Heart of the Valley Encampment 26, 223 SW Second Street, Corvallis OR 97333. Chief Patriarch Bill Koch, 541-757-2910. Chief Scribe Bonnie Tomski. Encampment meets on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

1/23/14

Golden Rule Encampment No 28, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR 97222, meets 3rd Thursday at 7:30 pm CP Lisa Corda, 31464 Raymond Creek Road, Scappoose, OR 97056. Scribe Joan Scheer, 3406 NE Prescott Street, Portland, OR 97211. Ph 503-344-6087. Send mail to lodge address. 7/15/13

Paran Encampment No 29, 101 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass, OR, meets 1st Wednesday at 7:00 pm. except July & August. Scribe Lloyd Stiewig, PO Box 553, Merlin, OR 97532. Phone 541-476-9064.

Coast Fork Encampment No 49, 317 Main Street, Cottage Grove, OR 97424, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 pm except July & August. CP Clinton VanAntwerp, 115 E Chadwick Ave, Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Phone 541- 942-2805. Scribe DeRoss Kinkade, 78414 Halderman Rd., Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Phone 541-942-8289.

McKenzie River Encampment No. 67, 342 Main Street, Springfield, OR 97477, meets 1st Tuesday each month at 7:00 pm except July & August. CP Beth Martinson, 822 71st Street, Springfield, OR 97478. Phone 541-747-7563. Scribe Vangy Smith Provins, PO Box 445, Veneta, OR 97487. Phone 541-517-5195. email: vsmith3237@aol.com

1/23/14

Canyon Encampment No 79, 221 N Main, Myrtle Creek, OR, meets 3rd Thursday at 7:30 pm except July & August. Scribe Viven T. Weaver GT, PO Box 2114, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457. Phone 541-863-5693.

Hillsboro Encampment No 84, 267 E Main Street, Hillsboro, OR, meets 2nd Thursday at 7:30 pm except July & August. CP Steve Love, PO Box 1729, North Plains, Or 97133. Ph 503-647-5105. Scribe Gary V Hahn. PO Box 278, Hillsboro, OR 971243 Phone 503-647-2126. Lodge phone 503-645-5332. 7/16/13

Willamette LEA No 2, 1492 Brush College Road NW, Salem, OR 97304, meets 2nd Friday, meeting at 7:30 pm except July & August. CM Joyce Lynn, 2618 Geary Street SE, Albany, OR 97322. Phone 541-928-7290. email: bojolynn@gmail.com. Sec Gretta Underwood, 3295-D Felina Ave NE, Salem, OR 97301-2187. Phone 503-589-4182 Cell 503-551-4062. email GGrumpy4u@hotmail.com. 4/1/14

Coast Fork LEA No. 49, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 pm, CM Pat Anderson, PO Box 532, Elkton, OR 97436 Ph 541-584-2243. email pishapat@rconnects.com. Scribe Marilyn Willey, 3358 Henderer Road, Elkton, OR 97436 Ph 541-548-2231

Wimawhala LEA No. 6, 1233 Charnelton, Eugene, OR 97401, meets 1st Friday at 7:00 pm except July & August. CM Cassatina Barnes, 635 Gilbert St, Eugene, OR 97402. ph 541-688-1343.. Scribe Mabel Montgomery, 1133 Olive St Apt 916, Eugene, OR 97401 Ph 541-689-4738.

Mt. Hood LEA No. 100, 267 S 2nd Ave, Estacada, OR 97023, meets 4th Friday at 1 pm, pot luck at 12 Noon. CM Leona Campanella, PO Box 234, Estacada, OR 97023 Ph 503-630-3811. Scribe, Millie Lehman, 24388 New Kirchner Rd, Oregon City, OR 97045 Ph 503-632-3216. email: milleh@bctonline.com

Portland Canton No. 1, 10282 SE Main Street, Milwaukie, OR 97222, meets 1st Thursday at 7:00 pm, CP Gary Hahn, 37290 NW Hahn Road, Banks, OR 97106. Ph 503-647-2126. email: Gary.Hahn@coachAmerica.com. Adjutant, Shirley Mathews, Ph 503-522-9407. Send mail to lodge address

Snowy Butte Canton No 15, Grants Pass, 101 SE "H" Street, Grants Pass, meets third Wednesday, at 7:00pm

Capital LAPM No. 11, 738 5th Ave SE, Albany, OR 97322, meets 2nd Friday each month at 1:00 pm except July & August. Pres Lucille Nolin, 470 Milton Street, Lebanon, OR 97355. Ph 541-259-2741. Sec Gretta Underwood, 3295 D Felina Ave NE, Salem, OR 97301-2197. Ph 503-589-4182. Cell 503-551-4062. email GGrumpy4u@Hotmail.com



#### Lodge Cards are FREE

Lodge cards are put in the OPOF twice a year.

PLEASE if there is no date at the end of your lodge card or the date is before 5/2014 send in your update to the Grand Lodge Office:

3202 SE Holgate Blvd., Portland, OR 97202 email: mkwalter23@comcast.net or Phone: 503-236-9300.

Christmas waves a magic wand over this world, and behold, everything is softer and more beautiful.

~Norman Vincent Peale

#### A Blast From The Past....

Taken from The Pacific Odd Fellow, December 1905

The evening was passing away pleasantly with the members of N\_\_\_\_\_Lodge on the night of December 31st. The large hall was comfortable in every part; the lights burned bright and the seats were well filled. After the question was asked "Has anyone anything to offer for the Good of the Order?" Bro. N. arose and remarked that he did not know as what he had to say would exactly come under that head, yet he would beg the privilege of speaking a few words on a subject that no Odd Fellow would be frightened at—a deed of charity. He then went on to say that as he sat that morning reading the paper, his little boy, who had been out sleding, came in with a stranger lad and coaxed him to sit down by the fire. His wife and hired girl were busy making pies and cakes at a table near by and he could not help noticing the strange yearning look the stranger boy cast upon the food. So, to find out the cause he asked him what good things his mother was making for New Years. The tears almost came into the child's eyes as he replied that she was not making anything good-she had not hardly wood enough to bake a Johnny-cake that morning, and she cried, and did not eat any breakfast because his little sister asked her to make a pudding and put some raisins in it as she used to before papa died.

Bro. N. said his wife heaped up a plate of cakes and set them before the child, and then asked him what she should do for them. He told her to run over and call upon the woman, and see if she was really needy and worthy, and they would then do what they could. His wife reported that she was a widow B. Who had recently come to the place hoping to get work in one of the factories, but the hard times had closed them. She had no way of supporting herself and children but by her needle, and that in competition with a great number of girls who had been turned out of employment. She was completely discouraged and broken-hearted under her accumulated troubles, with no friend or acquaintance to sympathize or reach forth a helping hand. "Shall we help, and receive the blessing of the widow and the fatherless?" said Bro. N., as he took his seat.

After half a dozen plans were broached and discussed, one member, who was always ready with heart and hand for any good work proposed that, as he and twenty others lived near by, they should each go to their own wood pile and get a large armful of wood and lay it down softly inside the widow's gate. Then Bro. N. arose again and said he had a large basket that held over a bushel, and his wife had already placed a small assortment of food in it, and as it was not late, if all were willing, he would take it and call around at some of their homes and try to get it filled, and if those members who lived at a distance were afraid the vision of a poor mother with not fire enough to cook her morning meal would disturb their dreams, he thought they could dispel it by opening their pocket-books and handing out a few cents. The plan was received with enthusiasm, and \$10 was quickly given, and placed in the bottom of the coming well filled basket.

A week rolled by and brought with it Lodge night again and, after the closing ode was sung, group after group gathered around the fast-cooling stove, as if some very interesting subject, occupying each mind, was to be talked over.

One brother eagerly began to relate to his listeners that as he lived almost opposite the recipient of their charity, he thought he would keep a little watch next morning and see how it was received. He said after a faint smoke arose from the chimney, the woman appeared at a side door with at broom in her hand, and went to where there had once been a wood yard, and swept away the snow and gathered up a few chips; then she broke off some branches from a dry limb and went in. A few minutes later she came out onto the porch, and as she caught sight of the good fuel and basket, directed to herself, her pail dropped from her hand and she sat down as if paralyzed and burst into tears. Her children gathered around her frightened at the violence of her emotion, but at last succeeded in recalling her to herself, and she arose and with their help dragged the basket inside the door.

Bro. N. said his wife called over the next day and found the widow completely unnerved with happiness and gratitude. The children said their mother cried all the day before because they must starve, and now she had cried all the forenoon because they had so much to eat.

His wife said Mrs. B. inquired of her who she thought could be the donor, but she evaded the question and left in haste before she could again be asked.

The Lodge room was vacated with a very blissful feeling in each heart, exemplifying the truth that "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

\*Continued on Page 15...\*

#### **Margaret Dora Bland Turns 102**



Margaret Dora Bland Wallen turned 102 on October 14th. She is a Life Member of Golden Rule Lodge No. 78 of Grants Pass, Oregon having joined when she was a young 90 years of age. A birthday party was given in her honor at the retirement home where she resides, Countryside Village. The lodge sent three dozen roses. The Grants Pass Cavemen were there to honor Margaret. She was a Cave girl in 1938 and made most of the nation's papers when she posed for a picture while in Portland. Here are a few pictures taken at her celebration.





#### David Scheer is Guest Speaker at Northwest



David Scheer was a guest speaker at the Northwest Odd Fellow/Rebekah Association Meeting at Eugene, November 8th. He is pictured here with the Association Chairman Pamela Ottas of Princeton, British Columbia. David is Noble Grand of Peninsula No.128 in Portland.

## Our Thanks and Appreciation

The words to express our appreciation to the brothers and sisters who attended the Celebration of Life for John Blades are lacking. We were amazed at the numbers who came as well as the many who expressed their sympathy in so many ways. I thought we were bias in "our" thinking that John was dedicated to the Order, but it appears that many others felt the same. Thank you. To the members of Pearl Rebekah Lodge No. 47 and Lebanon IOOF No. 47 you have gone above and beyond the mandates of our Order. You are to be commended on the fabulous jobs you did for us getting ready for the Memorial and attending it.

All our thanks.

The family of John Blades.... Bertha, Donna, Jeff, Carrie, Matt, Josh and Jason.

#### **New Members at Bandon No.133**



New members initiated at Bandon Odd Fellow Lodge No. 133. *Left to Right:* Dwight Comer, Mel Garrett, Richard Gunther, Connie Thrush and Dorothy Mick. *Front:* Noble Grand Susan Stetter, *far Right:* Russell Gunther DDGM South Coast.

#### **Community Connection**

Each lodge should have three members work on community connections. This involves mainly making ourselves known in our surroundings. It is amazing that we can occupy a building for many years but our neighbors do not know WHO WE ARE. An example: Peninsula Lodge in Portland had the usual arrangement of retail stores in our street level building. The second floor's window shades were usually shut. One day a passerby asked if we rented rooms on the second floor as he thought it was an apartment building. The building was there since 1935!

Visit your neighbors and local businesses. Take a flyer to let them know we are a fraternity and welcome inquires. If your building can lend their meeting space to others, then tell them. Contact your local Red Cross and ask if you can help, maybe sponsor a blood drive. Contact your school youth group leaders. Perhaps they could hold a social occasion or meeting in your hall.

Please let me hear from you about your activities in your neighborhood, or offer suggestions others can try.



email: cnjscheer@yahoo.com. address is : Joan Scheer 3406 NE Prescott Street, Portland, OR 97211

## **Coquille No. 53 Initiates New Members**



Members of Coquille Odd Fellow Lodge No. 53 initiated five new members for Bandon Odd Fellow Lodge No. 133. See "New Members at Bandon" left column.

## **Evergreen Area Meeting**

Pearl Rebekah Lodge No. 47 of Lebanon was host to the Evergreen Area Meeting that was held at the Odd Fellow Hall Saturday October 18th. There were 45 members from 10 different lodges in attendance which included lodges from Salem, Albany, Lebanon, Philomath, Scio, Halsey, Hillsboro, Lorane, Milwaukie and Portland. The Chairman for the meeting was Brenda Spence of Pearl Rebekah Lodge, and Vice Chairman was Ginny Tallman from Social No. 73 of Philomath, who will host the Area Meeting next year. Many door prizes were given at different times during the meeting. A delicious lunch was served at noon. Shirley Mathews the President of the Rebekah Assembly was in attendance and was paying her official visit to Pearl No. 47. Pearl paid a tribute to her by putting on a drill and giving her a monetary gift and hankie with a hand crocheted edge on it. Two past Presidents from Pearl, Vickie Beaver and Rhoda Davis gave sister Shirley a gift. It is the custom of Pearl Rebekah Lodge that the Past Presidents give the current President a gift. Norma Pennington, Good of the Order Chairman gave sister Shirley a 2015 calendar which was made by the Lebanon Genealogical Society. It contains pictures of Lebanon History from the early days on each page.

Norma Pennington

#### Membership

As we come to the close of one year and look forward to the New Year, there are many opportunities to not only make a difference in someone's life but to reach out into the community and lend a helping hand. As we are all aware the Holidays not only bring joy to many with all the hustle and bustle of preparing for the families and friends, the parties, the fellowship that abounds during this time, but it also brings loneliness and despair to many who are not as fortunate to have families, friends and even shelter. These are the times it takes so little to make a difference. Join with your town or community to gather food for food baskets, or buy a toy for a child and donate it to Toys for Tots or one of the other groups who provide for families and children in need. Where I live there are giving trees, trees with paper ornaments with an age, gender and wish of a child, older sibling, or a senior. Sometimes the wishes are as simple as a warm pair of socks, a pair of slippers, pajamas, or a pair of gloves. My Lodge is small and we try to help in this small way because we do not have the resources to start a program of our own. Our members enjoy actually buying a present for someone rather than just writing a check from the Lodge. Another way to help is to check your elderly neighbors, do they need help raking leaves, winterizing a faucet, stacking wood, or putting away hoses and gardening implements that will not be needed again till spring. A few hours of help is sometimes appreciated more than a gift or money.

There are also more dinners planned during the Holidays by Lodges than at most any other time. Do you remember the shut-in members and have someone pick them up to come to the Lodge party or potluck? For people who are housebound many times a little outing is welcomed. If they can't come to the party maybe a plate of food or some fruit or a stocking with goodies would be a nice gesture to let them know they are not forgotten. You don't have to limit invitations to just shut-in members. Do you have some potential members that haven't committed to joining? Or someone you haven't even discussed joining with but they might be a good member? By all means this is the ideal time to invite them to see the fellowship and camaraderie that we have as Brothers and Sisters.

If you are planning an event, invite those potential members, you could use an extra pair of hands and they

#### Time To Call-Morand Scholarships Available

This month we are bringing you an excerpt from another 2014 Morand Scholarship Recipient who wrote, "I can't possibly tell you how much your generosity means to me. This scholarship will put me one step closer to realizing my career dreams. Without this kind of financial support, I would be unable to complete my college education." We get notes like this every year and decided to share with our Brothers and Sisters the heartfelt thanks we receive from scholarship recipients.

Time goes by so fast, the deadline of January 31st 2015 will be here before we realize it. If you have a member who is currently enrolled in a college or trade school or if a family member of a lodge member is a college student, tell them about the Morand Scholarship program. Encourage them to contact the Grand Lodge office to request an application form. There are some updates on this year's form, so make sure the student gets one from the Grand Lodge Office. Any old application forms that a lodge may have should be destroyed. If your Lodge doesn't have one of the Morand Brochures, call the Grand Lodge Office and request a supply so your members will have all the information about this wonderful scholarship program. Let's continue to make a difference in the lives of worthy students, it's not too early to get to work on the scholarship application. All the information you will need is in the application packet and the Morand Scholarship brochure.



*Membership Continued:* will get an idea of what we as Odd Fellows and Rebekhs do. Membership can be much simpler than we make it. Let's try to include potential members in the things we do and look forward to a great 2015. Happy Holidays!!

## **Jesse T. Jones Campground**

We are nearing the end of the year and we have so much to be thankful for. We have enjoyed visiting with you and having you bring your friends and family to the park. We have accomplished a lot of my "to do "list thanks to my very hard-working team. But MANY THANKS to those who have donated their time and funds to help get these projects done. Without these generous donations we would still be struggling to finish many of the projects. I want thank the following lodges for additionally purchasing fence sections so we can finish up the pole fencing. Central Point IOOF No.193, Douglas Lodge IOOF No. 14, Etna Rebekah Lodge No. 49, Eureka Lodge IOOF No. 32, Golden Rule Lodge IOOF No. 78, Samaratin Lodge IOOF No. 2, Spencer Butte No. 9 IOOF (2 sections), Bend IOOF No.218, Montezuma IOOF No.50, Sylvia Rebekah #43, Harney IOOF No. 77, Mt Jefferson IOOF No. 196, South Tacoma IOOF (WA) No.211, Mt Pitt Rebekah Lodge No. 167 (2 sections), Harrisburg IOOF No. 12, and Estacada Lodge IOOF No. 175 as of November 14th. We appreciate all the help, and you can look up your lodge on the fence line when you come. We look forward to the new year with you and your families. We have all of the rebookings done for next year and you may call and check on your dates and or make reservations. Have a safe and wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In FL&T Mary and Park Staff

## Promoting Odd Fellowship Through Positive Communication

Cont. from Pg. 11: In a few weeks the panic among the manufacturers began to subside and one after another opened the doors of their factories and through the influence of an unknown friend, the widow once more found employment and thereby a good support for herself and children. But she never forgot the dark hour of her life; and after a long time, as the secret of her gift came to light (as all such secrets will where so many are concerned), her prayer went up for the Odd Fellows, that they might be rewarded not only in time, but eternity.

## **Grand Master Visits Golden Rule No. 78**



During Grand Master Ron's visit to Golden Rule in September he had the opportunity to listen to a presentation from one of the students who went on the United Nations Pilgrimage last summer. Below Ron is pictured giving his presentation to the lodge and at the bottom he is pictured with his Grand Marshal Lloyd Fries.





The Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows 3202 SE Holgate Blvd. Portland, OR 97202

Change Service Requested



Nonprofit Organization
U.S. Postage
PAID
Portland, OR
Permit # 2200

## OREGON PACIFIC ODD FELLOW Member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows International Press Association



#### Published by THE GRAND LODGE OF OREGON

ESTELLA VIRGIN, Editor

ROBERT LYNN, PGM Editor, JOYCE LYNN, PP Editor
POSTMASTER, change of address should be sent to
OREGON PACIFIC ODD FELLOW
3202 SE Holgate, Portland, OR 97202

12 SE Holgate, Portland, OR 97202 Published Monthly

OREGON MEMBERS: \$6.40 per year of each member's per capita dues Pays for this paper.

OTHER PERSONS Subscription Rate: \$8.00 per year in the U.S. Canadian addresses, payable in advance.

ALL NEWS ARTICLES, ADDRESS CHANGES, DELETIONS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS
SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:

**O**REGON PACIFIC ODD FELLOW

3202 SE Holgate, Portland, OR 97202

E-mail: mkwalter23@comcast.net

THE DEADLINE FOR ALL OF THE PRECEDING IS RECEIPT AT THE ADDRESS ABOVE BEFORE THE 14TH DAY OF THE PRECEDING MONTH

#### LODGE CARD UPDATE

Include Area Code in Telephone Numbers

SEND TO GRAND LODGE: 3202 SE Holgate Blvd, Portland, OR, 97202

E-MAIL: mkwalter23@comcast.net

Lodge Name		Lodge #
Meeting Place Address		
Meeting Days		
Meeting Time	Recess Months Of	·
Lodge E-mail:		
Noble Grand's Name		
His/her Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone ()	E-mail	
Secretary's Name		
His/her Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone ( )	E-mail	

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!