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# A trip down the Yellow Brick Road welcomes our new IOOF & TRA leaders

What a fun day we had on September 15 at Olympia IOOF Lodge #1. It was Grand Master Laurel Delony's reception day. However, she shared it with Theta Rho Assembly President Shamanice Gordon. What a stunning

young woman Shamanice is. The Spunky Bluebird member is a senior in high school and plans on

University next year. You go, girl!
Grand Master Laurel showed
what a gracious lady she is and
what a great representative she is
going to be for our jurisdiction. The
afternoon was filled with laughter, a

few tears and great fellowship. Oh

Parts of the afternoon reminded

me of Christmas with all of the presents and money for various projects. The yellow brick road got in there some how. As if that wasn't

yeah, and scrumptious food.

enough, Grand Master Laurel appeared to be a drill sergeant trying to get the Past Grand Masters to

stick their right foot out. Now that

SYLVIA SUMMERS

was a chore. Would you believe

that one

of the

attending Washington State

New Grand Master Laurel Delony delighted Jr. PGM Joe Picanco as she was passing out hugs.

requirements of a Grand Master is *not* to know their left from their right.

The highlight of the day for me were the hugs given by GM Laurel to all the PGM's. There isn't enough room to print all of faces in those photos. . . they seemed to be in ecstasy. Ah, the power of women over men.. By the way, I received a hug, too. Thanks Grand Master, Laurel.

Theta Rho is a great mentoring program for our young women. However, it takes several other women willing to serve these young ladies. I'm certain that these young women will remember you gals long after you pass from this life. Sylvia

Summers had the privilege of mentoring Laurel, Holly Houser, Shamanice and many others throughout the years. Laurel and many PGM's have enjoyed the help and services from Holly. She serves without complaint. . . and even smiles sometimes.

Robert Jacobson, Ocean Beach Rebekah Lodge #313

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# District #18 Meeting slated in Onalaska on October 6!

The District #18 Meeting will be held on Saturday, October 6 at the Ethel Grange in Onalaska. President Ailene Wideman invites everyone to come.

Coffee and cookies will be served at 9 a.m., followed by the meeting at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served at noon.

Members of Pine Burr Rebekah Lodge #300 are hosting the meeting. Everyone is welcome.



Photo courtesy Des Moines Historical Society

This picture, taken in 1916, shows members of Des Moines IOOF Lodge #305 celebrating the opening of the brick hard-surface road between Seattle and Des Moines. The lodge commemorated that event with a chowder feed.

# Join Des Moines #305 celebrating 100 years!

DES MOINES IOOF LODGE #305 CELEBRATES ITS 100TH ANNIVERSARY WITH AN OPEN HOUSE & SPAGHETTI DINNER SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2012 - 4 P.M. - 7 P.M.

Meet your fellow Brothers and Sisters for a celebration dinner at the Des Moines Odd Fellows Meeting Hall. The lodge (and our hall) is celebrating 100 years of participation in our community. In conjunction with the Celebration Dinner and Open House, the Des Moines Historical Society housed on the top floor of the Meeting Hall, will conduct tours highlighting the building's history.

Members of Lodge #305 welcome Joyce Miller, President of Rebekah Assembly of Washington. We encourage long-time Odd Fellows and Rebekah members to share their experiences with our lodge over the years.

Please RSVP to: Morgan Hicks, Chairman of the Celebration Committee, by Monday, October 8. Please call (206) 878-6499 and leave your message. A \$10 donation for dinner is suggested.

The Des Moines Odd Fellows is located at 728 S. 225th St., Des Moines, WA 98198.

In Friendship, Love and Truth, Morgan Hicks

# Mourning Our Grand Conductor

Robert Jacobson of Ocean
Beach Rebekah Lodge #313
submitted this photo he took of
Grand Conductor Ted Davis
and his daughter at our June
Grand Sessions in Yakima.
Brother Ted passed away on
August 8. His passing is being
mourned by Odd Fellows
across our jurisdiction.





# From your 2012-2013 Grand Master

LAUREL DELONY

# GRAND MASTER'S - TRA PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Thank you so much to everyone that attended our first-ever Grand Master's-Theta Rho President's co-reception. What a great day you gave to Shamanice Gordon, President of the Theta Rho Assembly of Washington, and me. We were honored to have so many people show their love and support, not only for the two of us but for our Order. It was a great day that we both shall cherish for the rest of our lives. Thank you to everyone who donated money to my project which is the Theta Rho Housing Fund for Assembly. I believe the youth of our Order are our future, but more importantly I believe that Theta Rho gives the girls a place to go where they learn to share, care, and get out in to their communities. I also believe that Theta Rho gives the girls a safe loving place where they are all treated equally and work as a team.

#### SGL UPDATE

Here are a couple of things for you to think over. While I attended Sovereign Grand Lodge, it was brought to our attention that the Revitalization Committee is trying to combine the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch's Militant and the Patriarch's Militant. Why you might ask? It's due to the lack of membership and they are looking to combine other groups of our Order. And with that being said, the only way to increase our membership for the Encampments, LEA, LAPM, and the PM, is to ask our own members to join. I would be curious to find out how many of you have been asked to be members. About two years ago, after years of being a member of the Order, I was finally asked to join the Encampment. Why? Why aren't we asking our members?

Brothers and Sisters, the only way to defeat this kind of move is to increase our membership. I know, I know, we harp on you continuously about membership, but it's you that will make the difference in our Order. If each of us were to get one new member — just one — our membership would double.

Here is my challenge to you. Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, I am asking you to get at least one new member. If you are a member of the Encampment, LEA, LAPM, or the PM, I am asking you to start asking your fellow Brothers and Sisters to become members. So let us look to each other to increase our membership. Don't forget to have those applications ready.

# MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Our Sovereign Grand Master and IARA President are keeping the motto of "Make a Difference" — Celebrate what's right with the Order. I encourage you to join in the celebration of the projects of our Order. Donate, volunteer, or cheer. It all works. Remember you make the difference.

# DID YOU KNOW?

Code of General Laws, The Grand Lodge of Washington, Independent Order of Odd Fellows: Page 17, SECTION 16.0 District Deputy Grand Master (paragraph two (2))

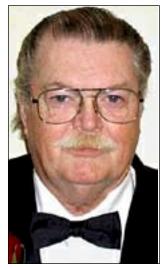
The District Deputy Grand Master shall be the *representative of the Grand Master* in the District to which they shall have been appointed and commissioned. A copy of their commission shall be sent to each Lodge in their District, and must be read in open Lodge at the first regular meeting after it is received.

Remember to be in the Mood for Odd Fellowship and smile

— In Friendship, Love and Truth, Laurel Delony, Grand Master

# ~ In Memoriam ~

- Ella "June" Phillips, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of Washinton, PNG, 42 year member of Althea Rebekah Lodge #182 in Kennewick.
- **PJ Fluetsch**, Olympia IOOF Lodge #1.
- Ray Johnson, Mizpah IOOF Lodge #11, Port Townsedn
- Neva Leichner Riddle, Leah Rebekah Lodge #22, Goldendale.
- Betty Ann Kuhl, PNG, Rainbow Rebekah Lodge #31, Orting.
- **Bea Edwards**, Hope Rebekah Lodge #38, Spokane Valley.
- Jean Lovejoy, 72 year Rebekah
- Bessie Braschuk, 101, Ocean Beach Rebekah Lodge #313, Long Beach.



# From the desk of the Grand Secretary

HARRY W. "BILL" COULTER

#### UNITED NATIONS PILGRIMAGE

Materials for the 2013 program should be arriving soon from the UNP Committee. However it is not too early for those lodges and districts to start planning their student committee selection terms. In the event materials do not arrive soon, please contact Frank L. Wilson, UNP Chairman for the Jurisdiction of Washington, for information and deadlines that have to be met. You may contact Frank at (360) 491-5913 or email him at flw0282@comcast.net or write him at 4701 23rd Ave SE, Lacey, WA 98503.

#### L.J. JONES SCHOLARSHIPS

The annual mailings from this committee should be arriving soon with the various forms for making nominations of members and relatives of members for the various scholarships available. Please remember that the nominating deadline for all the scholarships is December 31, 2012. Please consider the L.J. Jones Scholarship Fund as a possible donation recipient form your lodge.

#### **ANNUAL REPORTS**

We plan to mail out the Annual Report forms package this month (October). If you are an officer with a part to complete, please start gathering and compiling the necessary information now needed for this year's report. When the report forms are received, do not alter the "Cash on Hand Last Report" amount appearing on Line 1. Please complete them accurately and submit them timely. (Reference: Washington Digest, Chapter 3, Sec. 3.20.4 found on page 56). Your lodge seal must be used on those forms requiring it. To any new Secretaries, if there is anything confusing or you are in doubt as to how to complete your forms, please call the Grand Lodge office at 1-800-345-1766 for assistance.

# Nominations Of Officers

It is hard to believe that it is that time of year already. October is the month for nominating your elective officers for next year. Refer to the Washington Digest, Chapter 3 Sec. 3.10.1 Elective Officers and Sec. 3.10.3 Nominations, found on page 43 for guidance.

Fraternally,

Harry W. "Bill" Coulter, PGM, Grand Secretary

# In Long Beach

# Ocean Beach Rebekah Lodge #313

I just reported last month that Bessie Braschuk celebrated her 101st birthday in July. Bessie passed away on Tuesday, September 4. She had taken a fall and ended up in the hospital and died there. We are so sad to have lost her. Our sympathies have been extended to her daughter, Sister Donna Merrill, and her youngest sister, Sister Opal Eaton. We draped our Charter the day of her passing. We had our first lodge meeting that evening after our summer vacation. Opal was to have served and sent a delicious dessert for us to enjoy, along with a scented floral air freshener for each of us.

Our Sister Beverly Gilpin is now back in our "neighborhood" after spending a couple months in a nursing home across the river in Astoria, Oregon. She is now at Golden Sands Assisted Living and is starting to perk up. Hopefully she will be walking soon.

Sister Fritz Mose has been staying with her daughter in Vancouver as she has been experiencing some health issues. Our Secretary, Betty Pierce, has been busy making sure all of our Sisters receive cards and get well wishes from us all.

Olney Patch is now at her new home in California, but visited last month to finish her move.

Bunco is still going strong and we will see the Midway Friendship Club once again begin holding gettogethers this month.

Cathy Kary served at our second meeting in September. That night we honored Past Noble Grands. Cathy is one of our PNG's as well as being our Noble Grand this year.

Several Sisters will be traveling to the District #18 Meeting on October 6. (Brother Bob doesn't think he can make it.) This newspaper may have already been delivered by the time this is read. I guess we can say that we all had a good time. A report will be furnished in the next newspaper.

Our weather has been very nice through August and parts of September. Hopefully we will have a pleasant autumn and not too cold a winter. Time will tell. In the meantime, enjoy the colors of fall and have a happy Halloween

In F., L. & T., Sue Johnson, PNG and Reporter

# From your 2012 - 2013 Assembly President



JOYCE MILLER

# SOME GOOD CHANGES COMING

Greetings, everyone! This fall day is nice and warm with a breeze to help cool us. The leaves are starting to turn color giving us the only clue it is the fall season.

Thank you for allowing me to represent the Jurisdiction of Washington at

the IARA Sessions in Cincinnati, Ohio. I enjoyed meeting several people from all over the United States and the world. There will be some good changes coming down the chain of command in the future.

#### **BRONZE AWARD FOR ARTHRITIS**

Good job, Washington. Our state received the Bronze Award for the Arthritis Fund. It was an honor to be there to receive

it and return it to the Rebekah Assembly of Washington. Our Grand Master Laurel Delony also received one for the Grand Lodge. Keep up the good work!

I will be visiting lodges and looking forward to meeting with you and hearing about your goals you have for your lodges.

Please remember to be friendly, loving and truthful when you meet a prospective new member. Be sure to ask them to join your lodge and then guide them in the rules and regulations of our Order.

Thanks to those who attended my reception on September 22. Thanks to the members of my Columbian Rebekah Lodge #220 and Washougal IOOF Lodge #194 for their support.

# THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Tuesday, October 2 Official visit with Leah Rebekah Lodge #22 And Alder #180 at 5 p.m.
- Saturday, October 6 Visitation to the District #18 Meeting in Onalaska. Hosted by Pine Burr Rebekah Lodge #300.
- Saturday, October 13 100th Birthday for the Des Moines IOOF Lodge Hall.
- Wednesday, October 17 Official visit to Rainbow Rebekah Lodge #31 in Orting at 1 p.m.
- Wednesday, October 17 Official visit to Lorraine Rebekah Lodge #289 in Des Moines at 8 p.m.
- Thursday, October 18 Official visit to Salmon Bay Rebekah Lodge #217 in Ballard (Seattle) at 1 p.m.
- Tuesday, October 23 Official visit to Eola Rebekah Lodge #63 In Buckley at 7 p.m.

As I close, I will share this poem with you that I read:

Friends forever, that's how it is when lonely hearts connect.

Friends are there in the time of need to comfort and console.

Friends see beyond the obvious, forgive our mistakes.

Friends share our joys and sorrows when no one seems to care.

Friends forever, how sweet the voice that simply says "I care."

Proverbs 17:17 "A friend loves at all times."

Be friendly to others, love one another and forever be truthful.

In Friendship, Love and Truth, Joyce Miller, President.
Rebekah Assembly of Washington

# In Oak Harbor

# Acorn Theta Rho #79

Happy Halloween to all of you.

We had several members attend the reception for Grand Master Laurel Delony and Theta Rho President Shamanice Gordon. Those who attended had a fun time at the retreat following at the IOOF Park in Olympia and the East-West picnic the next day.

This month we have another movie night scheduled and our Halloween party where we will do our scavenger hunt for the food bank. We always invite prospective members to this and hope to get some new members. We are also planning on doing a food drive the next Saturday at Albertsons. In keeping with the hunger theme this month, we made our annual donation to "Feed the Children." Our donation will provide 100 pounds of food for needy families.

Be careful of the ghosts and goblins!

Until Next Month In Happiness Through Service,
 The members of Acorn #79

# From the desk of the Assembly Secretary



MARCIA PRESLEY

# A BEAUTIFUL STATE TO CELEBRATE FALL

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

The month of October brings the beginning of fall, with the leaves turning their beautiful colors of yellow, orange and red. We are fortunate to be living where fall brings these colors to our landscape. With the moisture (rain) we receive in October, our fish and wildlife have a wonderful environment in their habitats.



The IARA Representative and IARA Vice President Laura Argue told us about where she lives in the Province of Saskatchewan where all of the trees are hand-planted to make their landscape somewhat green. We have the luxury of having a beautiful green environment most of the year. I hope that none of our lodges were affected by the terrible wild fires we

experienced around our state.

#### OCTOBER IS DISTRICT MEETING & UNP MONTH

October is the month for our Fall District Meetings where we have programs of instructions. These meetings are also great places for our Representatives to give their reports to their Rebekah Lodges about our Sessions.

October is Odd Fellow and Rebekah United Nations Pilgrimage For Youth Month and World Orphan Week. The UNP is a wonderful program for our youth and we were fortunate to have five students attend this program in 2012. These young people are the future leaders and this is our contribution to society.

World Orphan Week provides individuals and communities around the world with a special opportunity to increase awareness of the plight of orphaned and abandoned children. One of the many projects of our Order is the SOS Children's Village where we are working together to improve the lives of at-risk orphaned and abandoned children. Do what you can to help with these programs.

# TIME FOR NOMINATIONS

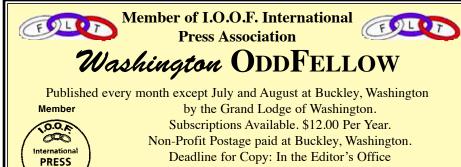
October is when your Lodges have their nominations for their new slate of officers for next year. Elections will be in November. Look well to your choices and elect your new officers for the betterment of your Lodge.

Making your lodge meetings more interesting for your members was discussed at Sessions and one of the ideas was to have a backward meeting, where you start your meeting with the closing and end up with the opening. Try it once. It may be something that will work for your lodge to bring more of your membership out to your meetings.

I close for now with this: Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment or the smallest act of caring all of which have the potential to turn a life around. Listening with your heart will lead to joy with friends in a loyal and happy way. You will find they are real "keepers." Everybody has a problem, lives with a problem, or *is a problem*.

With More Rebekah Hugs, in F., L. & T., Marcia Presley, PP, Secretary, Rebekah Assembly of Washington

# Happy Halloween To All!



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# From your 2012-2013 Theta Rho **President**



SHAMANICE GORDON

#### A BUSY FALL IS BEGINNING

Hello everyone! I hope you all were able to enjoy your summer and soak up some sun. Now is the time of year where things start to pick up and we

> all become occupied with school and work, but I still encourage all members to try and get our name out to the public in an effort to increase membership within our Order.

I hope everyone who was able to attend my joint reception with Grand Master Laurel Delony had a great time. Thank you for coming. Also, thanks for the gifts and don-

aions to my project. In Happiness Through Service, Shamanice Gordon, Theta Rho Assembly President



Members of Mystic Rebekah Lodge #168 and Bremerton Friendship IOOF Lodge #145 gather around their United Nations Pilgrimage representatives Robin Ralph and Max Cowdery.

# Mystic Rebekah Lodge #168 and Bremerton Friendship Lodge #145

Our lodges ended our summer break with a potluck dinner including our United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth student representatives and their families and friends. UNP representatives Robin Ralph and Max Cowdery spoke about their life changing experiences and shared pictures.

Odd Fellows present that evening were John Gaiski, Gordon Cooper, Don Cowdery and Brad Johnson. Rebekahs present were Ettamay Strange, Betty Gaiski, Florence Cowdery and Beverly Pry. Beverly's mother-in-law Elsie Burgett, before passing, financed numerous students for the UN Pilgrimage program. She sponsored a few grandsons. Max and sister Monica, Robin and sister Rachel. All were grateful for the experience and Elsie Burgett's friend-

Get well wishes are extended to Iris Hansen who is having therapy for an injured foot.

Helen Honeycutt and Gordon Cooper moved in July.

We extend our sympathies to Elizabeth Hoover (and her father) on the passing of her mother Irene, a former Arizona Rebekah.

Hello to all our homebound members and our members in assisted living facilities.

May the arrival of the fall foliage brighten your days.

To our Grand Master Laurel and Assembly President Joyce, congratulations and our thanks for your service and encouragement.

> Fraternally, Florence Cowdery, Reporter



# New leaders introduced

New Theta Rho Assembly President Shamanice Gordon, left, seems to be listening to some advice from new Grand Master Laurel Delony, right. This photo, provided by Sylvia Summers, was taken at their joint reception in Olympia on September 15. See story on page 1.



# Introducing the cast

Theta Rho Girls' Club members provided the cast of the "Wizard of Odd" at the September 15 reception for TRA President Shamanice Gordon and GM Laurel Delony. All are Spunky Bluebird members unless otherwise noted. From left are: Christina Dirks, Serenity Frogge', Shamanice Gordon, Bethany Bonds (Acorn), Celeste Frogge', Shari Russell (Etta of Oregon), Cassidy Feist, Faith Ghramm, Cassie Flitcroft (Acorn), Piper Fyffe, and Lauren Lazono.



# In the Land of Odd

Complete with flying monkeys, Toto, Lollipop Kids, a mayor and the Good Fairy of the West, Theta Rho Girls took Grand Master Laurel Delony and Theta Rho Assembly President Shamanice along the Yellow Brick Road to the Land of Odd where they meet up with Wizards of Odd who instructed them in leadership traits needed in the coming year. This all happened at the joint reception for Laurel and Shamanice on September 15. From left are Karen Hoylman, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of Washington; Piper Fyffe of Spunky Bluebirds; Shamanice Gordon; and Laurel Delony.

# Past President June Phillips passes away

Ella June Phillips was born June 13, 1926 and passed away on August 30, 2012 in Richland. Sister June (as most of us knew her by June) served as President of the Rebekah Assembly of Washington in 1993 and presided over the 102nd Annual Assembly Sessions held in Richland. Sister June had the honor of serving with her husband, Al Phillips, and they went

through the chairs in Assembly and Grand Lodge together. Brother Al passed away November 8, 2001.

Sister June joined Althea Rebekah Lodge #182 on November 24, 1970 and was elected as Noble Grand in 1986. She served as Noble Grand again in 1999. She was a very active member over her years as a Rebekah and lived up to the tenets of the Order of Friendship, Love and

As President, her program was: Flower, Red Roses; Emblem, an antique car; and her fun emblem was the Butterfly. Her colors were red, white and silver and her motto was "Travelling the highways and by-ways for togetherness in Odd Fellowship." Her aim was to promote togetherness with the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and the other Units of the Order. Her pro-



JUNE PHILLIPS

ject at the Home was to purchase a fountain for the new patio with the excess funds to be divided between the IOOF Park Water Fund and the Home to furnish a room. She lived up to her aims and motto every day of her life.

Sister June served as interim Assembly President in 2007 following the passing of Assembly President Dee Hanson. I had the opportunity and honor of serving as Assembly Vice President at this Session and had a front row seat for Sister June's second Session. Sister June's goal was to complete Sister Dee's aims, goals and her project of purchasing desk top computers for the residents of the Home to use. Sister June served many years on the Home Board of Directors until 2008 and always upheld the feeling and ideas of others.

Sister June will be surely be missed and our condolences go out to her family and many friends. I would like to add this poem:

# My Life Is Like A Rose:

My life is like a rose, forever blooming in thrust and hope.

My life is like a rose, wet with every tear shed by me, with sadness.

My life is like a rose, crystal dew falls, like another tear falling down my face.

My life is like a rose, all my petals on me are my values, which need to be met.

My life is like a rose, forever blooming in trust and hope.

A rose fills the air with its fragrance which lingers after the petals have faded and fallen to the ground. Its fragrances is the memory we have of all our families, our friends, our love for others. This memory is like the fragrance of the rose and lasts forever.

— Respectfully submitted, Marcia Presley, Past President, Rebekah Assembly of Washington

# Monterose Rebekahs #46 - Toledo

We are back to our meeting again as we held our first meeting on September 6. We all had a good summer — a time for vacations and fun in the sun.

After our roll call and meeting, Sisters enjoyed an informal sack lunch and

As of now, we are geared up for the District #18 Meeting on Saturday, October 6 with members of Pine Burr hosting. We have a program in the afternoon. We practiced after our September 20 meeting.

I must say that Rosalie, Bonnie, Sandy and I all enjoyed ourselves a whole bunch at Assembly. It was good to see everyone. For me, it is a thrill to be part of the Rebekahs. Lena and Joe had a good year. Now we give Laurel and Joyce our very best.

After nine years on the Home Board, Rosalie Davis gave notice of her retirement. A surprise is in store for Rosalie. I will keep you posted.

Did you make it to our Southwest Washington Fair? Cookie received a third place ribbon on her picture box while Sandy Holderman received a second place ribbon for her dried floral arrangement. I've done better in the past, but it is always fun to enter each year. Flowers were few this year.

Until next time, see you at the District #18 Meeting on October 6 at the Ethel Grange Hall in Onalaska.

. – In F., L., & T., Cookie Music, PNG & Reporter



# An honor for Butch

Cookie Music of Trinity Rebekah Lodge #179 in Napavine provided this photo taken at Grand Sessions last June. At left is Edmond L. "Butch" Reitan who was honored as Secretary Emeritus of the Grand Lodge of Washington. He was honored for his years of service to our Order by serving as Grand Secretary. In the middle is Butch's son, Grand Warden C. Allen Reitan. At right is Barbara Reitan, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of Washington.

# Militant Patriarchs

# **News from the Washington State Cantons & Battalion**

There will be a Muster of the Washington Battalion of the PM in Olympia at the Olympia IOOF Lodge #1 on Saturday, October 27. It will start with registration at 10 a.m. There will be a fee of \$10 for the registration and meal which will be prepared by the Ladies of the Auxiliary led by Lady Elizabeth Morgan. The Battalion will commence it's meeting at 1 p.m. Class A and B uniforms with sword will be the Uniform of the Day. Those not having uniforms should wear a white shirt, black tie and black trousers. Please bring swords if you have them.

We are honored to have Mt Si Canton # 36 host this October, 2012 Battalion Meeting.

The Battalion voted in November of 2011 to have two meetings a year to conduct business and do drills. These October semi-yearly meetings prepare the Cantons for the Fall Meeting of the Northwest. New officers of the Battalion will be voted in, and prepare for the next year at the Olympia Meeting. The April meetings are set up for business for the upcoming year of 2013.

The Meetings of the Battalion will be held in 2013 on Saturday, April 13, 2013 and on Saturday, October 12, 2013.

The Battalion wants to extend a special thanks to Olympia Lodge #1 for their making the lodge building available to us, both Canton #20 and the meeting of the Washington Battalion.

We expect the Department Commander Colonel Alan Jackson of Oregon, to make a visitation at the meeting. Officers and Chevaliers and Ladies of the LAPM of Oregon also have been invited.

Any Member of the Royal Purple Degree who is interested in the PM, please come to this Battalion meeting where you can get your questions answered and meet the Chevaliers and Ladies. There will be a closed-door meeting after the lunch at 1 p.m. So do try to come around 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

— In F., L. & T. and F., H. & C. and Chivalrously, Colonel William (Bill) Snyder, Captain, Canton # 20 Olympia, And Vice President of the Washington Battalion,

And Deputy Department Commander of the Pacific Northwest Department Council of the Militant Patriarch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows

# Kapowsin Rebekah Lodge #241

It was with much sadness that the members of Kapowsin Rebekah Lodge #241 draped our Charter in loving memory of PNG Sharon Harris and PNG Norma Roberts. The PNG's performed the Rebekah service for each of these Sisters. We also extended our prayers to Kathy Canon who lost her father.

Several members attended the meeting at Yelm Rebekah Lodge #296 on September 17. This was the official visit for our new Assembly President Joyce Miller.

Congratulations to the members of

Warren Rebekah Lodge #308 who decided to remain in their lodge hall. There are a lot of good old memories after 97 years.

The PNG's will initiate candidates on Monday, October 15 at the Elk Plain Grange. Lunch will be served at noon.

We had two sales during the summer months. Some people are more interested in buying something to eat. We hope to have another sale in December. Donations are needed.

In F., L. & T., Lena Swetz, Reporter

# Fall 2012 Northwest

# ODD FELLOW/REBEKAH ASSOCIATION MEETING

And

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Pre-Registration Military Meeting \$20 each US Funds Includes the cost for lunch		\$
Friday Banquet \$40 each US Funds		\$
Pre-Registration NWOF Meeting \$15 each US Funds		\$
Saturday Luncheon All American BBQ Buffet \$25 US Hamburgers, hot dogs, tossed salad, potato salad, Deviled eggs, baked beans, & potato chips with dip		\$
Saturday Banquet LUAU Theme \$45 each US Funds		\$

# Pre-Registration Cut Off - October 29, 2012

Make Checks Payable To: Grand Lodge of Oregon, IOOF

Send To:

Grand Lodge of Oregon

3202 SE Holgate Blvd., Portland, OR 97202

# Narcissa Rebekah Lodge #2

What a beautiful fall evening it was, on September 4 when Narcissa Lodge members met at Klicker's Barn for our first meeting since the summer break! Thirty-six of us gathered at 5:30 p.m., along with members of Bee Hive and Enterprise Lodges, for barbequed hamburgers (with all of the trimmings) and strawberry shortcake — all provided by the Klicker family. We enjoyed eating at tables that had been set up outside. A big thanks to Ron Klicker for inviting us to come not only for his delicious hamburgers, but also for such a special time of fellowship prior to our 7 p.m. meeting in the barn. It was great to have 30 members present at the meeting, including eight guests from Bee Hive.

Barbara Tvrz reported that she and Barbara Lechner had visited Jackie Klicker, Alice Davidson and Dorothy Gordon. It was good to see Pat Grigg at the meeting and we pray for continued healing of her leg. Also, we were pleased to learn that Dorothy Watson is doing okay according to her daughter, Paula, who resides in North Bend

We miss both Judy Zohner, who has completed about two-thirds of her radiation and chemotherapy treatments, and Jane Hanson, who is at home and receiving help from Hospice.

The YWCA sent a note thanking

Narcissa for the monetary gift.

Our members were issued an invitation to help Marthann Hall celebrate her 90th birthday during a reception on Saturday, September 15 at the Fort Walla Walla Museum.

Narcissa's Homecoming Dinner is scheduled for Saturday, October 13 in the Miriam Street Fireside Room at 115 Miriam St. in Walla Walla. Dinner will be served at 4:30 p.m. and the price will be \$12.50. All members, along with spouses or guests, are invited. Reservations in the form of monetary payments must be received by October 1. Checks may be made payable to Narcissa Rebekah Lodge #2, and mailed to PO Box 482, Walla Walla, WA 99362. Come join us as we celebrate Narcissa's birthday and honor those who will be receiving jewels.

Those who will be serving on the nominating committee are Jeannine Griffin, Barbara Lechner and Rose Ringhoffer.

Before adjournment, we had the pleasure of hearing a beautiful "Tribute to the American Flag" as Alco Canfield told us what each color (the red, the white, and the blue) means to her and why she is proud to be an American.

In F., L. & T., Nancy Klicker, Reporter



Trinity Noble Grand Albert Luurs, second from left, greets our new Grand Master Laurel Delony, second from right. At the far left is Jean Parnel and at far right is Sandy Holderman.

# Trinity Rebekahs #179 - Napavine

We had a busy summer. Besides Assembly in June, we had several fund-raisers that kept us on the go. We hosted a community garage sale in our lodge hall during "Fun Time Days" in July and a coffee stop at the Toutle River Rest Area

in early August. Both events brought in worthwhile profits.

An initiation was held at our lodge on June 28. We offer Lena Swetz and members of Ruth Rebekah Lodge #17 a big thank you for initiating our new member Lori Moerke. We feel she will fit right in and be a big help to us.

Congratulations went out to Delia McNelly who was on hand to receive her 55-Year Jewel. Now that's quite an honor. She joined the Rebekahs in March of 1956 right out of high school. She's been an active member all these years. A job well done, Delia!

It was a beautiful day on Saturday, August 25 for our Rebekah picnic held at Candy and Lee Koons' home in Napavine. There was plenty of food, games and time to just relax in their beautiful back yard.

This wraps up our summer news. I am glad to get back to our meetings again.

Cookie Music and PGM Don Hepp catch up on old times following the Installation of Officers at Grand Sessions in Yakima on June 19. Don said he remembers the good times at Trinity Lodge. He also asked Cookie to tell the ladies hello!

In F., L. & T., Cookie Music, PNG and Reporter

# Olympia IOOF Lodge #1 Ruth Rebekah Lodge #17

Olympia IOOF Lodge #1 lost an anchor recently. PJ Fluetsch held fast to the principles of Odd Fellowship and encouraged everyone around him to give their best. This morning I read a verse in Hebrews that spoke of holding unswervingly to the hope we profess and of encouraging others toward love and good deeds. Both PJ and his wife Lucille lived this concept.

As Brother and Sister Odd Fellows, PJ would expect nothing less of each one of us than to continue in the work we have in front of us. We each need to be looking outside our comfort zone to the needs in our communities.

If we are to meet the new and varied needs of today's society, we need new, energetic members. Olympia #1 is hosting a Degree Day on Saturday, October 20. This is a great day of

exemplifying our heritage and the principles by which we live. Look around at your family and friends. Who would you like to encourage toward love and good deeds in the same manner our forefathers did? Invite them to join the Odd Fellows and to work beside you in improving our community.

Degree Day starts with coffee and doughnuts at 9 a.m. Lunch will be served by Ruth Rebekah Lodge #17. Any lodge interested in joining us should call Bob or Frank at the Memorial Park at (360) 352-8601.

It doesn't seem possible that the holiday season is almost upon us. Be watching for training events, holiday parties and opportunities to make a difference.

In F., L. & T., Cathy Garcia, Sec.

# Sylvan Glen Rebekah Lodge #184

Elayne Novotny made a beautiful quilt for a money-maker. The winner's name will be drawn in October at the District #18 Meeting.

Chaplain Luellyn Ainsworth had company from Spokane for more than a week. Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren did the lawn mowing, house cleaning and took her to the doctors. Things are beginning to look better. We are all improving after a pretty wild summer.

Corky Walker is doing very well

after having a rough time with her leg veins.

Lunch was rice casserole, tossed salad and lemon bars served by Noble Grand Carolyn Turner and Secretary Leona Treznoski. It was delicious!

Jerry and Wayne Purtell shared special ripe peaches with the members. Marian Moon has been sharing fresh vegetables from her garden.

With happiness and love to all. . . In F., L. & T., Luellyn Ainsworth, PNG, Chaplain and Reporter

# United Nations trip was an experience never forgotten!

When Frank Wilson asked me to be a tour leader on the 2012 United Nation Pilgrimage for Youth (UNP), little did I know the amazing and unforgettable opportunity he was offering me. Spending two weeks with 49 teenagers in 90 plus degree temperatures with little sleep turned out to be one of the richest and most enjoyable and exhausting adventures I have experienced.

Our journey began at the Holgate Center in Portland, Oregon with an elegant send-off dinner attended by top IOOF dignitaries from Washington and Oregon. Hearing of all the work and support that had been put into making our trip possible, we were sent off feeling exceptionally honored to be representing our jurisdictions on this celebrated tour. When we arrived in Philadelphia and met up with the other delegates, an instant camaraderie developed. Despite being from different states and countries, the delegates immediately recognized they had something uniquely in common. They had all been chosen to take part in an incredible experience.

Touring Philly en masse the next morning was an impressive feat. With the skill of professionals, our Odd Fellow guides finessed all 150 of us through streets of their city with ease. With historical sights on every corner and new friends in abundance, the delegates captured every moment in multiple photos. Then suddenly we were whisked off to New York City in the non-stop-action pace we quickly became accustom to. Completely transfixed by the towering skyscrapers and bustle of humanity, we arrived at the Affina Hotel, our upscale accommodations in the middle of Manhattan. As the New York UNP staff welcomed and briefed us on the upcoming activities in store, there was no doubt we were in for five days of first-class excitement. Our first stop was the United Nations.

Upon entering the UN, a collective mood of reverence fell over us. To stand in the place where the countries of world comes together in peace is a humbling experience. The reality of being in this important place came to life as we watched members of the General Assembly, many dressed native garb, gather in the lobby and caught a glimpse of Secretary General, Ban Ki-Moon being ushered through the crowd. We toured through the UN and later listened to UN program speakers tell of their work. The delegates listened and took notes for the speeches they would soon be required write. Although I saw them working earnestly to assembly their words, I was concerned they may not be grasping the full impact of what they had seen and heard. I was wrong. With every speech I heard, I was struck by their sincere concern for humanity and was deeply inspired by their realizations of the power they possessed to make a difference. (Note of interest: Of the six speech finalist chosen, three were from Washington and Oregon). If our tour had ended at this point, the goals of the program would have been completely fulfilled.

But the fun was not over yet. Our stay in New York was jammed packed with excursions to the top of Rockefeller Center to watch a spectacular sunset, a ride on the Staten Island Ferry to stand at the base of the Statue of Liberty and to take in the history of Ellis Island, a walk through the bustling Financial District and chic 5th Avenue, dressing up for an elegant dinner and attending the Broadway musical "Mama Mia" followed by an enchanting walk under the dazzling lights of Times Square. And all this, and more, while in the esteemed company of our tour companions.

For the next leg of the trip, we sadly said goodbye to two-thirds of our new friends and the dedicated New York UNP staff and boarded our original buses headed off in different directions to Ottawa, Niagara Falls, Gettysburg, and Washington, D.C. All along the way we were hosted by amazingly generous Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and even a newly-formed United Youth Group. They welcomed us into their lodges and spoiled us with warm, home-cooked meals and fascinating and educational tours around their city and towns. It didn't take long for the delegates to become interested in who these wonderful people were. Experiencing their kindness and care added one more dimension to the delegates understanding of the good work being done by our Order.

Spending every waking hour (and some sleeping ones too) together in the confined space of a tour bus for six days has a way of creating family. We were the Green Bus and proud of it — Nils our funny Finnish tour leader, John our trusty, kind-hearted bus driver, Kevin our official head-counter, Holly my trusty personal assistant, Ellsa our spirited song leader, Josh our ukulele strummer, plus an additional 45 unique, delightful and energetic delegates (wish I could tell you about of the them), and me. We laughed, and talked, and walked, and ate, and sang, and laughed some more. We looked out for each other, and knowing we'd never again have the opportunity to share the same combination of personalities and experiences, we made the most of our time together.

As we returned to Philadelphia for the last leg of our journey — the trip home, there was a sense of immense appreciation for what we had experienced and great sadness that it was ending. We had been changed by both the experiences and the friendships we formed. With many pictures, hugs and tears we said goodbye knowing there will always be a special place in our hearts for our Green Bus Family and the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth is a tangible example the important contribution our Order makes to the good of society. The program takes ordinary teenagers and helps them to recognize their extraordinary potential. By exposing them to the sights, experiences and people of world, we are professing our unfaltering faith in them as individuals and in



Trying on hats in Philadelphia are Jill Sha of Washington, Willa Childress of Oregon and Tyler Gogenola of Washington.

so doing are contributing to the greater good of all. In touching a few, ripples of goodness are sent to the many.

#### Preparing For 2013

If you know a student, between the ages of 16 and 17 by July 2013 with one year of high school remaining who might be interested in an all-expense paid trip of a life time, please contact Frank Wilson, Washington State UNP Chairman, for more information. You may contact Frank at (360) 491-5913 or email him at **flw0282@comcast.net** or write him at 4701 23rd Ave SE, Lacey, WA 98503.

Sylvia Summers, UNP Tour Leader



Enjoying Niagara Falls, Canada, are Freya Jamison of Washington, Elle Holscher of Oregon and Robin Ralph of Washington.

# Salmon Bay Rebekahs #217 - Ballard

Wow! What a great meeting to open the new "school" year. There were no bills but loads of business to be taken care of. Sister Betty Young gave a complete and interesting report of the Assembly Sessions. Salmon Bay is lucky to have a Representative as thorough as Betty. She also brought home the Arthritis Fund plaque to honor Salmon Bay's continuing financial support.

It is sad to note that there are only 43 lodges left here in Washington and none in Alaska.

Sister Noreen Lucas read a note from long-time member Luellyn Ainsworth and shared a little history of Sister Luellyn's many lodge affiliations

Sister Olive Cella has had several falls this summer and at 97, it is difficult to "bounce" back. Her daughter, Salmon Bay Treasurer Rae Ann Marrelli, stayed with her almost two weeks to provide physical as well as emotional support. Olive planned to take part in the initiation on September 20. Salmon Bay welcomed four (that's right, *four!*) new members into the fold. They are Katie Rose

Aldridge, Karen Lindquist, Kanjin Cederman and Michael Douglas. This will truly strengthen the bonds of fellowship between the Ballard-Alki Odd Fellows and the Salmon Bay Rebekahs as all the new members are already Odd Fellows. The initiation hasn't happened as I write this, but it is hoped that Sister Barbara Reitan will assume the role of Chaplain for the Initiation Degree as she had already planned to visit Salmon Bay that day. Brother Greg Powers prepared an initiatory slide show and Sister Regina Thomas sang. A pot luck preceded the ceremony to personally welcome the new members.

A pot luck lunch is also planned to celebrate the official visit of Assembly President Joyce Miller at our last meeting of October. There's nothing like "getting to know you" over a cup of coffee and good food!

Sister Genie and Brother Gene Coston are finally home again. There is still some work that needs to be done in their basement, but they are happy to be home!

In F., L. & T., Donna Flatt, Reporter

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Meets At: 106th & 1st St., around corner from old lodge, Ilwaco. Time: 1st & 3rd Wed., 7 pm. NG: Kathleen Middleton, 13307 Teal Ln. Long Beach, WA 98631. Ph: (360) 642-3888. Sec'y: Fred Molsby, PO Box 4, Ilwaco, WA 98624. Ph: (360) 783-2465

# KAPOWSIN REBEKAH LODGE #241

Meets At: Elk Plain Grange, 21817 Mountain. Hwy. E., (Hwy. 7) Spanaway. Time: 1st & 3rd Mon., 1:30 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Charlene Boyd, PO Box 24, Eatonville, WA 98328. Sec'y: Lena Swetz, 199 Canyon Rd., Silvercreek, WA 98585. Ph: (360) 983-3105

# LORRAINE REBEKAH LODGE #289

Meets At: 728 S. 225th St., Des Moines, WA 98198. Time: 1st & 3rd Wed., 8 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Nancy Foster, 23411 25th Ave. S., Des Moines, WA 98198. Ph: (206) 375-5256. Sec'y: Betty Young, 26501 - 128th Ave. SE, Kent, WA 98030. Ph: (253) 631-5503

# MONTEROSE REBEKAH LODGE #46

Meets At: Toledo Fire Dept., 150 E. 2nd St., Toledo. Time: 1st & 3rd Thurs., 12:30 pm. Recess:, July, Aug., NG: Rosalie Davis, 569 Jackson Hwy., Toledo, WA 98591. Ph: (360) 864-2042. Sec'y: Dorothy Music, 222 Gish Rd., Onalaska, WA 98570. Ph: (360) 262-3186

# MT. VERNON I.O.O.F. LODGE #23

Meets At: Odd Fellows Park, 96 S. Camano Ridge Rd., Camano Is. Time: 2nd & 4th Tues., 7 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Harlan Grant, 55 Bluebird Ln., Camano Island, WA 98282. Ph: (360) 387-8475. Sec'y: John L. Avena, 79 Wren Lane, Camano Is. WA 98282. Ph: (360) 387-7080

# MYSTIC REBEKAH LODGE #168

Meets At: IOOF Temple, 100 S. Dora, Bremerton, WA. Time: 1st & 3rd Tues., 8 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Ettamay Strang, 5798 Eells NW, Bremerton, WA 98311. Ph: (360) 479-1261. Sec'y: Florence Cowdery, 100 S. Dora Ave, Bremerton, WA 98312. Ph: (360) 876-1819

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# OAK LEAF REBEKAH LODGE #254

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# **RUTH REBEKAH LODGE #17**

Meets At: IOOF Hall, 405 Columbia St. SW, Olympia. Time: 2nd & 4th Wed., 7:30 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Jennie Nagel Cole, 1841 Trosper Rd., NO 7, Tumwater, WA 98580. Ph: (360) 352-5299. Sec'y: Elizabeth Morgan, PO Box 5861, Lacey, WA 98509-5861. Ph: (360) 459-5964

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# TRINITY REBEKAH LODGE #179

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# WARREN REBEKAH LODGE #308

Meets At: Parkside Chapel in Roy. Time: 2nd & 4th Wed., lunch at noon, meeting at 1 pm. Recess: July, Aug. NG: Deb Gulley, PO Box 107, Roy, WA 98580. Ph: (253) 843-1502. Sec'y: Mary Robinson, 3905 S. 372nd St., Auburn, WA 98001. Ph: (206) 778-9953

# WASHOUGAL I.O.O.F. LODGE #194

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# YAKIMA I.O.O.F. LODGE #22

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# YELM REBEKAH LODGE #296

Meets At: Deschutes Grange Hall, 16435 Vail Road SE, Yelm, WA. Time: 1st & 3rd Mon., 1:00 pm. Recess: June, July. NG: Jennie Cole, 1841 Trosper Rd., #7, Tumwater, WA 98512. Ph: (360) 352-5199. Sec'y: Nancy Huddleston, 14129 - 93rd Ave. SE, Yelm, WA 98597. Ph: (360) 458-2361