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EXTRA! EXTRA!
READ ALL ABOUT IT!



2020-2021 Department of Oregon
VFW Commander George Carroll and Department Auxiliary President
Debra Wright Honored at National Convention

The 2020 to 2021 year was a good one for the state of Oregon. First of all, 2021 marked the 100th anniversary of the Department of Oregon VFW. Then, at the National Convention in Kansas City held July 31 through August 4, State Commander George Carroll was awarded the coveted **“Triple Crown”** award for achieving All-American status at the Post, District and State levels and Department President Debra Wright led her Auxiliary to the **“Circle of Excellence”** by meeting all the criteria required by the National Auxiliary to the VFW organization, including 100% plus in membership. It was truly a time of celebration for the Department of Oregon VFW and its Auxiliary!

Congratulations George, Debra and the whole Oregon Team!



Dept of Oregon VFW Team watches as State Commander George Carroll hangs “All American” ribbon on VFW Banner.



President Debra Wright with Oregon State Sign and “Circle of Excellence” banner.



Commander in Chief Hal Roesch presenting Oregon’s “Century Award” Certificate to State Commander George Carroll.

UPDATES

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Get Your Programs Started Now!

Its September already, that means your programs should be planned and put into motion. This year it's especially important to work your community service programs because of the added requirements to become an All-American post.

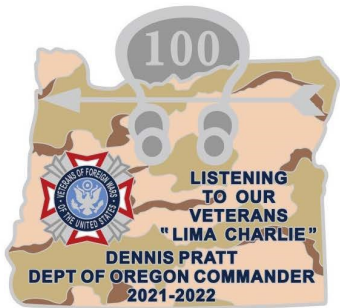
If you have not had time to look over the requirements to become an All-American Post this year, there have been three major additions to the requirements. One is the requirement to not only report your community service activities but also to increase last year's reporting by ten percent. The second change is that each post must partner twice with two different organizations. The third requirement is to have a social media presence.

The ten percent increase in community can easily be accomplished by reporting what your post members have been doing. Try to get more members to report what they did, and do not forget to report the miles it took to get there. You can increase the number of members that report by having your members report their community service hours every month so that the events are not forgotten. Another way to get more reporting is to send out emails to post members so that even those that do not show up to your meetings can report what they have done.

The community partnerships can come from just about any other organization. They do not have to be a veteran organization, but the partnerships need to be during an event where you both work together to make the event a success. It must be more than your post showing up in the audience or your post donating money for the event. When your post partners with other organizations and you create partnerships within your community, your post will attract more attention and establish some goodwill in your community.

Finally, National has recognized the importance of social media and the value of getting the word out about what your post is doing in the community. National has chosen Facebook to be the social media platform of choice because it is already widely used, and it can be paired with other social media platforms. The other advantage of Facebook is that it can integrate the National Facebook page so that when there is a post on the National page, it will be updated on your page as well. This allows more people to get the messages coming from National.

This is just a summary of these changes. More information on these community service criteria as well as the complete list of requirements can be found in your roster and on the National website. These changes reflect the VFW's continued effort to not only modernize our organization but to make all posts a bigger asset for their communities and veterans. It is best summed up in Commander in Chief Fritz Milhelcic's theme for this year, "The Time is Now."



PATRIOT DAY : SEPTEMBER 11, 2021 20th Anniversary



POW-MIA REMEMBRANCE DAY: SEPTEMBER 17, 2021



SEPTEMBER IS SUICIDE PREVENTION MONTH. DO YOU KNOW THE FIVE SIGNS?



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Greetings Comrades and Auxiliaries!

Boy is this year flying by! Cindy and I drove to Kansas City for the National Convention. It was a great trip. We left home on the 25 of July and went to South Dakota to spend a couple of days at my daughter's. We toured Custer's battlefield in Montana. It was very interesting and from there we went to Mt. Rushmore, also saw the Crazy Horse memorial. After the convention we drove to Ft. Hood, Texas and visited our grandson and family. We left there and went to Corpus Christie to look at some property but decided not to buy anything there. Left there for home and got home on August 7th. It was good to be home.

Since then, Dale Pack and I have been to Coquille Post 965, working with them to elect Officers and get their Election reports done. On the 16th of August we attended the Celebration of Life for former ODVA Director Jim Willis. September 1st Dale and I went to a Veterans dinner in Hood River where we are working to start a VFW post! Cindy and I attended a Sandy Post 4273 family outing and picnic on Sunday, August 22, 2021. We had close to 30 people there and had a great time.

Now that we are back to business as usual, our posts need to be working on membership!! At the end of every month, we should be looking at whose dues need to be paid and contacting these members. This accomplishes two things: You are doing welfare checks and collecting their dues. We still have members that will require some assistance. By doing this monthly it reduces the stress and time spent at the end of the year trying to be at 100 percent for membership - which should be the goal of every Post Commander!! It is also the time to be in our schools working on Scholarship programs. The new pamphlets are out for Patriots Pen and Voice of Democracy, and they need to be in the schools now.

"Get on Board" visits are starting soon, as well as District inspections. I am looking forward to seeing all of you! Remember, if you need help with a recruiting event, we would be glad to assist you with Recruiting!

Thank You,

Allen Anderson
Senior Vice Commander

DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT

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Greetings Brothers, Sisters and Comrades,

What a month we have had! On August 14 we were at VFW Post 1324 in Oregon City for our first Auxiliary Training Academy. August 21 found us at VFW Post 4039 in Creswell for our second Training Academy. On August 26, 2021, we gathered at the airport in Redmond to greet our National President Jean Hamil. August 28 was our final Training Academy, which was also held at VFW Post 4108. I want to thank those of you who attended one of the Academies and the Chairmen who did such a great job sharing their programs and ideas for working them. You make me proud to be part of this Department!

I want to thank everyone who made Jean's visit to Central Oregon memorable for her. Jean was only here for an evening and the following day, but we made sure it was packed full, starting with an Aisle of Honor at the Redmond Airport, where the Airport staff treated us like VIPs. We not only had several members of District 10 Auxiliary there, but we also had the Auxiliary State officers and from the VFW we had National Surgeon General Dennis Guthrie, National Councilmember John Wrinkle, State Commander Dennis Pratt, National Legislative Chair Rick Higgins, District 10 Commander Joe Steller, Grand Commander Floyd Leach, Mitch Miller from VFW Post 12123 and Cliff Brumels from VFW Post 4108. I think Jean was impressed. This was her first Aisle of Honor and we set the bar pretty high!

On August 27 we took Jean to the High Desert Museum in Bend where VFW Post 4108 member Frank Graham gave us a in depth tour of the exhibits. We finished the day with a dinner at 4108. Speakers were Redmond Mayor and Life Member of the VFW George Endicott, Councilmember and Life Member of the Auxiliary Krisanna Clark Endicott, National Surgeon General Dennis Guthrie and State Commander Dennis Pratt. The emcee for the evening was National Councilmember John Wrinkle, who did a great job as usual. Just give him a mike and stand back!

District meetings will start in September, and I look forward to visiting some of you. I want to hear how you are all doing and if there is any way we can help your Auxiliaries succeed. I hope you will all come prepared to share your ideas with me.

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OREGON DINNER DURING
NATIONAL CONVENTION.
JOHNNY’S TAVERN, KANSAS
CITY, MISSOURI.



STATE SURGEON



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Veterans from all eras are reacting to the recent events unfolding in Afghanistan. Some veterans might be questioning the meaning of their service or whether it was worth the many sacrifices they made. Others may feel moral distress about experiences they had during their service. Know that you are not alone and that it is normal to have these types of feelings.

Mental health resources are available for veterans who have been watching the recent headlines about Afghanistan and might be feeling frustrated or demoralized. It is vital to talk with your friends and family, reach out to battle buddies, connect with a peer -to-peer network or sign up for mental health services.

Joe Reagan is the director of military and veterans’ outreach for Wreaths Across America. Reagan, an Army veteran who served two tours in Afghanistan with the 10th Mountain Division, knows from personal experience what it's like to grapple with post-traumatic stress. "The biggest threat to our veterans is the stigma we attach to mental health issues like PTSD, as it prevents us from seeking help," he said.

In a statement, Wounded Warrior Project officials noted that “developments in Afghanistan may bring back difficult memories for warriors and their families.” Anyone needing assistance is urged to contact their counselors at 888-997-2586 or find re-sources at their website (www.woundedwarriorproject.org).

Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America (IAVA) stated that veterans who served in the recent wars should remember that their service “was important and mattered.” The organization’s Quick Reaction Force is available online at their website (www.iava.org).

Vet Centers are community-based counseling centers that provide a wide range of social and psychological services, including professional readjustment counseling to eligible veterans, active-duty service members, including National Guard and Reserve components, and their families. More information can be found at www.vetcenter.va.gov.

Lastly, take a few moments to read the August 16, 2021 message to veterans from our VFW National Commander at vfw.org. The Commander-In-Chief stresses the immense value and dedication of those who served in Afghanistan and the debt of gratitude our nation owes you, especially during this time.

As a reminder, help is only a phone call or text away. The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline can be reached by calling 800-273-8255. The Veterans Crisis Line can be reached at 800-273-8255 and then press 1. The time is now for us to take care of ourselves and one another. Never forget that our battle cry is *No one does more for veterans!*

In Gratitude,

Andrea D. Summerlin
Department Surgeon

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES—HAVE YOU TALKED
TO YOUR LOCAL STUDENTS AND YOUTH GROUPS?



Voice of Democracy—For
Grades 9 thru 12.

Theme: “America: Where
do we go from here?”

(3 to 5 Minute Audio essay
due to sponsoring Post by
October 31, 2021.)



Patriot’s Pen Theme—For
Grades 6 thru 8

Theme: “How Can I Be a
Good American?”

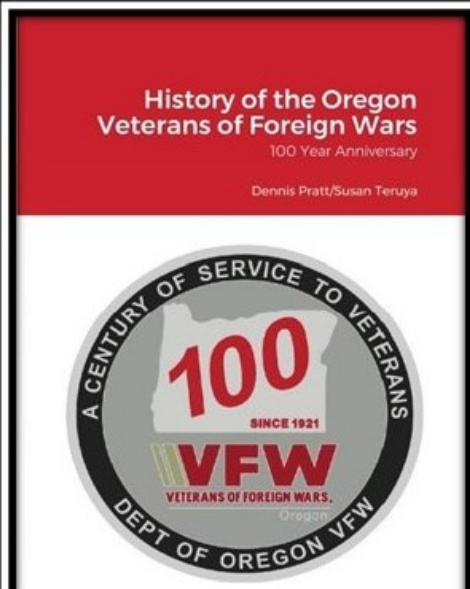
300 to 400 Written Essay. Due
to sponsoring Post by
October 31, 2021.

AVAILABLE NOW

For only \$20 you can own this commemorative paperback compilation of historical VFW information submitted by the posts and that was collected from numerous sources.

Also included is a detailed chronology of USA military wars, actions and military events.

Available at district meetings or by contacting the Department Commander.



Prefer a confidential chat line?
<https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/get-help/chat>

Prefer to Text?
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FRITZ MIHELICIC
Commander-in-Chief



August 27, 2021

The Honorable Mark Warner
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The Honorable Marco Rubio
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Dear Chairman Warner and Vice Chairman Rubio:

On behalf of the men and women of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S. (VFW) and its Auxiliary, I urge you to stand up a subcommittee to investigate, review, and publish a report on the negotiations, troop drawdown, and evacuation of Americans and our allies from Afghanistan.

While we have all watched the collapse of Afghanistan in bewilderment, we can no longer hold back our frustrations over the dire situation our service members, fellow American citizens, Afghan and NATO allies are currently in. How is it that we placed our trust, the security of our operations and the lives of our nation’s sons and daughters in the hands of the violent extremists we have been fighting against for the past twenty years? It is understandable an evacuation of this magnitude, under these circumstances, on this timeline would have some significant challenges, but this cannot be what right looks like.

We believe this committee is uniquely poised to best assess the steps that brought us to this point and bring swift, honest answers that the American public rightfully demands and deserves. Moreover, we believe that this committee will provide critical non-partisan analysis of the intelligence situation in Afghanistan over the last few years that informed decision-makers across the National Security apparatus and likely drove the decisions that resulted in the situation we face today.

America’s veterans, some of whom continue to shed blood in support of our nation’s ideals, are angry and distraught over how we came to this point. As we mourn the deaths of the 13 most recent brave Americans who gave their lives in defense of the innocent, the VFW will not settle for partisan finger-pointing and half-hearted excuses. We are turning to your committee to bring forward the truth so that America can learn from these mistakes and ensure the interests of our nation and its defenders remain paramount in future operations of this magnitude.

The VFW urges your leadership on this issue to honor the sacrifices that so many American service members, veterans, and military families have made over the last two decades in Afghanistan.

Sincerely,

Matthew M. Mihelcic
Commander-in-Chief
Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S.

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THE VFW IN ACTION
The Time is Now!

NATIONAL COUNCILMEMBER, OREGON



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Greetings Comrades. We have just completed the 125th National VFW Convention located in Kansas City, MO. I had the honor of attending two National Council of Administration meetings as your Oregon representative. I was also appointed to the National Committee on Appeals for my second year in office.

We confirmed the National Commander-in-Chief Fritz Mihelcic’s appointments, with the addition of the appointment of Dan West to Administration & Programs. The VFW National Home for Children also received our support, enabling them to mail out appeals to Post Commanders and Quartermasters. Our next meeting is scheduled for mid-September to discuss National’s budget.

In closing, I want to congratulate our State Commander Dennis Pratt and State Auxiliary President Valorie Wrinkle on being elected to their respective offices. It is with a deep sense of respect that I also congratulate our latest Triple Crown recipient Junior Past State Commander George Carroll. I would be remiss if I didn’t also congratulate our own Past Department Commander Dennis Guthrie on his election to National Surgeon General for 2021-2022. A hearty well done to all!

Fair winds and following seas,

John R. Wrinkle



VFW AUXILIARY UPDATES

DEPT. PRESIDENT *Cont. from pg. 2*

Please remember that the VFW and its Auxiliary are one team with a common goal of helping our veterans, active military and their families. Unfortunately, we seem to be losing members faster than we gain them, so we need to work together now more than ever. We don't always have to agree, but please do not let conflicting views keep you from your mission. It isn't about us, it's about the veterans and their families.

September is a month of remembrance. September 11 is the 20th anniversary of the biggest terrorist attack ever on US soil. If you are like me, the events of that day are etched in your memory. The third Saturday of the month, September 18, is POW-MIA Remembrance Day and the last Sunday of the month, September 26 is Gold Star Mother's Day. The entire month of September is Suicide Awareness Month. If your Auxiliary or Post is planning a special event or ceremony this month, please let me know or share it on Facebook.

I ask for prayers for the families of our Marines who sacrificed their lives in Afghanistan. Many veterans are affected by what happened there, and as family members of veterans, we know that certain things can trigger depression or anger in our vets. The best thing you can do is be there for them and get them help when they need it. With today's technology it is easier than ever to reach out for help via the Veterans Crisis Hotline. Keep the information listed below in your phone so it is always handy and so you can share it with someone who could benefit from the help available.

HOW TO CONNECT WITH Veterans Crisis Hotline by Phone: and Press 1.

By Text: 838255.

By Confidential Chat line: <https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/get-help/chat>

I hope to see you at your District meetings this month.

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Know what you read and what is written using the following words found in our National Bylaws:

May: Past-tense verb of might – use to indicate:

Possibility
Permission

Must: Verb used to indicate:

Obligation
Probability or certainty
Noun
Something that is required

Shall: Verb used to indicate:

At a future time.
Determination, obligation or intention.

Should: Past-tense verb of shall – use to indicate:

Obligation
Probability

I would ask you to remember what it was like when you were a new member. What kept you coming back to your Auxiliary? Did you have someone who was your mentor? It is up to each one of us to become that member that we looked up to the member who we should be. It is only through building on our foundation as an organization and working **Together** as a team that we will ensure continued success as an organization. The future is in our hands.

Kind hearts are the garden.
Kind thoughts are the roots.
Kind words are the blossoms.
Kind deeds are the fruits.

Anonymous

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Greetings Brothers & Sisters,

Training Academies are complete and Scholarship information is passed on. With that said, I know several of you were unable to attend one of the three Academy's. Here is a brief synopsis of the information:

The VFW Auxiliary offers two (2) Scholarship Programs, and the VFW Post offers two (2) Scholarship Programs:



Open to all 9th through 12th-grade students

Public, Private, Charter & Home Schooled students

2 & 3 Dimensional Projects

Submission Dates:

Student to Auxiliary – On or Before March 31, 2022

Auxiliary to District – On or Before April 10, 2022

District to Department – On or Before April 15, 2022

Department to National – On or Before May 5, 2022



Continuing Education Scholarship – Oregon & Nat'l

Eligibility Requirements:
Auxiliary Member for 1 year

National – Son or Daughter of Eligible Auxiliary Member

Oregon – Son, Daughter, or Grandchild of Eligible Auxiliary Member

Submission Deadlines:

Oregon – On or Before February 15, 2022

National – On or Before February 15, 2022



Patriots Pen

Theme 2021-2022 "How Can I Be a Good American?"

Open to All 6th, 7th & 8th-grade Public, Private, Charter & Home Schooled students

Submission Deadline:

Student to Post – On or Before October 31, 2021



Voice of Democracy

Theme 2021-2022 "America: Where Do We Go from Here?"

Open to all 9th through 12th grade Public, Private, Charter & Home Schooled students

Submission Deadline:

Student to Post – On or Before October 31, 2021

Remember to send a check to Sonya Saltee, Department of Oregon Treasurer to support our Scholarship Program. Now is the time to promote our Scholarships.

VFW AUXILIARY MID WINTER CONFERENCE
VALLEY RIVER INN, EUGENE
1000 VALLEY RIVER WAY
EUGENE, OREGON 97401

CALL 541-743-1000 FOR RESERVATIONS.

We have something a little different planned for this Mid Winter Conference. I hope you can be there to participate. You don't want to miss this one!

DATES:

The Mid-Winter Conference will be held on Saturday, February 5 and there will be a Council of Administration meeting February 6, 2022.

ROOM RATES:

The cost of the room is \$99.00 plus tax for a Double Queen or Single King. Price is for up to 4 people in a room. Each additional person is \$10 per night.

MEALS:

No information as of yet on the meals. As soon as we have details, we will put them on the Oregon VFW Auxiliary website at oregonvfwaux.org. We do hope to be able to have our Voice of Democracy Awards Banquet this year.

COVID REQUIREMENTS:

Since COVID has been around we have all had to be flexible and this will be no exception. You just never what is going to happen next! As the date gets closer we will let you know what the mask requirements will be.

VFW AUXILIARY UPDATES

VFW AUXILIARY FALL DISTRICT MEETING SCHEDULE					
DIST	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	DEPT REP	REMARKS
2	Oct 9	12:30pm	Masonic Lodge	Valorie	
		1:30 pm	66 4 th Street		12:30 lunch
			Warrenton, OR		1:30 meeting
4	July 18	1pm	Bandon Post 3440	Valorie	
			HWY 42S and Bates Road		1:00 pm lunch
			Bandon		2:00 pm meeting
6	Sept. 25	Noon/1pm	Post 4307	Cookie	
			Flora and River Street		12pm lunch
			Enterprise, OR		Meeting 1pm
					Community Connections
					702 NW 1 st street
7	Sept 26	12pm/1pm	Post 4116	Jessie	
			410 E Main Street		12pm lunch
			Rogue River		Meeting 1pm
8	Sept. 26	12pm-1pm	Dalles Veterans Home	Cookie	
			Or Pendleton if not available		12pm lunch
			The Dalles, OR		Meeting 1pm
9	Sept. 11	Noon/1pm	VFW Post 732	Valorie	
			143 SE Egvert Avenue		12pm lunch
			Siletz, OR 97380		1 pm meeting
10	Sept. 18	12/1pm	Redmond Post 4108	Debby Fawver	
			491 SW Veterans Way		12pm lunch
			Redmond.OOR		1pm meeting
12	Sept. 12th	2pm	Church	Valorie	
			181 E 2 nd Ave.		Social time at 1pm
			Sutherlin, OR 97479		Meeting 2pm
13	Sept 18	11:30am/1pm	Springfield Post 3965	Valorie	
			5344 Main St.		11:30 lunch
			Springfield, OR		1pm meeting
14	Sept. 19	1pm/2pm	Albany Post 584	Valorie	
			1469 Timeber ST. SE		1pm lunch
			Albany, Or		Meeting 2pm
15	Sept 18	9am -1pm	Three Rivers Post 1324	Janie	
			2 nd and Tumwater		9am training
			Oregon City, ORr		11:30amlunch
					1pm meeting
16	Sept. 18	9am -1pm	American Legion	Cookie	
			285 W. Main Street		9am training
			Hillsboro, OR		12 pm lunch
					1pm meeting



District Meetings are an opportunity for members to get together with members from other Auxiliaries in their area. It also gives Department Representatives a chance to visit with you and hear what your Auxiliary has been doing and find out if there is anything Department can help with. We all look forward to visiting with you!

See Page 10 for VFW District Meeting Schedule.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

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Patriotism Through Literacy!



Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Youth Activities covers a wide array of great programs for all ages of young people. All of the programs promote self-reliance, confidence, and pride in what they achieve. Work with young groups and direct them to the contests sponsored by the VFW Auxiliary. There is something to spark their interests.

Now is the time to get the word out about “Getting excited about the Red, White, and Blue”. This is a singing contest for grades K through 12th grade. Entry forms are available on Malta under Youth Activities.

Patriotism through Literacy promotes reading. Books can take you on a wonderful trip or be filled with fun facts. If kids learn to enjoy reading at an early age, they may spend less time on video games. The little libraries that are popping up in neighborhoods are a great book exchange. A child can get a book without having to wait for Mom or Dad. To sponsor one of these little libraries, you can go to Free little Libraries.org. All the information to get started is there.

Remember to report. It’s very important that I hear from you each month, even if you did not have anything to report. With the pandemic here again, it may be a challenge to get the kids engaged. Stay safe.

Loyally,

Odette Force
Youth Activities Chairman

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THE HEAVIEST LIFT YOU MAKE TODAY COULD BE YOUR PHONE.


CALL 24/7. TALK TO A FELLOW VET WHO UNDERSTANDS. COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL.

1-800-273-TALK (8255)

SEPTEMBER

SUICIDE AWARENESS MONTH!

Veterans
Crisis Line
1-800-273-4255

OREGON DEPARTMENT
of VETERANS' AFFAIRS



PATRIOT DAY 9/11

we will never forget

TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY, 9-11-2021



SEPTEMBER 17, 2021

POW-MIA REMEMBRANCE DAY



VFW TAPS

7-15-2021 to 9-9-2021

*In your hands, O Lord,
we humbly entrust our Comrades.*

*In this life you embraced them with your
tender love;
deliver them now from every evil
and bid them eternal rest.*

*The old order has passed away:
welcome them into paradise,
where there will be no sorrow, no weeping or
pain,
but fullness of peace and joy
with your Son and the Holy Spirit
forever and ever.*

Amen

Dist	Post	First_Name	MI	Last_Name	Date	Dist	Post	First_Name	MI	Last_Name	Date
2	10580	Charles	S	Parker	7/17/2021	7	4116	Stan	A	Scheiern	7/25/2021
4	4439	Walden	L	Daniel	9/7/2021	7	4116	Ernest	I	Silva	7/25/2021
4	4439	Jim	E	Sharp	8/24/2021	7	4116	William	H	Toliver	7/25/2021
4	6102	Kristopher	A	Cardenas	8/18/2021	7	4116	Earl	V	Upton	8/2/2021
5	1383	Clarence	P	Gomez	8/18/2021	7	4116	Harry	J	Vandewarker	7/25/2021
5	1383	Thomas	J	Lacey	8/20/2021	7	4116	Allen	M	Warfield	7/25/2021
6	4307	George	F	Ballard	7/27/2021	7	4116	Lloyd	A	Whitaker	8/2/2021
6	4307	Raymond	M	Garcia	8/30/2021	7	4116	Kenneth	E	Wozniak	7/25/2021
7	4116	John	W	Blosser	7/25/2021	7	9670	Hiroshi	W	Emori	8/18/2021
7	4116	Paul	J	Brown	7/25/2021	9	3232	Michael		Demaio	9/3/2021
7	4116	George	K	Butts	7/25/2021	9	3232	Frederick	T	Kolbeck	8/3/2021
7	4116	James	M	Carey	8/2/2021	9	3232	Charles	E	Lockhart	9/5/2021
7	4116	David	L	Christiansen	8/2/2021	10	1412	Bill	C	Britt	8/2/2021
7	4116	Richard	A	Colclasure	8/2/2021	10	1412	William	T	Wells	8/2/2021
7	4116	Walter	L	Edwards	7/25/2021	10	1643	Maury	E	Pruitt	8/25/2021
7	4116	Harold	A	Erwin Jr	8/2/2021	13	3473	Howard	E	Clark	8/4/2021
7	4116	Chuck	E	Freeman	7/25/2021	13	4039	Dennis		Rowland	8/27/2021
7	4116	Michael	D	Garner	8/2/2021	14	584	Eric	G	Czernowski	8/27/2021
7	4116	William	B	Hickey	7/25/2021	14	584	Edward	E	Le Roy	8/27/2021
7	4116	Edward	G	Hoover	7/25/2021	14	5638	Edward		Robertson	8/11/2021
7	4116	William	R	Kehm	7/25/2021	15	180	R	A	Whistler	8/20/2021
7	4116	Michael	J	Kelley	8/2/2021	15	1324	Gary	C	Hartt	8/19/2021
7	4116	Thomas	A	Lazette	8/2/2021	15	1324	Robert	F	Jackson	8/16/2021
7	4116	Larry	R	Lewis	8/2/2021	15	1324	Dean	W	Syron	7/20/2021
7	4116	Dionicio	G	Padilla	7/25/2021	15	4273	Donald	N	Langshaw	8/5/2021
7	4116	David	R	Repsher	7/25/2021	16	4015	Donald	E	Wermlinger	8/5/2021
7	4116	James	R	Riegel	7/25/2021						

LEGACY LIFE MEMBERS IN OREGON

Pictured below: Jean Hamil, National President of the Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars visited Central Oregon in August.



Above left: Jean Hamil being escorted to the Aisle of Honor at Redmond Airport. Above Center: Approaching the Aisle of Honor. Above Right: Department President Valorie Wrinkle and State Commander Dennis Pratt greeting Jean Hamil. Also pictured: National Surgeon General Dennis Guthrie. Many VFW and Auxiliary members came to make Jean welcome. Thanks to the VIP treatment the airport staff gave us, we were able to have an impressive Aisle of Honor!



Left: VFW Member Frank Graham leads a tour of the High Desert Museum in Bend.

Below: During a scenic tour to Mt. Bachelor, National Councilman John Wrinkle, National President Jean Hamil and National Surgeon General Dennis Guthrie earned their “Path Finder” badge when they found Sparks Lake and the Sisters mountains.



Right: Dept. Jr. Vice “Cookie” Little demonstrates how tall the “Blanket Stories: Talking Stick, Works Progress, Steward” Sculpture at the High Desert Museum stands. She is 5’, so 18’ plus??



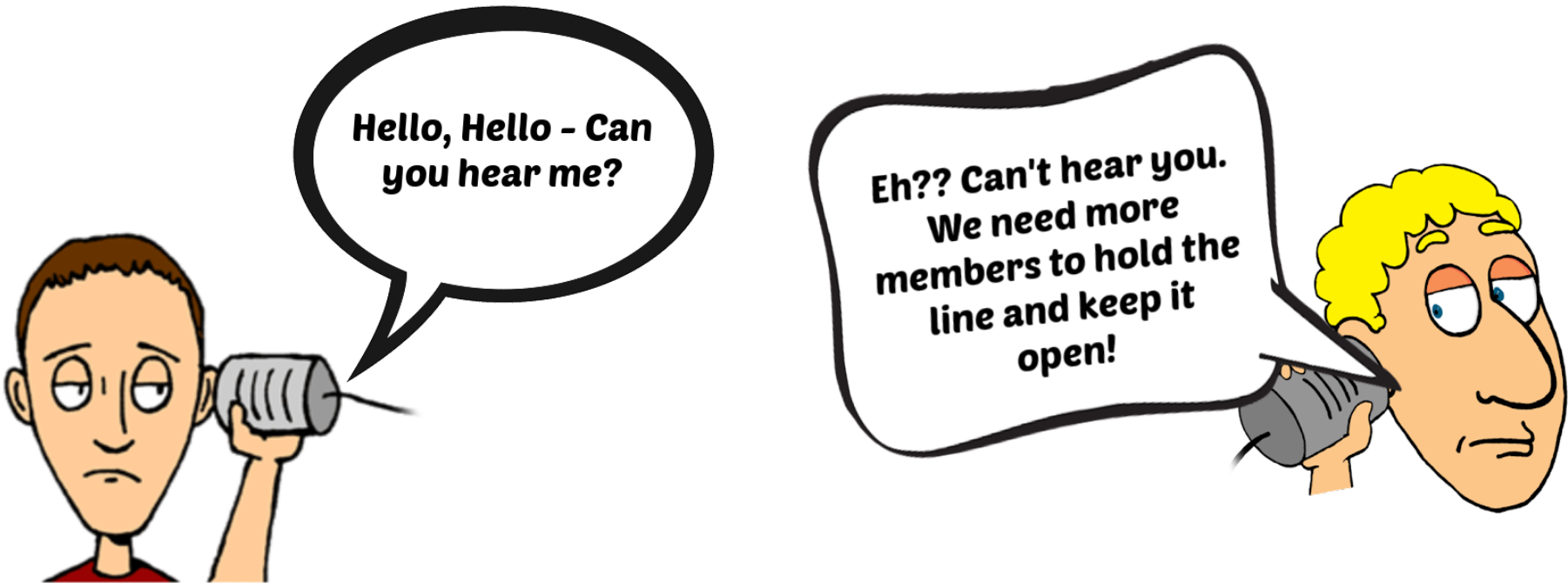
Above: Dept. Soloist Elizabeth Brock with father, retired Navy Corpsman Jason Brock and Dennis Guthrie.



Left: Jean Hamil speaking at banquet in her honor at VFW Post 4108. Right: Jean speaking with Redmond Mayor and VFW Life Member George Endicott and his wife, Auxiliary Life Member and City Councilwoman Krisanna.



MEMBERSHIP



DEPARTMENT OF OREGON MEMBERSHIP
2021-2022
AS OF SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

DEPARTMENT TOTAL 2020-2021 = 14,697 DEPARTMENT PERCENTAGE 2020-2021 = 100.36%

DEPARTMENT TOTAL 2021-2022 = 10,402 DEPARTMENT PERCENTAGE 2021-2022 = 70.77%

		2021	2022
POST	DISTRICT #2		
1440	ST. HELENS	65	45
1909	RAINIER	59	47
2848	BAY CITY	113	88
2994	CLATSKANIE	37	32
4362	SCAPPOOSE	66	45
10580	WARENTON	115	79
12123	SEASIDE	76	32
	TOTAL	531	368

POST	DISTRICT #3		
1325	PENINSULA/PEP	120	67
1442	JASPER C. LENT	210	154
4248	SELLWOOD BRK.	374	304
	TOTAL	704	525

POST	DISTRICT #4		
965	COQUILLE	24	20
966	BROOKINGS	75	59
2928	MYRTLE POINT	51	42
3182	NORTH BEND	69	63
3440	BANDON	211	155
4439	GOLD BEACH	48	34
6102	POWERS	33	24
	TOTAL	511	397

POST	DISTRICT #5		
1383	KLAMATH FALLS	776	570
4070	LAKEVIEW	73	60
6147	MALIN	20	14
	TOTAL	869	644

POST	DISTRICT #6		
3048	BAKER CITY	142	107
3749	HUNTINGTON	15	13
4060	UNION	171	123
4307	ENTERPRISE	151	130
5452	ONTARIO	117	98
7847	HALFWAY	75	61
	TOTAL	671	532

POST	DISTRICT #7		
1833	MEDFORD	380	292
2302	GRANTS PASS	154	99
4116	ROGUE RIVER	286	231
6881	SHADY COVE	77	46
9670	JACKSONVILLE	34	22
	TOTAL	931	690

		2021	2022
POST	DISTRICT #8		
922	PENDLETON	179	208
2471	THE DALLES	70	46
3597	JOHN DAY	29	24
4567	MILTON FREEWATER	27	18
	TOTAL	405	296

POST	DISTRICT #9		
732	SILETZ	33	15
3156	WALDPORT	47	28
3232	FLORENCE	317	269
4227	TOLEDO	231	129
	TOTAL	628	441

POST	DISTRICT #10		
1412	PRINEVILLE	106	91
1643	BEND	315	232
4108	REDMOND	675	461
4217	WARM SPRINGS	38	23
7242	LA PINE	61	56
8138	SISTERS	59	44
12141	MADRAS	85	57
	TOTAL	1339	964

		2020 to 2021	2021 to 2022
MAL	MEMBERS AT LARGE	1695	1287



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

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* VFW Items

* Auxiliary

* Military Medals

* Apparel

* U.S. Flags

* Patriotic Items

* Custom Orders

* And Much More!

		2021	2022
POST	DISTRICT #12		
2468	ROSEBURG	305	208
3970	SUTHERLIN	152	119
9744	MYRTLE CREEK	129	91
9745	WINSTON	164	132
	TOTAL	750	550

POST	DISTRICT #13		
293	EUGENE	328	165
4039	COTTAGE GROVE	230	102
3965	SPRINGFIELD	509	463
4039	CRESWELL	110	66
4166	MARCOLA	45	15
7384	COBURG	63	30
9448	VENETA	163	122
10639	JUNCTION CITY	21	17
	TOTAL	1469	980

POST	DISTRICT #14		
584	ALBANY	390	313
661	SALEM	365	270
2105	HARRISBURG	34	24
3203	DALLAS	146	105
3437	SWEET HOME	204	162
3957	MONROE	53	36
4065	JEFFERSON	33	26
5638	STAYTON	84	64
	TOTAL	1309	1000

POST	DISTRICT #15		
180	GRESHAM	252	187
1324	OREGON CITY	278	203
3973	MOLALLA	444	186
4273	SANDY	633	303
6057	CANBY	75	63
12140	LAKE OSWEGO	194	86
	TOTAL	1876	1028

POST	DISTRICT #16		
2666	HILLSBORO	295	210
3452	TUALATIN	250	196
4015	NEWBERG	166	127
4211	WILLAMINA	77	68
10626	DAYTON	221	99
	TOTAL	1009	700

UPDATES

RECRUITERS

(With More Than Two Members)

District	Post #	Recruiter	Mbrs	District	Post #	Recruiter	Mbrs
9	3232	Allen R. Ransom	5	10	4108	Dennis G. Guthrie	1
9	3232	Bruce D. Andrade	5	10	4108	Joseph J. Steller	1
14	584	Cory A. Larivee	3	10	7242	Daniel M. Hoffman	1
2	10580	Albert A. Little	2	10	12141	Leonard P. Hellwig	1
5	1383	Christopher Molineaux	2	14	661	Greg Terhune	1
10	4108	Dan S. Tureck	2	14	661	Kerry A. Wymetalek	1
9	3232	Marcus H. Sharbowski	1				

DIST.	DAY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	OFFICERS	REMARKS
2	Sat	18-Sep	1pm	Post 10580 Warrenton Gateway Lodge 175 66 SW 4th St	Andrea	potluck 11:30
3	Sun	26-Sep	1pm	Post 4248 Portland 3281 Riviere Dr. Milwaukie OR 97267 SOI 12:30	Andrea	ZOOM ONLY
4	Sun	17-Oct	1pm	Post 3440 Bandon P O Box 992 Bandon, OR 97411	Dale	
5	Sat	11-Sep	1pm	1383 Klamath Falls 515 Klamath Ave 97601 TBD	Rick Higgins	
6	Sat	25-Sep	1pm	Post 4307 Enterprise 800 N River St.	Dennis	potluck
7	Sat	18-Sep	11am	Post 4116 Rogue River 410 E Main St. Rogue River 97537 SOI after meeting	Ron	potluck
8	Sun	26-Sep	1pm	Post 922 Pendleton 1221 SE Court Pl SOI after meeting	Dennis	
9	Sat	11-Sep	1pm	Post 4227 Toledo 268 Pioneer Mountain Loop SOI same day—time tbd	Dale	Potluck noon
10	Sat	18-Sep	1pm	Post 4108 Redmond 491 SW Veterans Way Redmond OR 97756 SOI 11am	Dale	Potluck noon
12	Sun	12-Sep	2pm	Post 3970 Sutherlin 252 S Oco Pacific Hwy. 97457 SOI 3:15pm after District Meeting	Dennis	1pm if allowed
13	Sat	18-Sep	1pm	Post 3965 Springfield 5344 Main St. Springfield OR 97478 August 7 at 10am-Noon at Post 3965	Rick	Makeup SOI before District Meeting
14	Sun	19-Sep	1pm	Post 584 Albany Vets Hall 1469 Timber St NE Albany OR	Ron	
15	Sat	18-Sep	1pm	Post 1324 Oregon City 104 S Tumwater Dr SOI 9am	Rex	
16	Sat	18-Sep	1pm	Post 2666 Hillsboro 310 SW Walnut St. Hillsboro OR 97123 SOI 9am	Dennis	

VFW Fall 2021 District Meetings



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You have been Warned!

LEGACY LIFE MEMBERS IN OREGON

Posts with 5 + Legacy Life Mbrs		
POST	AMT	
180	6	
293	5	
661	8	
922	5	
1324	23	
1383	6	
1833	6	
1833	6	
2666	10	
3232	34	
3452	7	
3965	5	
3973	13	
4015	12	
4039	15	
4108	8	
4227	6	
4248	6	
4273	7	
4362	7	
5452	5	
6881	7	
9448	7	
10580	7	
10626	5	
12140	6	
MAL	7	

POSTS WITH 5 OR MORE LEGACY MEMBERS

Legacy Life Counts	
GOLD	102
SILVER	30
BRONZE	149
TOTAL	281
* Marks Deceased	

POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY
180	Robert	L	Dooms Jr	Gold
180	Scott		Gill	Gold
180	Scott		Gill	Gold
180	Franklin	R	West	Gold
180	David	B	Lowe	Silver
180	Val	G	Shaull	Bronze
180	Maynard	C	Smith*	Bronze
293	Mark	D	Chapman	Gold
293	James	I	Bell	Bronze
293	Joseph	M	Rosano	Bronze
293	Charles	A	Stolsig	Bronze
293	Adalbert	E	Toepel Jr	Bronze
584	Melvin	L	Chaput	Gold
584	James	M	Willis	Bronze
661	Jesus		Montes	Gold
661	Greg		Terhune	Gold
661	Kerry	A	Wymetalek	Gold
661	Leonard	V	Goss	Silver
661	Wesley	J	Larson	Bronze
661	Robert	F	Osterlund*	Bronze
661	James	E	Robertson	Bronze
661	Jay	D	Wylie	Bronze
922	Judith	A	Burger	Gold
922	Richard	E	Halverson	Gold
922	James	F	Hand*	Gold
922	Nicholas	R	Van Kirk	Gold
922	Clifford	R	Smith	Silver
1324	John	A	Baranek	Gold
1324	Edward	L	Gresham	Gold
1324	Arthur	E	Kimball	Gold
1324	James	G	McDonald	Gold
1324	D	J.	Ruger	Gold
1324	Neil	E	Birch	Silver
1324	Gerry	B	Mcateer	Silver
1324	Dale	K	Miller	Silver
1324	Larry	W	Moseley	Silver
1324	Gregory	A	Arnold	Bronze
1324	Shannon	M	Arnold	Bronze
1324	Robert	W	Black*	Bronze
1324	Charles	E	Chamberlin	Bronze
1324	Shawn	P	Dachtler	Bronze
1324	Maurice	A	Deets	Bronze
1324	Robert	T	Dingle Jr	Bronze
1324	Ronald	D	Emerson	Bronze
1324	Paul	H	Harris	Bronze
1324	David	M	Kidd	Bronze

POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY
1324	John	S	Morell Jr	Bronze
1324	Steven		Prowant	Bronze
1324	William	M	Trumble*	Bronze
1324	Edgar		Wales	Bronze
1325	James	H	Mc Gee Jr	Gold
1383	Ronald	E	Ballard	Gold
1383	Karen	H	Johnson	Gold
1383	Roger	A	Pattee	Gold
1383	Duane	G	Whitehead	Gold
1383	Douglas	D	Herrera	Bronze
1383	Phillip	C	Van Buren	Bronze
1442	Gordon	K	Hillesland	Gold
1442	Daniel	W	Wakefield*	Gold
1442	Albert	A	Reijonen	Bronze
1643	Michael	P	Boehme	Gold
1643	Byron	J	Smith	Gold
1643	Matthew	R	Walker	Gold
1833	Robert	K	Penney	Silver
1833	Hugh	E	Crawford	Bronze
1833	Ralph	T	Groover	Bronze
1833	Jonathan	P	Lucky	Bronze
1833	Peter	J	Pringle	Bronze
1833	Oscar	C	Willis	Bronze
1909	Roger	A	Ege	Gold
1909	Michal	D	Tolleshaug	Gold
1909	Linda	K	Kelly	Silver
2105	Curt	M	Thomas	Gold
2302	Glenn	D	German	Silver
2302	Charles	E	Delore	Bronze
2468	Earl	T	McAloney	Gold
2468	Michael	D	Eakin	Bronze
2666	Andrew	L	Eason	Gold
2666	Dennis	C	Marsh	Gold
2666	Roger	D	Pack	Gold
2666	Carl	G	Anderson	Silver
2666	Rick	D	Johnson	Silver
2666	Don	R	Bowen	Bronze
2666	Daniel	F	Fink	Bronze
2666	Michael	R	Premi	Bronze
2666	Larry	R	Tomb	Bronze
2666	Dale	S	Yee	Bronze
2848	James	W	Allenbrand	Gold
3182	Michael	C	Malish	Gold
3203	Dennis	R	Pratt	Silver
3203	Terry		Smith	Bronze
3203	Steven	A	Storey	Bronze
3232	Robert	F	Brown	Gold
3232	Paul	L	Gargis	Gold
3232	Phillip	M	Jarvis*	Gold
3232	Frederick	T	Kolbeck*	Gold
3232	Rex	L	Ruck	Gold
3232	Kennith	E	Smith	Gold
3232	Thomas	F	Spayd	Gold
3232	David	L	Younce	Gold
3232	Gerald	F	Hernandez	Silver
3232	Dennis	R	Marsh *	Silver
3232	Harold	D	Morgan Sr	Silver
3232	Robert	B	Woerner*	Silver
3232	Bruce	D	Andrade	Bronze
3232	Thomas	S	Benedict	Bronze
3232	Nicole	A	Buckley	Bronze
3232	Fred	M	Burns	Bronze
3232	Anthony	V	Cavarno	Bronze
3232	Gary	W	Covert	Bronze
3232	Russell	E	Downs*	Bronze
3232	James	W	Gerth*	Bronze
3232	Milton	G	Gravell*	Bronze
3232	Robert	J	Jackson*	Bronze
3232	Vincent	R	Le Plane	Bronze
3232	Timothy	K	Marler*	Bronze
3232	John	E	McBride	Bronze
3232	Merritt	C	Mosby	Bronze
3232	Allen	R	Ransom	Bronze
3232	Gordon		Rhodes	Bronze
3232	Terry	J	Robertson	Bronze

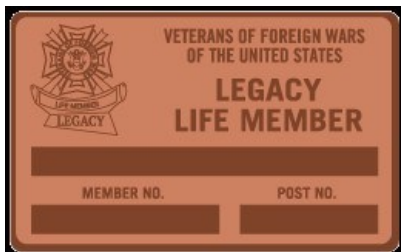
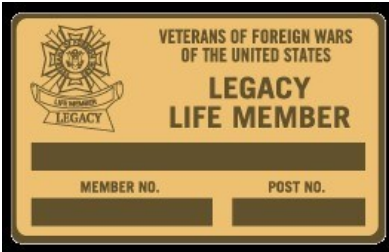
POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY
3232	Bruce	W	Smith	Bronze
3232	David	R	Snyder	Bronze
3232	James	W	Swant	Bronze
3232	Ronald	R	Tate	Bronze
3232	Harley	O	Youngblood*	Bronze
3437	Vernon	L	Holdridge	Gold
3437	Marion	M	Fritts	Bronze
3437	Ronald	W	Wilson	Bronze
3440	Larry	D	Langenberg	Bronze
3452	Ernie		Doyle	Gold
3452	Ted	D	Gilbo	Gold
3452	Paul	A	Maidel Jr	Gold
3452	Harvey	A	Pitcher	Gold
3452	Lyle	A	Simshaw	Gold
3452	Shaun	D	Benson	Bronze
3452	Lawrence	J	Howard	Bronze
3452	Arthur	V	Mauer	Bronze
3473	Monroe	W	Parrish	Bronze
3957	Lawrence	R	Alexander	Gold
3957	David	T	Houston	Bronze
3965	Steven	M	Boosinger	Gold
3965	James	E	Manson	Gold
3965	James	E	Matthews	Gold
3965	John	P	Stanks	Gold
3965	Jess	M	Wise Jr*	Gold
3970	James	E	Horton	Gold
3970	Clifford	N	Mc Cauley	Gold
3970	Eric	D	King	Bronze
3973	George	E	Carroll	Gold
3973	Jason		Carroll*	Gold
3973	Jason	F	Griswold	Gold
3973	Ronald	W	Jagodnik*	Gold
3973	Jeffrey	D	Knight	Gold
3973	Rodney	W	Wymore	Gold
3973	Ernest	H	Winterton	Silver
3973	Kenneth	L	Carroll	Bronze
3973	John	A	Dobbs	Bronze
3973	Roscoe	V	Dorsett*	Bronze
3973	Stephen	G	Morris	Bronze
3973	Mitchell		Stephens	Bronze
3973	David	H	Wallace	Bronze
3973	Luke	T	Weintz	Bronze
4015	Stanley	L	Beecroft	Bronze
4015	Lester	E	Beecroft*	Bronze
4015	Leon	L	Blanchard	Bronze
4015	Leonard	D.	Braithwait*	Bronze
4015	Donald	R	Cooke*	Bronze
4015	George	P	Edmonston	Bronze
4015	Seth	J	Forquer*	Bronze
4015	Richard	G	Lightfoot*	Bronze
4015	Hubert	M	Mardock	Bronze
4015	Randall	E	Savage	Bronze
4015	Leonard		Schorzmann*	Bronze
4015	Alvin	A	Tesky	Bronze
4039	Vernon	A	Beard	Gold
4039	Rick	L	Higgins	Gold
4039	Richard	L	Colson	Silver
4039	Camren	J	Baker	Bronze
4039	Bill	E	Beer	Bronze
4039	John	R	Clark*	Bronze
4039	Michael	G	Coltharp*	Bronze
4039	Jack	L	Gradle	Bronze
4039	Leonard	M	Hecker	Bronze
4039	David	W	Hendrick	Bronze
4039	Anthony	A	Jaques	Bronze
4039	Richard	A	Leppin	Bronze
4039	Melvin	L	Northcutt*	Bronze
4039	Steven	P	Shallenberger	Bronze
4039	Bryce	L	Watson	Bronze
4108	Charles	E	Chester Jr	Gold
4108	Harold	G	Davidson*	Gold
4108	Dennis	G	Guthrie	Gold
4108	William	E	Pieters	Gold
4108	Dan	S	Tureck	Gold
4108	John	R	Wrinkle	Gold

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LEGACY LIFE MEMBERS IN OREGON

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POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY	POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY	POST	FIRST	MI	LAST	LEGACY
4108	Gary	D	Pitman*	Silver	4362	Thomas	P	Ford	Silver	10580	Albert	A	Little	Silver
4108	James	A	Russum	Bronze	4362	James	A	Walling	Silver	10580	Tiffany	C	Adams	Bronze
4116	Corbin	A	Motter	Gold	4362	Roger	J	Antonich	Bronze	10580	Eugene		Bonk	Bronze
4116	James	M	Poling	Silver	4362	Jerry		Peal*	Bronze	10580	George	I	Gunn*	Bronze
4116	Charles	A	Prudhon	Silver	4362	David	P	Sleightam	Bronze	10580	Melvin	H	Jasmin	Bronze
4116	Thomas	A	Lazette*	Bronze	4362	Frank	C	Weber	Bronze	10580	Charles	S	Parker*	Bronze
4211	Lee	K	Saddler	Bronze	5452	Harvey		Hatfield Jr	Gold	10626	Cheryl	E	Campos	Gold
4217	Raymond	C	Tsumpti Jr	Gold	5452	Donald	M	Ristow	Gold	10626	Christopher		Dauterman	Gold
4227	Robert	R	May	Gold	5452	Frank	C	Griffith	Silver	10626	Juan	M	Palacios	Gold
4227	Michael	R	Petersen	Gold	5452	Gary	M	Good	Bronze	10626	Magno	T	Campos Jr	Bronze
4227	Charles	R	Ritz	Gold	5452	Shannon	M	Kelly*	Bronze	10626	Thomas	G	Clayton	Bronze
4227	Andrea	D	Summerlin	Gold	6057	Janile	L	Yost	Silver	12123	Claude		Miller	Gold
4227	James	H	Buisman	Bronze	6057	Robert	G	Sigleer	Bronze	12123	Louis	J	Neubecker	Gold
4227	Lance		White	Bronze	6881	Larry	E	Poling	Gold	12140	Anthony	L	Barber	Gold
4248	Gregory	L	Drais	Gold	6881	Clarence	O	Neville*	Silver	12140	Kenneth	L	Kraft	Gold
4248	Dale	N	Guldenzopf	Gold	6881	Kirk	A	Mickelsen	Bronze	12140	Donald	L	Reed	Gold
4248	Jay	B	Agler	Bronze	6881	Stephen	B	Waldrum	Bronze	12140	Larry	C	Harmon	Bronze
4248	William	C	Hughes	Bronze	6881	Michael	C	Walker	Bronze	12140	Raymond	L	Mack Jr	Bronze
4248	Thomas	R	Mc Neal*	Bronze	6881	Robert	D	Walsh	Bronze	12140	Boyd	C	Yaden	Bronze
4248	Sharon	M	Ploor	Bronze	6881	Gerald	A	Zieman	Bronze	12141	Leonard	P	Hellwig	Gold
4273	Allen	P	Anderson	Gold	7384	Norman	M	Henshen	Silver	12141	Kenneth	R	Keeton	Bronze
4273	Bert	W	Key	Gold	9448	James	R	Clarke	Gold	12141	Floyd	W	Leach	Bronze
4273	William	H	Miller	Gold	9448	Donald	L	Fertgus	Gold	12141	Craig	L	Mc Donald	Bronze
4273	Marcus		Walters	Gold	9448	Thomas	G	Laing*	Gold	MAL	Michelle	L	Love	Gold
4273	Terry	E	Boyer*	Silver	9448	Stanley	G	Ritari	Gold	MAL	Courtland	J	Rawson	Gold
4273	Robert	L	Anderson*	Bronze	9448	Michael	L	Beyerlin	Bronze	MAL	David	A	Teem Sr	Gold
4273	James	M	Ramsey	Bronze	9448	Kathy	A	Lundeen	Bronze	MAL	Michael	C	Tribble	Silver
4307	Ann	M	Gosnell	Bronze	9448	Kerry	G	Shafer	Bronze	MAL	Jon	W	Parks	Bronze
4362	William	G	Crist	Gold	10580	E	L	Dunn	Gold	MAL	Donald	C	Sopher*	Bronze



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