



Royal Rosarians

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Royal Update

e-newsletter of the Royal Rosarians

Greetings, Rosarians and Friends,

Thanks for reading this issue of the e-newsletter of the Royal Rosarians produced by Duke Peter Glazer and Sir Knight Tom Marantette. If you have suggestions or contributions for the Royal Update, please contact Tom (tjm@atiyehbros.com) or Peter (pkglazer@aol.com).

New Council and Foundation Board Elected



Congratulations Jim and Geneane Stahl

*Newly elected
Secretary of State
Jim Stahl poses
with Lady Geneane
in front of the Royal
Rosarian statue at
Washington Park
Rose Garden at the
recent Rose Garden
Contest Awards
Ceremony.*

June 12 was the date of our annual Royal Rosarian elections. We congratulate the 2014 / 2015 Royal Rosarian Council including newly elected Secretary of

State Jim Stahl who will join Prime Minister Marilyn Schultz and Lord High Chancellor Rick Saturn on the Executive Council. They will be supported by Royal Regent Mark Smith and the following elected Rosarians (green capes) in positions recently announced by upcoming Prime Minister Marilyn Schultz: Kathie Bagley as Lord Chief Justice, Lynne McIntyre as Lord high Sheriff, Adam Baker as Chancellor of the Exchequer, Jacquie Janulis as Master of Ceremonies, Bob Wolcott as Minister of Foreign Affairs, Don Thacker as Lord High Chamberlain, Robert Cyrus as Lord High Steward and John Danielson as Councillor.

Appointed Council members (red capes) will include Tom Hofmann as Royal Chaplain, John Perkins as Royal Gardener and Larry Rodman as Royal Scribe. Duke Tony Pasion , Duke Bob Strader and Duke Denny Baker have agreed to again serve as Executive Secretaries.

At the same membership meeting Royal Rosarians elected Sir Knight John Santos and Sir Knight Mike Ware to serve on our Foundation Board for three-year terms. Congratulations to all candidates.

2014 Tillamook Dairy Days Festival

by Don
Thacker

Good in the Neighborhood Also This Saturday, June 28

Come join your fellow Rosarians as we head to the coast to march in the Tillamook Dairy Parade this Saturday. We will meet at the Elk's Club, plant a rose and march in the parade.



Then we will enjoy a party at the beach home of Cynthia and Rick Miller.

Parade judges are to meet at the Elks Lodge at 1907 3rd Street in Tillamook no later than 8:00 a.m. Rosie the bus will leave from Sunset Presbyterian Church at 14986 NW Cornell Rd in Portland at 7:45 a.m. Cars can be parked safely at the church. The Rose Planting is at 10:00 a.m. and the parade starts at 11:00 a.m. at Goodspeed Park and 3rd Street, ending at Tillamook High School on 12th and Miller - a little longer than parades in the past.

Email contacts are mdean8277@charter.net and callen@tillamook.com.

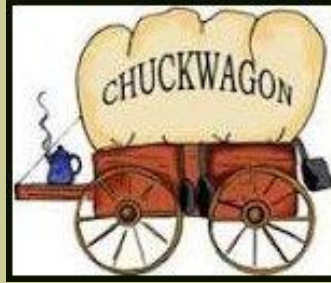
Rosarian spouses/partners are needed to carry the Banner and/or Flags. Tan pants or shorts with a red shirt or jacket are the preferred colors.

Meantime, back in Portland, non-traveling Rosarians will March in the Good-in-the-Neighborhood Parade in Northeast Portland. This Saturday marks the 22nd annual Rose Festival sanctioned "Good in the Neighborhood Multi-Cultural Parade". The now-celebrated parade is combined with a music and food festival. Come to enjoy it all. The parade staging area is at King School Park (NE 7th and Alberta Streets) and the check-in time for Rosarians between 9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. The parade will start at 11:00 a.m. Parade disband area will be at the Albina-Lillis Park site. Don Thacker will gladly answer any questions regarding this opportunity at 503-784-8533.

2014 Royal Rosarian Picnic

Come Have A Country Good Time, August 2

- Chuck Wagon BBQ Style Food
- Country Music
- Line dancing and Lessons
- Country Western Attire Encouraged



Prime Minister Mark and Bobbie's House
16050 SW Roberts Road, Wilsonville
from 4:30 p.m to 8:30 p.m.

This is one summer party you won't want to Miss! Sign up now on the Rosarian web page. Call John Danielson if you have questions at 503-293-0319

2014 Hillsboro Parade and Purely Social



Friday, July 4

The crowd will be there just waiting to celebrate America's birthday with you. This is one of the very best local parades of the Rosarian year. Even better is the Purely Social event at Gene

and Sue Horton's home after the parade.

The parade starts at 10:00 a.m. but you want to get there before 9:00 a.m. to make sure you can get to the Hortons' home to park. The street will be closed down 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The parade start is just a short walk from their home at 957 NE 3rd Avenue in Hillsboro. Head south on Glencoe Rd. Turn left on Grant St. and then turn left on 3rd.

If your last name starts from A to L, bring a salad. If your last name starts from M to Z, bring a dessert. Old Bachelors can bring chips. Beer, burgers and hot dogs will be furnished with all the trimmings and drinks. Come join the fun.

Sandy Days Parade

**Thursday,
July 10**

This fine group of Royal Rosarians and friends participated in the 2011 Sandy Days parade and Rose Planting.



Come and enjoy a true hometown parade. Horses, antique cars, floats, and of course, our own Royal Rosarian Marching Unit. This traditional parade will be held Thursday, July 10th starting at 7:00pm. Rosarians will want to attend the Rose Planting ceremony to be performed at 5:00 p.m. with a light dinner served to Rosarians at approximately 5:30 p.m. after the presentation of their Court.

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Battle Ground / Olympia Parades



**Ride Rosie
Saturday, July 19**
This Royal Rosarian Marching unit was most impressive in the 2011 Battle Ground Harvest Days parade.

The Battle Ground Harvest Days and

Olympia Capital Lakefair Parades are on the same day. First, we go to Battle Ground, then to Olympia! The marching unit and traveling float will participate. There will be one or more Rose Planting ceremonies. Sign up to ride Rosie the bus for only \$10 per rider. Contact Chairperson Si Barron with any questions.

New Member Knighting

by Dave and
Connie
Shipley

**Saturday,
August 16**

**Queen Hannah
Rice dubs new
member
Suzanne Seida
as a Dame of the
Realm at last
year's New
Member
Knighting
ceremony.**



Do you remember the excitement you experienced when you were knighted into the Royal Rosarians? Can you recall the warm feelings of welcome you received from the Rosarians in attendance? You can relive those happy moments with the Class of 2014 on August 16th.

The New Member Knighting Ceremony and banquet has always been an evening of tradition and fun. Good dancing music will follow the ceremony and dinner. For those of you who are leaving the following week for Moscow, you can also enjoy this evening as a pre-trip send off.

Please mark your calendar for Saturday, August 16th and plan to attend this very important Ceremony being held this year at the Holiday Inn - Wilsonville.

Your invitation and reservation card will be in the mail in a few days. Please make your reservations early.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Rose Garden Contest Award Recipients felt the love!



**Sir Knight John
Linngren served as
Master of
Ceremonies for this
traditional event.**

The award recipients of this year's Rose Garden Contest were celebrated and

honored on June 17th, in the Washington Park International Rose Test Garden. It was a most beautiful eventing. The garden's setting and festive spread laid out for the ceremony,

along with Queen Emma, offered a perfect party atmosphere for the honorees and their families and friends. They truly felt the love! Thank you to all those who assisted in making the 2014 Rose Garden Contest so successful! Pat Maberry lays out a delicious spread!

Dame Patricia Maberry lays out a beautiful spread of food for all to enjoy.



[click here to see more Joana and Ian Dinu photos of Rose Garden Awards](#)

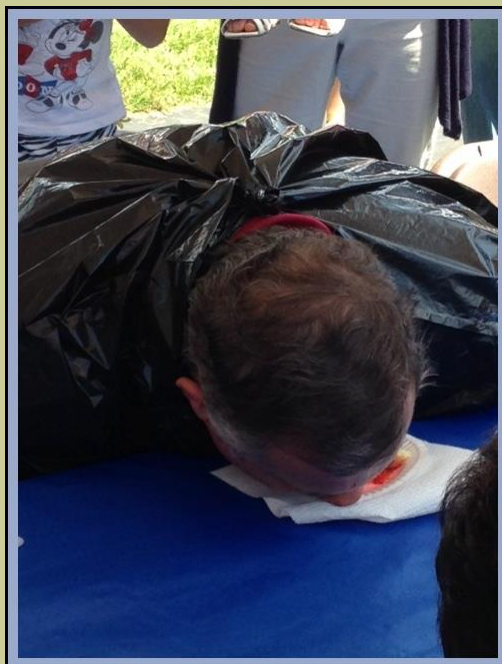
Ready, Set, Go! At Marysville Strawberry Festival



Royal Rosarian Prime Minister Makes Us Proud

Here are NW Festival Heads doing the tough duty of strawberry shortcake speed eating for a good cause at the Marysville Strawberry Festival this past weekend.

Rolfe Ogle from Wenatchee took first and our very own Prime Minister Mark Smith (shown here hard at work) was a very close 2nd!



Royal Rosarian Profile



Our profiled Rosarian was born and raised in Portland and her first memory of Rose Festival was a Junior Parade. She became a Rosarian because of all the great things Rosarians do for the community. "I love what we do for the community. I am so excited about helping." Her other Rose Festival activities include the One More Time Around Again Marching Band. Her hobbies include dancing, boating and puzzles. Like many Rosarians, she is active in a service club devoted to helping children and people in need; she is a Rotarian in the Clackamas Rotary Club and is also involved with the Oregon Partnership and The Beat Goes On

Marching Band.

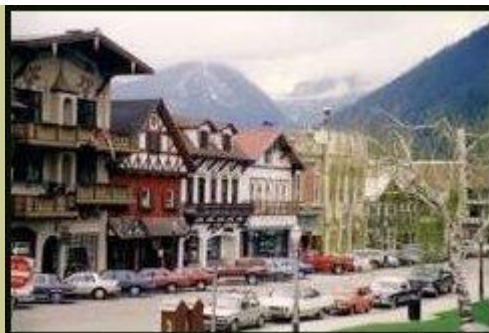
The mother of six boys ranging in age from 18 to 28, this Rosarian lives in Happy Valley with her husband, David, and is a dental office manager where she supervises 31 employees. She's a big fan of OSU football because it was the very first college game she attended. Our profiled Rosarian, a new member, is Michelle Veentjer.

Announcements

For the Good of the Royal Rosarians

Leavenworth Out-of-town Coming Soon

The last of our sanctioned Out-of-town trips will be upon us the weekend of September 26-28. It is important to make your room reservations now. Make sure to tell the Enzian Hotel that you are with Group Number 9235.. Let Bob Wolcott know you will be riding the bus and then get your packets and more information online by clicking the link below. David Rich is the trip chair.



Cheer and Outreach

Dame Mercy Norby underwent a three hour open heart surgery on Tuesday, June 10 at Providence St Vincent Medical Center to replace a mitral valve. She is now at home recovering and doing well. Unable to drive yet, she stays close to home but is able to get out and walk. She hopes to see us in a few weeks.

Official Royal Rosarian Garden Stakes.

Order today to make your garden truly royal. Price is \$10 each or 3 for \$25. Contact Royal Gardner Kimberly Bown at 503-807-0754 or email at bown3@comcast.net.

[click here for Leavenworth packets and information](#)

Calendar

Rosarian Council Meetings -- will be held at Stafford Retirement Community, 1200 Overlook Dr., Lake Oswego at 7:00 p.m. on the following Mondays: July 14, August 18 and September 29.



Foundation Board Meetings -- will be held at Finley's Sunset Hills Mortuary at 6:30 p.m. on July 24, August 28 and September 23.

Tillamook Dairy Days -- June 28, Tillamook, OR

Good in the Neighborhood Parade -- June 28, NE 7th and Alberta, 10:30 a.m. (parade at 11:00 a.m.)

Hillsboro Parade -- July 4, Hillsboro OR, before 9:00 a.m. to park, (10:00 a.m. parade)

Sandy Days Parade -- July 10, Sandy, OR, 5:00 p.m. Rose Planting, (7:00 p.m. parade)

Strategic Planning Retreat -- July 12, Concordia University, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Battle Ground Harvest Days -- July 19, Battle Ground, WA

Capital Lakelair Parade -- July 19, Olympia, WA

Seafair July 25-27, Seattle, WA

Astoria Rose Planting -- August 8, Flavel House, Astoria, OR

Astoria Regatta Parade -- August 9, Astoria OR

New Member Orientation -- August 12, Holiday Inn, Wilsonville

New Member Knighting -- August 16, Holiday Inn, Wilsonville

Prime Minister's Ball September 20, Red Lion Jantzen Beach

Autumn Leaf Festival -- September 26-28, Leavenworth, WA

Salmon Days Festival -- October 3-5, Issaquah, WA

Detailed information for each event can be found online in the calendar section of the Royal Rosarian website. Click the link below.

[click here to see the Royal Rosarian website.](#)

Jim Nielson's Truisms



This Issue's "Truism"

"Never tell your problems to anyone...20% don't care and the other 80% are glad you have them." –

-- Lou Holtz

(The late Jim Nielson, Prime Minister in 1979, was famous for his "truisms" which he happily shared in each issue of the Royal Update from its launch in 2005 until his death in 2011. Jim was knighted under the rose Sutter's Gold, pictured. Truisms now are either from Jim's archives or are quotations Duke Peter thinks Jim would like. If you'd like to suggest a quotation please email it to Peter.)

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