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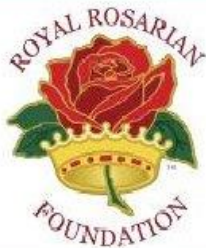
e-newsletter of the Royal Rosarians

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).

Time Is Running Out

ONLY \$75! BUY YOUR ROYAL ROSARIAN FOUNDATION AUCTION TICKET TODAY!



"Run for the Roses"

2014 WINTER DERBY AUCTION

FEBRUARY 1st 2014

Holiday Inn, Wilsonville, Oregon

heartsandrosesauction@royalrosarianfoundation.org

THE FIRST MAJOR ROYAL ROSARIAN SOCIAL EVENT OF 2014

This year's Run for the Roses - Winter Derby theme is sure to be a winner, so you'll want to don your Derby attire and hats for an evening filled with fun. Proceeds from the auction benefit the charitable and community projects of the Royal Rosarians.



Tickets for the auction and dinner remain at \$75 per person. Please consider purchasing a Sponsor Table of 8 for \$750 that includes some special "perks". John Danielson at 503-381-2480 can give you all the details.

Check the auction webpage to see some of the items that will be available at the auction. There you can also submit donation information or register for the event. Click on the link provided below for quick access to that webpage.

[Click here to see more Auction information](#)



The Holiday inn is providing a special group rate of \$95 per room (double occupancy) if you'd like to spend the night there after the auction. Please contact the hotel and refer to the Royal Rosarian Foundation Auction to reserve your room. Be sure to register early, as rooms are available on a first-come, first served basis only.

Here are just a few of the great items awaiting your bid and that of the friends you will want to invite:

Fabulous African Safari

Imagine endless savannas, towering boulders sprawling with tawny lions in a place completely unaware of civilization where wildlife still reigns supreme.



The Islands Are Calling

4-night, 5-day romantic getaway includes airline fare on Hawaiian Airlines.

Oregon Football Season

2 Club Level seats for the entire 2014 Football Season on the 40-yard line.





Skamania Lodge Retreat

What could be more breathtaking than to look out the window of your fireplace suite to a view of the Columbia River Gorge?

Plus!

Pair of unrestricted coach round trip airline tickets on Alaska Airlines, more week-end getaways, gift baskets, huge selection of wines and literally hundreds more exciting packages on which to bid.

We also welcome volunteers who can work the day of the event to help with set-up and decorations and in the evening to be a recorder or runner during the Live Auction. Help is also needed to manage the items and the closings in the Silent Auction area and help in the Pick-up area at the end of the evening. Please contact Barb Brennan at 503-351-7708 if you'd like to help.

If you need additional invitations to send to friends or family, please inform Jacquie Janulis at 503-332-0783.

2014 Newsmakers Award Banquet



**Wednesday,
March 12, 2014**

As you can see, last year's event was well attended, well produced and an emotional evening enjoyed by all present.

Highlights:

- Hosted by radio celebrities Bruce Murdock and John Erickson
- Performance by the Conte Bennett Youth Jazz Quartet
- Academy Award Program Style
- Complimentary covered parking
- Only \$48.00 per person for a first rate meal

Details:

- At DoubleTree Lloyd Center Hotel
- No-host Reception at 6:00 p.m.
- Dinner at 7:00 p.m.
- Awards Ceremony from 8:00 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.
- Business attire

At this banquet prominent local media come together to honor citizens from the Greater Portland area who have performed exceptional acts of heroism or benevolent service without regard for personal safety, public recognition or commercial gain.

Local media newsrooms select Newsmaker Honorees. They are awarded a Royal Rosarian bronze medallion and a framed certificate by the Prime Minister.

Our goal is to honor heroes and heroines in our community, to celebrate journalistic excellence as expressed through the reporting of events that have a positive influence upon the way we live, and to inspire the audience with a sense of pride in a greater community.

Corporate Sponsor tables include seats for eight persons and include program recognition and priority placement. The cost for Corporate Table sponsorship is \$475

Media Sponsor tables allow seating for six persons while the other four seats at your table are designated for media celebrity, Newsmaker Honoree and their guests. This sponsorship also includes program recognition, priority placement and a 30 second promotional spot (professionally produced) to be shown at the event. The cost for Media Table sponsorship is \$575.

Contact Joan Blizzard to register at 503-638-4540 or email at joaniebliz@aol.com. Call Larry Rodman to purchase sponsorships at 503-246-7753 or email at larryrodman@comcast.net.

Announcements



For the Good of the Royal Rosarians

January Membership Meeting

The first Rosarian Membership Meeting of the new calendar year will be held on January 30, 2014 at the Stafford Woods Conference Center at 25030 SW Parkway Avenue in Wilsonville. Social hour begins at 5:30 p.m. (doors open at 5:00 p.m.) Be sure to RSVP to Mark Sleasman by Sunday. Last-minute reservations only get a meal if possible; last-minute cancellations will be required to pay if their reserved meal cannot be resold to someone without a timely reservation.

Newsmakers of the Year Award Dinner

Mark your calendars for Wednesday, March 12. The 16th annual Newsmaker event will take place at the Doubletree Lloyd Center Hotel. So many members consider this to be the Rosarian production of the year. Make this your year to attend.

Who's In Charge

The buck stops with the Prime Minister and as this photo shows, he is willingly and enthusiastically ready for anything thrown his way.

Under the leadership of **Prime Minister Mark Smith** here are some (but not every one) of the responsibilities of Council members and some committee chairs:



Mark Smith as **Prime Minister** is responsible for the PM Ball (Pat Salimena chairing), the PM Trip (Tom Sagerser chairing), the Calendar, Legal affairs and is a Foundation Board member and Budget Committee member.

Gayle Whitehurst as **Royal Regent** is in charge of Nominations and Elections, the Prime Minister's Plaque Ceremony, the Queen's Plaque Ceremony and is a member of the Budget Committee.

Marilyn Schultz as Lord High Chancellor acts as Liaison to the Rose Festival Foundation and Court, oversees the Queen's Coronation, Pendleton Court Reception (Doug Jost chairing), Council Knighting practices, Knighting Books, Strategic Planning, Kiwanis Breakfast and serves on the Budget Committee and Foundation Board.

Rick Saturn as Secretary of State is responsible for Council notifications and activity reports, Council and membership meeting minutes, the Queen's pillow, is the Portland Rose Society Liaison and serves on the Budget Committee and Foundation Board.

Jim Stahl as Lord Chief Justice is responsible for Membership Recruitment, New Member Orientation, New Member Knighting, Meet and Greet and Mentors.

Lynne McIntyre as Lord High Sheriff heads up Communications including the website, Royal Update, Roster/Data Base and Royal Communicators. She also oversees Public Relations, Speaker's Bureau, Social Media, Travel Portland and serves as the City of Portland and Sister Cities Liaison.

Jacque Janulis as Chancellor of the Exchequer is responsible for Royal Rosarian Finances to include chairing the Finance Committee, the Budget Committee and issuing dues notices. She also oversees member documentation and Rose Festival Pin sales.

Kathie Bagley as Master of Ceremonies is in charge of the Hearts & Roses Auction, the Christmas Brunch, Royal Rosarian Merchandise, Milk Carton Boat Races, the Photographers and the Golf Activities.

Adam Baker as Minister of Foreign Affairs is in charge of the Junior Parade Band Marshals, Shuttle Drivers and Banners, Starlight Parade, Hosting by Starlight, Grand Floral Parade, Rose Parade Float Design, PA Towers, RF Parade Scripts, Drill Masters, Drummers and Foundation Poinsettia Sales.

David Hoff as Lord High Chamberlain is responsible for Hospitality Weekend including Registration, Washington Park Knighting, Queens' Garden Party, Fun Night, Hospitality Room, VIP Reception, Silent Auction, Grand Floral Ball, Farewell Breakfast and oversees the Wine Committee.

Bob Wolcott as Lord High Steward will take on Out-of-Town Festivals including Wenatchee, Hyack and Leavenworth. In addition he oversees the Traveling Float (Carla & Gary Stenberg chairing) and Christmas for Kids.

Don Thacker as Councillor oversees the Membership Meetings, Newsmakers (Larry Rodman chairing) and Rose Festival Opening Ceremony.

Robert Cyrus as Royal Chaplain is in charge of Cheer and Outreach, Blessing of the Festival, Senior Center ceremonies, Purely Social Potlucks, and is a member of the Rose Planting Team.

Kimberly Bown as Royal Gardener is responsible for the Rose Garden Contest, Rose Garden Maintenance, Rose Plant Procurement, Ship's Greetings, Special events & presentations and is a member of the Rose Planting Team.

Penny Terry as Royal Scribe will take charge of the Picnic (Pat Salimena chairing), VIP Greetings, the PA Equipment, Storage Unit Inventory and is a member of the Rose Planting Team.

Duke of the Realm Bob Strader as Executive Secretary is responsible for Stationary and Printing, Certificates and Plaques, Honorary Knighting Medallions and serves on the Budget Committee and Web site Committee.

Duke of the Realm Tony Pasion as Executive Secretary is responsible for Insurance, Name Badges, Duke Medallions and serves on the Budget Committee.

Duke of the Realm Denny Baker as Executive Secretary is responsible for Uniforms, the History Book, Equipment, Flags and Banners and serves on the Budget Committee.

Finance Committee Members include **Jacquie Janulis** (Chancellor of the Exchequer), **Bob Strader** (Duke), **Dick Clifton** (Duke) and **Jim Stahl** (Council Member)

Budget Committee Members include **Jacquie Janulis**(Chancellor of the exchequer), **Mark Smith** (Prime Minister), **Marilyn Schultz** (Lord High Chancellor), **Bob Strader** (Executive Secretary), **Tony Pasion** (Executive Secretary), **Denny Baker** (Executive Secretary), **Gayle Whitehurst** (Royal Regent), **Rick Saturn** (Secretary of State), **Dick Clifton** (Duke) and **Bob Woody**(Duke)

This is a listing of some Rosarian responsibilities. Please keep Tom Marantette informed so it can be updated appropriately.

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: January 20, February 17, March 24, April 14, May 19, 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 January 9, February 27, March 27, April 24, May 15, July 24, August 28 and September 23.



Membership Meeting -- January 30, Stafford Woods Conference Center, 5:30 p.m.

Royal Rosarian Annual Auction "Run for the Roses" -- February 1, Wilsonville Holiday Inn.

Membership Meeting (Dukes/Duchesses Night) -- March 6, Stafford Woods Conference Center, 5:30 p.m.

Newsmakers of the Year Awards Dinner -- March 12, DoubleTree Lloyd Center Hotel.

Membership Meeting (spouses invited) -- April 3, Stafford Woods Conference Center, 5:30 p.m.

VIP Rose Plantings -- April 5, Queen Anne Victorian Mansion

Daffodil Festival -- April 4-6, Tacoma, WA

Rose Planting -- April 15, Pittock Mansion, 9:00 a.m.

Blessing of the Festival -- April 19, Reedwood Friends Church, Portland.

Membership Meeting -- May 1, Stafford Woods conference center, 5:30 p.m.

Apple Blossom Festival -- May 2-4, Wenatchee, WA.

St. Johns Parade -- May 10, 12:00 p.m.

Lilac festival -- May 16-18, Spokane, WA.

Membership Meeting (Court & Spouses) -- May 22, Holiday Inn, 5:30 p.m.

Hyack Festival -- May 23-25, New Westminster, BC.

Powell Valley Rose Planting Ceremony -- May 31, Powell Valley Senior Center, 10:00 a.m.

PGE/SOLVE Starlight Parade -- May 31, North Park Blocks

Hosting by Starlight -- May 31, Hotel deLuxe.

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

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Jim Nielson's Truisms



This Issue's "Truism"

"All life is an experiment. The more experiments you make the better."

-- Ralph Waldo Emerson

(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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