

# *Mt. Hood Republican Women*

## *January 2020 Update*

Happy New Year to everyone ! With the Christmas Festivities now just a memory, we can look forward to an active and, we hope a positive, campaign season. Many Candidates are announcing their plans for the May 2020 Primary Election and are already campaigning. We will print all information for our Republicans in future issues of our Newsletter.

Our 2019 Christmas Auction was well attended and more successful than in previous years. A net profit of \$966. was realized from sales and donations. A big THANK YOU to all those contributing more for us to give away to others. Over 280 donated Candy Canes were also delivered to the Gresham's Salvation Army Youth Center for their Holiday activities.

Thank you to all our Mt. Hood friends from across the state for their cards and letters with Christmas Blessings and good wishes for a "Great Again 2020". One of the messages received was from Odette Kermorvant who broke her ankle in a fall at home after enjoying a 7 1/2 week vacation in France, (She is sporting a 'Red & Green' Holiday cast), Moya Schledge is still in Big Bear Lake, California happily caring for more Grandchildren and Kate Drew's Son, Steve, sent a Thank You to everyone for their kind messages regarding His Mom, Our Kate.

Executive Club Meeting Wednesday, JANUARY 8, 2020, 7 pm, Airport Shilo Inn. Sen. Chuck Thomsen will reveal the probable next moves by our Liberal Democrat Legislature and the best avenues to stop their "Tax It All Agenda". Everyone is welcome and urged to attend. What is the latest information on the million dollar bridge and how much will all the toll roads cost. Always the latest data from Cities, counties, state and of course Metro and Climate Change! Dinner at \$20 is available with plenty of free parking. Let's keep the ideas and spirit of Our Mentor, Don McIntire alive and growing.

Are you a Precinct Committee Person (PCP)? Join your neighbors in our election process by meeting candidates and being informed on issues. Requirements are simple. You must be 18 years of age and have been a registered Republican for at least 180 days. Please contact your County Clerk or check online for applications which have a filing deadline of March 10, 2020. Remember the Oregon Primary will be Thursday, May 19, 2020. Get involved by voting and help turn Oregon Red again !

Mt. Hood Republican Women's next regular meeting will take place February 12, 2020 at Elmers in Gresham. Speaker has not yet been confirmed.

Don't forget the S. W. Corridor GOP Meeting, Wednesday February 12, 2020 at 6:30-9 pm at 15245 S.W. 116<sup>th</sup> Street, King City.

2020 Annual dues of \$ 30. are now due. Remember, the State and Federal Republican Women's Organizations raised their portions to \$30 also. Discussions will be heard regarding our club's position and opinions. Dues can be mailed to Treasurer, Donna Medina at 24943 E. McKenzie Valley Court, Welches. Oregon 97067 – 9771 or to Clarice Moss, PO Box 635, Boring, Ore. 97009, no later than Feb. 1, 2020, to be included in our membership booklet.

Celebrate January Birthdays – Send a card - Bake a Cake - Wish them well  
Jan. 11 - Rush Limbaugh, Jan. 12 - Wendy Young, Jan. 24 - Neil Diamond,  
Jan. 25 - Clarice Moss, Jan. 30 - Dick Cheney

We are still gathering small size hotel containers of shampoo, soap and lotion. Please bring them to our February 12 meeting for the Pregnancy Resource Center.

Your extra prayers for those members with serious medical conditions are needed. A visit, a card, hugs and flowers will make their days brighter and hasten their recoveries.

Remember all are welcome to attend our MHRW Executive Board meeting, Wednesday, January 29, 2020, 11:30 am at Elmer's in Gresham. Future meeting plans will be discussed

#### CALENDAR DATES TO SAVE

Saturday – January 11, 2020 - speaker - FOX News Contributor, Candace Owens, 2020 Recipient of the ORP Vanguard of Victory Award dinner, 6 – 10 pm at Oregon Guard Camp Withycombe, 15300 SE Industrial Way, Clackamas, Oregon Tickets at \$90 each or a Couple for \$160. Contact [www.VanguardsofVictory.com](http://www.VanguardsofVictory.com) for tickets or additional information.

Thursday – February 6, 2020 at 7 am at the Capitol in Salem. Timber Unity “Let’s Roll” Convoy Rally in support of opposing HB2020, the Cap and Trade Bill. Let’s all join our rural neighbors again. Visit them at <https://www.facebook.com/events/2251387124909826/>

Thursday – February 20, 2020 - Salvation Army Gresham Youth & Music Benefit Concert with Michael Allen Harrison and Julianne Johnson, Silent & live Auctions, Doors open at 5 pm at Gresham Corps Community Center, 473 S.E. 194<sup>th</sup> Ave. Portland. Please call Marcia at 503-661-8972 x 414 or [marcia.mcquade@usw.salvationarmy.org](mailto:marcia.mcquade@usw.salvationarmy.org) for more information

Saturday – February 22, 2020 - 5:30 – 9 pm - Clackamas County Republican Lincoln Day Dinner at Oregon City Elk’s Club, Tickets at \$75. Speakers to be announced in the February Newsletter.

Friday thru Sunday, April 24 – 26, 2020 Dorchester Conference At The Mountain – details to be announced later.

Now that schools will be back in session, please check into and sign up to help with the Smart Program. Call Michelle Gilmore at 971-634-1603 or [mgilmore@getsmartoregon.org](mailto:mgilmore@getsmartoregon.org) to get on board in helping young children to read. Without reading skills, they can’t succeed in life.

Our Oregon Legislature will open their short 30 day session on February 1, 2020. Stay alert to all news of their activities and contact them with your opinions and comments.

If you have any information to share, please .contact Clarice Moss at 503-658-5227 or [claricemoss@yahoo.com](mailto:claricemoss@yahoo.com).

We wish you a Healthy and Happy 2020 ! Support Our President Trump !

