



Republican Women Central Lane

*Educating and informing the women
of Lane County on the political process*

AUGUST NEWSLETTER

Republican Women Central Lane

Wine & Cheese Party Social

Join US! Just for FUN and Special Guest Representative Julie Parrish

August 17, 2013, 4:00 to 7:30

at Tami Sakany's beautiful Country Villa, 25301 Butler Rd, Junction City

\$5.00 Per person and Bring a dish (cheese, bread, fruit, veggies, salad-Finger Food stuff) We will have White Zinfandel wine, assorted red wines, wine spritzes, several micro beers, soda & water. Drink tickets are one ticket, One dollar for one ticket, \$5.00 for 6 tickets and a Baker's dozen for \$10.00.

Wine will be 3 tickets, Beer 2 tickets and 2 bottled waters, one ticket.

Reservations

\$5.00 per person. Call Gerry 541-484-0732 so we can coordinate dishes. Send money to Gerry Briggs, 1310 Inglewood Ave. Eugene, OR 97401... If you want to put it on Visa or Mastercharge you will need to send me, your account number, your VEE code (three digits on back) and your zip code or we can do it over the phone. I will bring receipts to event. **NO CHARGE WILL BE**

AVAILABLE in the country. Any questions, Please call me! There will be 4 door prizes for wines and a raffle or two... Come relax and enjoy your fellow Oregonians! If you wish to carpool, you can use the Lane county office parking lot to meet.



Driving Directions

The back way:

- 1) Head out on Beltline going west.
2. Take Exit #6/Eugene airport heading north. (Hwy 99 N)
3. Turn left onto Pacific Hwy. Follow along to
4. Clear Lake Rd and turn left.
5. Look for Krugur Park Rd and turn right
6. Turn right onto Territorial rd.
Turn left onto Butler Rd to **25301 Butler Rd** on you right

Or more direct:

Take West 11 out to 126 to Veneta.
Make right onto Territorial Rd.
Then Turn Lft onto Butler rd to
25301 Butler Rd on your right.

"BITS AND PIECES"

Al Rogers Recognized



Senator Wyden presented *Al Rogers* (Nina Rogers husband), the medals and ribbons he had earned from two wars, World War II and the Korean War, on July 3, 2013 at the Veterans Memorial Building in Eugene, Oregon.

Kaye Ridley and I (*Lucy Barnett*) were privileged to attend this ceremony. It was a moving and inspirational afternoon. Tom Brokaw has called them "*The Greatest Generation*" We thank them for their service to our country.

Al was a navy man serving aboard the USS Lexington 1943-1946. During the Korean War he was stationed at the US Naval Base in Yokosuka, Japan. 1950-1952.

Al Rogers has also been a recipient of the *Honor Flight* to Washington DC.

By *Lucy Smy Barnett*

Garage Sale for Honor Flight by Lane County Republicans

The *Republican Women of Central Lane* are supporting the *Honor Flight Garage Sale*, a fund-raiser for the *local South Willamette Valley Honor Flight* organization. They help transport America's veterans to Washington D.C. to visit those memorials dedicated to honor their service and sacrifices. *SWV Honor Flight's* goal is helping Oregon veterans, willing and able of getting on a plane to visit THEIR memorial. Top priority is given to our most senior heroes; survivors of World War II and any veteran with a terminal illness.

We are supporting this *Honor Flight Garage Sale* on *Friday, October 11th and Saturday, October 12th* at the Lane County Republican HQ Building, 2225 Coburg Rd., in Eugene.

If you have anything you would like to donate - (new or used) and receive a tax deductible receipt, *it is a charitable 501C (3)* or volunteer, we would be happy to collect donated items (drop off or picked up by volunteers)

Starting August 1 someone will be at the Headquarters Building every Monday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. if you have anything you want to drop off or volunteer please stop by.

Please feel free to contact Cindy Land, Stan Kerr or Helene O'Rourke (541-747-4959) or e-mail honorflightgaragesale@gmail.com



DVD's For Vets

I sent 129 DVD's (35 pounds) to Texas to the *Warrior Family Assistance Program* recommended by Troy Givens.

The Republican Women will continue this program so please, if you have any or know of anyone who no longer watches the DVD's they have, bring them to the meetings and we will see that they get to a military hospital where they can be seen and used. Thank You, *Helene*

Military Donations and Troop Support

Fred and Galdys Hasse's son is in Iraq. We will be sending a box to him and the other troops who are serving with him. The troops can use: *Magazines, gummy bears, q-tips, shower puffs, playing cards, dominoes, gum, microwave popcorn, nuts, jerky, coffee, powdered coffee creamer* and anything else you would want to contribute. Please bring your contributions to either the *August 17th* at the Wine and Cheese Party or the *September 23* general meeting. We know they will appreciate it. Thank you, *Nancy and Helene.*

Food for Lane County

Hello everyone, I dropped off the *food for Lane County* that we collected. I want to thank all of you for helping to promote this project. I do enjoy helping in this small way and you all make it possible. We received 28 pounds of food, and they were happy to get it, believe me.

Our Stats: March 7 pounds, April 16 pounds, May, none collected and June 28 pounds So, you can see we each can make a difference and help out. Thank You, *Jeanette Steele*

"BITS AND PIECES"



Helene O'Rourke, our Historian, received a second place ribbon at the *Lane County Fair* this year with this photo of Liam Guidero, Gabrielle Guidero's son.

Our President, June Conard received Honorable mention for one of her paintings.

If you have anything news worthy like the above awards, please let me know. I can't print it, if I don't know it!

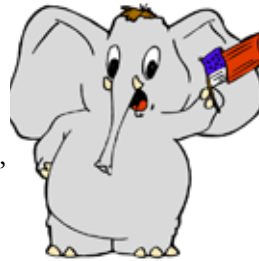
Gerry Briggs, Editor/Designer

OFRW State Convention Take Back America

The *OFRW (Oregon Federation of Republican Women)* State Convention is being held October 11, 12, 13, 2013, at the *Wilsonville Holiday Inn in Wilsonville, OR*, right off I-5. As of this date, we have no more information than that, but here is their website: www.hiportlandsouth.com. Telephone: 503-682-2111.

Sally MacLeod, OFRW President says her theme for the convention "**TAKE BACK AMERICA**" and we can all get behind that.

So Save this Date and join women from all over the state in a celebration of Republican ideas and camaraderie.



Success at The Picnic!

Republican Women of Central Lane helped make the *National Guard's Family Readiness Picnic* on July 13, 2013 a great success! When *Patricia Reynolds*, *Coordinator* for the event, asked us to

donate four or five \$10 - \$20 items for prize drawings, our members responded over & above. Gift cards representing food, gasoline, sporting goods, Kohl's (approximately \$115), a wading pool & rubber ducks for a ring-toss game, and many other choices from picture frames to fancy flip-flops. Patricia had pictures taken of each winner with their prize & sent to us for our history album. She wrote a note with the pictures, "*As you can see, everyone appreciated the gifts. Thank you!*" Be sure to see them in our historian's album.



RWCL would like to thank our members for donating the money to purchase all of those great items. Thank you! Nancy Scalf, Vice President RWCL

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Trustees

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Janis Ross, Threse Stallings

Appointed Chairs

100% Club—OPEN

Americanism — Norma Cable

Annual Audit—Gladys Hasse

Awards — Helene O'Rourke

Armed Forces — Nancy Scalf & Helene O'Rourke

Book club — Lucy Barnett

Caring for America — Jeanette Steele

Communication/Website—Janis Ross

Corresponding Secretary—

Lucy Barnett

Dictionary program—Doris McKee

Events Chair—OPEN (Kaye Ridley would like to pass this on to an interested lady)

Historian—OPEN (Helene O'Rourke would like to pass this on to an interested lady.)

Hospitality/Phoning—
Dee McManus, Nina Rogers

Leadership/Legislation— Terri Moffett

Literacy/Mamie Eisenhower— OPEN

Membership Chair— Norma Cable, Terri Moffett, & Therese Stallings

Merchandise Sales— Gladys Hasse, Janis Ross

Newsletter— Gerry Briggs

Outreach/recruiting—OPEN

Programs—Nancy Scalf

If you wish to volunteer, contact Gerry,
541-484-0732

Calendar of Event Details

August 17, 2013

Representative Julie Parrish will be at our *"Wine & Cheese Social"* Saturday, August 17, 2013 at the home of Nate and Tami Sakany from 4PM - 7:30PM. We look forward to having Representative Julie Parrish as speaker. She is a mother of three who took making changes in the State of Oregon seriously. She became a State Representative to work toward accomplishing those changes. Take time to visit with her & ask the questions you would like answered.

September 23, 2013

Robin Barrett, Honor Flight expert will be in attendance at the Valley River Inn on Monday, September 23, 2013 at 11:30AM for our General Meeting. He will speaking as a recipient of the Honor Flight. We will also have Cindy Land sharing about the up coming Honor Flight Garage Sale at the Republican Headquarters on October 11 and 12.

REMEMBER "Food for Lane County." Bring dry goods and canned goods for Jeanette.

Also the stuff to fill our "care package to our men in Iraq. See page two for needed item

RWCL Calendar of Events 2013 Save These Dates

August 17, Wine and Cheese Party.

This will be our special summer get-together at Tami Sakany's home in the county. It is in the planning stages now but everyone will bring an hors d'oeuvre or wine to share. . . .

September 23 general meeting.

Place and speaker to be determined. The Nominating committee will announce it's recommendations for 2013 RWCL Officers.

OFRW Convention, October 11-13.

Plan on attending the OFRW Convention, held at the Holiday Inn, Wilsonville. Stay tuned for more information.

October 28, general meeting.

We will have elections of RWCL officers and Installation of Officers.

*Decemeber Christmaas Party
December 7 at Valley River Inn*

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