



Republican Women Central Lane

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

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER BULLETIN — 2014

You Are Invited to our BASH!



A Ducky Christmas Party

With Republican Women Central Lane at Hilton Garden Inn,
3528 Gateway St, Springfield

Friday, December 5, 2014



Come for **Christmas Cheer**, **free Door Prizes**, and **Duck beads** handed out to everyone! Wonderful drawing items include an **overnight stay on the coast**, these musical Snowmen (pictured here) and more. **Drawing tickets will be \$5.00 for 6 tickets.**
All Items suitable for Christmas giving!



Need not be present to win. Come **“shop” at 5:30** and toast the evening. Our traditional Christmas dinner starts promptly at 6:30; The University of Oregon Ducks football game starts at 7:00 with dessert! TV in our room. Winners of Drawings will be called during the commercial breaks.

R.C.V.P. Dinner tickets \$15.00. Reservation deadline — December 2
Call Gerry 541-484-0732 for reservations OR send in your payment to:
RWCL, P.O. Box 70475, Springfield, OR 97475. Checks payable to RWCL.

**Want to Charge your Christmas reservations? FILL out this form and send in to
RWCL, P.O. Box 70475, Springfield, OR 97475. Or Call Gerry 541-484-0732**

Name on Card: _____

Zip: _____ CCV # _____ Expiration Date: _____

VISA _____ MasterCard _____ Discover _____ **NO American Express.**

Signature _____ No. of dinners _____

I have a special diet requirement: Vegetarian _____ Gluten Free _____ Other (please explain) _____



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Thoughts from your President...

The elections are over! The Republicans overwhelmingly conquered on the national level, but we didn't get the results we needed on the state level. Knowing we have put our best efforts into the election process, we can now move on to what lies ahead.

My thoughts now turn to family and friends! Thanksgiving and Christmas will be here before we can say "Jack Frost". This is the season of sharing old memories of past gatherings and making new memories to warm our hearts until we can get together again. I am thankful for the memory-making time spent with my RWCL friends!

I'm thankful for the way we come together with singleness of mind to reach out to others in our community, as well as to our veterans. We hold this standard all year, but, hopefully we will deliver a special box full of "good will" before Christmas to our veterans. Helene O'Rourke brought the pictured box of donations to the October meeting, passing the torch to Janet Givens who will take over our outreach to our military and veterans for 2015. Thank you, Janet! I am proud to say that this box is filled with 78 DVDs, 15 CDs, 9 games for the Wii, and assorted puzzles and games...this is one of those really special memories!



Enjoy your families and friends this Thanksgiving! Remember December 5th is our "Ducky Christmas Party", doors opening at 5:30PM. I look forward to sharing that time with my friends! Happy Thanksgiving!

Nancy Scalf, President RWCL

Meet your New 2015 RWCL Board



Our October meeting saw the election of our 2015 RWCL board. Eleanor Boese, OFRW Treasurer, came down from Salem to install our officers. Each newly elected officer received a different candy bar to represent their office and I wish I had written it down the appropriate poems she wrote for each office. She did a unique job with a poem and candy bar to swear-in our new ladies.

President, Nancy Scalf;

Vice President, Lela Trope;

Secretary, Jessica Simmons;

Treasurer, Gabrielle Guidero

Trustees: Anita Lewis, Helene O'rourke, Nina Rogers, and Jeanette Steele and Gladys Hasse.

We still have two openings for trustees and there is still time to volunteer. . . Get in on the fun with this hardworking, fun loving group!

To Our Fellow Republican Women:

It is with mixed emotions that I write to you. Linda Neace has just gone through colon cancer surgery. I am saddened at that, but happy the doctors feel they got it all. Linda will be out of commission for quite some time and I know she would love cards, phone calls etc.

Unfortunately she is facing 6 months of chemo, she sees the oncologist this coming Tuesday. I will try to keep all of you informed as time goes by.

We, in OFRW are a sisterhood and we need to rally around when one of our 'sisters' is going through difficult times. Please keep Linda in your thoughts and prayers. Please use this address for any correspondence.

Linda Neace
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Gladstone, OR 97027
E-mail address: neace26gmail.com
503-913-4473

Linda has given me permission to let all of you know of her condition. She is also on FACEBOOK if any of you want to contact her that way.

Thank you all.

Sally Mae Leod

OFRW President



Excerpt From NFRW newsletter (November 13, 2014)

Headline: ON Capitol Hill

Congress is back for Lame Duck Session - The 113th Congress returned to Washington on Wednesday for a Lame Duck session. The major item of unfinished business will be passage of a continuing resolution for funding the government (the current CR expires on December 11, 2014). Committee hearings will be held in both the House and Senate on the federal government's handling of the Ebola epidemic.

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Some Oregon State Election Results

Governor results

John Kitzhaber(D)I	722,759	49.8%
Dennis Richardson(R)	641,650	44.2%
Jason Levin(G)	28,941	2.0%
Paul Grad(L)	21,523	1.5%
Aaron Auer(C)	15,673	1.1%
Chris Henry(P)	13,659	0.9%
Write-in	6,540	0.5%

U.S. Senate results

Jeff Merkley(D)I	803,219	55.7%
Monica Wehby(R)	533,177	37.0%
Mike Montchalin(L)	44,222	3.1%
Christina Lugo(G)	31,796	2.2%
James Leuenberger(C)	23,829	1.7%
Write-in	6,561	0.5%

U.S. House Dist. 1

Suzanne Bonamici(D)	158,921	57.3%
Jason Yates(R)	95,822	34.5%

U.S. House Dist. 4

Peter DeFazio(D)I	180,180	58.6
Art Robinson(R)	115,374	37.5%
Mike Beilstein(G)	6,760	2.2%

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