

THE NEWCOMER NEWS



WESTERN WELCOME NEWCOMERS
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President's Final Message

Terry O'Dell

ALOHA!

Here we are just back home from a 2 week trip in our RV. It was a great trip with lots of scenery, lots of sunshine and delicious food. Now it's time to get back to home maintenance, yard work and Western Welcome. We missed the Let's Eat Out, Lunch Bunch, Mexican Train, cards at the Elks, and of course we missed all our friends at WWN.

Well, as you know, this will be my last President's message. I am looking forward to the In and Out dinner and the past president's luncheon. I want to thank all the board members and their co-chairman's that helped out this past year. I am so glad to see the club growing. It has been quite a year for us. I remember canceling our Fruitdale meeting because of snow on the ground and that wasn't that long ago. I remember a great St Patty's Day party at the new Elks, the great Mexican Train party at the Bear Hotel, playing cards at the Elks and all the meetings at the Fruitdale Grange. Now I am looking forward to a new president and new board members. Come to the May Fruitdale meeting to meet them all. As for now I will say MAHALO!

Terry



Vice President's Final Message

Kristi Mishell

May 30th, we'll have Peggy Hill, RASCAL President Rogue Area Senior Assistance League. RASCAL was formed in 1990, and now has over 300 senior members. The purpose of the organization is to assist seniors (50+) in learning how to use computers and other technology related devices. Their motto is "Seniors Helping Seniors".

On June 30th we'll have Dr. Patrick Dunn, a surgical Podiatrist at the Grants Pass Clinic and also Director of the Asante Wound Care Center. He is our Publicity Chairman, Bonnie Kallenberg's Son-in-Law.

I *thoroughly* enjoyed scheduling your speakers and programs this term. Even though I had a few snow cancellations and a Covid cancellation along the way, it was a fun job!

Kristi

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

* JUNE *

4 Valerie Rasmusson, 5 Nelson Maler, 6 Valerie Harlacher,
8 Gloria Kozak-Sullivan, 14 Mary Thorsen, 15 Jeanie LeGaspi,
19 Jess Pietrzak, 26 Howard Sackett



* JULY *

1 Dana Englehardt, 2 Beth Lenz, 4 Tom Wilson, 10 Ellen Law,
11 Ellen McKee-Parks, 15 Bob Ray, 5 Terry Miller, 18 Kristi Mishell,
26 Anne Kaun, 26 Dawn Shively, 28 Karen Oman, 31 Linda Infelise

50/50 is BACK!



\$\$ WIN SOME CASH \$\$

Buy your tickets and go home with a little bonus. Tickets are drawn at the meeting and you could go home a winner!

Kristi Mishell won \$78 at our April meeting BUT she had to split it with her sister because Karen bought the tickets. Congratulations!!

TICKETS

Purchase your tickets at the registration area.

Ticket prices are 1 for \$1, 3 for \$2, 5 for \$3 and 10 for \$5.

The total collected is divided 50% to the club and the other 50% goes to the winner.

Valerie Harlacher Chairman

WWN's FACEBOOK QR CODE



MEMBER DUES NOTICE

Dues are due now and need to be paid by June 30th to have your name in the Directory.

**Dues are \$15 per year.
Newsletters mailed are now \$20 due to postage increase.**

**You can mail your check to
PO Box 386, Grants Pass, OR 97528
or pay at the meeting.**

WWN BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2023 - 2024

OFFICERS

President	Sandy Antich	541-218-4015
Vice President	Debra Wilson	541-660-7040
Secretary	Terry Miller	657- 363-2145
Treasurer	Karen Henningsen	541-660-3966
Auditor	Shireen Hartmann	707-318-5797
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CHAIRPERSONS

Activities		
Book Club	Terry Miller	657-363-2145
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Let's Eat Out	Jiggy Bem	541-955-1794
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Lunch Bunch	Trish Bell	541-218-6109
Membership	Helen Toth	818-687-9028
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Policies & Procedures	Terry Miller	657-363-2145
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Sunshine	Jacque Melancon	925-597-0177
Ways & Means	Terry O'Dell	503-812-0381
	Darlene O'Dell	541-291-2207

WESTERN WELCOME NEWCOMER'S WEBSITE

Mark Simonds, Chairman

There are four categories with drop down lists:

- *HOME**
- *ACTIVITIES**
- *MEMBERSHIP**
- *ABOUT**

Share this link [Western Welcome Newcomers](http://www.westernwelcome.com) with anyone who wants to learn everything about the group's activities and so much more!!



Find us on:
facebook®

**View WWN on Facebook
(WWN Newcomers) 'Like' the page to
see pictures of recent events.
Thanks to Debra Wilson for posting
current event photos!**



2022—2023 IN AND OUT DINNER



Thank you 2022-2023 Board

Welcome 2023—2024 Board

Delish Dinner Elks!!



CRAFTS @ CONNIE'S HOUSE!!

Come have some fun painting & decorating a wood crate with compartments that could hold napkins & utensils or condiments. Organizer for mail, pens...office supplies. This is such a great class! We always have a good time visiting & making new friends.

June 21st @ 10:30 AM

Connie's House
1255 SW Ironwood Drive
By the All Sports Park, turn R on
Webster, L on Ironwood.

Call
Connie Hager 541-218-2804
ConnieHager@rocketmail.com

~ LUNCH BUNCH ~



June 9th @ 1:00 pm

WILD RIVER PIZZA

595 NE E St, Grants Pass

RSVP REQUIRED!!

There will be a signup sheet at
Tuesday's meeting

Trish Bell

541-218-6109 tb_euhs@yahoo.com

~ LET'S EAT OUT ~



June 23rd @ 5:00 pm

THE VINE

1610 SW Allen Creek Rd #111, Grants Pass

RSVP REQUIRED!!

There will be a signup sheet at
Tuesday's meeting

Chair—Jiggy Bem

Jiggy.Bem@yahoo.com

541-955-1794



3rd Monday of the month
Location to be Announced

Call Terry 503-812-0381



Book Lovers Unite!

The Book Club will be meeting on the
2nd Monday, June 12th @ 1:00 pm

Applebee's

250 NE Agness Ave, Grants Pass, OR

Come share your latest binge read with others
and find your next must read!

Happy reading/listening

For RSVP please email or call

Terry Miller 541-218-6109

tlmiller@tm-inter.net

CRATER ROCK MUSEUM PICTURES!



MEXICAN TRAIN

ALL MEMBERS welcome!

Wow! 29 members showed up to play Mexican Train/Dominoes!! Lots of talk and laughter.

**June 14th and June 28th @ 12:45 pm
July 12th and July 26th**

Bear Hotel

2101 NE Spalding Avenue, Grants Pass

Bring your snacks, drinks and dominoes
if you have them!

Call if you have ANY questions!

Debra Wilson

541-660-7040 antiquetd@msn.com



BOWLING

Good News from the Alley Cats!!

Check out our members wearing our new shirts!!

The shirt we chose comes in both men's and women's sizes and in several different colors. We gather at the tables in the area of lanes 4-8.

Only \$2.50 a game and that includes shoes and ball!

Caveman Bowl

1230 Rogue River Highway

**June 8th and June 22nd
July 13th and July 27th**

Doors Open at 12:45 pm

Please RSVP

Any questions? Call or email Starr Terra

starrterra4@gmail.com

541-450-3784





HAND & FOOT or 5 CROWN CARDS

Elks Lodge, 618 SE J Street, Grants Pass



1st & 3rd Thursdays, we start at 12:00 pm

June 1st and June 15th

July 6th and July 20th



If you don't know how to play we'll teach you. It's FUN! Come join us!



Connie Hager (call or text) **541-218-2804**

ConnieHager@rocketmail.com



***Send some sunshine to
someone in need***

Are you aware of our Sunshine Feature?

If there's a member who's ill, lost a loved one, is recuperating or needs a boost...just let me know.

I'll send them a ray of sunshine in the form of a greeting card from the Newcomers Club.

Ms. Sunshine: Jacque Melancon **925-597-0177**

GENERAL INFORMATION

**If your email address has recently
changed please contact
Debra Wilson so we can update the
club's information.**

antiquetd@msn.com

MEMBERSHIP CORNER

Our newest Members!!



Linda Angel (goes by Angel) - she has lived in GP since 1981, her interests are crafts, cards, dominoes and movies.

Shelly and John Schuur - originally from Felton, CA
John enjoys classic cars.

Virginia Gilbertson - originally from CA

Welcome All!

Chair: Helen Toth 818-687-9028


helen_toth48@yahoo.com

WWN CLASSIFIED ADS


Annual Ad Dues: June 1, 2023 - May 31, 2024 of \$60.00 are due on June 1, 2023.

Email Kristi Mishell KristiMishell@gmail.com to place your ad. WWN is not responsible for the condition of products or services offered. NOTE: Please make all checks out to WWN and include 'Ad payment' on the bottom of check and mail to: WWN, PO Box 386, Grants Pass, OR 97528.

Deadline is 10 days before the monthly Newcomers general meeting (last Tuesday of each month). Ads may require your name, phone number, address, description of the items for sale or wanted, price, condition of item or date of event.



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daydreamesthetics.glossgenius.com



PROFITABLE COLLECTIBLES!!

As can see, the company name has changed. It's because so many people have Collectibles and it is a better category for me. **Send me an email and I will text you the list of what is considered a Collectible (it's long).**

I can sell your items without you ever leaving your home. Look up what you have, and think about what it might be worth. If that figure is more than \$200, email me pictures, a description of the product(s) and I'll take it from there. It's that easy!! I've been selling for friends, family and clients for 25 years!

I research the item(s) thoroughly and find out the current marketable price it can bring and then prepare the ad copy for a variety of internet resources. eBay + International, Craigslist and 20 Facebook Market Place links

Kristi Mishell

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541-761-1810 (leave message)