



Mt Hood Republican Women



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*Next Meeting – Wednesday
May 11th, 2022*

At

**Black Bear Restaurant
(Gresham)
105 NE Burnside Rd,
Gresham, OR 97030
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**Business Meeting
11:30 am**

**Cheryl Harris,
Director
Sandy Pregnancy
Resource Center
12:15 p.m.**

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Elections are not won on Election Day - but through the work in the months leading up to it.

The month of May has arrived and hopefully it will bring more sunshine. Our new Black Bear meeting location was enjoyed by all those attending in April. Our regular Wednesday, May 11, 2022 meeting will welcome Cheryl Harris, Director of the Sandy Pregnancy Resource Center along with a baby shower to gather items needed for the layettes they present to those in need. Items can include diapers in sizes 2-3, clothing sizes 0 thru 9 months, blankets, wet wipes, bibs, socks, etc. and small children's books for those brothers and sisters in the same family. All donations are appreciated by those participating in our area. This will take place at 11:30 am at the Black Bear Restaurant in Gresham, 105 N.E. Burnside, just east of the Main Street signal. Plenty of parking, a delicious menu to choose from and a smiling Republican server to deliver it! Business meeting will convene at 11:30 am with speaker to follow. We will also provide 3 minutes each to all those candidates wanting to introduce themselves and share why they chose to run and what they hope to accomplish if elected. We always make time for questions, the latest political information additional discussion. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Our Mt. Hood Red Tote bags are still available at \$10 each or 2 for \$15. So handy to use and easily identifiable to all that you are a Mt. Hood Republican Women! Contact Clarice for information, 503-658-5227

BOLI Candidate Race
Vote for Cheri Helt for Bureau and Labor of Industries on your May 17th Ballot. Put a business owner into the Agency to help it focus on helping businesses.

Ballots are Out
Please fill out your ballot and return before May 17th Deadline.

A Big Thank You to everyone donating plastic eggs and individually wrapped candies for our annual Salvation Easter Egg donation. Our final total was 869! Our next Executive Board meeting will be August 31, 11 am. at Elmer's in Gresham. Please note all Executive Board meetings will be held at Elmer's while our regular, larger meetings will now be held at Black Bear Restaurant.



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Birthdays



Give them a call or send a card. Let them know they are special!

May 6th -
Darlene Carr

May 8 –
Billie Goodwin &
Crystal Moss

May 25 -
Michelle Cassel

May 28 -
Melanie Raies &
Sondra Carroll

2022 Election Dates

May 17th – Election Day

[Ballot Dropbox Locations in Clackamas County](#)

[Ballot Dropbox Locations in Multnomah County](#)

[Ballot Dropbox Locations in Washington County](#)

[Oregon Voters Pamphlet](#)

Executive Club Meeting

Executive Club meeting on THURSDAY, May 5, at 7 pm, Airport Shilo Inn. Scheduled speaker will be Vance Day, a former Oregon Circuit Court Judge. Always the latest information from Cities, Counties, the State of Oregon, Metro, Cascade Policy, and the various campaigns and Candidates. All are welcome to attend and take part in the many discussions that follow. Restaurant and (no host) bar will be open. There is always plenty of free parking available. Join us in the spirit of our Great Don McInire, The Father of Measure 5. Please allow extra time to arrive due to the huge amount of traffic on Airport Way.

Criminal Justice Reform

As Republicans we believe in reforming our system but we have no tolerance for those who commit murder or crimes against Women and children. The latest example of Governor Brown granting clemency and releasing a convicted Murderer from prison without notice to the families is terrible and unjust. Many District Attorneys' and member of the Democratic Party have blasted this decision. Click here for the [Fully Story](#). We need leaders to hold people who commit crimes accountable and protect our neighborhoods and communities.

Please help your children succeed in school by contacting the Smart Program in your area. Call Michele Gilmore at 971-634-1628 or www.getSMARToregon.org for more information.

We can't let our Children fall farther behind.

Oregon Governor Debates

Koin News 6 hosted a Republican Governors debate with Mayor Stan Pulliam, fmr. House Republican Leader Christine Drazan, Doctor Bud Pierce and fmr. GOP Chair Bob Tiernan

[Watch Full Debate](#)

Pamplin Media hosted an online debate with Jessica Gomez, Nick Hess, Marc Thielman, and Kerry McQuisten

[Watch Full Debate](#)

At our April meeting Lisa Cassels related the many contacts she had with school districts in Oregon regarding the CRT agendas now required in Oregon. She obtained a K thru 6th Grade lesson plan that is eye opening. Copies can be obtained online by [Click Here](#). Clarice will also have a few copies at the May meeting. We must all become aware of what is being taught in our public schools. Ask to review all lesson text books and sit in or monitor classes your child or grandchild must participate in. These are OUR CHILDREN and we choose to provide guidance regarding whether they are "boys or girls" and not adhere to the teacher's union of shutting out our family values. We must be firm in our fight to speak at school board meetings and inform all to get back to the basics, reading, math, writing and accepting all people as equals regardless of skin color or station in life.

Vietnam War Memorial Gala set for May 7th to Raise Funds for the Oregon Vietnam War Memorial in Hillsboro

Join friends and guest for a moving evening to honor those who have sacrificed everything.

Tickets can be reserved now

Keynote Speaker will be Fmr. Secretary of Defense James Mattis

You can mail a check to: Vietnam War Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 1448, Boring, Oregon Or visit for more information <http://vietnamwarmemorialfund.org/> for your credit card.

Dorchester Conference Recap

Over 200 Republicans and friends gathered in Welches for the 2022 Dorchester Conference. The event featured a 1:1 debate between Lori Chavez-DeRemer and Jimmy Crumpacker for Congressional District 5. Attendees voted that Chavez-DeRemer won the debate. The event also had a 4 Candidate debate for Congressional District 6 with Mike Erickson, Angela Plowhead, Amy Ryan-Courser and Ron Noble. Attendees thought Noble won the debate. On the last night, attendees were treated to a Governors Debate with 5 of the 19 candidates including Stan Pulliam, Bob Tiernan, Jessica Gomez, Bridgett Barton and Marc Thielman.

County Party Contacts For more information

Clackamas – <http://www.clackamasrepublicans.org/>
Marion - <http://www.marioncountygop.org/>
Multnomah - <http://www.multnomahgop.org/>
Washington - <http://washcogop.org/>
Oregon Republican Party - <http://oregon.gop/>

June Roundtable Discussion Announcement

It has been suggested, with the many candidates and election decisions to be made, we have a June Mt. Hood Republican Women’s Roundtable discussion. It will be Wednesday, June 8, at 11 am, at the Black Bear Restaurant, in Gresham. Bring your opinions and patience to share the latest information with fellow attendees. Enjoy a good lunch while you’re there too.

**Candidates for Office
Senate Candidates**

Jason Beebe – Robert Fleming – Darin Harbick –
Sam Palmer – Jo Rae Perkins – Ibra Taher –
Chris Christensen

US Congress

Joanna Harbour – 3rd District
Alek Skarlatos – 4th District

5th District

Lori Chavez-DeRemer – Madison Oatman –
Jimmy Crumpacker – John Di Paola – Laurel Roses

6th District

Ron Noble – David Russ – Angela Plowhead –
Nathan Sandvig – Amy Ryan Courser – Jim Bunn –
Mike Erickson

Presidents Thoughts

Another month has passed and nothing has changed. We don’t need polls to tell us there are problems in our State. We see it every day for ourselves. The crime in our neighborhoods, the shootings on the news, the homelessness on our streets, the price we are paying to fill our tanks to see our families and go to work and our children being failed by our education system. We know we are on the wrong track, we know our current leaders are not listening to us. It is time for a change. It is time to try something new and focus on actually tackling the problems. We don’t need more government; we need government to do its main job of keeping us safe.

Clarice Moss, President MHRW

MHRW April Meeting Recap

April 13 meeting review, Clackamas County Commissioner, Paul Savas relayed a threatening tolling transportation plan for our 205 freeway area. Our attendees were not at all favorable to the prospect of having to be assessed varying fees for each section of 205 they had to drive on. The hardships of getting children to school, to get to ones place of employment, to neighboring cities or just to go to the nearest grocery store or shopping center were almost insurmountable to say the least. Mr. Savas shared the many obstacles and varied proposals being discussed. We were all enlightened by the fact an almost completed initiative for a vote in the November ballot will be available for signature gathering soon.

Candidates for Office – State Senate

District 11 – Kim Thatcher, District 13 – John Velez
District 19 – Wendy O’Riley, Ben Edtl
District 20 – Bill Kennemer, Tim Large,
Chris Morrisette
District 24 – Stan Catherman
District 26 – Steve Bates, Daniel Bonham,
Micheal Nugent

Oregon Moms Union Update and Trainings

MacKensy Pulliam, Co-founder of the Oregon Moms Union hosted a panel at the Dorchester Conference with a State Representative on the Education Committee, a School Board member and a Mom to talk about what we can do to get Parents back involved in our Children’s education and get teachers back to teaching the basics of reading, writing and math.

The group is hosting 2 workshops soon in our area.
Monday May 9th – West Linn – 6-7:30pm [More info](#)
Wednesday May 11th – Beaverton – 6:30-7:30pm
[More info](#)

For all those living in the King City area interested in in the latest political information, regular meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the King City Clubhouse, 15245 S.W. 116th Ave., King City.
Call 971-226-0451 for more information.

How to Get Involved in Multnomah County

For volunteer options in Multnomah County please visit <https://multco.us/oci> for more information about available opportunities

How to Get Involved in Clackamas County

Looking to gain experience and serve in a volunteer capacity? Please think about applying to serve on one of the many advisory boards and commissions that communicate directly with the Clackamas County Board of Commissioners. These groups are vital in providing insight and perspective to your local elected officials. This is great experience that will help guide our County. Visit this link for more information on how to apply.
[Link to Webpage](#)

Court of Appeals Recommendation
Vote for Judge Vance Day for the Oregon Court of Appeals. He has a record of supporting the Rule of Law.

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Thank You and May God Bless America



Candidates for Office – State House

District 18 – Rick Lewis
District 26 – Glenn Lancaster, Jason Fields
District 37 – Aeric Estep, District 38 – Alistair Firmin
District 39 – Kori Haynes
District 40 – Adam Baker, Daniel Tooze
District 41 – Rob Reynolds, Elvis Clark, Rene Gomez
District 48 – John Masterman
District 49 – Randy Lauer, District 50 – Amelia Salvador
District 51 – James Hieb, Lisa Davidson
District 52 – Britt Storkson, James Born, Jeff Helfrich

Fly our Flag Proudly on Memorial Day for those who served our nation and paid the ultimate sacrifice.

Messages

Thanks to Jason Williams for always sharing the latest tax information through the Taxpayers Association of Oregon.

Thank you to Odette for donating the funds received from the sale of her donated books to Mt. Hood. Our monies are used wisely.

When meeting any candidate, it would be a good idea to inquire as to their view on CRT education and the recent Florida education measure passed.

“You cannot escape the responsibility of tomorrow by evading it today,” Abraham Lincoln

Candidates for Office - Governor

David Burch, Bridget Barton, Consultant -
Christine Drazan, Fmr. House Republican Leader -
Jessica Gomez, Small Business Owner -
Stan Pulliam, Mayor of Sandy, Kerry McQuisten,
Mayor of Baker City – Dr. Bud Pierce, 2016 Gov.
Nominee, Nick Hess, Business manager, Amber
Richardson, Chiropractor, Marc Thielman, Fmr.
Alsea School District Superintendent -
Brandon Merritt - Stefan G Streck - Bill Sizemore -
Tim McCloud, John Presco, Bob Tiernan, Fmr GOP
Chair, Tim McCloud, Court Boice, Curry
County Commissioner - Raymond Baldwin -
Reed Christensen

Parent Involvement in Education

Are you upset and angry by the state of the Oregon public education system handling of teaching your children? Do you feel like you have been ignored in your child's education and growth in the classroom? Do you want your local school boards to get back to their core mission of teaching the basics of reading, writing and math to your children?

Are you frustrated that your children lost time in the classroom and are now behind the majority of other States?

Education is perhaps the single biggest issue in this year's election and everyone needs to know about it.

The Oregon Moms Union knows parents deserve a voice in their children's education. And they are not just for moms; they welcome all parents, guardians, grandparents, aunts, uncles, neighbors and community members who care about making our schools better and our children more successful.

For more information about the Oregon Moms Union:
<https://www.oregonmomsunion.com>

Mother's Day Message

Let all MOMS know how much they are loved and appreciated. Not only on this Sunday, but every day!

They are our Mentors. They give us Opportunities, they keep us on Time, they create Happiness, they have boundless Energy and they always Reassure us after hard days.