

NOTICES & REMINDERS January 2010

Happy New Year ~

from *GG Kris Aanderud, AGG Mark Allen and the officers of the Grand Guardian Council* ☺

Be sure to check the website for frequent updates. Mr. Emmons is constantly working on the Oregon Jobie website and posts items regularly at the request of the Grand Secretary. If you have something you want posted, email it to the Grand Secretary who will have it approved by the Grand Guardian for posting! Many items are posted to the website before the Grand Mailing comes out formally... www.oriojd.org

Bethel Installations - updated as information has been supplied-changes noted with highlight. Completed installations include Bethels 1, 11, 13, 66, 67, and 81. Remaining are:

- Bethel 4 - Saturday, January 9 at 2 pm – Kenton Lodge, Portland
- Bethel 10 - Saturday, January 9 at 7 pm – Milwaukie Lodge, Milwaukie
- Bethel 17 - Saturday, January 16 at 2 pm – Coos Bay Lodge, Coos Bay
- Bethel 19 - Saturday, January 9 - 11 am – Gresham Lodge, Gresham (\$5 lunch after)
- Bethel 20 - Saturday, January 23 at 4 pm – Beaverton Lodge, Beaverton
- Bethel 26 - Tuesday, January 19 at 6:30 pm - Eugene Lodge, Eugene
- Bethel 43 - Saturday, January 9 at 2 pm – Scottish Rite Temple, Salem
- Bethel 53 – TB announced
- Bethel 74 - TBD - awaiting word on joining with Bethel 78
- Bethel 78 - TBD - awaiting word on joining with Bethel 74

Congratulations to all of the new officers assuming stations in our various Bethels.

UPDATE on Oregon Jobie Evolution:

The Oregon Jobie website has been updated with a special page for Oregon Jobie Evolution announcements and information. The December 6 podcast recording is linked on this page, as are the documents that have been distributed to date on the work of the JET and a link to the Jobie FaceBook page where Daughters are encouraged to ask questions and exchange ideas. For more info on the Evolution... contact GBHQ Kristi Frazier, MOJD Julie Coulter or Youth Committee Chair Robin Henderson.

Grand Bethel Election Materials:

Information about the process for becoming a candidate for Grand Bethel Honored Queen is included in this mailing.

- January 31st - prior to 1/31/10 - confidential recommendations for GBHQ and GBSP candidates at a regular Bethel meeting. These are sent with the GBHQ / GBSP applications.
- February 5, 2010 - All GBHQ AND GBSP applications must be postmarked by this date! Please mail all application materials to: Robin Henderson, PGG, 64731 Alcor Pl, Bend OR 97701. If there are questions, please contact Robin by email at rjhenderson@bendcable.com or call her at home 541-389-5749 or on her cell 541-610-9179.

Grand Bethel Bylaws and Rules & Regulations:

All proposals for Grand Bethel Bylaws, as well as Rules and Regulations, must be submitted to Robin Henderson, Youth Committee Chair, by February 1. This deadline

will allow the distribution of all proposals to each Bethel prior to March Madness, March 6, 2010.

March Madness replaces Grand Bethel Weekend and combines it with statewide initiation. More information on March Madness will be out shortly after the JET and Youth Committee's next meeting. Stay tuned!

Scholarship Application information will be available soon. Be sure to talk to your daughters and Majority Members who are attending school and remind them of the scholarships available through Job's Daughters and other Masonic organizations. For more information contact the Scholarship Committee Chair, Rhonda Coverdell.

Degree of Royal Purple Nominations will be due by March 31. Information regarding nominations will be included in next month's mailings. The ceremony if there are any recipients will be held at Grand Session 2010.

Certified Adult Volunteer Renewal Reminder – Many of our adult volunteers became CAVs in February and March of 2009. Please check your CAV card and get your renewal application and fees into the Supreme Guardian Council office 30-60 days prior to your renewal date. Don't let your certification lapse... the consequence is having to take the training again and begin the process again! Thanks.

Certified Adult Volunteer

Do you need certification? Do you know someone who needs to be certified? Please contact Wes Aanderud at 541-341-1708 and add your name to the list.

A new CAV class will be scheduled on either January 16 or January 24 in the Portland area. We are awaiting approval of the Certified Adult Volunteer Training Coordinator Shelly Cole.

If you want to take this class and have a preference on the date, please contact Wes Aanderud. If you have not already done so, please let Wes know if you want to take the class. Required training materials will only be made for those that pre-register!

Bethel Guardians and Guardian Secretaries:

ANNUAL REPORTS: Annual Report information has been distributed to all Bethels. If your Bethel does not have this info, contact Grand Secretary Bonnie Hambleton immediately! Please be sure that your permanent record book and all petitions and dues records are current. Members must pay their dues to the end of the current term to be able to be installed. Be sure to send notices of suspension, if dues have not been paid for 2009. **Annual reports are due no later than January 31**, but please send them as soon as they have been completed. **Checks for annual fees must accompany the annual report to be considered complete.**

All Bethels are also reminded that they need to include the Bethel's current **Bethel inventory** with their annual reports. In addition, a copy of the **Fall Term audit** prepared by the Associate Bethel Guardian and presented to the Daughters at their first meeting of the term should be forwarded to the Grand Secretary with the annual report. Per bylaw, B-BGC under the duties of the Executive Bethel Guardian Council:

Section 2. The Associate Bethel Guardian shall:

- (e) See that the books of the Bethel are audited at the close of each term and that a report is made to the Bethel at the first meeting after installation.

Education and Promotional Funds REMINDER

Per Bylaw: B-Bethel 3 Section 4

- (a) Within thirty (30) days after the new officers are installed in a chartered Bethel, the Honored Queen and members shall plan a financial affairs, two (2) affairs each year, for the benefit of the Educational and Promotional Funds.
- (b) One-third (1/3) of the monies raised shall be retained by the Bethel, one-third (1/3) forwarded to the Educational Fund and one-third (1/3) forwarded to the Promotional Fund.
- (c) These monies, except that portion to be retained by the Bethel, shall be mailed to the Grand Secretary or the Executive Manager for Bethels under Supreme, for use in education and promotion in the jurisdiction wherein such Bethel exists.

If you have not already submitted your funds for fall term, please do so with your Annual Report. Be sure to get your spring term project planned within 30 days of your installation and the funds sent to the Grand Secretary upon completion of the project.