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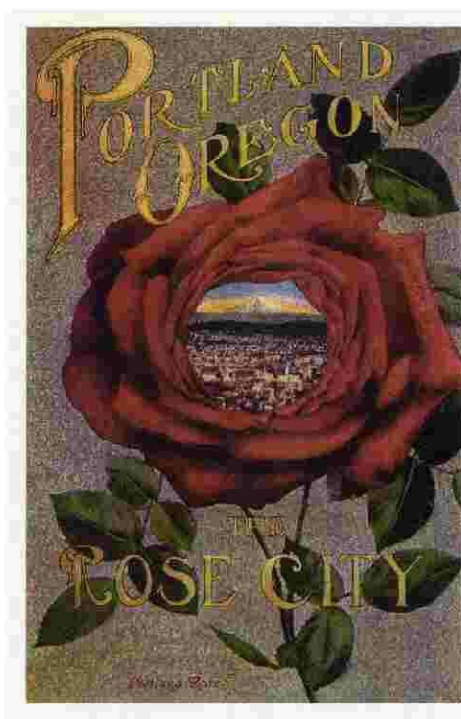
Greetings, Rosarians and Friends,
 Thanks for reading the electronic newsletter (e-newsletter) of the Royal Rosarians, produced by Secretary of State Peter Glazer. If you have suggestions or contributions for this newsletter, please contact Peter.

Save the Date--Saturday, September 30

2007 Royal Rosarian Inaugural Ball

In just a couple of months we will celebrate the installation of our new Prime Minister and Council for 2006-07 at the Royal Rosarian Inaugural Ball. Invitations are not yet out but you don't want to miss this happy event on Saturday evening, September 30, at 5:30 p.m. at the Governor Hotel.

Mark the date on your calendar and look forward to something special. Incoming Prime Minister Bob Strader has a few changes in mind that will make this new and different than any Prime Minister's Ball before. Look for an important ceremonial role by the Queen of Rosaria, performances by the Oregon Pro Art Youth Chamber Orchestra, and dancing to Opus 5. Plan to be there.



Great Turnout for Battle Ground

One Observer Terms it Her "Favorite Parade"

The turnout was great for our July 15 Battle Ground Harvest Days Parade with 21 Rosarians including three drummers (thanks, David Ott, Aivars Saukants and Virgil Caramella). We even saw some longtime Rosarians who had never been to Battle Ground before (not that I would ever name a name like that in the *Royal Update*).



One Rosarian spouse calls this her favorite parade because it's so much like a small town parade in the midwest, with every kind of entry meaningful to the close-knit Battle Ground community.

If you didn't make it to Battle Ground this year, put a sticky note on your calendar for next year to join us in Battle Ground.

Thanks to those who participated July 15: Duke Dick Clifton, Duke Rich Blizzard, Shirley Deck, James Brennan, Mark Smith, Carla Stenberg, Prime Minister Dennis Brookshire, Rob Hungerford, Swede Edlund, Glen Swanson, Tom Marantette, Ray Hanson, Sue Klobertanz, Bob Strader, Peter Glazer, Denny Baker, Aivars Saukants, David Ott, Virgil Caramella, Glen Mills and Greg McKelvey.

Thanks to Pam and Denny Baker for the photo above.

Announcements

For the Good of the Royal Rosarians

Memorial Service Saturday for Dame

Margaret Lall. A memorial service for Margaret Lall will take place this Saturday, July 22, at 2:00 p.m. at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, 2201 S.W. Vermont, Portland. Please arrive by 1:30 p.m. Margaret was knighted in 2001. Prior to becoming ill last October, she had begun to chair the Newsmakers of the Year committee for 2005-06. Dress is white uniforms, capes and gloves.



Royal Rosarian Picnic. The Royal Rosarian Picnic will take place Sunday, August 27 at North Clackamas Park starting at 11:00 a.m.

Greeting for Gold Star Wives of America. Royal Gardener Marilyn Schultz invites Rosarians to please join in greeting the Gold Star Wives of America at the opening session of their 61st annual convention. It will be held at the Lloyd Center Doubletree Hotel on Thursday, July 20. We will meet in the lobby at 12:45 pm. This group is made up of spouses whose husbands died while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, or as a result of a service-connected illness or disability. Proper attire is whites (skirts for dames), capes, hats and gloves.

2007 Prime Minister's Trip. At last report, 68 persons are signed up for the 2007 Prime Minister's Trip, a river cruise on the Danube. To lock in this year's price, with no currency exchange risk, one must sign up and pay a deposit of \$500 by August 31, 2006. **For more information, click on the link below**, call Tom or Shirley Sagerser, trip chairs, or contact Francine Marie at Cruises by Azumano, 503-221-6370 or fmarie@azumano.com

3rd Annual Sub Rosa Ride, Saturday, July 29, 2006 Motorcycle enthusiasts, it's called the Sub Rosa Ride so if ya wanna know ya gotta go. All bikes and rider skill levels are welcome. Invite your friends. Meet under the big flag at Latus Harley Davidson 870 E. Berkeley, Gladstone, Oregon 97027, at 8:00 a.m. on July 29. Dress is riding gear, gloves and helmets; leather is optional but advised. This is an all weather ride so be prepared. RSVP's are not required but the organizers would like to have some idea of how many bikes will be there so please give Rob Hungerford a call at (503) 353-4576.

[Click here for information on the 2007 Prime Minister's Trip, a River Cruise on the Enchanting Danube](#)

Marching When the Weather's Great

Summer Parade Schedule

Here's the schedule of upcoming parades:

Astoria Regatta Land Parade

Saturday, August 12. Parade starts at noon. The rose planting takes place the day before, Friday the 11th.

Beaverton's Celebration Parade

will be Saturday, September 16. Stay tuned for details.



Dress for parades: Whites, hats, capes & gloves; new Rosarians who don't yet have their Whites may wear their green jacket with white pants, white shirt (no button down collars), red tie, white socks and white shoes. **Reasons to get to the parade formation area early:** streets are still open, access to easy parking, the opportunity to observe behind the scenes pre-parade excitement, the chance to meet and greet VIPs, friends, the Rose Festival Court and fellow Rosarians, and maybe some coffee and sweets.

Jim Nielson's Truisms

This issue's "truism" from Duke of the Realm Jim Nielson

"Error is only the opportunity to begin again, more intelligently."--Henry Ford

(Jim Nielson, Prime Minister in 1979, is famous for his "truisms" which he is happy to share in each issue of the Royal Update; Jim was knighted under the rose Sutter's Gold, pictured)



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