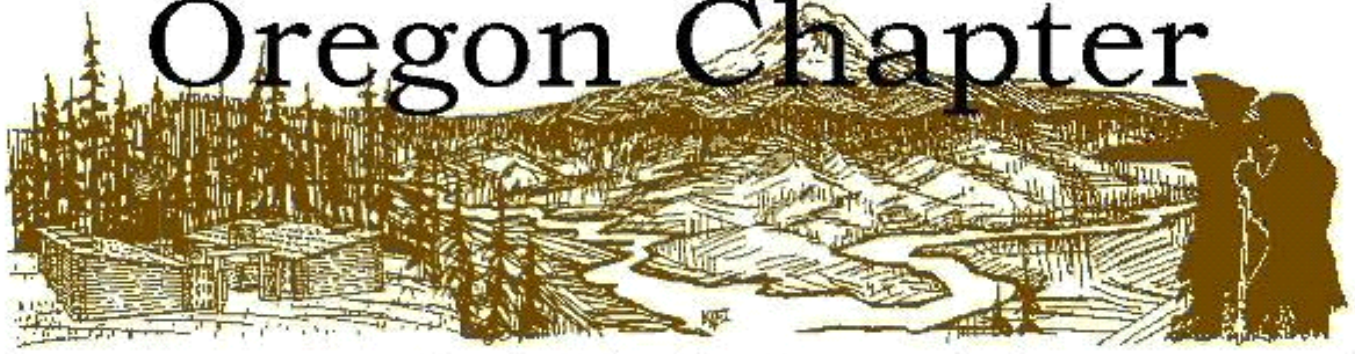


Oregon Chapter



Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation

Sept. 2010

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Presidents' Corner



Visit our website to see photos of recent activities, and then mark your calendar for future events... Speaking of the future, many of us would like to see the Trail officially stretch from sea to shining sea. The journals chronicle Meriwether Lewis's preparations from Pennsylvania to Wood River, Illinois. So why not include the Eastern Legacy in addition to the better-known launch on the Missouri

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The Journey of the Lacey Lady — October 17

You won't want to miss the story of the historic "Lacey Lady", a World War II-era B17 bomber, and how it ended up on stanchions above a parking lot in Oak Grove, Oregon.

Combine that with the collection of military memorabilia in the adjacent Wings of Freedom Museum and some good old fashioned 'vittles' and we have all the makings of another great Explore More event.

The museum is located at 13515 S.E. McLoughlin Blvd. (Hwy 99E) in Oak Grove, south of Milwaukie.

Come Sunday, Oct. 17 at 4:00 for the tour; dinner will start at 4:30, followed by our speaker.

Catered by The Bomber, dinner will be a "Wapato" Bar (stuffed potatoes with all the trimmings), homemade corn bread, salad, berry cobbler, and drinks.

The \$16/person cost covers the dinner, museum entry, and gratuities.



Reservations are required!

Contact **Thelma Haggemiller** at 503/659-5590 or Thelma.haggemiller@msn.com



A dire prediction near Sunset Beach at the end of the Fort-to-Sea Trail.

Horizons West

Our colleagues in the Washington Chapter have encountered a series of 1950 radio shows about the expedition, and linked to them on their website:

<http://www.wa-lcthf.org/Resources/horizonswest.html>



Oregon Chapter Name Badges

Send \$10 and your name (as you want it to appear) to **Dick Hohnbaum**, 6916 Wheatland Lane N., Keizer, OR 97303



CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

EXPLORE MORE!

Thelma Hagenmiller and **Lyn Trainer** lead **Explore More!**, a series of chapter trips which include a Lewis & Clark connection but also help members learn about other historical and cultural events that happened since that time.

In May **Tom Wilson** organized a nature hike at Fort Clatsop, with a talk by **Dick Basch**.



Paddles up at Fort Clatsop

In June we paddled on the Columbia from Skamokawa—on an expedition led by **Mark Johnson & Margaret Miller**.

Our “captains” continue to plan exciting trips for us. Watch this newsletter, your mail, your e-mail, and



Mark Johnson & Margaret Miller

especially the chapter website for more information and details.



Quicksand River Hike and Bird Blind Tour — Sept. 18

Repeating a popular event from last year, the indomitable **Glen Kirkpatrick** will lead a 2.5-mile hike from the Lewis & Clark State Recreation Site to the Confluence Project’s bird blind overlooking the

Sandy River Delta, then drive to Pryor’s turn-around up the Sandy River, followed by a group pizza lunch in Gresham.

Meet at 10:00 on Saturday, Sept. 18. Lunch will be around 2:00.

Please RSVP to Glen: glenkirkpatrick1@juno.com, 503-829-4292 home; 503-481-6982 cell.



2010-11 Chapter Events — Check the Website!

Sept. 18: Sandy River hike 10:00 (see above)

Oct. 17: Lacey Lady (bomber and Wings of Freedom museum—tour, dinner, & speaker) 4:00 (see page 1)

Nov. 12-13: Ocean View (annual L&C event in Pacific County)

Dec. 4: Annual Meeting (lunch, elections, and speakers at Ft. Clatsop) 1:00 (see next page)

Jan. 22: Oregon Historical Society (collections tour & lunch) 10:30

Visit our website for more details on all upcoming events.



Boy Scout Patch—L&C in Oregon

At the Foundation's annual meeting in Lewiston, the joint BSA/LCTHF patch program was hailed as "very successful", and several other chapters are using our Oregon patch and requirements as a model.



Ft. Clatsop Holiday Lunch — Dec. 4

Our Chapter's Annual Meeting lunch (and election of officers) at Fort Clatsop on Saturday, Dec. 4, will start at 1:00 with sandwich makings and beverages provided (\$5/head—pay at the door) and potluck accompaniments (e.g. veggies, fruit, chips, desserts).

Please RSVP by Nov. 26 to **Dick Hohnbaum** at hohnbaum@aol.com. See the website for speakers and overnight options. **Tom Wilson** will host us inside the fort itself for hot cider and tales of life there 205 years ago. A great opportunity for prospective members!

Presidents' Corner ... continued

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in spring, 1805? The National Park Service is starting work on a new comprehensive management plan. We will have a chance for input on September 9 at the Oregon Historical Society when NPS representatives hold a listening session 7-8:30 PM. This is your chance to tell the government anything you want to see happen in the future. Better signage? Sponsorship of more

public programs? Updating and reprinting of the Columbia River trail map **Ted Kaye** helped us create for the Bicentennial? Maybe they should provide mini-grants for teachers willing to take their students out for hands-on experiences like Oregon chapter member **David Ellingson** does at Woodburn High School or for our living historians who spend hours re-enacting the Saltmakers at Seaside or the native young adults at Tamastlikt

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Please contact **Larry McClure** or **Mark Johnson** (e-mail addresses below) with interest in Chapter service.



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There is far more L&C information available on our website!
Please check it for the latest updates on Chapter activities. We're sending fewer postcards, so watch the website for updates!



A new map of the Nez Perce (Nee-Me-Poo) National Historic Trail is now available for sale. The excellent map, from the U.S. Forest Service, provides visitors with details on multiple locations along the 1,170-mile Trail. For details, visit <http://www.fs.fed.us/npnht/news/>



The NPS publishes a quarterly newsletter, *The Trail Companion*. View it at: <http://www.nps.gov/lecl/parknews/newspaper.htm>

To get on the e-mailing list, contact **Karla V. Sigala**, Interpretive Specialist, Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail: karla_sigala@nps.gov

who demonstrate how the Umatilla, Cayuse, and Walla Walla tribes made tulle mats and dried salmon from the Columbia. Join us that evening for an active brainstorming time with folks from the Omaha headquarters of the National Lewis and Clark Historic Trail...
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in Omaha Nebraska & Council Bluffs Iowa—
see www.lewisandclark.org



Kelley Point Park — Potluck Picnic in July



On Sunday, July 11, 30 chapter members picnicked at Kelley Point Park, at the mouth of the Willamette. We visited the interpretive panel, heard about Clark’s ascent in April 1806, and enjoyed great company and glorious weather.

Glen Kirkpatrick oriented members to the Corps’ maps of the area, using an 1887 map to validate Clark’s cartography, and discussed the history and evolution of the islands at the confluence of the rivers.

Tom McAllister gave a short talk about the history of Kelley Point after the Expedition, relating his personal experiences there beginning in the 1930s.



Glen Kirkpatrick explains the maps of the Confluence.



Tom McAllister points north across the Columbia River.