



Hillcrest Committee Meeting

October 6, 2025

The meeting was called to order by President Lara David at 10:30am at the Colony Club, 8 Geneva Street, Medford OR 97504

Hostess: Crissie Olson and Lunch Committee, Tiffany Graber, Paula Carroll, Regina Younger and Yvette Provsty.

Roll Call: 35 members present

Old Business: Lara announced that meeting minutes will now be found on the Website. Paula Carroll moved to approve the minutes as well written. Tiffany Graber seconded the approval.

Save the Date letters that have been returned due to incorrect address were passed around for any corrections that can be made.

Patti Diehl reported on her research to get grant funding to help cover the cost of a website, we would be required to use an approved company. We will keep this in mind if future needs arise.

Quarterly Social - Sip & Paint will be held at RoxyAnn Winery on the 16th of October at 5pm. Please send \$50 to Crissie Olson if attending.

Treasure Report: Randee Leever reported on all normal activities and a detailed list of transactions can be found in the Treasure Report on the website. We did receive one donation by Yvette Provosty in honor of Craig Prewitt.

Yellow Rose Report: Crissie Olson reported that she delivered a Yellow Rose to Lauren McDermott who is recovering well.

Correspondence Report: Staci Drewien read a Thank you card from the Knight Cancer Institute thanking the Hillcrest Committee for their continued support. Zoey Pagen also thanked the Hillcrest Committee for the Special Occasion party that Tiffany Graeber chaired on August 23rd.

Data Base Report: Karen Porschet-Miller reported that we are continuing to go through the returned Save the Date cards to see if new addresses can be updated.

Meeting and Party Schedule: Paula Carroll thanked those that have switched days with others for coverage of the meetings. Discussion was had on the arrival time for evening meetings. It was agreed upon that evening meetings will have an arrival time of 5-5:15pm with social and food from 5 - 5:30 and the meeting beginning at 5:30pm.

Website update: Cathay Winans reported that the new website is up and running, all members are encouraged to take a look.

Summer Party Reports: Marialice Wright reported on Love Between the Rocks, the party was held at Table Rock Farms and was a beautiful venue. The committee did a fantastic job and it was a great success. Marialice also went over what items she was donating from decorations to the Hillcrest Committee.

Diane Patten reported on the Love Shack Party. The party was a success and all the committee members who helped cook as well as the party committee, did a fantastic job and everyone had a great time.

Lara reminded all to please upload any photos that you have to the website.

Ball Report: Monica Patridge reported on the Ball. Save the dates have gone out and turned out fantastic. They are currently finalizing the menu with the Country Club. Another reminder on how important it is to upload any photos so that the slide show can reflect our parties. Please do not upload "live" photos and take a moment and send the best shots and not duplicates.

Cristie Fairbanks reported on the Invitations. New members did not receive an invitation and we are making sure that everyone is on the mailing list. They need to get the QR code from Greater Giving as well as the final menu to add to the invitations.

Skye Flora reported on the Program, it will be printed the week before Thanksgiving.

PattieDiehl and Kate Empasis reported that on your RSVP to be sure to put who you would like to sit with. Tables will all be 10 tops. Also note if you are RSVPing for others you need to be sure to get their address and email so we are able to track for Greater Giving. Christin Sherbourne Austin has offered to help Carrie Roberts get the information from Greater Giving.

Kelly Soter is passing the Parties for members to sign up. With our smaller member number some parties will not be able to have co-chairs as we need members to be available to be on the party committee. Reminder, it is the responsibility of members to work at least two parties to fulfil your commitment. If a member is chairing a party, they are not required to work a party. All party chairs need to get their descriptions to Skye Flora ASAP so details can be added to the Auction Program.

Holly Linerud and Christin Sherbourne Austin are looking for decorations - if anyone has unique globes or travel theme decor please reach out to them.

New Business: New members' aprons and nametags are being handed out.

Paige Olson reported that we have a new Sparrow, Everly. Cascade Christian will be hosting Everly for an assembly on Friday, October 10th at 11am. Please reach out to Paige if you are able to attend. We will also be getting a second Sparrow, Zeke in January.

Lara David has requested any feedback on party budgets. She would like to know if the budgets that are in place are adequate.

Holly Linerud asked for an update on William Jackson, Randee Leever was able to share where William is at with his treatment and fundraising. Randee also shared that another fundraiser will be held on October 18th at Roxy Ann Winery and to reach out to Randee if you would like to attend.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 by Lara David.

Respectfully submitted,

Megan Rea

Recording Secretary