

## President's Letter

*From Chris Meinicke*

Greetings to all SDOP members and Friends of SDOP.

I hope you are enjoying the cooler weather and the hint of fall in the air. The leaves are already starting to turn beautiful yellow, orange and red in the Oregon Coast Mountain range and up at Mt. Hood. I love this time of year. Many of our pioneer ancestors probably arrived in the Oregon Territory about this time of year. I do know the pioneers coming over the Barlow Road didn't see the rhododendron blooming when they traveled the route around Mt. Hood so they thought the rhododendrons were just laurel, hence the name Laurel Hill.

My Great, Great, Grandmother, Artencia (Riddle, Chapman) Merriman arrived in Oregon in September of 1851 via the Southern Route, what most people refer to as the Applegate Trail. Artencia was born on October 11, 1830 in West Liberty, Ohio. Artencia was the second child born to William H. Riddle and Maxamillia (Bouseman) Riddle. For reasons unknown to me the family moved from Ohio to Illinois, about 10 miles from Springfield, Illinois. Artencia married James B. Chapman in 1849 and had their first child, John Chapman, in 1850. In 1850 the Oregon Donation Land Claims Act was passed. The Riddle family had a friend name Isaac Constant who had traveled to the Oregon Territory and returned telling great stories about the prospects of free land in Oregon and convinced his neighbors including the Riddles to move to Oregon. James and Artencia Chapman decided to join Artencia's parents on this



journey to Oregon and sold their farm. However, James died a few days before the wagon train was to leave. Since the farm was already sold Artencia really had no choice but to continue on to Oregon with her 9-month-old son, John Chapman along with her parents and brothers and sisters. Artencia was the only woman in the wagon train to legally own property which consisted of her one wagon and a set of oxen. The wagon train left Springfield, Illinois in March of 1851. The wagon train experience several hardships along the way. On one occasion, the train was attacked by a small band of Indians. No one was killed, but one man was shot in the arm. For reasons unknown, Artencia was called up to remove the bullet and dress the wound since there was no doctor on the wagon train. I consider Artencia to be a very brave and strong woman not only for removing the bullet but also making the journey with her small child on her own even though her family, also part of the wagon train, had at least two wagons. It was a 6 month journey. Artencia's father stayed in southern Oregon while many members of the wagon traveled on to Portland and northern Oregon. William Riddle staked out his land claim of 320 acres in Cow Creek Valley in Douglas County, Oregon. They were the first white people to settle in this area. One of Artencia's brothers, George Riddle, plotted out the town of Riddle, Oregon. I'll tell you more about my pioneer families in the next publication of the SDOP newsletter.

This fall, Oregon is celebrating the 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Barlow Road over Mt. Hood. The Barlow Road is well marked with many historical markers and there is a driving guide for the road on SDOP's website. Also, the book "Barlow Road" by the Clackamas County Historical Society and Wasco County Historical Society is a great resource. My first recollection of the Barlow Road was when my father took my family on part of the road that is just a dirt road even

today showing me and my brother rope marks on the trees from pulling the wagons up the hills or lowering down the hills. Not sure if you can still see the rope marks today. I never tire of traveling or hiking along sections of the Barlow Road today. It is totally worth your time to visit sections of the Barlow Road from The Dalles, Dufur or Tygh Valley to the Philip Foster Farm in Eagle Creek, Oregon. It might take several days to check out all the sites along the Barlow Road. Be sure to stop at Jonsrud Viewpoint. It is by far one of the best views of the Sandy River Valley that the pioneers traveled and of Mt. Hood. You won't be disappointed. Enjoy your journey.

Chris Meinicke



*Sandy Historical Society staff and volunteers.*

### **Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers Board Meeting - September 11, 2021 Sandy Historical Museum**

Welcome

Call to Order

Roll Call –Chris Meinicke, Janet Wilson, Dave Thompson, Joy'e Willman, Reggie Burke, Lyn'd Tillman, Priscilla Belin, Jeanne Preston, Joyce del Rosario, Dawn Alexander, Debbie Pederson. Friends: Mark Pederson Terry Thompson, and Joyce's husband Leif.

Introduce Museum Staff – Ken Funk- the museum's only paid employee, Ann Marie Amstad-Secretary of the Board of Directors, Wynn Thies- President of the Board of Directors, Connie (Revenue) Selzler- Volunteer at museum and also an SDOP member. Thank you to Joe's donuts that the museum provided for us to enjoy.

#### **Officer's Reports:**

**Secretary:** Dawn Alexander read the minutes from the July meeting. Joyce made a motion to approve the minutes. Jeanne 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion approved.

**President:** Chris Meinicke reported and showed a picture of the SDOP basket we donated for the Old Aurora Colony Museum's silent Auction. She also did some research on Mr. Louis Howard Blackerby, who provided SDOP with a rather large endowment years ago, per the terms of his estate. Her research discovered that Mr. Blackerby joined SDOP in November 1972. He was a life member at the time of his death in December 2006 at age 93. His Maternal Grandfather was Daniel W. Parker who was Gate Keeper at Toll Gate #5 on the Barlow Road from 1883 to 1889. He planted two big leaf maple trees at the Toll Gate. SDOP's gavel and wagon wheel sounding block were carved by Melvin Dunmire from a fallen limb from one of the maple Trees and gifted to SDOP in 1980. Chris also reported that she received a thank you card from Thomas Marquette and Linda Walker, the people who set up the Mountain man camp at the SDOP picnic.

**Treasurer:** On Point Balance \$1422.43. Outstanding Dues membership \$1644.00. Heritage Bank Balance \$171,395.47.

**President Elect:** Joyce del Rosario announced that she has secured reservations for us at Monarch Hotel for our banquet, Sunday Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> and we have the fiddlers for entertainment. Joy'e will help with the banquet details. We need a guest speaker for the event. Terry had

brought up the idea of obtaining one of the traveling exhibits from the Oregon Historical Society. Another idea is for a charitable donation callout, possibly putting envelopes on the tables for people to make a donation to our MPO, scholarship, Rose Parade, etc. funds. Chris will get the flowers for MPO. Someone will need to order her banner.

### **Committee Reports:**

**Registrar:** Priscilla Belin reported that we have had 3 new senior members, 3 new adults, 1 new friend, 2 members have converted to life members and no deaths reported. There is a problem with the online application process. Potential members complete the application giving their information; then they need to submit dues. Once dues are received then they return to complete their ancestors. Some don't fill in address, etc; all we have is email. Others complete ancestors. Mel has recorded how to do the application step by step but the biggest complaint is their password won't let them back in. Presently we have 10 potential members "pending" payment, or completion of the application, or both. She has been going through and updating all of our files. Jeanne and Priscilla have been working hard to get everything into our database. Thank you, ladies, for all of your hard work and time!

**Social Media:** Janet Wilson has responded to 273 on social media and we have had 963 connections in the last month.

**Newsletter Editor:** Chris Meinicke- The September newsletter will be coming out next week.

**Correspondence Secretary:** Chris Meinicke- We have had 3 new donations to the general fund.

**Trading Post:** Reggie Burke- Reported that she has been in contact with a gift shop in Sandy that is able to do etchings. Has also

looked at getting coffee tumblers. Chris shared pioneer charms and wondered if this was a possibility for our trading post. Reggie will look into this also.

**Digitizing Committee:** Joyce del Rosario and Dave Thompson- Dave has been working on what he has to get digitized.

### **Old Business:**

- Finalize date and location for the June 2022 Meeting- Since this date was during Father's Day weekend, we wanted a discussion. We are really interested in participating in the Brownsville parade and festivities. Joy'e made a motion to have the June meeting on June 18<sup>th</sup> at Brownsville. Joyce 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion passed.
- Additional Discussion on having an actual SDOP location. Priscilla, Jeanne, Joyce and Dave- the committee will meet and report at the November meeting.

### **New Business:**

- Vote on donating \$100.00 to The Sandy Historical Museum- Dawn made a motion to donate \$100 to the Sandy Historical Museum. Jeanne 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion passed.
- Elect a nominating committee- Joyce will chair the committee. Dave volunteered to be on the committee also. We are looking for a president-elect and a secretary for next year.
- When having in person meetings is it possible to also have it via Zoom- Discussion around having meetings provided on Zoom for those that cannot attend physically. This will depend on connectivity. Will try to have it set up for the banquet.

**Next Board meeting:** November 11, 2021, at Clackamas Towne Center Community Room.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 11:43 am. After a very nice sandwich lunch, we toured the Sandy Historical Museum and then Chris was our guide for several stops on the Barlow Trail.

## Lost Mail

The following members have had their newsletter returned, and SDOP does not have a new address for them. Do you know where they are now?

Mary Bacon

Jake Bacon

If you have any current contact information for them (address, phone #, or E-mail), please send it to:

Mel Fuller ([mel.fuller@oregonsdop.org](mailto:mel.fuller@oregonsdop.org)) or  
Dave Thompson ([dave\\_tek@yahoo.com](mailto:dave_tek@yahoo.com)).

## New Members

### Welcome New Members!

We are proud to have you in our growing pioneer family!

#### New Senior Members

Member	Ancestor
Pauline Gloria Gay Chorlton	Martin Baker Gay (1851)
Thomas Lee Thompson Sr	James Thompson (1850)
Joleen M Grimm Sharp	Samuel Beebe Burr (1852)

#### New Adult Members

Member	Ancestor
Drew H Augustin	John Quincy A Young (1847)
Janelle Mercurio	William Styles Engle (1845)
Jeffrey Reid Jacobson	Thomas Daniel Williams (1853)

#### New Life Members

Member	Ancestor
Bonnie L Frady Johnson	Converted from Senior
William A Carpenter	Converted from Senior

#### New Friends of SDOP

Jesse Whiteman

## Upcoming SDOP Board Meetings and Events

Board meetings are open to all Members and their families.

### November 13, 2021

Board Meeting

#### Location:

Clackamas Towne Center Community Room

**Time:** 10:00 AM

### January 8, 2022

Board Meeting

#### Location:

Clackamas Towne Center Community Room

**Time:** 10:00 AM

### February 13, 2022 (Sunday)

Annual Banquet

#### Location

Monarch Hotel  
125 SE 93<sup>rd</sup> Ave  
Clackamas, Oregon

#### Time:

**11:00 AM** - Annual All Member Business Meeting

**12:00 Noon** - Arrive for Banquet

### April 9, 2022

Board Meeting and Tour

#### Time & Location:

**10:00 AM Tour** - Vista House, on the old Columbia River Highway

**12:00 Noon Meeting** - Multnomah Falls Lodge Restaurant

### June 18, 2022

Board Meeting and Parade

#### Location:

Brownsville, OR, for the Pioneer Picnic

*Details to follow*

**July 9, 2022**

Annual SDOP Picnic

**Location:**

Champoeg State Park Pioneer Pavilion

**Time:****10:00 AM** - Board Meeting**12:00 Noon** - Picnic

## Celebrating the Barlow Road over Mt. Hood.

We are celebrating the 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Barlow Road over Mt. Hood in the fall of 2021.

The Barlow Road was the final leg of the 2,000 mile Oregon Trail and maybe the most difficult segment. If you were headed to the Willamette Valley, you had to choose either rafting down the Columbia River or climbing the southern flank of Mt. Hood on the Samuel K. Barlow's new toll road. Samuel Barlow and two companions, William Rector and Joel Palmer, scouted a route around Mt. Hood in 1845 following what they believed was an Indian Trail. However I doubt if the Indians ever took their horse down Laurel Hill. On December 9<sup>th</sup>, 1845, Samuel Barlow wrote a letter to the Oregon legislature requesting authorization to build a toll road over Mt. Hood at an estimated cost of \$4,000 of his own money.

The road was authorized by the Oregon Legislature, and by September 1846, it made its way around the south side of Mount Hood. This 80-to-110-mile road provided an alternative to the dangerous and expensive route that used rafts to transport wagons down the Columbia River. The Barlow Road began at The Dalles, Oregon, headed south through Dufur and Tygh Valley (which some folks consider the start of the Barlow Road), then turned west at Gate Creek and generally followed the White River before it headed north through Barlow Pass and Government Camp. It then passed through "Tollgate #5" near today's Rhododendron and continued to the community of Sandy, where it turned west, often stopping at Philip Foster's Farm in Eagle Creek and ended up at Oregon City and

the Willamette Valley. It is estimated that 50,000 emigrants traveled the Barlow Road to settle in Oregon. Probably many of your Pioneer ancestors traveled the Barlow Road.

Today, the Barlow Road lies mostly within the Mt. Hood National Forest. Many parts of the trail are still visible today and many significant places are marked with historical markers placed by the Oregon California Trail Association (OCTA), the U.S. National Forest Service, and Daughters of the American Revolution.



Today passage of the Barlow Road is Free.

If you want to travel the Barlow Trail, the SDOP website can provide you with a self-guided driving tour:

<http://oregonsdop.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/Barlow-Road-Book-text.pdf>. It was created by one of our members who is now deceased.

**Toll Gate #5:**

The Picture was taken September 11, 2021 after the SDOP Board Meeting at the Sandy Historical Museum in Sandy, Oregon. In the picture is: Connie (Revenue) Selzler, Debbie Pederson, Dave Thompson, Terry Thompson, Mark Pederson, Chris Meinicke, and Dawn Alexander.

We are standing next to the replica of the original Toll Gate #5 on the Barlow Road over Mt. Hood. The replica Toll Gate #5 is located a few

miles east of Rhododendron off of highway 26. Two Broadleaf Maple trees were planted at this location by Gate Keeper, Daniel Parker, sometime between 1883 and 1889 when he was the gate keeper. One Tree is still standing and is in the picture above behind Dawn. The significance of these trees is that the gavel and the wagon wheel sounding block used today by SDOP was carved by Melvin Dunmire, out of a limb that fell from one of the broadleaf maple trees and was gifted to SDOP by Melvin Dunmire and the Clackamas County Historical Society on July 12, 1980.

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### Laurel Hill:



### Unknown Pioneer Woman's Grave:



Applications are now being accepted for Miss Pioneer Oregon. Here is an opportunity for young women with Oregon pioneer ancestry to be selected as an official representative of Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers. The successful candidate is rewarded with the honor of being selected and monetary benefits.

**Requirements:**

1. Open to any single woman, age 16 - 21, who is eligible for membership in SDOP as a direct descendant of an Oregon pioneer. The pioneer ancestor must have arrived and settled in the Oregon Territory before statehood, Feb. 14, 1859.
2. If selected, she is required to attend the SDOP Annual Statehood Banquet in February and give a five minute speech on Oregon history or her pioneer heritage. She also is required to attend the annual SDOP picnic in July.
3. Unless unavoidable conflicts exist, she is expected to attend the Founders' Day celebration at Champoeg State Park in May. She may also volunteer to take part in festivals, celebrations, fairs, and parades sponsored by other organizations.
4. She is required to appear at all official functions in pioneer costume with the special "Miss Pioneer Oregon" sash furnished by SDOP.
5. She is required to have a studio portrait made for programs and publicity purposes. Two 8x10s will be paid for by SDOP (up to \$100) with one copy given to Miss Pioneer Oregon. The newsletter/banquet portrait needs to be sent electronically to Dave Thompson at dave\_tek@yahoo.com for inclusion on the program.

**Selection Criteria:**

Applicants will be judged by the selection committee based on 1} poise 2} appreciation of Oregon pioneer heritage 3} willingness to represent SDOP at official functions during the program year. Decision of the judges is final.

**Benefits:**

Miss Pioneer Oregon will receive a cash award of \$1,000 (paid in two payments), a Life Membership in SDOP with the hopes of participating in the organization in the future as a board member or officer, and the privilege of officially representing SDOP for one year.

**To Apply:**

Fill out the application and write a brief statement entitled "Why I Would Like to be Miss Pioneer Oregon."

Send to dmalex289@msn.com Please submit statement as a Word file or .txt, a recent photo as .jpg (300dpi)

Any questions?

Please contact Dawn Alexander (541) 581-0378 or dmalex289@msn.com

**Must be received by December 15**

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\* Miss Pioneer Oregon Application \*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

School (Attending or Attended): \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your pioneer ancestor: \_\_\_\_\_ Year arrived in OR Territory: \_\_\_\_\_

Your interests and hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Skills and talents: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Parent's Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement attached



# Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers

## ❖ College Scholarship Program ❖

### Rules:

1. Applicant must be a Member in good standing with SDOP.
2. Entries consist of three parts: 1} the info card below 2} transcript 3} application questions (on page 2)
3. All entries must be received by **December 15**, or delivered to the Chairperson by the same date.
4. Judges ruling will be final.
5. Winners will be presented at the Annual Banquet in February, but need not be present to win.
6. Must be entirely the work of applicant. A **picture** of applicant **must** accompany entry.
7. Any judge who has a family member applicant must abstain from voting in that category.

### Criteria and awards:

Up to \$1,000 has been budgeted per calendar year to assist up to two members with tuition, books, and mandatory fees, as they pursue their first bachelor's degree.

To apply, members must complete the info card below and official SDOP Scholarship application form from the website and send it, along with a sealed official transcript from their most recent high school, college, or university, to the SDOP Scholarship Committee.

### Please send submissions to:

**Must be received by December 15**

dmalex289@msn.com Please submit essays as Word or .txt files, photos as .jpg (300dpi or better)

### Any questions?

Please contact Dawn Alexander (541) 581-0378 or

dmalex289@msn.com

## ❖ SDOP College Scholarship Info Card ❖

Please attach this to your application found on page 2, or on our website [www.OregonSDOP.com](http://www.OregonSDOP.com)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your pioneer ancestor: \_\_\_\_\_ Year arrived in OR Territory: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Skills and talents: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Sealed official school transcript included  Application questions attached

Make sure to complete page 2 of this application





\* College Scholarship Program \*

The Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers offer scholarships to its members to help them achieve their goal of earning their first bachelor's degree. Please complete all parts of the application form and send it, along with a sealed official transcript from your most recent high school, college, or university, to the address listed below. If you are a previous SDOP Scholarship recipient please also include a sealed official transcript from all colleges or universities you attended while receiving the scholarship.

Attn: Scholarship Committee PO Box 6685 Portland, Oregon 97228-6685

Please read the SDOP Scholarship Policy before you begin filling out the application form. If you are awarded a scholarship you will be required to provide a valid social security number for use in crediting the scholarship funds to your college or university account. A photograph of you will be requested and will be used for publicity purposes.

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Most Recent School: \_\_\_\_\_ Years Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

What college or university do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied to this institution? Yes:\_\_\_ No:\_\_\_ If no, by what date will you apply? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted, or are you currently attending this institution? Yes:\_\_\_ No:\_\_\_

If yes, please attach your acceptance letter or proof of enrollment.

Please answer the following five questions on a separate document (Word file or .txt). Please retype the question and then add your response. Your responses to these questions will be evaluated by the Scholarship Committee primarily for content, so organization, spelling, and grammar are important.

1. What are your educational goals?
2. What do you plan to do with your degree?
3. How do you plan to contribute to a positive future for Oregon or your home state?
4. How has your family history, as the descendent of a pioneer, made difference in your life and how do you plan to keep your personal history alive?
5. What other factors would you like the Scholarship Committee to consider? (Academic achievement, SAT/ACTs cores, letters of recommendation [no more than 2], volunteer work, work experience, the overcoming of a hardship, etc.) Please attach supporting documentation if it exists.

Please read and sign, indicating your acceptance of the following statement:

I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions set forth in the SDOP Scholarship Policy: if selected as the recipient of an SDOP Scholarship, I will use the funds only in accordance with the SDOP Scholarship Policy. I certify that I have not completed the requirements to receive a bachelor's degree at any college or university. If any part of the scholarship will not be used in accordance with the SDOP Scholarship Policy I will notify SDOP as soon as I become aware of the fact. I understand that, at its sole discretion, SDOP will work with me to see that those funds are returned to SDOP. If I am awarded a scholarship, I agree to have my name and photograph used by the Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers for publicity purposes.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Rules:**

1. Applicant must be a Junior Member and in good standing with SDOP.
2. All entries must be postmarked by December 15, or delivered to the Chairperson by the same date.
3. Once an applicant wins in a category, they are ineligible to win again in that age group.
4. Judges ruling will be final.
5. Winners will be presented at the Annual Banquet in February, but need not be present to win.
6. Must be entirely the work of applicant. A **picture** of applicant **must** accompany entry.
7. Any judge who has a family member applicant must abstain from voting in that category.
8. There will only be one winner in each category.
9. Work must be neat and legible--neatness counts.
10. Winner will receive an award of cash money in the following categories:

**Categories and awards:**

Grades 1-4 \$50 cash Art project depicting a scene from the migration to Oregon.

Grades 5-8 \$100 cash Essay of at least 200 words telling something you have learned about the migration to Oregon that you would like to share with us.

Grades 9-12 \$200 cash to further your education Essay of at least 500 words telling what being an Oregon pioneer descendant means to you.

**Please send submissions to:****Must be received by December 15**

dmalex289@msn.com

Please submit drawings and photos as .jpg (300 dpi or better), or .pdf, and submit essays as Word files or .txt

Any questions?

Please contact Dawn Alexander (541) 581-0378 or dmalex289@msn.com

**Application for SDOP Junior Awards**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your pioneer ancestor: \_\_\_\_\_ Year arrived in OR Territory: \_\_\_\_\_

Your interests and hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Skills and talents: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Art or Essay attached 

SDOP News is published six times a year (Jul, Sep, Nov, Jan, Mar, and May) by Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers. Send inquires and submissions to Chris Meinicke: ([chris.meinicke@frontier.com](mailto:chris.meinicke@frontier.com)). Submissions for the Nov issue are due by Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Photos and articles are welcome from all members!

**Annual Dues (after first year):**

*Annual dues are due in June.*

- Junior [birth - 18]: ..... \$8.00
- Adult Member/Friend [18 - 60]: .. \$20.00
- Senior Member/Friend [60+]: .... \$15.00
- Military/Disabilities discount: ..... -\$5.00
- Printed Newsletter fee: ..... +\$10.00

***Donations to SDOP***

SDOP thanks everyone who made a donation to support our programs. We couldn't do it without you!!

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Johnson	\$50.00	General Fund
Dawn Spencer	\$25.00	General Fund
Emily Wilson	\$35.00	General Fund

**New Member Fees:**

- Junior [birth to age 18]: ..... \$12.00
- Adult [age 18-60] / Senior [age 60+] \$25.00
- Includes pioneer certificate and pin.
- Friend of SDOP..... \$25.00

**Life Member/Friend Fees:**

- Birth - 18 ..... \$450.00
- 18 - 60 ..... \$300.00
- 60+ ..... \$150.00
- Includes pioneer certificate and pin.



*Miss Pioneer Oregon Alleyann Farnsworth at the 2021 picnic.*

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