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Welcome to our newest TV Chapter Members

Timothy Houle, Neil Longgood and Chris Schweiger and family.

Chance Raffle—If you are interested in buying tickets for this raffle, please contact a board member. You have a chance to win your choice of a Henry Big Boy .44 magnum, a 20 Gauge Legacy Pointer Over/Under shotgun, a Bowtech Carbon Icon R.A.K'd Compound Bow or \$500 Cash. There will only be 1000 tickets sold and they are going fast. The price for the tickets are—1 ticket for \$5 or 5 tickets for \$20. The winning ticket will be drawn on **March 13th, 2018**.

The 35th Annual Fundraising Banquet is almost here!

We are looking forward to seeing you all at our banquet. Please get your registrations in as soon as you can. Our new auctioneers, **Jay Fiske and his son Dale of Northwest Benefit Auctions**, will get things started and will keep the party going! They will also be our Masters of Ceremony for the evening.

We will have several activities for the whole family to enjoy. There will be an Antler Toss, Face Painting, Plinko, Corn Hole and Grab Bags that our younger guests will enjoy. We have a Youth Wall of Dreams with a Shotgun, Rifles, a Youth Bowtech Compound Bow and a Reel Camera HD, just to name a few items they can win. The Youth must be in attendance to purchase and win the items on the Youth Wall of Dreams.

Our General Bucket Raffle and Silent Auction have some great trips and packages—the Oregon Zoo, Wildlife Safari, Pendleton Round Up, High Desert Museum, Oregon Shakespeare Festival, Golfing and popular local Wineries. The Live Auction includes a Caribou Hunt, a Moose Hunt, a guided Fishing Trip, Shooting packages through Threat Dynamics, a Deer or Elk European Mount, beautiful Artwork, a Gun Safe, a Hawaiian Trip, Optics like a SIG Sauer Oscar 3 Spotting Scope, and Portland Trailblazer tickets in the finest seats in the house—Center court directly behind the scoreboard and announcer for the March 30th game vs the Clippers, including parking!

We have other games too, like Winners Choice and 50/50. Raffles for Veterans in attendance, Membership, Survey Raffle, Key Raffle, Dinner Line Gun and the Rose Pistol. We will also have a Raffle for a Wall Tent plus other camping items to go with it.

When a Full Table Package is purchased all at one time, then one gun will be included in that #5 Table Package Purchase. (See #5 on the registration and contact us for any questions.)

Don't forget the Les Schwab Raffle. The prize this year is a Howa 6.5 Creedmoor rifle. Purchase your tickets on the banquet registration form or from a board member. Ticket prices are 1 for \$10 or 3 for \$25. There will only be 250 tickets sold. Tickets will be sold first come, first served.

Our banquet venue does not have an ATM so please bring Cash or your Checkbook. You will have the ability to get cash from our main desk, however, we do need to state that there will be a \$3 charge for every credit card transaction processed.





Titan Archers Fundraiser



Robert & Mechelle supporting the Titan Archers



Travis Simpson's coyote



OHA Member Mechelle Schissler at the Titan Archers Fundraiser



Director Shelley Kind & President Steve Hodges working the booth at Pacific NW Sportsmen's Show



Tualatin Valley Chapter's Oregon Hunters Association 35th Annual Fundraiser Saturday, March 17th, 2018

Doors open at 4:30 p.m. * Dinner at 6:00 p.m. * Raffles & Auction to follow

Location: NW Events & Environments
2900 NW 229th. Suite 100. Hillsboro OR 97124

***Come join us for Raffles, Games, Silent Auction,
Live Auction and check out our New Wall of Dreams!***

More information will be available at www.TualatinValleyOHA.com or find us on Facebook.

The Early Bird Prize is a Thompson .308 Winchester

*To be qualified for the early bird drawing your ticket order with payment must be received on or before
February 15, 2018*

To purchase your tickets, fill out both sections of this form and mail to:

OHA Tualatin Valley Chapter 21523 SW Kristin Ct, Aloha OR 97003

Or scan it and email it to TVCOA@Outlook.com

*At least one person in your party **MUST** be a current OHA member in order for your party to participate.
If there is not a current member and you are placing this order, please add one membership fee.*

\$35 for an Individual Membership or \$45 for a Family Membership.

You will receive \$40 worth of General Raffle tickets for your new or renewing membership.

*****Please see item#8 and pay with this order*****

Ticket Order Options

1. **Youth Package: \$20** - (Youth ages 6-14 years old) - **Must be purchased and accompanied by an adult**

1 Youth Dinner ticket - (**Children 5 and under are free**) Please let us know how many and their ages.

_____ No. of Youth Packages Age(s) _____ Ordered X \$20.00 = *****\$ _____

2. **Adult – Dinner Ticket: \$50.00**

1 Dinner Ticket

_____ No. of Tickets Ordered X \$50.00 = *****\$ _____

3. **\$100.00 Ticket Package Includes:** Value - \$122.00

1 Dinner Ticket + 2 Drink Tickets* + \$60.00 worth of Raffle Tickets

_____ No. of Packages X \$100.00 = *****\$ _____

4. **\$150.00 Ticket Package Includes:** Value - \$246.00

2 Dinner Tickets + 4 Drink Tickets* + \$120.00 worth of Raffle Tickets

_____ No. of Packages X \$150.00 = *****\$ _____

Please turn this form over to complete your order

5. **Reserve a Table Package (Table for 8) Includes: \$1250.00** Value - \$2000.00
 8 Dinner Tickets + 16 Drink Tickets* + \$100.00 worth of Raffle Tickets x 8
 (1 rifle winner per Table)
 _____ No. of Table Packages X \$1250.00 =*****\$ _____
6. **Wall of Dreams Raffle: \$100** (Win an item of your choice from the Wall)
 1 Wall of Dreams ticket + \$100 worth of general raffle tickets (1 item drawn for every 10 Wall of Dreams tickets sold)
 _____ Wall of Dreams Tickets X 100.00=*****\$ _____
 Maximum 192 Wall of Dreams tickets to be sold (\$200 value)
7. **Les Schwab Raffle:** – Is a Howa 6.5 Creedmoor Rifle
 _____ Tickets -- 1 Ticket for \$10 or 3 Tickets for \$25=*****\$ _____
 Maximum 250 Tickets Sold
8. **Renewing or joining Tualatin Valley OHA Members - get \$40 worth of General Raffle tickets for each membership purchased now** - Individual membership is \$35 or Family Membership is \$45*****\$ _____
 (Send Member information to TVCOHA@Outlook.com)
- Total Amount Enclosed/Authorized: \$ _____

Drink Tickets good for soda, assorted microbrews, house wines and two tier cocktails
NO HOST BAR

Please fill out all information below for each person. Please print legibly.

Name	Phone Number	Address	Email
1. _____ (Party Leader)	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____

☐ Please check if paying separate from your party and indicate your party leader here _____

Paid by: ☐ Check Enclosed ☐ Visa Credit Card ☐ MasterCard Credit Card

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVC# _____

Card Holder: _____ Signature: _____

*****Notice -All Credit Card purchases will be charged a \$3 credit processing fee*****

(All credit card information will be held strictly confidential)

To pay early by credit card, please call Melody Kind - Secretary at 503-502-0611 to pay over the phone or you can send her an email to request contact at hidden_valley1@hotmail.com. Please include a time to call you back to get the transaction processed. If you have any questions Call: Melody Kind 503-502-0611 or email TVCOHA@Outlook.com.

Special Note: Your ticket packages will NOT be mailed. Packets will be presented at the door. Seating is assigned

OREGON ISSUES UPDATE

By Jim Akenson, Conservation Director
Jim@oregonhunters.org

More Wolf Plan Meetings:

OHA will continue to be an active stakeholder with the revised Wolf Plan approval process. Additional stakeholder meetings are planned for the coming months, but our focus is clear: let's wrap it up – with hunting as an option in the future wolf management toolbox.

Ochoco OHV Trail Update:

OHA's attorney has submitted a final summary judgement brief about the potential elk disturbance from this proposed OHV trail system. ODFW has produced and submitted a very strong amicus brief statement supporting our opposition. OHA's Bend Chapter matched State OHA's \$25,000 investment in the litigation, and RMEF has given OHA a \$10,000 grant to help with legal expenses on this important lawsuit.

Chesnimnus Elk Project:

OHA's Chesnimnus public lands planning group met with USFS, ODFW, The Nez Perce Tribe, and other stakeholders to iron out specifics of public land actions that will help move elk off private land and back onto the National Forest.

Elk Damage – Landowner Liaison Program Concept:

OHA has been working to produce a Landowner Liaison program proposal – which would respond to big game damage on private property in specific local situations, using responsible hunters to remove or redistribute unwanted elk and deer.

Elliott Forest Update:

The Elliott is no longer managed by Oregon State Forestry. Division of State Lands is developing plans for future forest and wildlife management on the Elliott property.

New crossings will save wildlife, human lives and property

By Ken McCall, OHA Resource Director
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Oregon lags far behind most western states and Canada in providing safe wildlife passage across busy highways. Deer carcasses scattered along Oregon highways and incidents like the recent one involving more than a dozen elk killed west of Portland offer evidence enough. Add statistics such as 1,000 deer killed annually in central Oregon alone – that's more than half the legal harvest of bucks in the six central Oregon units combined – and the reality sets in.

OHA's Bend Chapter has partnered with the US Forest Service, ODFW, ODOT and others to maintain the fencing on the successful Highway 97 Lava Butte underpasses crossing south of Bend.

OHA staff is getting involved in an upcoming second Highway 97 wildlife crossing project planned near Gilchrist.

These efforts are only a start. As Oregon wildlife advocates, we must demand and partner in more safe, effective crossings for wildlife statewide, for the sake of both migrants and motorists. Safe wildlife crossings must be on the long-term planning radar of highway managers at all jurisdiction levels – federal, state, county and municipal. Crossings for wildlife are expensive, require extensive planning and must be recognized and included in highway improvement projects years before they are installed.

All benefit from avoiding the loss of human lives and property, but in saving wildlife, hunters have perhaps the most skin in the game, so we need to be on the frontline in this fight.



OHA offers dream hunts with A&H tags

OHA and the Oregon Access & Habitat program are partnering to offer several great opportunities to enjoy a dream hunt while supporting OHA's mission as well as wildlife habitat and hunter access.

OHA will offer three A&H hunts this banquet season, starting with a Statewide Elk tag in the auction at the OHA Columbia County Chapter banquet Feb. 24.

The OHA Lake County Chapter will auction a Pronghorn tag at its banquet on April 7, and the coveted Statewide Deer and Elk Combo hunt will be up for bid during OHA's 35th Annual State Convention at Seven Feathers in Canyonville on May 12. The Convention will also host the annual A&H Hunt Raffle's final ticket sales and subsequent drawing.

You can attend the banquets or register in advance to bid by phone on any of these auction hunts. Check the A&H ad in the January/February and March/April issues of OREGON HUNTER for details on these opportunities, as well as Oregon A&H tags offered for auction by other conservation-minded sportsmen's groups. Proceeds benefit Oregon's wildlife habitat and access opportunities.

OUTDOOR OUTLOOK

MARCH 1

Central Oregon Sports Show opens

MARCH 3

OHA chapter banquets:

Pioneer 503-710-1233

Rogue Valley 503-250-3000

Malheur County 208-739-1885

MARCH 10

Late goose seasons end

MARCH 17

OHA chapter banquets:

Clatsop County 503-359-3535

Union/Wallowa 541-562-6267

Yamhill County 503-550-4740

Tualatin Valley 503-453-7520

MARCH 24

OHA Bend Chapter banquet, 541-330-6218

MARCH 31

White River Youth Turkey Clinic

503-358-7821

APRIL 1

Western Oregon spring bear opens

Find more OHA events at:

<http://oregonhunters.org/events>

UPCOMING MEETINGS

March 6th—Board Meeting 7pm @ Scottie's Auto Body

**March 17th—Our 35th Annual Fundraising Banquet
at NW Events & Environments 2900 Ste. 100, Hillsboro OR 97123.
Doors open at 4:30 with dinner starting at 6 pm.
It's family friendly so bring the whole
family & enjoy the evening out.**



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