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Welcome to our newest TV Chapter Members

Kathryn Altair, Steve Crane, Alexander Leon Doja, John Galati, Warren Hopson, Paula Johnson, Rick Luepton, Kevin Mason, Justin Thomas & Family and Derek Weseen.

The Annual Fundraising Banquet has been rescheduled to July 11, 2020.



The event is still sold out at this time.

Coastal Farm & Ranch Raffle

Coastal is sponsoring a raffle for every OHA chapter. The prize is a Nosler M48 in 300 Win Mag. It has a green w/black web stock



and a burnt bronze cerakote finish on the 24" barrel and action. The MSRP on this is \$1995. The maximum number of tickets sold is 300. The tickets are 1 for \$20, 3 for \$50 or 7 for \$100. The drawing will be at our banquet on July 11, 2020 probably about 8pm.

Les Schwab Tire Centers Raffle

Les Schwab is once again stepping up for OHA and sponsoring a raffle for each OHA Chapter.

This raffle prize is a \$750 gift card to Les Schwab for Goods and Services.

Tickets are \$10 each, 3 for \$25, 7 for \$50

MAX Sold 300

To be drawn at our Chapter Banquet July 11, 2020



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OHA Tualatin Valley Chapter 2020 Election Ballot

Election is May 19, 2020

NAME:		MEMBER #:	
POSITION	CANDIDATE		VOTE
President			
Candidate	Tony Kind	2 Year Position	
Write In			
Secretary			
Candidate	Melody Kind	2 Year Position	
Write In			
Candidate	Robert Schissler	2 Year Position	
Write In			
Director 4			
Candidate	Lori Vallery	2 Year Position	
Write In			
Director 6			
Candidate	Mechelle Schissler	2 Year Position	
Write In			

If you would like to join our board, you can certainly write in your name or contact one of the current board members. To be a board member you must be an OHA member in good standing. Be able to attend the board meeting the first Tuesday of each month and respond via email, text or phone on issues that come up in between board meetings or Chapter meetings the 3rd Tuesday of each month with exception of months with our Annual Fundraiser.

VERY IMPORTANT - Please write your member number on your ballot.

*****If you have a family membership, then you may vote twice*****

Please send your ballots to the OHA Tualatin Valley Chapter mailbox at 33 S 18th Court, Cornelius OR 97113 or you can scan it and send it by email to TVCOHA@Outlook.com. Ballots without a member number listed may not be counted.

Ballots must be received by May 19th, 2020 11:59 pm or postmarked May 19th, 202 if sent via mail.

Please contact Mel Kind with any questions, 503-502-0611 tvcoha@outlook.com




WILDLIFE & HABITAT CONSERVATION

OHA promotes wildlife and habitat conservation at the local and state levels.

How?

- Participating with ODFW on ungulate and predator management plans
- Staff and member participation on workgroups dealing with complex wildlife issues
- Providing reward monies for information regarding poaching through the OHA-sponsored Turn In Poachers (TIP) Program
- Continuously working to elevate Oregon's wildlife crossing programs by working collaboratively with other conservation organizations and within the state legislature
- Investing over \$100,000 for wildlife crossing projects and providing numerous volunteer hours to maintain crossings
- Working on the ground to install and maintain wildlife water guzzlers
- Funding large-scale winter range habitat improvements
- Contributing over \$100,000 to Oregon's bighorn sheep program toward necessary transplanting and disease control



OREGON HUNTERS ASSOCIATION



PROTECTING YOUR HUNTING HERITAGE

OHA continues the legacy of hunting by increasing opportunities for all family members.

How?



- Advocating for increased opportunity through hunting seasons and regulations, including special youth hunts
- Expanding the Mentored Youth Hunter Program eligibility age by passing a bill through the legislature
- Sponsoring local Hunter Education courses
- Supporting local youth shooting programs, competitions, and teams
- Hosting youth field days around the state through our local chapters
- Initiating opportunities for women to get involved through education and special events
- Improving youth hunting options by working with agencies to initiate the First Time Hunter Program and Youth Sports Pac
- Creating family-oriented events to enhance the community and legacy of hunting for families of all ethnic backgrounds



OREGON HUNTERS ASSOCIATION

2020 OHA STATE CONVENTION

Saturday, May 30, 2020 • Seven Feathers Casino, Canyonville

4:30 p.m. Auction & Raffle Preview; 6:30 Dinner; 7:30 Auctions & Raffles

AVAILABLE PACKAGES



HERD BULL PACKAGE (\$2,500*)

- For the Herd Bull: 1 Trophy Package AND Howa M1500 .223 Yote rifle & scope
- For the rest of the herd: 6 Stag Packages (upgrade to 6 Lone Wolves for \$900 more)
- Table sign and special recognition in the program and during the evening • Goodies!



BENEFACITOR PACKAGE (\$1,500*)

- 1 Trophy Package AND Howa M1500 .223 Yote rifle & scope
- Sponsorship of a gun in the program and recognition during the evening • Goodies!



TROPHY PACKAGE (\$350*)

1 in 10 wins a Citadel 1911 flag grip pistol! (\$599)

- Gourmet Dinners • 6 Drink Tickets • 8 Party Starter Raffle Tickets • 8 Special Raffle Tickets
- 72 General Raffle Tickets • 8 Early Bird Tickets** • 2 Commemorative Gifts



LONE WOLF PACKAGE (\$275*)

1 in 10 wins a Citadel 1911 flag grip pistol! (\$599)

- Gourmet Dinner • 3 Drink Tickets • 8 Party Starter Raffle Tickets • 8 Special Raffle Tickets
- 72 General Raffle Tickets • 8 Early Bird Tickets** • 1 Commemorative Gift

DELUXE PACKAGE (\$250*)

- 2 Gourmet Dinners • 2 Drink Tickets • 2 Party Starter Raffle Tickets
- 24 General Raffle Tickets • 2 Early Bird Tickets** • 2 Commemorative Gifts

STAG PACKAGE (\$125*)

- 1 Gourmet Dinner • 1 Drink Ticket • 1 Party Starter Raffle Ticket • 12 General Raffle Tickets
- 1 Early Bird Ticket** • 1 Commemorative Gift

*** Nonmember packages add \$35 for one annual OHA membership.**

**** Early Bird tickets must be ordered by April 30, 2020.**

All tickets must be ordered and prepaid by May 20, 2020.

Order your tickets today:

OHA, P.O. Box 1706,
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Party Starter: 2 guns (\$599 & \$359). Max 1,900 tickets.
Special: Rifle (\$915); Knife (\$40). Max 1,760 tickets.
General: 45 items (>\$7,000 total). Max 24,000 tickets.
Early Bird: Rifle (\$599); Knife (\$40). Max 1,900 tickets.

WALL OF GUNS (6 WINNERS DRAWN!)

Browning Hells Canyon .300 Win mag \$1,300
Tikka SS walnut w/fluted barrel 7mm Rem \$1,150
Kimber SS walnut 6.5 Creedmoor \$1,019
Beretta A-300 12 ga. Outlander .45 \$900
Citadel 1911 Flag .45 acp \$875
Howa 22-250 with Hogue flag stock \$675

Name _____ Phone _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

_____ OHA Member # (if known): _____ Nonmember (*add \$35 for one annual OHA membership)

Packages: Herd _____ @ \$2500* Benefactor _____ @ \$1500* Trophy _____ @ \$350* Lone Wolf _____ @ \$275* Deluxe _____ @ \$250* Stag _____ @ \$125*

ADVANCE RAFFLE TICKET PACKAGES (These often sell out, so don't miss out!):

_____ Wall of Guns package(s) @ \$100 (1 Wall of Guns raffle ticket + \$120 in general raffle tickets) 6 prizes, total ±\$6,000. 150 tickets.

_____ Nosler Rifle Raffle ticket package(s) @ \$100 (7 Nosler Rifle tickets + \$120 in general raffle tickets) \$2,200; 350 tickets @ \$20.

_____ Your Custom-Built Dream Rifle Raffle pack(s) @ \$200 (5 Rifle tickets + \$120 in general raffle tickets) \$3,500; 200 tickets @ \$50.

_____ Coastal Farm & Ranch Nosler M48 .300 Win pack(s) @ \$100 (7 Rifle tickets + \$120 in general raffle) \$1,935; 300 tickets @ \$20.

Seating requests: _____

Names of others in party: _____

Total amount of order: \$ _____ Payment enclosed _____ Bill my: _____ MC _____ Visa _____ AmEx _____ Discover _____

Email (for your verification & important updates only): _____

Card# _____ CVV2# _____ Exp. _____ Signature _____



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OHA, NRA win appeal of gun storage title

By Al Elkins, OHA Lobbyist
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The Oregon Supreme Court on March 5 released a ruling in favor of an appeal filed by NRA and OHA challenging the ballot title for Initiative Petition 40 (IP40). As a result of the Supreme Court decision, IP40 is referred back to the Attorney General for modification.

IP40 contains locked gun storage requirements, reporting of stolen guns, and strict liability for injuries.

In an Oct. 15 letter about the proposed ballot title for IP40, OHA stated:

"The Draft Ballot Title for IP 40 is misleading by omission and does not adequately summarize the full and far-reaching effects this Initiative Petition could have on hundreds of thousands of law-abiding Oregonians including hunters and who are members of our association."

Paul Donheffner, OHA's Legislative Committee Chairman, called the Supreme Court decision a great win. "The Attorney General completely glossed over the implications of IP40, and ignored OHA's comments. We are very pleased that the Supreme Court agreed with us in handing down this important decision."

We would like to thank OHA members, the NRA and the other gun rights advocacy groups for a job well done. OHA is also closely watching the progress of several other gun initiatives with restrictions similar to IP 40.

See latest on other gun petitions on next page or www.oregonhunters.org/legislative



BRYAN COOK

OHA's Union-Wallowa County banquet was the last fund-raiser before the statewide hiatus.

OHA sets sights on new banquet dates

In response to the Governor's rules to slow the spread of COVID-19 in Oregon, OHA has been scrambling to reschedule its annual fund-raising banquets around the state.

We'll post updated banquet and event information as it becomes available on our website (<https://oregonhunters.org>). At Tracker deadline, here is what we know at this point about banquets that could be affected:

MARCH 14:

Union-Wallowa County: Took place March 14.
Bend: Rescheduled for August 15.
Rogue Valley: Rescheduled for July 25.

MARCH 21:

Clatsop: Postponed; reschedule date TBA.
Josephine County: Rescheduled for July 18.
Yamhill County: Canceled.

MARCH 28:

Capitol: Rescheduled for June 20.

APRIL 4:

Baker: Postponed; reschedule date TBA.
Blue Mountain: Canceled.
Lake County: Rescheduled for June 13.
Mid-Willamette: Rescheduled for June 27
Tioga: Rescheduled for May 2 at this time.
Tualatin Valley: Rescheduled for July 11.

APRIL 25:

Klamath: Canceled.

MAY 2:

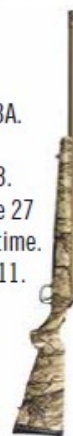
Tillamook: May 2 at this time.

MAY 30:

State Convention: May 30 at this time.

Projects: All chapter work projects have been canceled through April 23 at this time.

Youth Events: Pioneer and Tioga chapters have canceled youth days



Walkout stifles legislative session

By Al Elkins, OHA Lobbyist
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The 2020 legislative session started in early February at a fast pace with hearings being held and bills being passed. Then, on Feb. 24, Senate Republicans announced a boycott and on Feb. 25 the House Republicans announced a boycott. OHA was supporting several bills and

following many others. The session never recovered.

Here's a list of the bills that died as the session reached an early end:

- **HB 4005** Gun Storage Bill
- **HB 4075** Coyote Contest Ban
- **HB 4052** Residency Bill
- **HB 4091** Sage Grouse Fund
- **SB 1543** Group Sports Pac



Gun petitions await Supreme Court rulings

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All of these initiatives are awaiting responses from the attorney general or from the courts in response to challenges from OHA, NRA and others.

- **IP 40** – Requires locked gun storage, reporting stolen guns, strict liability for injuries. OHA appealed the draft ballot title in cooperation with the NRA and won, and it has been sent back to the attorney general for modification.
- **IP 60** – Regulates semi-automatic guns

and large-capacity magazines. Appealed to the Oregon Supreme Court on Feb. 28.

- **IP 61** – Sale/transfer of certain semi-automatic firearms requires gun dealer, safety course, waiting period, age 21. Appealed to the Oregon Supreme Court on March 3.
- **IP 62** – Prohibits firearm magazines capable of holding more than 10 rounds of ammunition; provides for exceptions. Allows persons who have magazines over 10 rounds to keep them. Appealed to the Oregon Supreme Court on March 3.

Make the most of your written comments

By Amy Patrick, OHA Outreach Coordinator
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Building on our efforts to help members prepare for providing testimony to commission and legislative bodies, we now have to ask the question, "what if there are no meetings?" This is an unprecedented time we are in the midst of, with in-person interactions being severely limited. While "social distancing" has become a part of our accepted nomenclature, the work of committees, boards, commissions and representatives still must get done.

Providing written comments will be the most appropriate and effective way to communicate with necessary entities while the country deals with the cancellation of in-person meetings.

Similar to our previous outline on providing effective testimony, writ-

Providing written comments is key while we deal with canceled meetings.

ing by commissioners, legislators and partnering organizations.

As with oral testimony, building the argument in factual statements provides a solid base to then add personal experience and create an authentic presentation. Whether delivered in-person or on paper, this type of testimony can be very effective and we encourage members to contact staff regarding topics they may be interested in taking part in.

ten testimony should be kept concise, no more than a page in length. Begin with a clear statement of the issue being addressed and either the support or opposition of that issue. It's helpful to list the supporting statements in a bulleted format for easy reading.



FIND OHA GUN CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS AT WWW.OREGONHUNTERS.ORG



DUANE DUNCANNON

OHA State Secretary Jason Haley holds the winning tickets for OHA's Zumwalt Prairie guided deer and elk hunt raffles drawn March 21.

Zumwalt hunt winners drawn

OHA officials on March 21 drew the winning tickets for our sold-out raffles for deer and elk hunts on The Nature Conservancy's Zumwalt Prairie Preserve.

Deer Winner: Irene Vandecuevering, Garibaldi
Elk Winner: Mike Highland, Sherwood

Raffle proceeds support OHA's mission, and we thank all who bought tickets.

OHA chapters up bighorn poaching reward to \$3,500

OHA has increased the reward to \$3,500 for information leading to an arrest for the poaching of a bighorn ram in Wallowa County the last week of January.

OHA's Turn In Poachers (TIP) fund is offering the standard \$1,000, while the OHA Bend, Josephine County, Rogue Valley, Umpqua and Yamhill County chapters have each pledged \$500 toward the \$3,500 total.

The informant may remain anonymous, and may choose to take five preference points in lieu of a cash reward.

The ram was shot on the Wenaha Wildlife Area along the road leading to the feed site. The ram wore a telemetry collar and ear tag. The collar and severed ear were the only items left at the scene.

Anyone with information is asked to call the TIP line at (800) 452-7888, *OSP(677) or Sergeant Chris Hawkins (541) 963-7575 ext. 4670.

The informant may remain anonymous and still collect a reward, and may choose five big game preference points from ODFW in lieu of a cash reward.



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****Chapter Meetings have been put on hold until it is once again deemed safe.
Everyone please stay healthy.****



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