

Deer Lagoon Meeting, Tuesday June 5th, 2012

Grange meeting will be held on Tuesday June 5th, 2012 at 7:00 P.M.

State Grange Convention

If you haven't had your 6th Degree, come Wednesday June 20 and have that Great experience, contact Chuck for details.

Your delegates this year are Gary Kay and Yvette Cadwallader. Chuck Prochaska and Phyllis Rainey will be representing Island County Pomona.

If you would like specific action on any of the Resolutions presented by any Grange, please contact one of your representatives. This year three Deer Lagoon members have committee assignments as follow:

*St. Legislative/Co-Ops – Chuck;

*Tax & Fiscal Policy – Bob Cadwallader:

*Transportation – Gary Kay.

Grange Building Fund

Our most recent boost to the fund is the result of our Trash-to-Treasure Sale. This event resulted in \$634.70 being added to the Fund. The fund now stands at \$11,142.70; we need your help (ideas, referrals, small

contributions, etc.) making the next plateau of \$15k.

Luttrell at Tualco Grange

National Master visited Washington State May 21st at Tualco Grange in Monroe. His presentation, *American Values – Hometown Roots; The Grange in 2012 “The Future is Ours”* to about 75 Grangers including Gary Kay and Chuck Prochaska was inspiring.

For details, come to the business meeting Tuesday.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 20-June 24: 2012 Washington State Grange Convention, Spokane.

November 13-17: 2011 National Grange Convention, Boise Idaho.

FOOD BASICS-(Watch for the Fall Program)

What a wonderful season. Our last three meetings happened in May. Jerry Shimek did a fabulous job teaching the two classes about fishing for beginners. He is a teacher who has been fishing for 60 years so he has credentials! He and his wife Carol finished the last class with a tasting session of two kinds of grilled salmon, smoked salmon dip and alder wood smoked salmon. Thanks so much Jerry and Carol for a great ending to two information packed introductory classes.

Kim McJury, “The Leftover Queen” made a wonderful hunger-quenching presentation

May 28th. She starts with a main entrée and creates several other meals from this entrée. Kim is about NO WASTE in the kitchen. That means no wasted food, no wasted effort and no wasted time. She works with a food plan and a comprehensive shopping list. www.leftover-queen.com Kim is famous too; she once owned the Roslyn Café featured in the TV show Northern Exposure.

Island County Results

The highest scoring entries in each category are eligible to participate at the State.

*In the Arts and Crafts Competition the entries eligible this year are: Edible Food Art by Christine Williams, Langley; and an entry in General Crafts and one in Fiber Crafts, plastic canvas by Elinor Zonneveld, Mt. Vernon.

*In the Family Living Competitions the eligible entries are: Sewing, Chair Upholstery, by Diana Nestor, Camano Island; and a Canning entry in each of three categories; Fruit, Spreads, and Pickles by Christine Williams, Langley.

*Two entries in Photography are eligible for the State level competition, one in Animals and one in Portraiture, both by Bob Cadwallader, Greenbank.

POMONA MEETING

The Pomona meeting was at Deer Lagoon May 12. All three Island County Granges were represented.

MASTER'S MESSAGE:

Dear Brothers & Sisters:

At this time last year we were suffering through cold weather, a trend I'm happy to say isn't happening this year (well...not too much) ☺ .The hall is still busy, and our new grounds care crew are keeping things looking nice; thanks Kristy & Dan. The *Washington State Grange Convention*, which will be held in Spokane WA this year June 20th through June 24th, is looming, and I hope our delegates to convention have reserved their rooms. **Our next regular business Meeting will be held on June 5th. The Meeting starts at 7: pm, please try to arrive a bit early so we can set up the hall, and start on time...** I hope to see everyone there.

Fraternally yours,

Master: *Ken Schillinger*

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