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ROSIE'S MAIL CALL

Mark Your Calendars!

The 2015 ARRA Convention/Reunion will be here before you know it—June 12-14, 2015!



It's not too early to start making your plans to attend the 2015 ARRA Convention/Reunion in Richmond, California! In fact, we have already included a Registration Form in this issue of the *Mail Call* (see page 3). As you can see from the schedule below, we will spend some wonderful quality time at the Rosies' own national monument—the Rosie the Riveter/World War II Home Front National Historical Park. You don't want to miss this opportunity to meet with other Rosies and members at *your* park!



Tentative Convention Schedule

Richmond/Berkeley Courtyard by Marriott
3150 Garrity Way, Richmond, CA 94806 (510) 262-0700

Friday, June 12, 2015

- 12:15 p.m. Gather for bus ride to Rosie the Riveter/
WW II Home Front National Historical Park
- 1:00 p.m. Meet with Rosie docents at the park
- 3:00 p.m. Return on bus to hotel
- 4:00 p.m.- Board of Directors meeting at hotel
- 5:00 p.m. (officers, State Directors, interested members)
- 6:00 p.m. Gather and greet at hotel
- 6:30 p.m. Dinner at hotel; conversation with longest
still-working Rosie, Elinor Otto

Saturday, June 13, 2015

Breakfast on your own at hotel

- 8:30 a.m. Business meeting at hotel
- 10:45 a.m. Gather for bus ride to park
- 11:00 a.m.- Time at the Rosie Memorial, Rosie
National Park, interviews, photos, lunch by
"Assemble" restaurant at Craneway Pavillion
(Ford motor plant converted to wartime
production)

Saturday, June 13, 2015 (cont'd)

- 3:30 p.m. Gather for return bus ride to hotel and rest
- 6:15 p.m. Pre-dinner music at hotel
- 6:45 p.m. Dinner and presentation by six Rosies who
were invited to Washington, D. C. in 2014

Sunday, June 14, 2015

- 8:15 a.m. Gather for bus ride to park
- 9:00 a.m. Pancake breakfast at Victory Ship Red Oak
Rigger's Loft; conclusion of business
meeting, Memorial Service, installation of new
officers, convention adjourned
- 11:15 a.m. Gather for return bus ride to hotel
- 12:00 p.m.- Executive Board meeting in
- 1:30 p.m. Yvonne Fasold's room

*Before or after the Convention, spend some time visiting
San Francisco, the California wine country, and more!
And find lots of travel information at
www.visitrichmondca.com!*

Travel Tips: If you are traveling by car, there is ample free parking at our hotel. If you travel by Amtrak train, seniors receive a 15% discount, and the train station is 5 miles from our hotel. If you plan to fly, there are two airport choices: Oakland International Airport (22 miles north of the hotel; a taxi to hotel will cost approximately \$45), or the San Francisco International Airport (40 miles from the hotel; a taxi to hotel will cost approximately \$65). Other possibilities for transportation to the hotel include Bay Porter Express (www.bayporter.com) and BART rapid transit (subway) system with a station about 5 miles from the hotel.



ARRA President's Message

The Ripple Effect

Whenever I say “YES” to a project, I walk through a new door and discover that a whole new world awaits me—a world I did not even imagine. When I said “Yes” to

helping my education group with a state committee, I did not imagine all that I would learn and all of the teachers I could help. The teachers, in turn, helped their students learn more successfully. That is the “Ripple Effect.”

As President of ARRA, I walked through a new door and I now discover delight in the Ripple Effect every single day. It is wonderful to meet, in person and by phone and email, new Rosies. I know that Milka finds age 90 “very freeing” and that Jane, age 92, went on her 53rd annual trail ride for ten days in August. I know that Eva and Dorene find joy in telling their Rosie stories, and that Rosies in every state get invitations to come speak to groups. I know that Sally, age 97, is working to re-energize her chapter in Oregon, and that Bertha recently started a new chapter in Massachusetts.

I know that state officers and appointed personnel are working daily to spread the word about the Rosies. I know that Rosies and Rosebuds throughout the U. S. and Canada are telling others about ARRA’s mission to honor women and preserve history. YOU are part of the Ripple Effect. Invite others to become active with ARRA. Delight in sharing Rosie stories and helping history come alive.

Sincerely,
Dr. Yvonne Fasold (Rosebud, OR)
 ARRA National President

90+ Club

Many thanks to two new Rosebuds, **JoAnn Fisher** (CO) and **Stephanie Davis** (TX), who have volunteered to help send out birthday cards to our Rosies who are more than 90 years old. We now have a list of almost 300 Rosies in the 90+ Club! Thanks also to **Susan Teagarden** (Rosebud, PA) who has been a volunteer greeter since 2013. If you are a Rosie or know a Rosie who is age 90 or older and who is not getting a birthday card from ARRA, please forward the name, mailing address, and date of birth to **Carol Peters**, email cape-ters12@austin.rr.com, or mail to **4224 Mather Street, Kyle, TX 78640**. We love sending the cards, and often receive follow-up correspondence, which is also fun!



Got News? Send your news for the *Mail Call* (ARRA-related news only, please) to **Nell Branum**, 745 Country Club Trail, Gardendale, AL 35071, nellbran@yahoo.com.

Midwest Rosies Honored



In September, the Olde Main Street Inn in Chadron, Nebraska honored four Rosies in a Saturday-evening event that helped local citizens learn about the Rosie legacy. Rosies who were honored were **Louise Unkrich** from Iowa, and **Evva Gore, Fraunie Lou Taylor, and Carole Dailey** of Nebraska. The Rosies were able to share their scrapbooks and their stories with those who attended. Congratulations, ladies!

Student Grant Deadline Extended to February 1!

How many high school students do you know? Well, that’s how many high school students—male or female—you should give the following information to!

How To Apply For an Awesome \$50 ARRA Grant

1. Contact **Marge Streicker**, Student Grants Chairman, (3 Wooden Bridge Court, Reisterstown, MD 21136, Email marge1st@comcast.net) to request a Student Grant application. *Helpful Hint: Do this right away!*

2. Make a plan for what kind of stellar presentation you would like to do, and line up a minimum of two places to present it, such as a history class (maybe you have to do a class presentation, anyway—that could count as one!), or a civic club, senior center, etc. Use books, the Internet, personal interviews, and other sources to research the roles and contributions of Rosie the Riveter during World War II. A particular Rosie may be spotlighted as an example, if you like. Be creative! Use posters, multimedia such as an *original* video or PowerPoint, a skit, music, props, costume, or other methods (one recipient even used cupcakes!), but you must give the presentation in person (not just post it on the Internet).



3. When you receive the Grant Application, fill in the plan for your presentation, and where and when you will present it, and return it to Marge Streicker. Your completed application **must be postmarked by February 1, 2015** to be considered for one of this year’s \$50 Student Grants.

4. If your application is accepted and you are awarded a grant, enjoy making your presentation twice, then *send in your report* to Marge Streicker.

(And P.S.—Step #5: Once you have followed through to the end by sending in your report, put on your resumé that you are an ARRA Student Grant recipient!)

Convention Registration Form

2015 ARRA National Convention/Reunion
 June 12-14, 2015 (Friday, Saturday, Sunday)
 Richmond/Berkeley Courtyard by Marriott in Richmond, California

There are TWO ways to register this year!

1. **Register online** at our Web site (www.rosietheriveter.net) **OR**

2. **Mail this Registration/Food Package form with check to:**

Irene Jeffryes, ARRA Convention Registrar, P. O. Box 1108, Redmond, OR 97756-0217

By each name, indicate membership category: (Ro) for Rosie, (Rb) for Rosebud, (Ri) for Rivet, (R21) for 21st Century Rosie, (RbP) for Rosebud Partner, (RiP) for Rivet Partner, or (G) for Guest.

Name and member category of person making reservation _____

Address _____
Street Address City State Zip Code

Telephone(s) _____ E-Mail _____

Name, city/state, and member category of others on this registration: _____

	<u>Postmarked</u> <u>May 1 or before</u>	<u>Postmarked</u> <u>after May 1</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>amount</u>
Registration fee, all participants: (includes all bus transportation to Rosie Park)	\$40.00	\$45.00	X number registering = _____
Food package (Friday dinner, Saturday lunch, Saturday dinner, Sunday breakfast):	\$75.00	\$81.00	X number purchased = _____
Individual Meals may be reserved:			
Friday Dinner	\$29.00	\$31.00	X number purchased = _____
Saturday Lunch	\$18.00	\$20.00	X number purchased = _____
Saturday Dinner	\$29.00	\$31.00	X number purchased = _____
Sunday Breakfast (gift of city of Richmond)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	X number needed = _____
Total payment enclosed (make checks payable to ARRA) _____			

Cut here and send above form to Irene Jeffryes, P. O. Box 1108, Redmond, OR 97756-0217.

Notes: Meal reservations received after May 1, 2015 and “walk-ins” or those who have not pre-registered will be accepted on a space-available basis. If it is necessary to cancel after sending your registration, requests for reimbursement must reach Irene Jeffryes at the above address by **June 1, 2015**.

Hotel information: Special hotel room rates are available at Richmond/Berkeley Courtyard by Marriott. The rate is \$149.00 per night plus taxes and fees for up to 4 persons per room. The hotel has 7 handicapped-accessible rooms. The special rate will apply for the nights of June 11-14, for those who want to extend their stay.

To make your reservation, call hotel reservations at **1-800-321-2211** (be sure to say you are with the American Rosie the Riveter Association), **or go to our ARRA Web site (www.rosietheriveter.net)** and click on “Conventions” to book your room online through a special Rosie link set up by the hotel. To be assured of this special price, **you must call or click by April 1, 2015**. After April 1, regular hotel rates (over \$200) will prevail on a space-available basis.

Breakfast in the hotel ranges from \$4.00 to \$12.00. The hotel has a spacious parking lot with free parking.

Travel information: See Travel Tips on page 1.

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Hello, everyone!

Guess who's having a birthday on December 7th? You're right if you guessed—ARRA!

And how old is ARRA going to be? Yep, "sweet sixteen."

Tell you what, let's agree to do a Family Membership Project, with each member recruiting 16 more of your family members for ARRA's 16th birthday present, ok? OK!

Here's the deal : Select or draft a spokesperson to:

1. Get the consent of every non-member in your family to join ARRA.
2. Duplicate 16 applications (from page 7 or from our Web site at www.rosietheriveter.net).
3. Collect LIFETIME membership fees or give them as Christmas presents (Rosebuds \$20 each, Rivets and male spouses no fee).
4. Fill out each application completely.
5. Mail to Mabel Myrick (address on the application).

Can we do it? Will we do it? Say "yes" now and do it for ARRA's 16th on December 7th! Thanks!

Love you,

Fran Carter (Rosie, AL)

Your Executive Director

P. S. Want to hear about three ARRA families? One Illinois family has 32 members! And a family in Arkansas and another one in Alabama managed to submit applications for their baby girls less than half an hour after their births!

State Directors Can Help!

Thank you to all of the enthusiastic women who have volunteered to be ARRA State Directors for the current year! You are vital to our communications to help ARRA members and Chapters work with each other, with other organizations, with schools, and with the media.

If you have a question about ARRA or want to connect with other Rosies in your state, contact your State Director. And if your state isn't listed below, how about volunteering to be that State Director? For more information, contact President **Yvonne Fasold**, email fasold@uoregon.edu, or call her at (541) 343-4223.

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Alice Hass (Rosebud, Veteran)
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Baltimore Rosies Design Shirts

The Baltimore Chapter has created a polo shirt to spread the word about the Rosie legacy. Chapter member **Grace Dunkle** developed the concept of a small rose with the ARRA name for the front of the pink shirt. On the back is a wonderful color picture of two Rosies in action during WW II. The artwork was beautifully and skillfully created by **Fred Fahdt**, a volunteer at the Glenn L. Martin Maryland Aviation Museum, as a part of the museum's Rosie exhibit. How wonderful that the museum's curator, **Stan Piet**, provided permission to use the image of the Rosies on the shirts! Chapter members will wear these shirts as they visit schools, greet visitors at the museum, attend community events, and appear in parades.

The Baltimore Chapter has some extra shirts, so they are making them available to other ARRA members, as well! If you are interested in ordering a shirt for \$25 plus \$5 shipping, contact **Debi Wynn**, 8 Asgard Court, Baltimore, MD 21234; email Baltimorerosies@aol.com.

Singin' 'Bout Rosie

The Saratoga (NY) Soundtrack Chorus, a barbershop harmony chorus that is part of Sweet Adelines International, won their regional contest and will compete in the international competition in Las Vegas in the fall of 2015—and their costumes, songs, and choreography are in honor of Rosie the Riveter! This group of more than 30 women sings favorites like "White Cliffs of Dover" and other WW II songs, while weaving in stories about Rosies. Check out their Web site at www.saratogasoundtrack.org. Good luck, ladies, we're pulling for you!



THE ROSIE SHOPPE Order Form

Share your Rosie spirit! Shop for yourself or someone else!



<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Item (circle size or type where applicable)</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Total</u>
	Rosie poster, 20" x 28"	\$20.00	
	Rosie stickers, 3½" x 2½" (package of 5)	\$3.00	
	Rosie picture post cards, 4" x 6"	\$1.00	
	Rosie note cards with envelopes (package of 10)	\$12.00	
	Rosie afghan/wall hanging, all cotton, 48" x 58"	\$65.00	
	Rosie tote bag, sturdy cotton, 14" x 14" x 3" - small	\$16.00	
	Tote bag, sturdy cotton - "Uncle Sam—I Want You"	\$12.00	
	Rosie T-shirt (circle size) S M L XL	\$20.00	
	Rosie head scarf (triangular shape, long end = 36")	\$10.00	
	Rosie tin sign, 16" x 12"	\$25.00	
	Rosie counted cross stitch kit (makes picture 7½" x 10") frame not included	\$17.00	
	Rosie counted cross stitch book mark kit (makes bookmark 3¼" x 11")	\$8.00	
	NEW! Rosie apron	\$20.00	
	Rosie book mark with gold plate charm, 2¼" x 6½"	\$7.00	
	Rosie key chain (circle size) - Large -3" x 1¼" OR Small -1¾" x 1 3/8"	\$6.50	
	Rosie metal snack box, 7¼" x 5" x 3"	\$17.00	
	Rosie coasters (set of 4), 4" x 4"	\$6.00	
	Rosie refrigerator magnet, 2¼" x 3¼"	\$6.00	
	Refrigerator magnet - Uncle Sam OR Soldiers Without Guns (specify)	\$4.00	
	Rosie stamp pin, 1 5/8" x 1 3/8" - bar clasp or tie tack clasp (specify)	\$5.00	
	Rosie button, metal, 3" diameter	\$3.00	
	Rosie I. D. "dog tag"	\$8.00	
	* NEW!* Rosie pot holder	\$5.00	
	Book: <i>103 Rosie the Riveter Stories</i>	\$17.00	
	Book: <i>104 More Rosie the Riveter Stories</i>	\$17.00	
	Book: <i>Rosie the Riveter Celebration Cookbook</i>	\$20.00	
	Book: <i>Rosie Romances and Other Rosie the Riveter Stories</i>	\$17.00	
	Book: <i>Rosie the Riveter Stories: The Legacy Lives On!</i>	\$17.00	
	SPECIAL - Set of 5 books above (1 of each)	\$83.00	
	SPECIAL - Set of 4 story books (1 each of 103, 104 More, Romances, & Legacy)	\$64.00	
	NEW! Picture Book: <i>R is for Rosie the Riveter</i> (hardback)	\$20.00	
	NEW! Picture Book: <i>R is for Rosie the Riveter</i> (paperback)	\$15.00	
	SPECIAL —Hardback <i>R is for Rosie</i> sent directly to a library, or several to one Chapter	\$18.00 ea	
	SPECIAL —Paperback <i>R is for Rosie</i> sent directly to a library, or several to one Chapter	\$13.00 ea	

TOTAL _____



Unless otherwise indicated, all products feature the classic "We Can Do It" design used in WW II.

Enclose check or money order made payable to ARRA. **Prices include shipping!**

Send to ARRA Rosie Shoppe, 950 Irving Street, Vandergrift, PA 15690.

Name _____ Telephone (____) _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Expansion Notes

Contacts for expansion have been exciting as Rosies, Rosebuds, and Partners join ARRA and show interest in starting Chapters! Recent contacts have been made in North Carolina, California, New York, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Texas, Michigan, Georgia, Missouri, Delaware, and West Virginia. Many thanks to everyone who is serving as State Director (see page 4) and those who will work with Chapters (see this page), and also to **Mabel Myrick**, Vice President for Membership, who updates and maintains the membership rolls, and **Yvonne Fasold**, President, for her contacts across the states.



Our goal is to have a State Director in every state. If you are interested in being a State Director or starting an ARRA Chapter in your area, contact me at (301) 498-3397 or email annmarie2st@hotmail.com. I will be happy to send you an information packet. Keep spreading the history of WW II through our Rosies as they tell their stories!

*-Ann Marie Miller (Rosebud, MD)
Vice President for Expansion*

Rosie Flying High!



Silverhawk Aviation in Lincoln, Nebraska, has a B-17 airplane visit their field each year. The first day of the visit is devoted to honoring veterans who piloted these planes by giving them a ride in this B-17 nicknamed Aluminum Overcast.

But this year, after they read about our Rosie Convention/ Reunion in Omaha, organizers wanted to honor Rosies, also. They saw my name in the newspaper and called to see if I would like to take a ride in a B-17 like the ones that I worked on at Boeing in Seattle during WW II.

I was excited about riding in another B-17. Our children had given my twin sister Wilma and me a ride in one in Phoenix, Arizona for our 89th birthday in 2012. As my driver, my son Douglas was also able to ride this time. So on June 12, we journeyed to Lincoln, and we did enjoy the ride. When the Crew Chief gave us the thumbs-up signal, we could leave our seats. Douglas and I headed for the ball turret under the pilots' seats. Here we had a clean view of everything below and around us. What a thrill that was! Even the sky was beautiful that day. It really was a special privilege that day, to represent all the Rosies who worked on B-17's.

*-Amelia Kizer
Rosie, NE*

*"With the new day comes new strength and new thoughts."
-Eleanor Roosevelt*

Chapter By Chapter

One of the best ways to connect with other Rosies and Rosebuds is through a local Chapter. Find a Chapter near you and plug in! If you don't see one near you, wouldn't it be fun to start one? Some chapters meet monthly, others quarterly, but all have good times. For more information, or to send changes/additions, contact Vice President **Ann Marie Miller** (see article, this page), or President **Yvonne Fasold**, fasold@uoregon.edu, (541) 343-4223.

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Many Thanks

Thank you so much to our long-time Chaplain **Wilma Rees** (Rosie, AZ) and her sister, **Amelia Kizer** (Rosie, NE), who served as Co-Chaplain. You have served so faithfully, and we have appreciated your lovely remembrance ceremonies at our conventions! We also thank sisters **Trish Woepking** (Rosebud, IA) and **Julia Unkrich** (Rosebud, CO), and Trish's daughter, **Joanna Settles** (Rosebud, IA), for volunteering to become our next Co-Chaplains.

AMERICAN ROSIE THE RIVETER ASSOCIATION®

Application for Membership

Duplicate extra copies or download them from the Web site, www.rosietheriveter.net

Membership type (check one):

- Rosie:** Working woman of World War II (includes volunteer worker)
- Rosebud:** Female descendant of a Rosie
- Rivet (Auxiliary member):** Male descendant of a Rosie, or spouse of a Rosie or Rosebud
- 21st Century Rosie:** Currently doing “man’s work” or retired from such work
- *Rosebud Partner** _____ or **Rivet Partner** _____: No ancestral requirement, but by marking this blank, Partner pledges to promote the purpose of the American Rosie the Riveter Association (see Purpose, below)

PLEASE PRINT IN CAPITAL LETTERS

Circle one: Mrs. Mr. Miss Ms. Other _____

Name: _____
First Middle or Maiden Last

Address: _____
Street, RFD, or Box Apt. No.

_____ City State Zip code

Telephone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

May we send your Newsletter via e-mail? (yes _____; no _____)

Type of work done by Rosie. If applicant is a Rosebud or Rivet, give type of work done by your Rosie; if applicant is a 21st Century Rosie, give work in which you are currently engaged or from which you retired:

Approximate dates of work _____

Name of company or companies _____

Location of company or companies _____

Rosebuds: Give name and relationship of your Rosie _____

Rivets: Give name and relationship of your Rosie or Rosebud _____

Is your Rosie living? _____ Is (was) your Rosie a member of ARRA? (yes _____; no _____; joining now _____)

**Enclose application with check payable to ARRA, and mail to: Mabel Myrick, P. O. Box 188, Kimberly, AL 35091.
 Telephone (205) 647-9233; E-mail: mm041926@aol.com**

Lifetime membership fees (no annual dues currently)

Rosies	\$10.00	21st Century Rosies	\$50.00
Rosebuds	20.00	Rosebud Partners	30.00
Rosies outside U.S.	20.00	Rivet Partners	30.00
Rosebuds outside U.S.	30.00	Rivets (Auxiliary members)	No fee

*** Purpose of the American Rosie the Riveter Association (ARRA):** To recognize and preserve the history and legacy of working women, including volunteer women, during World War II; to promote cooperation and fellowship among such members and their descendants; and to further the advancement of patriotic ideals, excellence in the workplace, and loyalty to the United States of America.

For more information about ARRA, call 1-888-557-6743
 or Email americanrosietheriveter2@yahoo.com
 or visit ARRA’s Web site, www.rosietheriveter.net



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Membership Update

We want to keep our mailing list up to date. If you have moved, or know any member who is deceased, or if you would prefer to receive your newsletter by email, please let us know. Please print carefully in CAPITAL letters. Please do not telephone it in, as that increases the likelihood of an error. Send all update information to: **Dr. Yvonne Fasold, 3046 Bailey Lane, Eugene, OR 97401. Email: fasold@uoregon.edu.**

Name of member _____

New address _____

Old address _____

Current E-mail _____

Prefer to receive newsletter by email? _____

Current telephone _____

OR

Deceased member's name _____

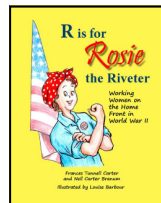
State of last residence _____ Date of death _____

Note: In most cases, only one copy of the *Mail Call* is being sent to each household, so **we hope you'll let everyone read it before you file it away.** If you get more than one copy, let us know, then send one to a friend, especially a prospective member!

Great ARRA Products!

After nine years of handling the sale of products and books, I am so pleased that **Susan Teagarden** of Pennsylvania has agreed to accept appointment for this important part of our organization. The sales of products and books are a major source of our income, and I encourage all members to check out our Rosie Shoppe Order Form on page 5 and send an order to Susan! She will make prompt shipment, and Rosie products make great Christmas gifts!

And remember, we have a new book in stock in hard cover and paperback—the nonfiction picture book called *R is for Rosie the Riveter!* Purchase some for all the children in your family. For each book, we will furnish a label that says, "In honor of our family's Rosie, (fill in her name)".



It is a wonderful informational text for school libraries, as are our books of Rosie stories and our cookbook.

If you purchase any of our books to be sent directly to a library, we have special pricing and a label that you can fill out with the library's name and the name of the person donating it. So Rosies, why not donate a book to your local library? See page 5 for ordering.

*-Mabel Myrick (Rosie, AL)
Vice President for Membership*

Call for Nominations



Your Nominating Committee (**Carol Peters, TX; Julia Unkrich, CO, and Fran Carter, AL**) is working to provide a slate of officers to be elected for the 2015-2017 term at the 2015 Convention in Richmond, California. Our elected officers are President, Vice President for Membership, Vice President for Expansion, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Treasurer.

Please consider nominating yourself or someone you know for one of these positions. In order to serve as an elected national officer, a person should have accomplished at least one of the following: attended a past national Convention, served as State Director or Chapter officer, organized a Chapter, or served in a past leadership position in a similar organization. Rosies and Rosebuds are eligible. Send nominations to **Carol Peters, 4224 Mather Street, Kyle, Texas 78640; (512) 268-2610; or email capeters12@austin.rr.com.**

Oregon Rosies Gather

In September, a group of Rosies, Rosebuds, and Rivets gathered for a delightful lunch in Lebanon, Oregon. What fun!

