

# OR-LoW Good Times

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## Upcoming Events

**April 19**

Winter luncheon 1 P.M. at  
Elmer's Restaurant, 3550  
Market St. Salem

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## Old Mill RV Park, Garibaldi, OR

**October 12-16, 2015**

The final OR-LoW camp-out of the 2015 season was held at the Old Mill RV Park in Garibaldi on the Oregon coast. Distance and other travel plans affected the attendance; however, *Karen G., Gloria L., Laverne M., Karen M., Lori L., and Celeste V.* enjoyed one another's company and three days of near-perfect weather. Karen G. - who had spent several days at the same location with family members prior to our gathering - reported riding out a rig-shaking storm with high winds and heavy rain the previous weekend!

Following morning coffee held in brilliant sunshine on Monday, four of us (Gloria and Lori had not arrived as yet) piled into Karen G.'s car and drove south to the Tillamook Cheese Factory for an ice cream, fudge, and cheese fix. Never mind the tour! What a difference going during the week made, compared to having to cope with the large crowds who visit on weekends. Before returning to Garibaldi, we traveled a short distance north to check out the Barview County Park near Rockaway as a possible future campsite. Great park and location, but rather expensive we thought. Thanks to Karen G. for driving.

Tuesday, was relaxation day. During Social Hour, an informal business meeting was conducted by President Celeste. No

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## Important Announcement

**The winter luncheon scheduled for November, 2015 has been cancelled. The only winter luncheon will be held April 19, 2016.**

**On a sad note, previous OR-LoW member Marilyn Mills passed away in Akron, OH on June 29th,**

other officers were present. Lori (Publicity Coordinator) reported she was working on some bulletin cards to distribute to RV parks, laundromats, senior centers, RV dealers, and other places where prospective members might see them and learn about OR-LoW. These will be given to members to post. Lori stated she will not be able to attend the November luncheon and asked how many might be there. The response was underwhelming, so it was decided to cancel the November luncheon. A notice to that effect will be posted on the website. The April luncheon will be held after the snowbirds return.

On Tuesday evening, we contributed to the local economy by patronizing The Troller restaurant located near the Garibaldi harbor for dinner. As it was mid-week and late in the season, we were the only guests at first. The seafood and service were excellent.

We were greeted by a few sprinkles of rain on Wednesday. Nothing serious, however. For our evening meal today, we enjoyed a sumptuous feast of spaghetti and meatballs, salad, and French bread prepared by Laverne and served in the club house building. Many thanks to Laverne for the delicious dinner and to Gloria for the apple pie she contributed for our dessert!

We went our separate ways on Thursday morning. See you all in April or “down south!”

Notes submitted by Celeste Vaughters

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