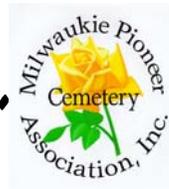


# Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery Assoc. Inc.

Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery Association, Inc. provides for restoration projects and ongoing maintenance of the cemetery and helps to sustain a part of the history of the City of Milwaukie's people into the future.

## Newsletter



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### A Heart-felt Thank You...

to Carol and Jim Wiley, Sr. (L) who have donated a brand new, narrow deck, riding lawn mower to the Cemetery Association.

As an Association member and a trustee, Jim had been using his own riding lawn mower for several of our clean-up days. The deck was too wide to effectively go between rows and headstones. This frustration spurred him to track down one that not only fits the need much better but also fits in the storage vault, relieving him of the need to haul his larger one to and from the grounds.

Thank you Jim and Carol!

### Upcoming Dates to Post on Your Calendar...

- Sept. 18 9AM-3PM—clean-up at Cemetery
- Oct. 16 9AM-3PM—clean-up at Cemetery
- Nov. 6 9AM-12PM—clean-up at Cemetery



## WANTED

### BURIAL RECORD BOOK FOR MILWAUKIE PIONEER CEMETERY

During the time that the Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery was under the intergovernmental agreement with Clackamas County as part of their parks' maintenance, the burial record book for Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery came up missing.

The County Parks and Recreation folks claim they "loaned it to a teacher" for some sort of project, however, it has not been seen since.

We need this record in the worst way. We assume that it includes records from before the turn of the 20th Century and most likely would answer any number of questions we have about burials at our cemetery.

We would very much appreciate any help ANYONE can give us as to getting this record back! You can remain anonymous if you want.

**If you have any information please contact any Board member listed below.**

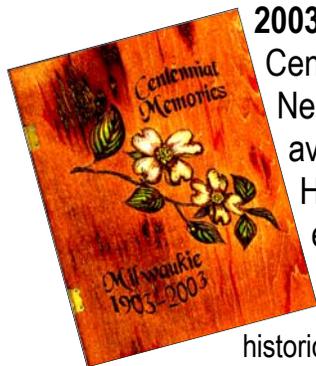
### Milwaukie Centennial Memories 1903-

2003... the book compiled as a Centennial project by Linwood Neighborhood Assoc. is now available at Milwaukie City Hall. (8AM-5PM, M-F—\$20 each—160 pgs.)

The book covers 100 years of Milwaukie history with many historical and current photos, city departments, maps, ads/photos/histories from businesses and organizations, some no longer in the Milwaukie landscape and some that have been around for generations.

The Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery is represented quite nicely with photos and so forth. We urge anyone interested in the cemetery, or Milwaukie history in general, to pick one up.

**All profits from book sales are donations to the Milwaukie Museum and Ledding Library.**



#### Current Board of Directors:

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**We would like to clear up any confusion regarding the printing of the newsletter...**

Recently we received a donation from someone who indicated that they wanted their donation to be used for maintenance of the Cemetery and did not wish to receive newsletters as it was costly and they did not have the time to read them anyway. We can respect the time issue and will not mail newsletters to any member who does not wish to receive one, however, the newsletter printing, as well as most other printing, paper and envelopes to mail them is being donated. The only expense involved is postage, which to date runs less than \$10 quarterly. The Board feels that keeping members informed is important enough to continue to send them. If you would not like to receive one, please let Dolly Macken-Hambright (503-659-8908) know and they will no longer be mailed to you. If you have other thoughts about information you would like to see in the newsletter, also let Dolly know!



**About 1975, Boy Scout Troop # 143...**

placed an engraved brass plate near the entry of our Cemetery. The engraving is hard to read now, but it still remains, and the troop is exploring options to make it more readable.

Your Association has come into quite a number of Boy Scout photos from the 1960-1970 eras and would like help identifying those in the photos. Contact Dolly if you can help!

**Annual Dues are ONLY \$10.00!!!**

**Change In Planned Family-Tree get-together...**

**It was decided at the last Board meeting to incorporate the Family-Tree Day we had planned for this fall into the 2005 Memorial Day event at Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery.**

**Consensus is that this would give many of you more time to sort through family histories, and would give us additional time to plan something of greater value for all concerned.**

**We intend to have forms to fill out showing relationships to persons interred at the Cemetery which will enhance the known history of Milwaukie as well as help to identify pioneers from and living in the area, and their families of today.**

**In the meantime, we will be compiling as complete a list of burials as we can from what we have available by that time. We hope to have copies of a fairly comprehensive list available for a donation on Memorial Day, 2005, and we plan to have maps and people present for all three days of that weekend.**

**Information Is Being Sought—about and from families of folks interred in Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery...**

If you or someone you know has something to share about an individual or family interred at the Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery, please contact any of the Board Members listed on the front of this newsletter and let them know. We have the ability to copy photos and other materials, so you do not have to give up “originals”. We have plans to hold Family Tree Days at the cemetery and plan to have the first of these Memorial Day, 2005.