

# 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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Many thanks to the following folks who generously contributed to the marker for Madalaine Bohl:

Ms. Elma Bronson  
Mr. Mike Swanson  
Mr. Vincent Raschio  
Mr. Bill McDonald  
Mr. Mike DeCristoforo  
Mr. & Mrs. James Hambricht  
Ms. Pat DuVal  
Mr. Jim Black  
Bernard's Garage  
Sunday farmer's Market  
Mr. & Mrs. Monty Schroeder  
Mr. Grady Wheeler  
Ms. Beth Ragel  
Bs. Sarah Lander  
Mr. Tim Salyers  
Ms. JoAnn Herrigel  
Ms. Lisa Batey  
Royal Neighbors of America  
The Jerry & Donna Smith Family Fund

The donations exceeded the amount necessary to pay for the marker but when the folks who contributed after the cost of the marker had been met were contacted, they all wanted their contributions to remain with the Association for future work to be done at the Cemetery.

Thanks to all of the folks and groups who made this possible and helped secure work for the future.

The marker was placed September 23rd and looks very nice as you can see (right photo).

*Clean-up Get-Togethers at Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery Scheduled, 2009... (weather permitting)*

Please check the web-site for new dates  
*www.MilwPioneerCem.org*  
*since none had been set by "press time"*

**Please Note—  
Milwaukie Pioneer  
Cemetery will be locked over  
Halloween weekend...  
We are sorry for any  
inconvenience!**



Please see other markers that have been placed this year on page 2.

### Current Board of Directors:

Mark Neubauer—President & Trustee 503-659-8087  
Dolly Macken-Hambricht—Sec/Treas & Trustee 503-659-8908  
J.R. Hambricht—Cemetery Consultant 503-659-7582  
Carol Wiley—Trustee 503-654-7034



### New Additions...

Markers (Left photos) were installed by family members for these graves this year. The top two were placed by volunteers of the Association and the bottom one was placed by the engraving company.

All are a nice and welcome addition to the cemetery.

Should you or family members wish to add a marker for a loved one that has none at present, please contact Dolly (503) 659-8908 regarding procedures for doing so. The Association is ready and willing to help as we can.

We wish to thank the families that supplied the top two for their patience as it took some time for the volunteers to muster to get the work done... hopefully it was worth the wait.

### Even though weeds are merely misunderstood flowers...

we tried an organic method of weed control this year in the plots that have curbs and have, or have had, barkdust or other coverings.

Instead of just spreading the barkdust, as we have traditionally done in the past and with the Boy Scouts' help, this year we lined the ground with newspapers and then placed the bark dust on top of the newspapers. The paper will dissolve eventually but has worked pretty well in curbing those pesky weeds. We thank Kathy Neubauer for that suggestion and for, in general, overseeing the project.

Due to the cost of barkdust, and the hauling of same, we are not always able to place it, nor are we able to hit all of the enclosed plots every year. Some years it is quite a bit more expensive than other years, however, last year it seemed to be some cheaper than at other times, so we spread more than the normal amount and were able to cover more plots than we may have in years past. We'll see what this coming Spring brings as to the costs...

### Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery Assoc. is looking for Board members and at least one Trustee...

the only requirements are that you must either live within Milwaukie City limits or have family interred in the Cemetery and you must be available for monthly meetings, dates and times can be fairly flexible.

Please contact a current Board member if your interests include local history and the desire to preserve our outdoor museum, Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery.

**Please remember annual dues!!!**

Annual dues \$10/YEAR

Lifetime membership \$200

make check payable to, and mail to:  
Milwaukie Pioneer Cemetery Assoc.

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**If you have paid for 2009, Thanks!**