

United Grocers Honors Member Anniversaries



Juan Young (middle) accepted a special clock for Kienow's, Ore., for being a member of United Grocers for 70 years. Alan Jones (right), president and CEO of United Grocers, and Arthur Thenell, 1992 chairman of the board, presented the awards.

United Grocers recognized its individual store members with special plaques commemorating membership anniversaries.

Store members received the plaques during United Grocers annual meeting held in Portland in January.

Some 35 member stores in Oregon, Washington and California were recognized. Nearly half of these stores have been with United Grocers for 20 years or more. The oldest store recognized, Strohecker's, located in Portland, received a plaque for being a member of United Grocers for 75 years.

United Grocers, Inc. is a retailer-owned cooperative serving more than 363 member stores throughout Oregon, Washington and northern California. The company operates distribution centers in Portland and Medford. It is best known by the names of its advertising groups--Thriftway Stores, Sentry Supermarkets, Select Markets, Shop Smart/Food Warehouse and Food Connection--or by individual store names such as Kienow's, Strohecker's, Wizer's, Food Valu, Hank's, and many other fine independent grocers.

Burton Says "Share The Dream" With Martin Luther King Cards

Reverend Wiley Burton and Cheryl Brown, President of Brown Publishing announced the release of a unique greeting card to celebrate the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. holiday. The new card included a multi-lingual invitation for several guests to gather at the invitees home to celebrate Dr. King's birthday. The card could also be used as a greeting card to acknowledge the special holiday.

"Out of the ashes of the fires and frustrations to rebuild Los Angeles after May of 92's insurrection, Rev. Wiley Burton has developed a plan to help rebuild the broken and non-existent relationships in the community. A plan that is based on the concepts of Dr. Martin Luther, Jr. to "One day see, Black children, White children, all children" playing with one another. It is in the spirit of his message and the celebration of the national holiday that the unique original multi-cultural MLK card was developed," said Brown.

As a tribute and celebration, thousands of citizens all over the world supported the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday by inviting friends, co-workers and neighbors of different cultures into their homes for dinner or lunch. The purpose was to create "Unity In Our Community," a dream of Dr. King's. The dinner gave the human race and its various cultures a chance to break bread together so we can better understand and love each other.

"I got the idea last year on Dr. King's birthday," said Rev. Burton. "I was talking to a multi-racial group of students about African American traditions. We were discussing the need for some kind of way to unite people of different races and cultures to celebrate the racial harmony that was Dr. King's dream, when this idea hit me," Burton added.

Brown and Rev. Burton both feel that for years the dominant media have made it seem that Dr. King's birthday was only a Black Holiday. "Mean while my children have been telling me that, (Dr. King's birthday, is not just an African American holiday. They contended that it should be a day we all celebrate," said Rev. Burton.

His idea is that the day should be used to celebrate unity. "I wanted people of all races to use the birthday celebration of this century's most prominent advocate for racial harmony as the catalyst to get together to practice and celebrate racial harmony. Today more than ever our nation needs a real sharing of unity in all cities to bring us back together," Rev. Burton said.

"We developed and produced this unique multi-purpose invitational card in an effort to bring people of all races together for at least one day" said Rev. Burton.

Teens Present Aids Awareness Conference

Members of Teens In Action, a program of the Portland Area Council of Camp Fire, present "Surviving the '90s: AIDS-Nobody's Fault, Everyone's Problem" in an all-day public conference for teens featuring workshops, two meals and a dance on Saturday, February 6, 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., at the Smith Center, Portland State University. This workshop is to empower teens to take responsibility for improving their quality of life. \$7.50 will include workshops, two meals and a dance. Call 224-7800 to register. The area teens will launch a four-year campaign to help teens fight AIDS in their community with this conference.

"Among the workshop topics are "Know the FACTS about HIV," "Gender Orientation/Homophobia," "When Dating Becomes Rape," "Taking Care of Yourself" and "Cultural Awareness."

Portland State quarterback John Charles, whose father died of complications of AIDS, will discuss risky situations and personal responsibility at the noon lunch break.

Members of the Teens in Action

campaign cabinet, who organized and are presenting the conference, are Heidi Dum and Emily Schlumbohm from Aloha High School and Jennifer Shy, Shandy Barnu, Carrie Rominger, Judy Wilson, Virginia Ng, Sheila Buckwalter, Joette Kleckley, Cindy Muehe and Leona Beale from Cleveland High School.

Teens in Action is a program of the Portland Area Council of Camp Fire. The group plans and conducts activities in four areas: Environment*Outdoors, Teen Leadership, Horizon (the traditional Camp Fire group for their age level) and Camp Fire National Campaign. At a national meeting in July, teen selected AIDS awareness as the national campaign topic. Since then, the local campaign cabinet has participated in a review of AIDS awareness commercials for Project Action, an organization promoting safe sexual practices. They also have volunteered for Cascade AIDS Project, some on the planning committee for the project's Memorial Day celebration. Others are interested in training for the project's speakers bureau.

Help Your Special Needs Child Receive A Better Education

An often overlooked population exists in America's public schools--children with physical and/or mental disabilities. Many of these children's needs go unmet because their parents are often unaware of the rights of children with disabilities.

"All children, our children," is the theme of the February issue of the National PTA's award-winning magazine, PTA Today. This issue shares pertinent information with parents to help them obtain appropriate services for a child with special needs.

"The special education services your child needs must be provided at public expense, in a school setting prescribed by your child's individualized education program (IEP)," states author Charlotte Des Jardins, Executive Director of the Family Resource Center on Disabilities.

"Your child is eligible for special education services if he or she has special education needs in vision, hear-

ing, behavior, health, retardation, speech, autism, learning disabilities, physical/health impairment, multiple disabilities or traumatic brain injury," noted Des Jardins.

The article also explains how parents can request an evaluation to determine their child's eligibility for a wide range of special education services.

Other articles include a call for inclusive schools; making this a habit in your family life; strategies for parents to confront alcohol and other drug use and what parents can do to build a positive school climate in their children's school.

Copies of PTA Today are available for \$2.50 each by sending a check or money order made payable to the National PTA, 700 N. Rush St., Chicago, IL 60611. The magazine is published seven times a year (October-May, December/January combined issues), and subscriptions are \$10/year.

Group For Female Adult Victims Of Abuse

The Washington County Office of Lutheran Family Service of Oregon and Southwest Washington is offering a 12 week information and support group for women who have been sexually abused as children. This group, scheduled for Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. - noon, will begin on February 9th, 1993.

This group is designed to help women who have been sexually abused look at and deal with the ways in which past abuse affects their lives in the present. The goal is to help survivors generate choices and options for the future.

Participants will receive information on a variety of topics which will include: the impact of unresolved trauma; offender dynamics; survival mechanisms; relationship issues; and the stages in the healing process.

In addition, group members will be able to identify with the stories and

trauma of other participants and discover a support resource that fills the void and isolation that is so familiar to them.

Upon completion of the Orientation Group, members will have the opportunity to participate in on-going groups and continue their healing journeys.

In addition to group, members are also required to be in individual therapy. The group fee is based on a sliding scale depending on gross income and number of people supported. Additional help is available for demonstrated need.

For more information or to schedule a screening appointment for an Orientation Group, contact the Washington County Counseling Office of Lutheran Family Service located at 8925 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy., Suite B, Portland, OR, 97225 or call 297-6263.

Gordly Receives Committee Assignments

Provides 800 Number And Address For Constituents To Contact Her During Legislative Session

State Rep. Avel Gordly said today constituents can use an 800 number to contact her during legislative session.

Gordly also announced she has been named to a key education advisory committee to the Legislatures Ways and Means Committee. In addition, House Speaker Larry Campbell has tapped Gordly to serve on a Special Committee on Sexual Harassment and the House Rules and Reorganization Committee. The Rules Committee will consider Secretary of State Phil Keisling's campaign finance reform legislation.

Gordly will also retain her interim committee assignments on the Hanford Waste Board, the Governor's Commission for Women and the Youth Conservation Corps Advisory Committee.

"These committee assignments will allow me to work on Legislation and issues critical to the quality of life in District 19," said Gordly. "As the Legislature organizes, I also want to let the residents of District 19 to know

how to contact me with questions, concerns and ideas on how we can operate a more effective state government."

Gordly said to contact her office, constituents can call 1-800-327-7389. To inquire about a specific piece of legislation, District 19 residents can call 1-800-332-2313. Gordly also has a direct line to her office, 378-8822.

Correspondence to Rep. Gordly should be directed to:

State Rep. Avel Gordly
House of Representatives
H279
State Capitol
Salem, Oregon 97310

"The open door policy I established during the last year as your State Representative will continue now that we are in session. I encourage any resident of District 19 or Portland to contact me whenever they think my staff or I can be of assistance. Constituent work continues to be my top priority as your State Representative," Gordly said.

In Search Of Miss Oregon American Coed

Applications are now being accepted for girls who are interested in participating in the tenth annual Miss Oregon American Coed Pageant which will be held at the Portland Hilton Hotel in Portland May 21, 22 and 23, 1993. The pageant has four age divisions. Coeds 16-19, Teens 13-15, Pre-Teens 8-12 and Princesses who are 4-7 years old.

The winners will receive cash awards and trophies as well as the right to represent the state at their national pageant. The Teen, Pre-Teen and Princess National Pageants will take place at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Tampa, Florida. The state winners will visit Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida. The Coed National Pageant will take place at the Hyatt Regency Waikiki in Honolulu, Hawaii.

The reigning Miss Oregon Ameri-

can Teen, Anna Song of Portland, won the National pageant and gained the title of Miss American Teen. She also won awards for the best Speech, Scrapbook and Application. The reigning Miss Oregon American coed is Jennifer MacGregor of Portland. Miss Oregon American Pre-Teen Queen is Linnea Williams of Keizer. Miss Oregon American Princess is Andreea Iancu of Portland.

The reigning Miss American Coed is Melissa Hurtig from Kansas. Melissa Gill of Missouri and Heather Vargas of Georgia are the reigning National Pre-Teen and Princess Queens.

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The 33rd annual OMSI auction will be held Friday, Jan 22, and Saturday, Jan. 23 at the downtown Portland Hilton Hotel ballroom. The OMSI Auction is a yearly fundraising event which helps underwrite the costs of OMSI's science education programs and exhibits.

Friday night's event will be an informal evening with live and silent bidding. The popular country music band, The Lansings, will provide music and dancing from 10 p.m. until midnight. Tickets cost \$10.00, and are available at the door.

The Saturday night auction is a black-tie event, featuring a full dinner, live and silent auction and midnight breakfast. The Oregon Ballet Theater and Woody Hite Band will perform "Ellington Suite," a special ballet blending ballroom dance, ballet, and Duke Ellington's big-band jazz music. Reserved tickets cost \$325 per couple.

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