

# spring Newsletter

Spring 2003

Mission Statement: To Inspire, Champion, and Celebrate the talents within each of us!

### Local AAWCC chapter support can have National impact

By Sandra Fowler-Hill,

AAWCC Region X Director

AAWCC is a professional organization that supports your development in the workplace and your contributions as a vibrant member of your community. As you know, AAWCC as a national organization has a focus of excellence, equality and equity for the advancement of women.

The American Association for Women in Community Colleges is guided in all of its endeavors by a firm commitment to equity and excellence in education and employment for women in community, junior and technical colleges.

That commitment is translated into action at the national, regional, state and local level through AAWCC programs. activities and services developed and offered according to the following principles:

> 1. The achievement of equity for women is critical to the wise and just development and use of valuable human resources.

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## President's Message

Take some time to rejuvenate yourself

By Dawn DeWolf, Oregon AAWCC President

With all of the added stress created by our community college budget challenges, it is more important than ever to treat ourselves well these days and create positive energy in our work environment. Nurturing our co-workers and ourselves can help to bring out the best in all of us.

I would like to share with you some simple ideas I have come across to brighten our days:

- Bring your favorite cup to work and indulge in coffees, teas, or hot chocolate.
- Bring flowering plants, and a bouquet of seasonal flowers for your desk or your coworker's desk.
- Keep a supply of your favorite pens and pencils, and add color in your workspace wherever you can.
- Hang a bulletin board near your desk for clippings, cards, cartoons, pictures, inspirations, and reminders.
- Create a comfort drawer with your favorite items, and a toy box for times when you don't want to be a grown-up anymore.
- Play music and stretch at your desk twice a
- Read Dr. Seuss aloud, especially Oh The Places You'll Go.
- Position your desk advantageously so the chi, or energy, is flowing and not blocked.
- Send a note to a co-worker congratulating her for an idea she shared, or an accomplishment she achieved.



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#### 2003 AAWCC Summer Retreat





<u>Presented by:</u> Connie Green (*Dean/CIO Strategic Partnerships and Information Resources*) & Vicki Willis (*Assistant to the President*) Chemeketa Community College

Community Colleges are facing unprecedented challenges with decreased funding, decreased staffing and increased student enrollment. In order to better prepare ourselves for the uncertainty and change we encounter on a daily basis we need tools to assist us with these challenges. Please join Vicki and Connie, as they take us on a journey from surviving change to moving through change with a renewed purpose and positive attitude. Learn to increase your resiliency and return to work with a renewed spirit and philosophy toward your personal and professional life.

Friday, June 20, 2003 — Rogue Community College Redwood Campus, 3345 Redwood Highway, Grants Pass, Oregon 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**COST:** \$50 per person - Includes lunch, refreshments and 2003 Oregon AAWCC dues Registration Information (please type or print):

Name		Title	
College		E-mail	
Address			
City	State	Zip code	
Telephone		Fax	
Please check here if you	do <u>not</u> want your name ar	d college included in the list of mer	mbers on the Oregon AAWCC web
page.			

Registration and payment deadline is Friday, June 6, 2003

Please mail your registration form and check (made payable to Oregon AAWCC) to:

Julie Huckestein, Chemeketa Community College PO Box 14007 Salem, OR 97309 Registration forms may also be faxed to (503) 399-5038.

Full and partial scholarships are available. To apply, please contact Julie at (503) 399-6575 or e-mail jhuckest@chemeketa.edu.

**Hotel Accommodations:** You are responsible for making your own room reservations. A list of suggested hotels is on our website <a href="https://www.AAWCCOregon.org">www.AAWCCOregon.org</a>. We recommend booking early because this is high season in Southern Oregon.

Registration policies: You will receive a confirmation of your PAID registration by e-mail, mail, or phone. (Paid registration means payment is received with a check or purchase order.)

<u>Cancellations and Substitutions:</u> Cancellations received up to five working days before the retreat are refundable, minus a \$25 registration service charge (this includes your 2002-03 membership).

<u>Please note:</u> If you do not cancel within five working days prior to the retreat and do not attend you are still responsible for payment. Substitutions may be made at any time.

Registration forms and information are also available at www.aawccOregon.org

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It is extremely easy to get caught up in the negative aspects of our daily eight to five work lives. It is very important to nurture and be kind to ourselves. When we care for ourselves, it becomes possible to care about others. This is an opportunity to gather your AAWCC sisters together and organize activities to support and comfort one another during these challenging times.

In addition to being President of the Oregon AAWCC Chapter, Dawn is the Director of Basic Skills at Oregon Coast Community College in Newport.

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## **Chapter grants offered**

Mt. Hood CC receives grant

The Oregon Chapter of AAWCC has a grants program, which makes cash grants available to local chapters and women's networks. The purpose of the grant program is to help support activities on individual campuses that carry out the mission of Oregon AAWCC—"to inspire, champion, and celebrate the talents within each of us."

In January 2003, the Mt. Hood Community College AAWCC received a \$150 chapter grant. They are creating a series of events during lunch over the next five months called "Women Mentoring Women." Each event will feature one of the female administrators at MHCC. The purpose is to create a support system and sense of community among women regardless of position and to create a mentoring program. We wish them great success with this campus activity and encourage other chapters to apply for a chapter grant for their community college.

The limit of the grant is \$150 per application. Funds can be used for speakers, rent space, materials, refreshments, etc. The activity that this grant program supports should be consistent with the mission of Oregon AAWCC and available to a wide range of campus colleagues.

The simple application form is available at our website: <a href="www.aawccOregon.org">www.aawccOregon.org</a>. If you have any questions, please contact **Denise Martin at:**<a href="martind@linnbenton.edu">martind@linnbenton.edu</a>.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Your Oregon AAWCC Board has been working to bring you a full range of professional and personal development opportunities during this next year. Take a look at the list of activities and mark your calendars:

#### 2003 OREGON AAWCC EVENTS

#### OILD 2003 - JUNE 16 - 19

SILVER FALLS CONFERENCE CENTER

SILVERTON, OR

APPLICATIONS DUE APRIL 11. SEE AAWCC WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION: WWW.AAWCCOREGON.ORG/OILD

Check with your President or Campus Contact to find out about applications for this event. The Oregon Institute for Leadership Development is led by Dr. Mary Spilde and Lisa Tomlin. Questions? Please contact Lisa Tomlin <a href="mailto:lisat@clackamas.cc.or.us">lisat@clackamas.cc.or.us</a> or Miriam A. Jordan <a href="mailto:jordanm@lanecc.edu">jordanm@lanecc.edu</a>, (541) 463-5315.

#### **SUMMER RETREAT – JUNE 20**

#### RESILIENCY IN A TIME OF CHANGE

ROGUE COMMUNITY COLLEGE REDWOOD CAMPUS, 3345 REDWOOD HIGHWAY, GRANTS PASS, OREGON 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

COST: \$50 (includes lunch and 2003 membership) Connie Green and Vicki Willis will present tools to help you survive and thrive during change. For more information, see page 2 of this newsletter, or call Julie Huckestein, at (503) 399-6575.



#### RACE FOR THE CURE - SEPT. 13

PORTLAND. OR

Join more than 40,000 people as you walk to raise money for research that will cure Breast Cancer. Last year the Oregon AAWCC group had 16 members walk in the event. This year we need even more women to help us carry the AAWCC Banner. For more information, email Shirley Anderson, at ShirleyRAnderson@attbi.com

## 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Conference – Nov. 12 - 14

BEST WESTERN GREENWOOD INN BEAVERTON, OR

Save the date now! This is a great opportunity to rejuvenate your spirit and workplace battery! Don't miss this chance to network with other women and gain invaluable personal and professional development skills. Look for more information in the Fall AAWCC Newsletter and on our website at <a href="https://www.aawccOregon.org">www.aawccOregon.org</a>

# Campus Connections



A look at great things happening across the state!

#### **Blue Mountain Community College**

By Cynthia Hilden

Karen Reeder and Leslie Brown wrote a 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant, which was funded. Susan Plass, BMCC's new grant writer, is in the process of submitting a Title III grant. Many of us have been working on this big project.

Joanna Goff, theatre instructor, is starring in the play, Night of the Iguana. Tina Martinez, Sociology Instructor, is administering a survey for the local water protection agency.

RoseEtta Ansotegui and Elaine **Richards**, both long-time classified staff are retiring this year. In addition, Pat Rittenbach, Business Technologies instructor and Cynthia Hilden, Dean and long time AAWCC member, are also retiring. We four women represent a lot of years at this institution.

Dr. Margaret Maver, instrumental music instructor, directed the orchestra for our fall term musical theatre production, Scrooge. A women's hot air balloon competition at the Wildhorse Casino drew help from a number of women on campus, who got up early to help with assembling the equipment. Some of them received rides for their dedicated help. Sally Arvidson, classified person in Special Programs, was the organizer for this event. Looking up in the morning on the way to the college and seeing as many as 20 hot air balloons filling the sky with their colorful images was a tremendous treat.

Karen Hill and Jacque Talboy are working closely with the coordinator for BMCC's self study coordinator. Jacque is the person who sends out messages and word-processes documents, and etc. Karen is the official facilitator for the Accreditation Steering Committee. Their help with this is invaluable.

#### **Chemeketa Community College**

By Maureen McGlynn

The rainy bleakness of winter gave way to an AAWCC breakfast poetry gathering in January. Spirits soared as Barbara Wiggington, Writing instructor, and Lois Rosen, ESL instructor, read their poetry and reflected with us on the creative process. Julie Huckestein and Maureen McGlvnn organized the gathering. Next on board for our ambitious group—participating in a story teller project for 2<sup>nd</sup> graders, volunteering to be readers at a local elementary school, and gathering for a discussion with women in the arts.

Women in the news at the college include:

Cynthia Risan, director of the Mid-Willamette Education Consortium, was selected to attend the 2003 National Institute for Leadership Development.

Gretchen Schuette, president, received the inaugural Tenison Haley Outstanding Individual Contribution Award at the Oregon Diversity Institute annual conference for her commitment to diversity. Also, Gretchen was selected to serve on the Small Business Development Center State Advisory Council; the Northwest Association of Athletics Commission; and the Access and Equity Committee for the State Board of Education.

Vicki Willis, assistant to the president, and Connie Green, dean of Strategic Partnerships, facilitated a statewide Community College Healthcare Action Planning conference that brought together

faculty and administrative staff from 16 community colleges.

Lvnn Melow, executive secretary. and Marilyn Hart Reed, coordinator of apprenticeship, presented a session at the annual Oregon AAWCC conference.

Cheryl Falk, dean of Regional Education Services, joined other administrators to conduct a four-day accreditation visit in Washington.

Jimmie Wilkins, coordinator for the Small Business Development Center, was honored with an Export Achievement Certificate from the U.S. Commercial Service for "recent accomplishments in the global marketplace."

Liz Goulard, vice president, participated in an accreditation visit for Western Governors University in

Louanne Whitton, coordinator of the Opportunity Center, presented a session at the National Council for Staff, Program and Organizational Development in Philadelphia. **Linda Hererra**, project director for CAMP, received a National Guard Team Medal of Honor for promoting and supporting diversity.

Agnes Balassa, director of the Enterprise for Workforce and Education, was selected to participate in this year's Leadership Salem through the Salem Chamber of Commerce.

**Donna Hirt**, Human Services program instructor, was granted certification as a licensed clinical social worker.

Staff Notes-Michelle Anderson. Kathy Barnhardt, Bobbi Bowman, Susan Grennan, Carolyn Guthrie, Melanev Moisan, Katie O'Neal, Tanna Orr, Joyce Paladino Bebe, Marilynn Russell, Susan Varnum, Jill Ward, Emily Wieczorek, and **Linda Zorich**— had works of art on display at the Staff Visual Arts Showcase in the Campus Gallery.

With this much activity, we look forward to an exciting spring!

#### **Clackamas Community College**

By Linda Vogt

The Clackamas chapter, our "AAWCC Connections" program, has been active this year in offering events and courses to enrich the lives of women in our community.

Winter quarter's highlight was a Lunch and Learn session on the Portland Opera's production of "Tales of Hoffman," where **Diane Syrcle** of the opera did a presentation on the story and the music. Participants attended the dress rehearsal downtown at the Portland Center for the Performing Arts. Our spring cultural event is a slide/lecture presentation that focuses on the special exhibit in April at the Portland Art Museum.

"Chrysalis," our women writers' group, is still going strong! Patricia Lichen leads weekly discussions of writers' work. This group was started by **Kate Grav** many years ago and is our longest-running offering.

There are some changes in the AAWCC leadership here at Clackamas due to retirements. Carol **Evans**, who has been the coordinator of our chapter for four years, retired last spring. Carol gave lots of time and energy organizing the Connections activities and events, and was instrumental in creating the web page for our local chapter. As it turns out, it takes two of us to replace her! Kate Gray, of the English Department, and Linda Vogt are now the co-coordinators.

Rene' Zingarelli, associate dean for the Extended Learning Services Division, has retired and will be leaving her position here in June. Rene' has had our AAWCC chapter as part of her division her entire tenure as an administrator and has been actively involved in our planning and delivery of events,

programs and courses. Her continuing leadership and support have been essential and we will miss

We are proud to say that our own Lisa Tomlin - known around here as The Solution Goddess - is President-Elect of Oregon AAWCC.

#### **Lane Community College**

By Miriam Jordan

The AAWCC Silent Auction Holiday Potluck that was held in December, and raised \$376. A large portion will go towards the AAWCC scholarship program.

A special AAWCC winter meeting was held on February 11 that included a public recognition of the recipient of the AAWCC Leadership Scholarship, **Dona Griffith**, who is a nursing student. The AAWCC scholarship program is an important way to support students and lifelong learning.

A lunch presentation by **Tom** Madison, instructor in the Arts Division, of his recent visit to the Middle East, highlighting women's stories, was held on February 26. A Mid-Eastern lunch buffet was provided by the Culinary Arts program students, and paid by the AAWCC club account (not from tax dollars) as a professional development opportunity.

#### Linn-Benton **Community College**

By Marilyn Hill

Congratulations to the following: Dr. Penny York was elected President of Leadership Corvallis by its board of directors for a one-year term. Penny has also been appointed by the Benton County Commissioners to the Benton County Fair Board.

Dr. Ann Smart was recently honored as Corvallis' newest First Citizen. Ann was cited for her involvement in Zonta, United Way, the Chamber, AAWCC, and city and county government.

Dr. Adero Allison has been elected president of the Oregon Association on Higher Education and Disability for the 2002-2003 term.

Jeroldine Rhodes Kaiser, classified staff member, recently received an Associates of Arts degree in Criminal Justice.

Classified staff member Linda **Dompier** and retired faculty **Jane** White received the 2002 Mario Pastega Staff Excellence Awards. ABSD faculty, Sue Cowles, returned from her research expedition to Antarctica with TEA – "Teachers Experiencing Antarctica and the Arctic." More information about her experience can be found at http://tea.rice.edu/tea\_cowlesfrontpa ge.html

Several LBCC women participated in the September 15 Race for the Cure in Portland. LBCC participants included, Brenda Pace, Mo Ableman, Roxie Putman, Linda Dompier, Patti Ball, Holly Ploetz, Jan Modine, Kathy Martinak, Ginger Hainz and Marilyn Hill. They dedicated their walk to LBCC's Susan McCloskey who died of breast cancer a few weeks previously.

Donations from our fall Bunco party social went to the annual AAWCC/Classified Associationsponsored Thanksgiving Food Drive. Food and \$1,850 cash contributions filled 71 food boxes for needy students and staff. Event organizers included Roxie Putman, Welma Cremer, Jackie Grenz, Fave Melius, Janet Newton and Pam Bielenberg.

Our monthly soup and rolls noon meetings continue to be popular. In December, Marilyn Hill, Co-Past President, and Karin Magnuson, Co-President-Elect, presented a holiday craft program. Participants got to make a variety of holiday trims and ornaments from things "hiding in your closet."

Other programs have included Weekenders fashion show, hand Connections continued from page 5

painted porcelain, and tax favored investment options.

We're planning another silent auction in the spring. Proceeds will go toward our AAWCC Scholarship fund.

#### Portland Community College

By Sue Westfall Quast

On March 3, the PCC chapter of AAWCC sponsored and coordinated a special event in conjunction with Women's History Month. Four panelists, all professionals in the comics industry, headed the topic, "Images of Women in Comic Books." The panel spoke to a full house of staff, faculty and students on the portrayal of women in the comics medium. Panelists included a senior editor of Dark Horse Comics, Diana Schutz, an assistant editor and publicist at Dark Horse, Shawna **Ervin-Gore**, and professional comic book artists and illustrators, Linda Medley and David Hahn. The event was intended to get the audience thinking of comic books in a new & fresh way. Many people have not ever read a comic, or haven't done so since they were very young. Others harbor stereotypes that comics are for 12-year-old boys or strange, older men. Women frequently feel isolated from the medium, as so many of the mainstream. "super hero" books depict women's bodies in ridiculously disproportionate and subjectively sexualized ways. The discussion was lively and heated at times, but the audience left enlightened and interested in the vast array of subject matter and limitless expression within the medium. For more information or a list of recommended books for those of you interested in discovering comics. please contact Anna Villines at avilline@pcc.edu.

Our PCC chapter is also offered, just in time for Valentine's Day, a "Chocolate Extravaganza" This twohour event included demonstrations and hands-on practice making truffles and various other types of chocolate candies. Participants took home samples of all the candies as well as the recipes.

We're also planning some financial workshops for women, which we plan to offer in the spring. One will be especially for PERS information and planning and the other will be a more general opportunity for women to address financial planning.

#### Rogue Community College

By Denise Swafford

Rogue Community College is pleased to be hosting the June 20 summer workshop in Grants Pass on coping with change. We would like to encourage members to take advantage of this opportunity to learn and have some fun.

RCC is currently immersed in Phase II of an ambitious reorganization initiative as we look at spreading our limited resources over three campuses -- Grants Pass, Medford, and White City. The objective is to uncover news ways of delivering service that will make us a more efficient and effective educational institution despite shrinking budgets.

Three of the four (4) new campus executives are outstanding women leaders: Mary Louise Doran (current dean, Developmental Studies), Kathy Burkey (current dean, Student Services) and Lynda Warren (current dean, Admin. Services).

Twenty-two (22) women from RCC and SOU recently completed three days of intensive training on facilitation and decision-making processes with **Dr. Sarah Fiske**, Community Works, San Francisco. The training was made available through a grant, written by **Betsy Fuller**, Assistant to the President and **Mary O'Kief**, Grants Coordinator from the RCC Foundation Special Projects team.

Anna Manley was recently promoted to Director of Financial Aid and Julie Rubenstein was selected to be the new interim Executive Director of the RCC Foundation

#### Treasure Valley Community College

By Abby Lee

Linda Simmons, Director of Continuing and Community Education was named "Ontario Ambassador of the Year." This prestigious award is given to the person who has worked hard to promote business and tourism in our community.

Terry Basford, TVCC Professional –Technical Programs Secretary, graduated with a 4.0 GPA and a degree in Early Childhood Education this past quarter. Terry is also organizing the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Chukar Sonic Rod Run. This classic car event will be held May 10 to raise funds for scholarships at TVCC.

Cori Brewster, English instructor, has published a feature article on writing techniques for students on McGraw Hill's Teaching website www.mhhe.com/socscience/english/tbw

Mary Ann Scarlett, was selected as the TVCC AAWCC Chapter President. Joyce Davis will serve as past-president; Terry Basford as VP of Communications and Membership; and Marilyn Dutra will serve as VP of Special Events.

The TVCC Campus group meets monthly for lunch. A recent meeting featured TVCC student **Emily Pack** singing Amazing Grace. **Joy Bloch**, Director of Counseling Services, who played a beautiful rendition of the song on a Native American flute, accompanied her. The campus group also strategized about membership and upcoming events. The group is currently working on making blankets to be sent to refugee camps as part of an International Humanitarian project.



### Get to know your **AAWCC State Board Leaders**

The AAWCC Board is pleased to spotlight our newest board members who were elected at the Fall Conference:

#### Julie Huckestein, VP Summer Retreat

Julie has been Director of Business Services at Chemeketa Community College for the last two years. Prior to that she worked for 14 years at Linn-Benton Community College. She has been actively involved in AAWCC at both the state and local level. Julie was Vice-President for Finance for the state organization for three years, has worked on several state conference committees and served in various local chapter officer positions while at Linn-Benton. She attended OILD in 1993. Currently she is chair of the Chemeketa chapter of AAWCC. She is pursuing a Master's degree at Portland State University.

"I look forward to returning to the state board and serving as Vice President of the Summer Retreat. Being involved in AAWCC has provided me with many opportunities to develop my leadership skills and to work with wonderful women from community colleges all over the state."

#### Angela McMahon, Webmaster, Ex-Officio Member

Angela has been working for PCC since 1992, but has been seen on campus since 1976 when her mom started as an instructor with the college. She began her community college career working for long-time AAWCC leaders Angela Ritchie and Alice Jacobson, who encouraged her to apply to represent PCC's Sylvania Campus at OILD in 1994. After OILD, Angela coordinated logistics for several state AAWCC conferences, and joined the board as an ex-officio member last year.

"The women of Oregon community colleges, particularly my colleagues at PCC, have supported and mentored me from Day One. They gave me great advice, invited me to serve on key committees, helped me prepare for the grueling interview process, made time to listen and help me see solutions to seemingly intractable problems. These are the 'action items' behind the principles of 'inspire, champion, and celebrate' that are innate to leadership. My work with the AAWCC board provides me the opportunity to see the best in Oregon's leadership in action." Angela and her husband Doug are the parents of three children, ranging in age from four to seventeen.

#### Denise Swafford, Secretary/ Member at Large

Denise moved to Grants Pass from San Diego in June 1998 taking a management position as assistant to the president, Rogue Community College. In June 2001 (after being inspired at the AAWCC leadership conference she attended in June 2000), she finished her undergraduate degree in Management magna cum laude from Northwest Christian College, and received the class Distinguished Achievement Award.

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## **Community College Excellence Awards**

At the 2002 Fall Conference, the **AAWCC Board of Directors** recognized the following individuals, chosen by local AAWCC membership, whose accomplishments made a difference for women at his or her own community college over the past year:

> Lynda Graf Clackamas CC

Lana Demars Linn-Benton CC

Linda Mazingo Oregon Coast CC

**Mary Ann Scarlett** Treasure Valley CC

> **Kelly Cooper** Umpqua CC

**Remember** – It's not too soon to begin thinking about nominations for this year's awards. Each college can be recognized at the conference.

## Shirley Anderson awarded prestigious Carolyn Desjardins Leadership Award



The mission of the Oregon Chapter of the American Association for Women in Community Colleges is to *inspire*, *champion*, *and celebrate the talents within each of us*. To recognize and celebrate this mission, the AAWCC Board of Directors awarded the 2002 Carolyn DesJardins Leadership Award to **Dr. Shirley Anderson**, retired Dean of Instruction for Portland Community College's Sylvania Campus.

Her nominators describe Shirley as "a mentor and role model for other women", "a genuine person who cares about making connections with Oregon community college women", and "a woman who values her relationships with others".

During her long career as a community college educator, she worked as an instructor, department chair, associate dean and dean of instruction. Shirley was the President of Oregon AAWCC from 1999-2001, and continues active service as the Past-President.

Shirley retired from PCC in Fall 2001 and continues to stay active in organizations and in the community, serving on the Board of the Oregon Chapter of AAWCC; as a member of Delta Kappa Gamma International (Education Honorary); and volunteering in the community.

See the website at <a href="https://www.aawccOregon.org">www.aawccOregon.org</a> for more information about Shirley and upcoming nominations for the 2003 Award.

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Swafford says, "I will contribute total dedication, thoroughness, professionalism, and a sense of humor to the AAWCC Board this year. I am very serious about my work, but I also enjoy a lot of laughing, lifting up and leading along the way. It is truly an honor to be able to work with such an outstanding group of women who are focused on building up other women in our community colleges across the state."

#### Diane Watson, VP Annual Conference

Diane is Dean of Student services at Linn-Benton Community College. She participated in the 1993
National Institute for Leadership Development. She has been active in AAWCC and served as Co-President at Linn-Benton. In 1997 she was presented the Excellence award for her work at LBCC. She is excited about working with the Oregon AAWCC Board and the 2003 Conference. In addition, she has four grandsons and is willing to show pictures and share stories!

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- 2. Equity is promoted through AAWCC's efforts to improve access to
  - educational opportunities
  - employment at all levels
  - policy-making and decision-making forums.
- Equity issues may include career upwardmobility, comparable pay for comparable work, increased involvement of women in governing bodies, and appropriate support services for adult women enrolled and/or employed in two-year colleges.
- 4. Commitment to equity must be matched by an equally strong commitment to educational and professional excellence.
- 5. Excellence is promoted through AAWCC's efforts to:
  - encourage and recognize educational achievement and professional endeavors

- provide opportunities for professional development
- develop linkages and disseminate information pertaining to specific concerns
- 6. Both equity and excellence may be enhanced through a strong and effective network of women in community, junior and technical colleges a network where a purposeful focus on tasks, issues, and achievements is continually matched by a sensitive concern for people.

As a member of AAWCC in Region X, I hope you will take advantage of the programming and participate in the activities. Watch for notices about the national conference and regional conferences and workshops.

As your Region X Director, I am available via email (sfowler@oc.ctc.edu) or by phone (360) 475-7767 to answer questions and talk about AAWCC. I look forward to meeting you at a local or regional event.

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Any person interested in supporting the chapter mission shall become a member upon paid participation in any state sponsored event or upon payment of the state dues.

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