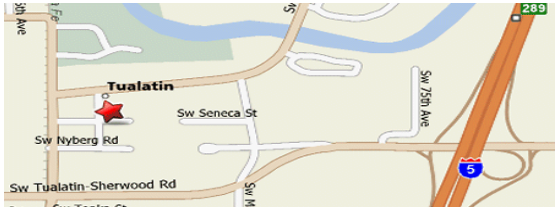
What is the Grange?

- **A national, non-profit organization whose roots are in agriculture.**
- **Membership is open to all age 14 and older regardless of gender, race, religion, or political persuasion.**
- **We advocate for agriculture, rural issues, and American values. We do not endorse or financially support political parties or candidates.**
- **Our hall is a meeting place for networking, fellowship, and fun.**

Winona Grange Hall

In the center of the Tualatin Commons at **8340 SW Seneca St.**



Winona Grange meets the 2nd Saturday of each month at 11 am, preceded by a pot-luck brunch at 10 am. We welcome visitors!

Mail to: PO Box 3484, Tualatin, OR 97062
Email: info@winonagrange271.org

Check out our websites:
www.winonagrange271.org
www.orgrange.org
www.nationalgrage.org

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Join Us* at Tualatin's

Winona Grange

What's in it for you?

- **Answers to your gardening questions**
- **Good food, fun, and fellowship**
- **Community involvement**
- **Networking and friendship with others who share your interests**
- **A longer life (studies show those who socialize and volunteer live longer).**

*** Who are we?** Gardeners and people who care where our food comes from.

We represent many professions: teacher, librarian, minister, pilot, contractor, travel agent, retired military, business professionals, and, yes, real farmers.

What Winona Grange Does

Winona Grange Mission

The Mission of Winona Grange, chartered in Tualatin, Oregon in 1895, is to provide opportunities for involvement and leadership in community service, for individuals and families; to maintain our local advocacy for agriculture; and to welcome the community into our Grange Hall for a wide variety of educational and social events, portraying our traditional American family values.

Serves our local Community

We help prepare lunch at the Pohl Senior Center, serve the meal, and clean up after .

Members donate excess garden produce and non-perishable items to Tualatin's Schoolhouse Food Pantry.

Our garden seed distribution project provides vegetable, herb, and flower seed packets to other Granges, community gardens, youth groups, and low-income families who want to learn to garden.

Our members individually gave back by donating over 5,000 hrs, $14,000, and driving over 17,000 miles last year.

Encourages Education

We award a scholarship to a graduating high school senior who plans to pursue a degree in an agricultural field. Past recipients are studying food science, horticulture, animal science, and veterinary medicine.

Winona Grange gives dictionaries to third grade students at a local school. Each child keeps the book for future use.

Our Hall is a Community Center

Various groups rent our hall for dances, meetings, religious services, private and public events. The upstairs has a hard maple dance floor and has excellent acoustics. A full kitchen is on the first floor. We have plans to make our hall handi-capped accessible. To rent the hall for your event, see our website **www.winonagrange271.org** or contact **hall@winonagrange271.org.**

Application for Grange Membership in Winona Grange #271

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Occupation _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Your application must be accompanied by a one-time initiation fee of $5 and dues through the end of the calendar year. Annual dues are $40 per person (aged 14 or older) or $80 per family with children ages 14-23. Give your application and payment to a member or mail to Winona Grange, PO Box 3484, Tualatin, OR 97062. After the members vote on your application, you will participate in a Welcoming Ceremony.