

STATE GRANGE RESOURCE AND LEADERSHIP CONFERENCES 2023

This year's series of State Grange Resource and Leadership Conferences is set to begin with the first meeting on January 14 in Grays Harbor County. Eighteen additional meetings will be held through January and February at various locations across the state.

The conference will include a general session for all participants, followed by break out meetings. The break out meetings will be 30 minutes each and be held concurrently.

State Master Tom Gwin will lead a discussion for Grange Masters and Secretaries, while State Lecturer Leslie Wells will meet with the Lecturers and State Family Living Director Helen Berg will meet with the Family Living Chairpersons. Additional presentations will be given by the Junior and Youth Departments.

Packets of information for each department will be distributed, along with program handbooks, legislative handbooks, and additional resource materials for each Grange.

The complete schedule of conferences, which are open to all Grange members is as follows:

Sat, January 14	Satsop Grange Hall 401 Market Street, Satsop	12 p.m. potluck 1 p.m. conference
Sat, January 14	Washington Grange Hall 7701 NE Ward Road, Vancouver	6 p.m. potluck 7 p.m. conference
Sun, January 15	Catlin Grange Hall, 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso	1 p.m. potluck 2 p.m. conference
Sun, January 15	Fords Prairie Grange Hall 2640 Reynolds Avenue, Centralia	6 p.m. potluck 7 p.m. conference
Mon, January 15	Dry Creek Grange Hall 3520 W, Edgewood Drive, Port Angeles	1 p.m. conference
Fri, January 20	McMillin Grange Hall 12615 State Route 163, Puyallup	7 p.m. conference
Sat, January 21	Kellogg Marsh Grange Hall 10005 67 th Avenue NE, Marysville	12 p.m. potluck 1 p.m. conference
Sat, January 21	Skagit Valley Grange Hall 21273 Cook Road, Burlington	6 p.m. potluck 7 p.m. conference
Sun, January 22	San Juan Island Grange Hall 152 1st Street N., Friday Harbor	1 p.m. conference
Fri, January 27	Fruitvale Grange Hall 2908 Castlevale Blvd, Yakima	5:30 p.m. potluck 6:30 p.m. conference
Sat, January 28	Prospect Point Grange Hall S. Howard & Prospect Avenue, Walla Walla	6:30 p.m. conference
Sun, January 29	Columbia Valley Grange Hall 6300 West Court Street, Pasco	1 p.m. conference
Sun, January 29	Menastash Grange Hall 4931 Menastash Road, Ellensburg	6 p.m. conference
Fri, February 3	Camden Grange Hall Downtown Camden	6 p.m. potluck 7 p.m. conference
Sat, February 4	Addy Grange Hall 1376 Main Street, Addy	12 p.m. potluck 1 p.m. conference
Sat, February 4	Green Bluff Grange Hall 9809 E Green Bluff Road, Colbert	7 p.m. conference

Sun, February 5	Eddy's Restaurant 702 S. Main, Colfax	1 p.m. conference with no-host lunch
Fri, February 10	Bee Hive Grange Hall 4593 Squilchuck Road, Wenatchee	6 p.m. potluck 7 p.m. conference
Sat, February 11	Okanogan Grange Hall 305 Tye Street, Okanogan	12 p.m. potluck 1 p.m. conference
Sat, February 11	Bob's Café 1807 Kittleson Road, Moses Lake	6 p.m. conference with no-host dinner

STATE GRANGE SCHEDULES ZOOM MEETINGS

While not all state directors will be able to attend the leadership conferences, a series of Zoom meetings has been developed as a supplement to the face-to-face Grange Resource and Leadership conferences. This will allow Grange members across the state to communicate directly with the state officers/directors to learn about the current programs.

All training sessions are open to all Grange members and will allow multiple members from a Grange the opportunity to utilize the resources available to conduct successful projects and activities within their local Granges. Additional meetings will be announced as the dates become available.

Login information is the same for each meeting and is listed at the end of this article.

FOCUS GROUP	DATE	TIME	FACILITATOR
GRANGE SECRETARYS	Wed, February 1 Thurs, February 2 Wed, February 8	10 a.m. 6 p.m. 1 p.m.	TERRY ABBOTT, STATE SECRETARY
YOUTH FAIRS PROGRAM	Wed, February 1	7 p.m.	TOM GWIN, STATE PRESIDENT
FAMILY LIVING	Mon, February 13	7 p.m.	HELEN BERG, FL DIRECTOR
LEGISLATIVE UPDATES FOR ALL GRANGE MEMBERS	Mon, January 23 Mon, February 6 Mon, February 20 Mon, March 6 Mon, March 20 Mon, April 2 Mon, April 17	10 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m. 10 a.m.	JESSE TAYLOR, GRANGE LOBBYIST, AND THE GRANGE LEGISLATIVE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
COMMUNITY SERVICE	Wed, February 15	7 p.m.	HEATHER FERSUGON, CS DIRECTOR
JUNIOR DEPARTMENT	Thurs, February 16	7 p.m.	HEATHER FERGUSON, JG DIRECTOR
LECTURER PROGRAMS	Tues, February 21 Wed, February 22	7 p.m. 2 p.m.	LESLIE WELLS, STATE LECTURER
YOUTH DEPARTMENT	Thurs, February 23	7 p.m.	STATE YOUTH COMMITTEE
GRANGE MASTERS	Wed, January 25 Wed, February 22 Wed, March 29	7 p.m. 7 p.m. 7 p.m.	TOM GWIN, STATE GRANGE PRESIDENT

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