

**Mission:** To promote and preserve the cultures and communities of our area's past and present.

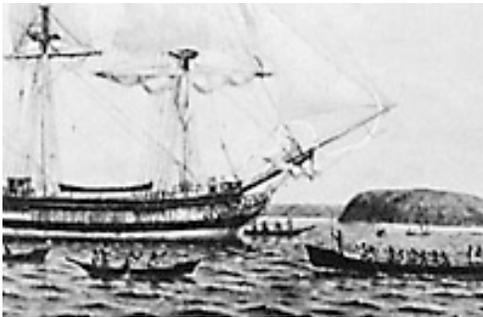
CPOCHS recognizes the contributions of the indigenous peoples, explorers, pioneers and others who settled in this beautiful part of Oregon with occupations including hunting, fishing, farming, dairying, logging, lumbering, and nursery cultivation and gardening.

**The Crown Point Country Historical Society** was established in the early 1970s. Over several decades, residents of the area have been collecting and preserving historical records and artifacts, filing information and images - including the paintings of Charles W. Post - and researching family, business, and cultural connections.



Columbia River fishermen at Celilo Falls

Chronicles of the lives of the people in the area include the oral, petroglyphic, pictographic, and written histories of indigenous peoples, European traders, and settlers from every continent.



Capt. Gray's ship the Columbia Rediviva entering the Columbia River in 1792. Photo courtesy OHS

## OUR MUSEUM

A 2.69 acre parcel on the Historic Columbia River Highway in Corbett has been selected for the new museum. Plans are underway for a 3500 square foot Interpretive Center building to house and share the archives and collections.



Building designs by Whitney and Associates, Gresham, Or.



Typical auto-camp in Oregon from the 1910's through the 1950's.

The site of the museum is the old Auto Camp, located directly across from the Corbett Fire Hall. Outdoor displays will compliment the areas of museum focus. Tools, boats, and large machinery used in fishing, farming, and logging will be on display on the museum grounds.



Palmer Sawmill near Bridal Veil, Oregon

The indigenous people who lived here, the explorers who arrived in ships, and the pioneers who came by boat or wagon have all shaped this part of the Columbia River Gorge area. A literal "pathway" of memorial bricks winding around the museum property, along with a native plant and heritage garden, will honor the people and the interests and industries which created our community.



Gillnet boats at a river landing in Lower Corbett circa 1911.

**Fishing and Processing, Farming and Dairying, Logging and Lumbering and Nursery/Gardening** comprise four of the major paths of industry and livelihood of the Corbett/Springdale/Columbia River Gorge area.



Farming and daffodil bulb growing in Corbett



The museum will recognize contributions to the fabric of our present day society: Oregon's natural history, individuals and organizations, and our Fallen Heroes.



Klondike Kate's rock chimney

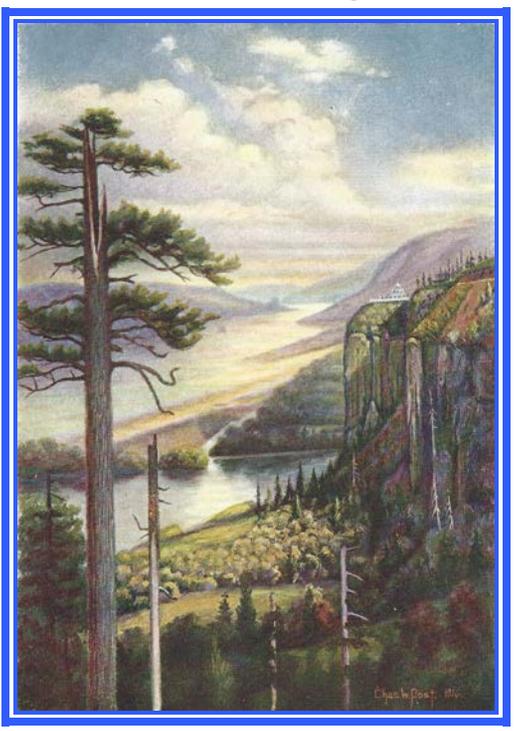


Columbia Grange #267



Gold Star Memorial

# The Crown Point Country Historical Society



invites you to be part of a  
*Journey Through Time*  
36901 East Historic Columbia River Highway

Become a member of the  
**Crown Point Country Historical Society**  
Membership Dues (Jan. 1 – Dec. 31) are \$15.00 per year, which includes the Society’s quarterly newsletter, *Windows on the Past*. Please join us!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail form and check to: **CPCHS,  
P.O. Box 17, Bridal Veil, OR 97010**



**Monetary Donations:**

Friend: \$1 - \$99 \_\_\_\_\_ Bronze: \$100 - \$249 \_\_\_\_\_  
Silver: \$250 - \$499 \_\_\_\_\_ Gold: \$500 - \$999 \_\_\_\_\_  
Platinum \$1000 - \$4900 \_\_\_\_\_ Diamond: \$5000 \_\_\_\_\_

We are a 501(c)3. Membership dues, donations, and the purchase of Bricks are fully tax-deductible. For more information, contact **Chuck Rollins** at (503) 695.5821 or **Sandy Cartisser** at (503) 695.5153

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**Buy a Brick!** The **Indigenous People’s Pathway** recognizes our area’s original inhabitants. The **Gold Star Memorial Pathway** honors the fallen heroes of our military and public service. The **Rock Wall Memorial Pathway** celebrates our state’s geological history and salutes the *Rock Hounds of Oregon*. The **Fishing/Processing Pathway** notes the impact of those industries on our region. The **Farming/Dairying Pathway** recognizes those occupations, the **Logging/Lumbering Pathway** acknowledges the influence of those industries on our region and the **Nursery/Gardening Pathway** recalls plant cultivation.

For bricks, call Catherine Dishion – 805-705-5773

**BUY A BRICK on the Trail** The *Pioneer Trail* is a walking path which will surround the Museum Building. The **Trail** will recognize all earlier inhabitants of our area, with their cultures and industries. Along the trail will be several divergent “pathways” featuring permanent and changing displays (see: **Buy A Brick**).  
To order on-line, please visit: [www.thatsmybrick.com/cpchs](http://www.thatsmybrick.com/cpchs).

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Please **circle** the area listed below in which you would like your brick placed. If you wish to honor all the community – past and present – select the **Pioneer Trail**. To select a more specific Pathway, circle one of the other Pathways listed below.

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| Pioneer Trail      | Indigenous People  |
| Memorial Rock Wall | Gold Star          |
| Farming/Dairying   | Fishing/Processing |
| Nursery/Gardening  | Logging/Lumbering  |

Your \$100 brick purchase will place your name or the name of someone you wish to honor on the **Trail** of the museum grounds. A maximum of 3 lines - up to 18 characters per line – which includes letters, punctuation, and numbers - is available. Please indicate above the name and the information desired on each brick purchase.