

Dear Harmoni Members,

Spring is wonderful, when it's not cold, wet, and grim. We've been "enjoying" a little of both halves

of the season's split personality. Palm Sunday: Not so nice. Easter: Very nice! So Ann and I got to

enjoy watching granddaughter Suzie run around outdoors and enthusiastically gather colorful plastic

eggs and a few small sticks. I hope you all had a wonderful Easter together with your families as well.

Time for Harmoni members to run around a bit, too. Our outing to The Dalles and the National Neon

Sign Museum is coming right up. Right now the weather outlook for our trip is decent, so I'm hoping

we'll have good turnout. Don't forget: Parking lot doughnuts! We'll be sharing Helen Bernhardt's

finest on arrival at the museum, at 9:45am.

We will gallivant some more in May, though not so far afield. Depending on the weather outlook, we

will visit the Fort Vancouver historic site on May 11th, or, if that looks too rainy, the 18th.

Harmoni will

pay your way in. But! If you have a Golden Age pass or its new equivalent, the Senior Lifetime America the Beautiful pass, please bring that along and save the lodge \$10. Or, if you don't have such

a pass, (and are 62+ years of age), pay \$80 to buy one and get free access to federal parks, (along with

any passengers in your vehicle), forever. Harmoni will kick in the first \$10.

Also on the horizon in May is our Celebration of Mothers at our regular lodge meeting. What this

means is the guys will prepare and serve the food for once. If you happen to be a guy, don't be surprised if you get a phone call inquiring about what you might make or bring.

Easter season blessings to you all,

In Truth and Unity,

Charlie