



Greenwood Hills

CEMETERY

Portland, Oregon

Estab. 1882


Spring 2025

9002 SW Boones Ferry Road • Portland, OR 97219

Open 8:00am to Sunset

Did you know
Greenwood Hills
Cemetery has its own
Facebook page?



Search for us by name, then  Like
the page to share stories, news, photos,
and connect with the community of
people who care about this unique place.

We've made it even easier to
donate to Greenwood Hills by
accepting  PayPal

Click the "Donate" link on
our website or Facebook page
to set up a one-time or
recurring donation to help
ensure the preservation of
this wonderful property.

Need a Grave Marker?

Ordering through us helps
with the maintenance costs
of Greenwood Hills Cemetery.

We Offer These Services:

Our Archivist provides a quick and
courteous record search. Any
physical locating will be subject to a
fee, starting at \$50.

Interments in GHC are available to
those who hold deeds to family plots
with available space. River View is
our preferred provider of grave
marker and interment services.

2025 Headstone Restoration Hopes

As we shared last year, the Maintenance Board had planned to apply for an Oregon Parks & Recreation Department 2024 Historic Cemeteries Grant to tackle a strategic headstone restoration project. Our efforts were diverted to the more urgent project of re-erecting our fallen bulletin board structure, but we are happy to report that we have another opportunity this year and are moving ahead with the grant application, due early April.

This project intends to address repairs, releveling and resetting of twenty-five of our most deteriorated, broken, and toppled headstones in Section 1 (the grounds enclosed by the front loop of the gravel road). We plan to do this by working with an expert third-party preservation organization, Historic Preservation NW, who specialize in historic cemetery work and have repaired over 1100 headstones in the Pacific Northwest. We are hopeful that receiving the grant funding will allow us to retain their services to fund this necessary effort. The grant pool is competitive: last year saw only eleven grants awarded to around fifty applicants and a total fund of around \$60,000. This year to strengthen our application, we are grateful to have letters of support from our community, and are committing to a 25% funding match. If you're interested in contributing to this match, please indicate this when you make your donation.

Thank you for your ongoing support and interest in our stewardship of this important and beloved property. We simply cannot do it without you!



Above & Below: Broken headstones that would be repaired if grant funding is awarded to GHC.



Greenwood Hills Cemetery Maintenance Association is a volunteer organization dedicated to maintaining the grounds of Greenwood Hills Cemetery in a manner that respects the dead, honors the living, and preserves a valuable connection with our rich pioneer history.

Through responsible stewardship of resources, we strive to maintain a safe and beautiful open space where people can come to remember the past and enjoy the natural world which we hold in sacred trust for the future.

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2025 Cleanup Day: Join us!



WHEN: Saturday, May 17th

WHERE: 9002 SW Boones Ferry Road
Check-in at the picnic table at the entrance

TIME: 10 AM -2 PM

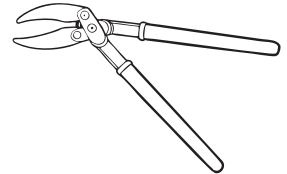
Anytime you can join us is appreciated!

WHAT TO BRING: Pruning shears, loppers, string trimmers, brooms, rakes, tarps, hand clippers and gloves; A sack lunch or snacks for yourself; A chair for lunch break; Sunscreen.

WHAT NOT TO BRING: Please leave your dog at home for clean up day!

Please mark your calendar for this year's annual clean up day. Volunteers, family members, neighbors and especially dog walkers are welcome and encouraged to participate.

We will provide water, chips and cookies - and our gratitude for your time and effort!



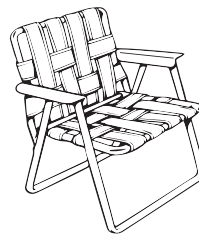
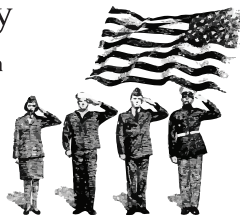
Upcoming Holiday & Board Events

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

Saturday - Monday

May 24th, 25th, 26th

10-4 PM



ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, June 18th

6 PM

Bring a chair and join us at the entrance of GHC to hear about our past year, learn about what we do, and what you can do! *Board meeting for board members only to follow.*

Your Contributions Keep Us Going

Greenwood Hills Cemetery relies on charitable gifts to maintain the cemetery and make necessary improvements. Please consider increasing your donation or including GHCMA in your charitable giving plans if you have not done so. *Please be sure to include the completed form with any accompanying donation. Thank you!*

GHCMA Tax ID #94-3052123



Alternately, use this QR code to donate via PayPal using just a credit or debit card:



I want to help maintain and restore Greenwood Hills Cemetery!

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution of:

\$ _____

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Reply to:

**GHC Maintenance Association
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Thank you! We truly appreciate your support.