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Membership Dues!

It's back again! Incentive for paying your dues at the beginning of the year! If you pay your dues before the UofM ProAm, you are entered in a drawing to receive your 2018 membership for FREE! Payment must be RECEIVED by the Secretary prior to her departure for the competition, she is leaving April 24th and lives in the boonies, so get that membership mailed in EARLY!

The drawing will be held at the winter meeting. You do not need to be present to win. How it works: if you pay a family, junior, college, or annual membership, then a single ticket will be placed in the drawing. If your ticket is drawn then you will receive your dues back. (\$60 for a family, \$30 for a junior, \$45 for an annual, or \$35 for a collegiate). Reason enough to get those dues in early?

The ALA winter/spring meeting will be held at the UofM Pro-Am. Hoberg will be BBQing for us and food is provided. As an incentive to stay, we will be holding an axe throwing competition. The winner gets this year's membership for FREE! You must stay for all of the meeting to qualify for the prize!

ALA Classifieds:

Interested in advertising in the classifieds? It is FREE for ALA members! Contact the Secretary.

Custom toe climbing spurs and shin-guards available upon request. Contact Eric Hoberg for details. 406.531.9345

Looking for **axe handles**? Contact Mike Forrester 541.496.3204 oregonaxeman1@hotmail.com.

Looking for some beautiful **art** made from old chains/blades/bars? Visit www.renowildernessart.com.

Chainmail Guards: Footies \$85, Shins \$120, Set \$200 Erin LaVoie 509.868.4801, elavoie57@gmail.com



Modified saws for sale: Contact Clint Stevenson 509-291-3722 for more information.

Saw handles for sale: Welded metal saw handles - \$50 per handle - taking orders for pipe size 1/4", 1/2" and 3/4" pipes in 2 different angles: 10 degree and 15 degree. Contact Kylee Hatfield (208) 740-7646 or kyleehatfield@yahoo.com. Wrap color of your choice included. Spray-on "grit" (similar to truck bed liner) \$10.

Saw sharpening: modified, M-tooth, factory contact Lee Williamson 360-599-2911.

Rob Waibel is selling **axes** for practice and novice/intermediate competitors. 503-369-9910, waibelrob@gmail.com

To keep up to date with Rob Waibel please go to: https://my.lotsahelpinghands.com/community/friends-of-rob-waibel

Show and Competition organizers, please send me your dates for 2018 shows!

College Corner

The AWFC Conclave will be held at CalPolv March 26-30th.

2018 show dates

= ALA Sanctioned Show

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Stihl Collegiate Western Qualifier; San Luis Obispo, CA March 28th
    University of Montana Pro-Am Show; Missoula, MT April 28<sup>th</sup>
           Sequim Irrigation Festival; Sequim, WA May 12th
                  Revelstoke; Revelstoke, BC May 19th
                Kaslo May Days; Kaslo, BC May 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>
             Stihl Western Qualifier; Shelton, WA June 2<sup>nd</sup>
      Port McNeill Loggersports; Port McNeill, BC June 15<sup>th</sup>-16th
         Stihl Women's Series; Cherry Valley, NY June 15th-17th
                 Brownsville; Brownsville, OR June 17<sup>th</sup>
               Barrier's Bull of the Woods, Canada July ?
               Chase Lumberjack Show; Chase, BC July ?
        Paul Bunyan Mtn Blues Festival, Westwood, CA July
               Longview Go 4<sup>th</sup>; Longview, WA July 4<sup>th</sup>?
                         Clatskanie. OR July 4<sup>th</sup> ?
                      Bowen Island; Canada July ?
      Powell River Logger Sports; Powell River, BC July 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>
                 Darby Logger Days; Darby, MT July 21st
                    West Linn; West Linn, OR July ?
Stihl US Pro & Collegiate Championships; Milwaukee, WI July 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>
Big John Miller Memorial Lumberjack Show; Myrtle Creek, OR July ?
            Priest River Timberfest; Priest River, ID July 28th
                        Abbotsford Agrifair; BC Aug 4th
               Squamish Days; Squamish, BC Aug. 4th-5th
                    Eagar Daze; Eagar, AZ Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup>-4th
          Salmon Festival; Campbell River BC Aug. 12<sup>th</sup>-13th
              Morton Logger Jubilee; Morton WA, Aug 11<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>
                            Smithers, BC Aug. 25<sup>th</sup>
                    Land of Legends; Duncan, BC Sept. ?
           Port Alberni Logger Sports, Port Alberni, BC Sept. 9th
            Orofino Lumberjack Days; Orofino, ID Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>
           Know of any more? Please let the Secretary know!
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√ = show has already occurred!