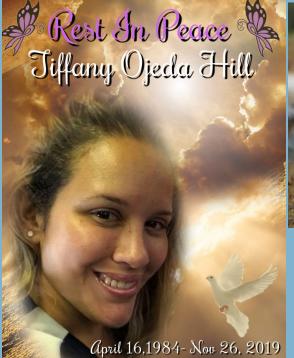
## WMA Or-1 Lady Marine Rose

# This issue is dedicated to **TIFFANY OJEDA-HILL**





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OR1 Lady Marine Rose lost one of our member, Tiffany Ojeda Hill was killed by her husband on November 26, 2019 .

Sergeant Tiffany Ojeda-Hill was born in Brooklyn, New York in 1984 and was a graduate of John Dewey High School in Brooklyn. Even as a youngster, Tiffany was not one to sit around idle. It was at John Dewey High School that Tiffany refined her passion for baking. Before joining the Marine Corps, Tiffany volunteered with the NYPD Explorer Program.

Tiffany served from 2005-2010 in the United States Marine Corps as a 7413, (UAV) Unmanned Arial Vehicle Operator. Tiffany joined the Lady Marine Rose Chapter in 2017. Sgt. Tiffany Hill, a veteran Marine, was needlessly failed by a system that does not comprehend the ripple effects of domestic violence. Sgt. Tiffany Hill has been called to guard the gates of heaven and has left her legacy as a beacon of light in a world full of chaos.

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### Quarterly Chapter meetings -

Lots of great things happening for OR-1 Lady Marine Rose. If you want to be part of the growth, come join us at our monthly gatherings!

### SEPTEMBER-

Lady Marine Rose had a fantastic meeting today . A huge thanks to SgtMajor Owens from <u>The 6th Engineer Support Battal-</u> ion in Portland for taking the time to attend our meeting and show his support to the Women Marines Association . A huge thanks to the <u>Lady Hill Winery</u> and their wonderful staff for allowing us to have our meeting there and providing us with such a warm and beautiful setting .





### OCTOBER—

The Lady Marine Rose held their October meeting at Golda Fabian's new home.

King City Senior Village— We are so happy to know that our beloved Golda is being Taken care of by the awesome staff there.

### NOVEMBER-

Once again we held our monthly meeting at the <u>King Center Senior</u> <u>Village</u>..

We are making good things happen in our community. And growing our network of women that served "sisterhood ".



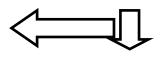
### **November events-**

As every Marine knows, November is always an exciting month! Not only do we continue to participate in community outreach events, but we take pride in celebrating our Marine Corps birthday, as well as Veterans Day. There were activities for everyone, young and old!



Nov 8th— Thank you Carson for standing watch and keeping us safe while we collect donations and educate the public about our organization.



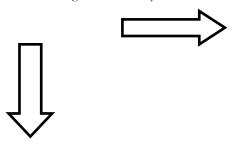


Nov 9th---- OR1 Lady Marine Rose Veterans Day---Marine Corps Birthday Run/Walk was a success ! We collected tons on non perishable food items to help out local homeless veterans. Our Chapter has been doing this for 2 years now.



Nov 9th— OR-1 Members Cristina Peralta Cernusak and Marygene Smith attended today's MCB brunch at Vagabond Brewery PDX. Marygene was the oldest Marine and Chance Matz was the youngest Marine at the luncheon.

And we had a lot of interest & activity at our vendor table! We signed up several new people to our email list and sold a number of the litter bags handmade by our members!









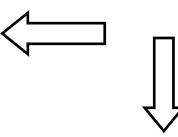
### Nov 10th-

How does OR- 1 Celebrate the big 244th? By hosting a motivated Marine Corps Bday Workout that's how. Thank you Antoniette Sanders and <u>Woodstock CrossFit</u> for putting this event together for us, we had a blast.





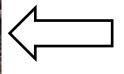
**Nov 10th—** Members of OR-1 celebrating the Marine Corps Birthday at Vagabond Brewery in Salem . It was a great night thank you all for coming it tonight .







Cristina Peralta Cernusak & Her husband Jeremy Cernusak were honored as the Home Town Heroes for the Nov 10th Blazer game



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Nov 11th— OR1 Lady Marine Rose members participating in the <u>Ross Hollywood Veterans</u> <u>Day Parade</u>,

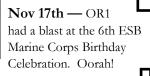
We couldn't resist taking a picture with the girls from the Tualatin Young Marines group. They are the future of the Corps!



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Vice President Rosy Macias flew to NY to be present at Sgt Tiffany Ojeda Hill Funeral. Members from the NY-6 Cpl Ramona Valdez Chapter were also in attendance and were a huge part of getting the word out to local Marines and Veterans about the Funeral as well as the need to continue to support the Ojeda Family ..

If you or anyone you know would like to continue to support the Ojeda family either by sending a thinking of you card or monetary donation you can use the address below . The Ojeda-Hill Family

C/O Janice Garcia P.O Box 90167 Brooklyn , NY 11209



In Loving Memory of

Jiffany Ojeda Hill

April 16, 1984 - November 26, 2019



Last Farewell She wished no one a last farewell, nor even said goodbye. She was gone before we knew it, And only God knows why. They say time heals all sorrow, And helps us to forget, But time so far only proves how much we miss her yet. God gives us strength to face it, And courage to bear the blow, But what it meant to "love" and lose her. No one will ever know.

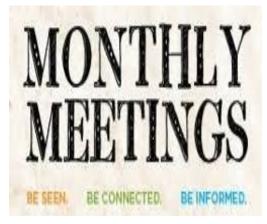
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### WMA OR-I MONTHLY MEETING

Our Chapter meets on the <u>4th Saturday of each month</u> at 11:00AM unless there is a holiday or other events, in which case we will change the date and time and post it on our fb page.



### \*\*JANUARY

January 25th Time: 11AM Location : King City Seniors Village 11777 SW Queen Elizabeth St, King City Oregon

\*\***FEBRUARY** Installation of new Officers Luncheon Date: February 9th, 2020 Time: 12-1400 Location: Portland

\*\***MARCH** March 28th Time: 11AM Location: Salem

To stay up to date with what our chapter is doing , please checkout our Facebook page .

https://www.facebook.com/womenmarinesassociationOR1chapter/

If you have a story or a topic that you would like to be include in next quarter newsletter please send that to **marygenesmith@yahoo.com** 

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### WMA OR-1 Lady Marine Rose Chapter

Requests the pleasure of your company at the Celebration of the 77th Women Marines Reserve Anniversary Luncheon

On February 13, 1943 the U.S. Marine Corps Women Reserve was formed. We honor the courage and spirit de corps of each woman who volunteered to serve her country during a time of great need.

Women Marines were once ordinary women who chose to do something extraordinary by becoming a United States Marine and it would be our honor to have you all join us !

Where: Monarch Hotel 12566 SE 93rd Ave. Clackamas , OR 97015 When: Sunday February 9th 2020 Time: 1200-1400 Cost: \$25 per person (payable by going to our event page ) https://wmaor1.eventbrite.com Dress code: Business Casual Reservations Required by Jan, 31,2020 Call Heidi Tanada @ 503-939-8606 Or by email or1@womenmarines.org

# Member Birthdays for

# this Quarter-Jan-Mar, 2020



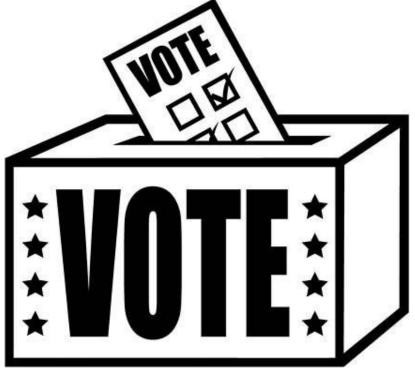
First, we have to wish a Happy <u>Belated</u> Birthday to our December ladies because they weren't included in the last issue! Sorry Ladies!

<u> December</u> — Lela Medairy	<b>Dec. 3</b>
Sarina Criswell	Dec. 13
Rebekah Soriano	Dec. 29

<u>January</u> —	Mary Tanada	Jan.13
	Raquel Barker Gaspar	Jan.16
<u>February</u> —	Michelle Malik	Feb. 27
<u>March</u> —	Coralee Berwick	Mar. 19
	Melissa McPartland	Mar. 21

Best wishes for a Happy Birthday and many, many more!!





Please be in the lookout for this year Officers nomination Ballots . They have gone out and need to be return by January 13, 2020.

PLEASE VOTE!!!