

# WILLAMETTE VALLEY BROADBAND



## 2023

## A Year in Photos

### We Hike



Julia Corbett, Becky Garrett, Barbara Grant, Cyndi Anderson & Mandy Cole on an Alsea Falls hike



Harriet Plumley, Anne Filson, Julie Stenson, Glenda Twedt & Lynne Ervin on an 11 mile birthday hike in January



Becky Garrett, Kathy Newman, Mandy Cole, Beth Malitz & Cindy Kraft with Maya Abels hiking McCulloch Peak

## We Rally

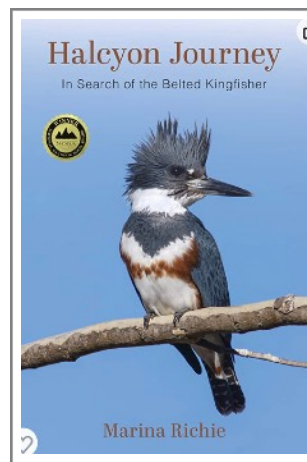
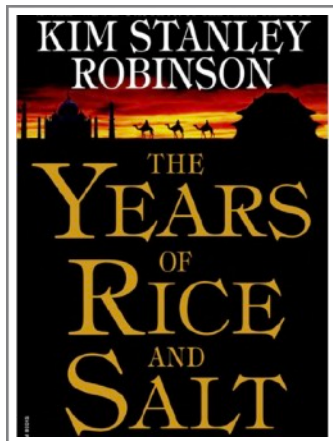


Cyndi Anderson & Pat Berman join members of other Broadbands for a Rally for Forests and Climate in front of the Forest Service offices in Portland

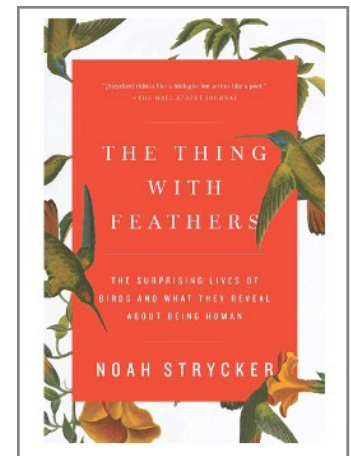


Coleen mcLaughlin, Laura Ouelette (as a tree) and Nancy Mauter doing their part

## We Read



Books read for Book Broads with Carol in 2023







Peg Herring teaching the art of drawing a Douglas fir cone to Chandra LeGue

## We Learn



Paul Engelmeyer explaining conservation of Oregon coast habitat



Peg Herring, Pat Fischer, Cyndi Anderson, Gerry Lavelle, Maya Abels, Beth Malitz, Helen Sklar & Keller Kendall attend the regional Broadwalk at Camp Delaney and learn about the sagebrush shrub steppe of Eastern Washington



In February we gathered for a presentation about Broad's hiking the Oregon Coast Trail with photos from Carolyn Peterson



## We Work



Joni Nelson barging trash



Rhoda Fleischman, Ann Wichmann, Nancy Mauter, Laura Duncan, & Joni Nelson with their trash booty from Freeway Lakes during the Paddle & Pick up event organized by Laura Ouellette



Lynn Humphrey with Nanci Adair & Will Mullins doing recreation site monitoring



Nancy Mauter & Pat Fischer doing stream monitoring for beaver habitat



# We Educate

# We Advocate



Chandra LeGue shows executive director of Broads, Sara Husby of Colorado, a map of the forests of Western Oregon



We had most Advocacy Nights in 2023 on Zoom



After learning about marbled murrelets from Kim Nelson at our Canal Creek Confluence campout we see them at dusk!



Pat Boleyn, Barbara Andersen, Becky Garrett, Cyndi Anderson, Julia Battles, Chandra LeGue Karyn Calloway & Joni Nelson at Cards & Cones for Climate organized by Beth Malitz



We hosted a Broad Talk with Dr. Boone Kaufmann in May about the damage and costs of grazing on public lands



## Did we mention that we HIKE?



A Horse Rock Ridge hike with Karyn Calloway, Amy Rossman, Becky Garrett, Cyndi Anderson, Chandra Legue, Marge Ali, Sandy Riverman, Varina Heilman & Helena Virga



Carolyn Peterson, Maya Abels, Janice Rosenberg, Amy Rossman, Laura Ouellette, Beth Brown, Cyrel Gable, & Glenda Twedt



A Mary's Peak hike in September with Becky Garrett, Ruth Johns & Shep, Maya's pup Bodhi, Laura Ouellette, Chandra LeGue and Glenda Twedt





Celebrating the July birthdays of Maya Abels and Lynn Humphrey



Celebrating another successful year of solitude and recreation site monitoring in wilderness areas thanks to a grant from the National Wilderness Stewardship Alliance and the hard work of Lynn and Maya

## We Celebrate



Our annual gathering in October at Pioneer Park in Brownsville

# Here's to more education, advocacy, stewardship and FUN in 2024!

And definitely more hiking!



Laura Ouellette, Cyrel Gable, Nancy Rosenberger, Becky Garrett,  
Pat Boleyn, Mandy Cole, Lynn Humphrey, Laura Duncan, Cindy  
Kraft & Ann Wichman on a Lane County hike with new hike leader,  
Pat Boleyn