

HAPPY NEW YEAR CORNISH COUSINS!

As another New Year and new decade are upon us, we are looking forward to seeing what the year has in store. First, we will look back at 2019 in pictures and minutes of the five meetings and our holiday party. The change in the number of gatherings arose because of the distance people had to travel. Going forward, we will have two meetings in both March and October, one in the North and one in the South. We will all come together for the Annual Meeting in July in Centralia's Ft. Borst Park. We will also continue to attend many of the Celtic Festivals to locate Cornish people and recruit new members. We welcome anyone interested in volunteering to represent PNCS at a Celtic event (see list on page 4). Please contact the Board and get signed up.

Also, we are again offering PNCS Sweatshirts and T-Shirts for sale through the Country Store. These are quality 100% cotton shirts with our logo. See picture on page 8.

We are always interested in hearing suggestions for programs to present at the meetings; please feel free to send your suggestions to any member of the Board by going to the website and clicking on "contact us."

Also, to put on good programs, we will need additional reserves in our treasury. One fundraising idea being considered is to accept donations for providing coffee and cookies at a rest stop on I-5. We checked with other groups who advise it is profitable for them. This is a good opportunity to greet people at the rest stop and promote the Cornish Society.

If you have any ideas for the group, we are open to all suggestions.