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I started volunteering and working for pay with the Elsinore Theater in 2016. The community of Salem depends on the Elsinore for many yearly celebrations like Tuba Christmas, Varsity Vocals, local dance companies, Oregon Thespian Society, Ballet companies and so much more. I am very honored to be a part of a team that helps at sold-out events like Lyle Lovet and Robert Cray coming up soon. My favorites are the classical concerts and ballet companies that come through yearly. Pink Martini is one of the best music shows I enjoy.

Tom Fohn is a very wonderful man, he puts together the best people to help run the theater. The Elsinore under his leadership has become very busy with nationally popular shows that sell out the theater regularly. I feel very honored to have helped out with repairs and maintenance around the theater. Tom is so great to work with. I have many great relations with co-volunteers and staff at the Elsinore, we all enjoy sharing an irreplaceable venue in such beautiful shape.

My greatest joy is when I find someone looking around the lobby who has never seen the grandeur of this beautiful Icon of a building.

I am so glad to be a small part of such a worthwhile institution. I am very excited to see improvements to our facility, the Elsinore is so very deserving!

Thank you, Jim Stuller