



WT Walking Tall

Southern Oregon 1/7/26

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“Walking Tall Taught Me How to Be a Man”

Jazz was recently in town and stopped by to visit Walking Tall, sharing an update on all that he’s been doing.

He shared, “I’m currently attending George Fox University as a civil engineering major, and I plan to attend the University of Oregon to pursue a master’s degree in architecture. This past summer, I had the opportunity to work as an intern with the Idaho Department of Transportation, where I worked with CAD. It was a great experience and kept me very busy. Along with that, I was also working as a crew member at Chipotle and competing as a part-time track athlete.

I was recruited to George Fox by being diligent during high school, and applying for many scholarships really helped make it possible. It may sound simple, but Walking Tall taught me how to be a man. Growing up without a father made things difficult, but I had mentors step into my life who helped shape me; teaching me how to carry myself, how to shake someone’s hand firmly, and how to approach life.

Looking back, it’s less about the specific things I did at Walking Tall and more about the principles I learned there. I learned how a man should face challenges and problems and that failure may happen at first, but you get back up and try again. I was surrounded by a community of Christian men who genuinely wanted to help me grow. Since moving away and pursuing other things, I’ve realized how much I miss that spiritual support and sense of community. I’ve felt disconnected from it, and I now see just how impactful that season of my life truly was.”



Walk with the wise and become wise, for a companion of fools suffers harm. Proverbs 13:20



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FRIEND RAISER

2025

We are deeply grateful to the generous donors who supported us throughout 2025, including those who contributed to our Friend Raiser campaign. Thanks to local businesses, grandparents, alumni, and families who believe in our mission, this event made a meaningful impact in our community.

WT continues to face rising costs to maintain our shops, labs, and programs, along with increasing overhead, food expenses, and educational trips that help young men explore future careers. Ongoing donor support is essential, and we sincerely appreciate all current and future contributions that make this work possible.

With a few more checks coming in the mail for the Friend Raiser, we've received \$89,465 towards our Friend Raiser, and we are deeply grateful for every gift. We will continue accepting donations dated 12/31/25 for year-end contributions. Thank you for partnering with us and helping make a positive impact!



Donations can be made by mail to: Walking Tall PO Box 3789 Central Point, OR 97502

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Thank you for your support and prayers!