

Belly up to the bar, the Columbia River bar, to see the whales in the river.
Crindalyn Lyster/EO Media Group



A warmer water plus? Whales, ahoy!

Humpback whales spotted in the Columbia River cause a stir

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Humpback whales have been visiting the Columbia River, much farther from the ocean than expected.

Over the past week, several whales have been spotted near the Washington side of the Astoria Bridge. The spectacle drew dozens of people to the shores of the river over the weekend with binoculars and cameras in hand.

Many experts agree that the whales are being drawn upriver by food, which has also lured many pelicans and sea lions to the area. Professor Bruce Mate of Oregon State University says this year's El Niño conditions are causing the humpbacks to travel so far upriver.

See more photos online at www.dailyastorian.com.

A humpback whale breaches near the Astoria Bridge Friday.
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Crowds gather on the Washington side of the river to take pictures of the humpback whales gracing our Columbia River stage.



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A humpback whale spouts near the Astoria Bridge Friday.



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A humpback whale breaches near the Astoria Bridge Friday.

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