

# CCC's Lyon is selected to be a Ford Family Foundation Scholar

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Clatsop Community College graduate Alex Lyon has been named a Ford Family Foundation Scholar.

The foundation selected Lyon from among 5,883 applicants. The scholarship program is open to high school seniors and community college students, based on merit and financial need, transferring to a four-year institution. This year, 105 students from Oregon and 10 from Siskiyou County, California, were chosen. The renewable scholarship covers 90 percent of each

student's unmet financial need for each academic year.

Lyon is part of the college's TRIO Student Support Services program, which helps first-generation, low-income and disabled students. She plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in education at Western Oregon University.

"Receiving this scholarship showed me that we are not limited to the confines of our past," Lyon said in a release. "The Ford Family Foundation taught me to never give up on my dreams, even if the barriers seem impenetrable."

Lyon's adviser in the TRIO

program, Amy Magnussen, helped her apply for scholarships and submit applications to the colleges of her choice.

"Alex is one of the hardest working students I have encountered and extraordinarily resourceful," Magnussen said. "She is passionate about becoming a teacher and recognizes the powerfully transformative role education has played in her own life."

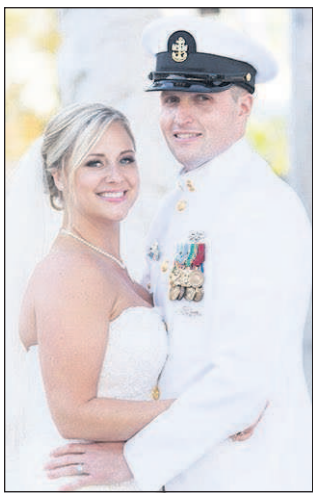
Information about the college's TRIO Student Support Services Program can be found at [clatsopcc.edu](http://clatsopcc.edu) or by contacting Christine Riehl at 503-338-2305.



Clatsop Community College  
**Alex Lyon was chosen as one of 115 Ford Family Foundation Scholars from more than 5,800 applications in Oregon and Siskiyou County, California.**

## WEDDINGS

### Johnson — Schulz



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**Kayla and Zac Schulz**

Kayla Johnson of San Diego, daughter of Kevin and Judy Johnson of Astoria, exchanged wedding vows with Zac Schulz, also of San Diego, at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6, 2017, at the First Lutheran Church in Astoria. The groom is the son of Peter Schulz of Gearhart and Debbie Schulz of Gresham.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents. Rev. Jerry O'Neill performed the ceremony.

Matron of honor was the bride's sister, Laura Mart of Astoria. Bridesmaids were the bride's sister-in-law, Jen-

nifer Johnson of Medford, and friends Rachel Severson of Gresham, Hannah Bryan of Knappa, Erica Walter of Astoria and Holly Stone of San Diego. Flower girls were Tay and Brielle Balensifer of Gresham, nieces of the groom, and Lina Johnson of Medford, niece of the bride.

Best Man was the groom's nephew, Shane Rudduck of Warrenton. Groomsmen were the groom's brother, Josh Bracken of Roseburg, and friends Guillermo Caraveo of Baltimore, Chris Meacham of Boulder, Colorado, Eric Heinze of San Jose, Califor-

nia and Wacey Meyer of Bozeman, Montana. Ring bearers Lucas, Liam and Lynkin of Roseburg, the groom's nephews, and Robert Johnson of Medford, the bride's nephew.

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Astoria High School, and a 2015 speech and hearing sciences graduate of Portland State University. She is currently attending the Idaho State University speech-language pathology graduate program.

The groom is a chief petty officer in the U.S. Navy.

The couple's honeymoon destination was Negril, Jamaica.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**4-H** — Looking for 4-H leaders. For information, call Sandra Carlson at the Oregon State University Extension at 503-325-8573.

**American Red Cross** — Needs registration volunteers (donor ambassadors) in Clatsop County to provide customer service and enhance the blood donor experience. For information, call Angela Basurto at 503-528-5430.

**Astoria Column** — 1 Coxcomb Drive. Volunteers needed to welcome visitors, provide information and answer questions about the Astoria Column and the city of Astoria. For information, call the Friends of the Astoria Column Visitor Center at 503-325-2963.

**Astoria Riverfront Trolley Association** — 111 W. Marine Drive. Needs conductors/motormen to operate trolley and narrate points of interest. One or more three-hour shifts per month. For information, call the 503-325-6311.

**Astoria Senior Center** — 1111 Exchange St. To volunteer, call Larry Miller at 503-325-3231.

**Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce** — 111 W. Marine Drive. Volunteers needed at the chamber and for events. For information, call 503-325-6311.

**Camp Kiwanilong** — A large variety of volunteer opportunities are available. For information, call 503-861-2933 or go to [www.campkiwanilong.org](http://www.campkiwanilong.org)

**Caring Adults Developing Youth (CADY) Mentoring Program** — 800 Exchange St., second floor. Needs mentors for youths ages 10 to 17 at risk of school failure. Time commitment: one year, about eight hours per month. For information, contact Laura Parker at 503-325-8601 or [lparker@co.clatsop.or.us](mailto:lparker@co.clatsop.or.us)

**Clatsop Animal Assistance Inc.** — Needs volunteers who have a strong commitment to work on behalf of the Clatsop County Animal Shelter's dogs and cats. For information, email [info@dogscats.org](mailto:info@dogscats.org) or call 503-861-0737.

**Clatsop Care Center** — Volunteers needed daily for all three meals to provide one-on-one assistance to dining dependent residents. Volunteers must participate in a 16-hour training program. For information, contact Mandy Branchley at 503-325-0313, ext. 209.

**Clatsop County Animal Shelter** — Animal care volunteers age 16 and older needed for one 3-hour shift per week. Pick up an application at 1315 S.E. 19th St., Warrenton. For information, or to schedule orientation, call Leslie Atkinson at 503-325-1000.

**Clatsop Community Action Regional Food Bank** — Volunteers needed to help hand out fruits and vegetables at the weekly produce pantries for two hours on Thursdays, from April to October, in Seaside and Warrenton. Warehouse attendants are needed for food packing or processing, picking orders for agencies, light janitorial and house-keeping, or lawn and grounds maintenance. Three to four-hour shifts are available Monday through Friday. To volunteer, call 503-861-3663.

**Clatsop Community College Outreach Literacy** — Needs volunteer literacy tutors to work with adults, native and non-native speakers. Training available. For information, call 503-338-

2557.

**Clatsop County Public Works** — 1101 Olney Ave. Adopt-A-Road volunteers needed to remove litter two times (minimum) per year for two years. Safety equipment and supplies provided. Volunteers must receive safety orientation. For information, call 503-325-8631.

**Clatsop Cruise Hosts** — Looking for volunteers to meet and greet cruise ship passengers and crew, provide information and answer questions about the Clatsop County area. Ships arrive in the spring and fall, about 20 ships each year. Work all the ships or part of them. For information, go to [www.clatsopcruisehosts.org](http://www.clatsopcruisehosts.org)

**Columbia Memorial Hospital** — Needs volunteers to provide assistance to patients, visitors and hospital staff. Training provided. For information, go to [www.columbiamemorial.org](http://www.columbiamemorial.org). To schedule an interview, call 503-325-4321.

**Columbia River Maritime Museum** — 1792 Marine Drive. Volunteer opportunities for those with an interest in maritime history. For information, call the volunteer coordinator weekdays at 503-325-2323.

**Columbia Senior Diners** — 1111 Exchange St., Astoria Senior Center. Volunteers needed weekdays to serve tables and for kitchen help. To volunteer, call 503-325-9693.

**Community Emergency Response Team** — CERT volunteers needed for community events and disaster response with local police, fire and emergency medical service agencies. Training includes fire safety, first aid, traffic and crowd control, communications, damage survey, disaster planning and civic events within city limits. For information, contact CERT coordinator Kenny Hansen at [khansen@astoria.or.us](mailto:khansen@astoria.or.us) or leave a voicemail at 503-325-4411.

**Friends of Seaside Library** — 1131 Broadway, Seaside. Volunteers needed to staff the fundraising store. For information, call 503-738-6742 or stop by the library.

**Knappa Rural Fire Protection District** — Needs volunteer firefighters. Training provided. For information, contact any of the active personnel or call Chief Paul Olheiser at 503-458-6610.

**Long-Term Care Ombudsman** — Certified ombudsman volunteers advocate for the rights, care and dignity of the elderly and disabled living in licensed long-term care facilities. Many residents have no one to watch out or speak up for when things go wrong. Volunteer Ombudsmen talk to the residents, investigate complaints, and work to resolve problems. Flexible schedule, four hours a week, mileage reimbursement available. Training is provided. For information, call 800-522-2602 or go to [www.oregon.gov/lto](http://www.oregon.gov/lto)

**Lunch Buddy Mentoring Program** — Adults needed to mentor elementary and middle school students once a week during lunch. For information, call Mary Jackson at 503-440-0368 or email [lunchbuddies.mp@gmail.com](mailto:lunchbuddies.mp@gmail.com)

**NorthWest Senior & Disability Services** — Needs dishwashers and volunteers to serve and clean up weekdays at a meal site, and drivers for Meals on Wheels. For information, contact Candy Foster at 503-738-9323.

**Providence Seaside Hospital** — Needs volunteer drivers for Community Connections, a free program that transports people to services and appointments related to health and well-being in the Portland-Metro area. Mileage reimbursement available. For information, call (503) 717-7171 or email [Alana.Kujala@providence.org](mailto:Alana.Kujala@providence.org)

**Providence Seaside Hospital** — Needs volunteers who enjoy meeting, interacting with and helping people. Opportunities are available in the hospital gift shop, café, and as greeters and for spiritual integration. For information, call (503) 717-7171 or email [Alana.Kujala@providence.org](mailto:Alana.Kujala@providence.org)

**River Song Foundation** — Looking for people to assist with Trap/Neuter/Release/Feed (TNRF), especially in the Seaside and Knappa/Svensen areas. TNRF involves setting and/or monitoring traps, and daily feeding of cats and maintenance of any shelters, and is a proven, science-based method that along with spay/neuter programs is the only effective and humane way of ending cat homelessness and suffering. Call 503-861-2003 for information and to volunteer.

**Seaside American Legion Veterans' Assistance & Rehabilitation** — Volunteers needed to help knit/crochet items for hospitalized vets and cut coupons for military families. Donations of fabric/ yarn especially welcome. Group meets from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. second Tuesday of the month at 1315 Broadway, Seaside. For information, call 503-738-5111 and leave a message for Marilyn Faulkner.

**Seaside Downtown Development Association** — Volunteers needed to help with local events happening throughout the year. For information, call Tita Montero at 503-717-1914 or email [director@seasidedowntown.com](mailto:director@seasidedowntown.com)

**Seaside Museum and Historical Society** — Volunteers needed to help as docents, maintaining and creating exhibits, and various events throughout the year. Small and large projects available. Any amount of time will be greatly appreciated. Call the museum at 503-738-7065 or email [seasidemuseum@hotmail.com](mailto:seasidemuseum@hotmail.com)

**Start Making a Reader Today** — Needs volunteers to read to students one-on-one for one hour a week at local elementary schools. To volunteer, call 503-391-8423 or go to [www.getsmartoregon.org](http://www.getsmartoregon.org)

**Svensen Congregate Meal Site** — Wickiup Grange Hall, 92683 Svensen Market Road. To volunteer, or for information, call Debbie Dunaway at 503-791-7298 or 503-861-4202.

**Titanic Lifeboat Academy** — Volunteer to help care for animals and assist with sustainable living projects; minimum commitment of four hours per week requested. Some training provided. For information, contact Caren Black at 503-325-6886.

**Tri-City Spay and Neuter Thrift Store** — 600 Broadway, Seaside. Needs volunteers interested in improving the welfare of animals. For information, call 503-738-7040.

**Veterans Services Officer of Clatsop County** — Seeking volunteer drivers to transport veterans from Astoria to the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Portland using the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) van. To volunteer, call 503-298-8757 or email [clatsopvso@gmail.com](mailto:clatsopvso@gmail.com)

## RELIGION BRIEFS

### Pacific Unitarian Universalist

The Pacific Unitarian Universalist Fellowship holds traditional discussion service at 11 a.m. Sunday in the downstairs Green Room at the Performing Arts Center, 588 16th St. The discussion topic is "Jesism: The philosophy which focuses on the teachings attributed to Jesus," led by Michael Rowe. Discussion services run through the first Sunday in September. Fellowship members may bring their coffee and refreshments.

For information, call 503-338-6883 or go to [www.pac-uuf.org](http://www.pac-uuf.org)

### Religious Society of Friends

ILWACO, Wash. — The Lower Columbia Quakers, also known as the Religious Society of Friends, meets at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Ilwaco Community Center, 158 First Ave. N., Ilwaco, Washington. All are welcome to visit and participate. For information, go to <https://lowercolumbiaquakers.org>

### Jehovah's Witnesses

PORTLAND — On June 30 and July 1 and 2, Jehovah's Witnesses from the Astoria and English Tillamook congregations are attending a convention at the Veteran's Memorial Coliseum with the theme "Don't Give Up!" The public is welcome.

Admission to each event is free, and there are no parking fees or collections taken. The program is divided into 52 parts and will be presented in a variety of formats, including brief discourses, interviews, and short videos. Additionally, one segment of a three-part feature film, "Remember the Wife of Lot," is shown each afternoon.

For information about the convention, go to [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org)

### Pioneer Presbyterian Church

WARRENTON — Music at Pioneer, in Association with the Astoria Music Festival, presents a free concert, "Elegies, Remembrance, and Celebration," featuring the Astoria Music Festival Young Virtuosi Quartet, takes place at noon Sunday at Pioneer Presbyterian Church, 3324 Patriot Way.

This is the closing day "coffee concert" of the Astoria music festival, and includes the world premier of Todd Mason's "Elegy," as well as the adagio "Elegy" by Dmitri Shostakovich, Elliott Carter's "Elegy," and Antonin Dvorak's "American" String Quartet in F Major, Op.9. The concert lasts one hour, and cookies and coffee are included.

"Music at Pioneer" is an annual concert series at Pioneer Presbyterian Church; several concerts are planned for this fall.

### Grace Episcopal

Sunday is Hunger Awareness Sunday at Grace Episcopal Church, 1545 Franklin Ave., with an ingathering at both the 8 and 10 a.m. services for the Hunger Ministries at the church. Both monetary and nonperishable food items are requested. Sandwich bread and tuna, and canned chili are especially needed. The Sacrament of Baptism is being celebrated at the 10 a.m. service.

The monthly Community Dinner is served in the Parish Hall at 4 p.m. Sunday. Those willing to help should come at 3 p.m. to set up and at 5 p.m. to clean up.

The annual Grace Rummage sale takes place July 20, 21, and 22. Donations are being accepted, and may be dropped off at the church from 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Thursday.

For information, call the church at 503-325-4691 or go to [www.graceastoria.org](http://www.graceastoria.org)

### Warrenton United Methodist

WARRENTON — On Sunday, the Warrenton United Methodist Church, 679 S. Main Ave., celebrates the retirement and many years of service Jane Maki-Hill has given as church pastor and community liaison. The festivities begin with the morning worship service at 10 a.m., including music and the sacrament of Holy Communion, assisted by the Rev. Judy Johnson and musicians Dave Warren and Diane Curs.

Immediately following the service, lunch and cake are being served in the social hall. Everyone is welcome to come and give their best regards to Maki-Hill and participate in her last service as a diaconal minister. The church is Americans with Disabilities Act compatible.

### First Lutheran

This Sunday, the third Sunday in Pentecost, is celebrated with Holy Communion at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship services at First Lutheran Church, 725 33rd St. Between services, at 9:45 a.m., Carol Gannaway shares a presentation on her recent weeklong mission trip to Haiti.

Sunday is also Food Pantry Sunday, and everyone is encouraged to bring nonperishable food items to church.

On Monday, Sea Scouts meet at 5:30 p.m.

TOPS meets at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, and Pure Life Alliance meets at 5:45 p.m.

For information, call the church at 503-325-6252 or go to [www.astoriafirstlutheran.com](http://www.astoriafirstlutheran.com)

### Bethany Free Lutheran

The youth group of Bethany Free Lutheran Church, 451 34th St., is holding a car wash from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday in the church parking lot. Payment is on a free-will offering basis. The money raised will help with the expenses of attending the Free Lutheran Youth national convention in Colorado July 3-8.

For information, call 503-325-2925.

### Astoria Seventh-day Adventist

The Astoria Seventh-day Adventist Church, 300 Nehalem Ave., invites all children ages 3 to 11 to attend a Vacation Bible School, "Come and Have Fun, Jesus' Way," from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Wednesday through Friday. The VBS includes singing, Bible stories, crafts, games and snacks.

On Saturday, July 1, during the 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Sabbath worship service, the children are presenting a program of what they have learned. Following the service, all are invited to a Haystack Meal.

To sign up for the Bible school, call 503-325-0610 and leave a message about how many from children from the family are attending.