

Meet me at the Oregon Coast!

Spring Whale Watch Week returns March 21-29

Over 25,000 Gray whales will migrate past Oregon over the next few months. Gray whales migrate north along the coast annually during spring, following a route to Alaskan waters after spending the winter in the warm lagoons off the coast of Baja, Mexico. Many of the Gray whales will be accompanied by their new calves, born during the winter. The first large groups of whales swim by Oregon mid-March and the migratory stream typically continues into June.

LAST WEEK'S TEMPS & RAINFALL

Date	High	Low	Rain
03-08	50	35	.10
03-09	56	35	.00
03-10	62	30	.00
03-11	57	29	.00
03-12	55	27	.00
03-13	55	28	.30
03-14	50	38	.55

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WEEKEND FORECAST

Friday
62°/36°
 Saturday
65°/37°
 Sunday
57°/39°

LUNAR PHASES

Waning Crescent

Emerald Valley Almanac



ADD TO YOUR FLOCK

Chirps are cheap at Tractor Supply Co.
75 cents each ~ delivery available ~ store open

Set out water and chick starter feed in separate containers. If chicks are not drinking, dip the chicks' beaks in the water to get them started. A chick fountain is by far the best way to give chicks water.

For feed, start chicks on a 20% protein (24% protein for broilers) starter ration. At 8-10 weeks old, switch chicks to 18-19% chick grower.



SOIL 101

KNOW YER NUTRIENTS

Nitrogen: Essential for photosynthesis, plant and leaf growth. **Signs of deficiency:** Slow, stunted growth; yellowing leaves



Phosphorus: Promotes root and fruit growth, and disease resistance **Signs of deficiency:** Slow, stunted growth; delayed ripening; poor fruit development

Potassium: Needed for root growth; encourages resistance to cold, drought and disease; aids even ripening and good yields **Signs of deficiency:** Weak shoots; small fruit or slow growth; yellowing around edges of leaves

Calcium: Needed for cell formation. **Signs of deficiency:** Deformed foliage, buds; weak stems

Magnesium: Essential for photosynthesis. **Signs of deficiency:** Pale or yellow between veins.

Sulfur: Essential for protein synthesis. **Signs of deficiency:** Pale young leaves; spindly growth

What's IN A name?

MULCH is a mixture of decomposed straw, earth, leaves and other organic material that makes plants thrive.

The word comes from a medieval German word, "molsch" that means something that is on the way to being drizzily rotten, a cousin to our word "mushy." Nevermind the ickiness, though, and mulch away!



According to folklore, wear a sprig of rosemary in your hair to improve your memory!



Shed hunt responsibly

It's that time of year when people head to the woods looking for antlers that have been shed by Oregon deer and elk. It's also a critical time for big game animals coming through the winter, so shed hunting responsibly can help protect vulnerable animals.



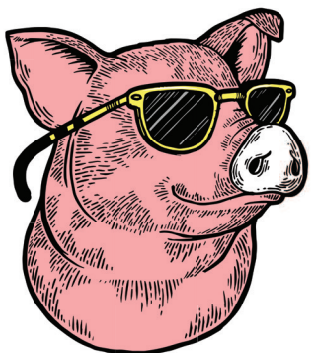
Chief Scott Pizani



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CHEF SCOTT SAYS ...



Save your veggie scraps when you prep for dinner. Roast veggies in your oven to make your own stock. Add a little tomato paste to get a richer flavor and color. Cook your veggies in enough water to cover them. Use your veg stocks in soup and dishes where you need to add liquid.



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