

WHERE TO GET AN EDGE

Cannon Beach: Jupiter's Rare and Used Books, Osburn's Grocery, The Cookie Co., Coffee Cabaña, Bill's Tavern, Cannon Beach Book Co., Hane's Bakerie, The Bistro, Midtown Café, Once Upon a Breeze, Copies & Fax, Heather's, The Homegrown Cafe, Haystack Video, Mariner Market, & Cleanline Surf
Manzanita: Mother's Nature Juice Bar, Bayside Gardens, Cassandra's, Manzanita News & Espresso, Pacific Coast Books & Coffee, & Nehalem Bay Video
Nehalem: Mermaid Cafe
Rockaway: Sharkey's
Tillamook: Rainy Day Books
Garibaldi: Garibaldi Books
Bay City: Art Space
Yachats: By-the-Sea Books
Pacific City: The River House, Far Country Books, & Village Merchants
Oceanside: Ocean Side Espresso
Lincoln City: Trillium Natural Foods, Driftwood Library, & Lighthouse Brewpub
Newport: Oceana Natural Foods, Café DIVA, Cosmo Café, Bookmark Café, Newport Bay Coffee Co., Cuppatunes, Bay Latté, Ocean Pulse Surf Shop, Coastal Coffee Co., Sylvia Beach Hotel, Green Gables Bookstore/B&B, & Canyon Way
Eugene: Book Mark, Café Navarra, Eugene Public Library, Friendly St. Market, Happy Trails, Keystone Café, Kiva Foods, Lane C.C., Light For Music, New Frontier Market, Nineteenth Street Brew Pub, Oasis Market, Perry's, Red Barn Grocery, Sundance Natural Foods, U of O, & WOW Hall
Corvallis: Not Necessarily the News, & The Environmental Center
Salem: Heliotrope, Salem Library, & The Peace Store
Astoria: KMUN, Columbian Café, The Community Store, The Wet Dog Cafe, & Café Uniontown
Seaside: Buck's Book Barn, Universal Video, & Cafe Espresso
Portland: Laughing Horse Bookstore, Act III, Barnes & Noble, Belmonts Inn, Bibelot Art Gallery, Bijou Café, Borders, Bridgeport Brew Pub, Capt'n Beans (two locations), Center for the Healing Light, Coffee People (three locations), Common Grounds Coffee, East Avenue Tavern, Food Front, Goose Hollow Inn, Hot Lips Pizza, Java Bay Café, Key Largo, La Patisserie, Lewis & Clark College, Locals Only, Marco's Pizza, Marylhurst College, Mt. Hood CC, Music Millenium, Nature's (two locations), NW Natural Gas, OHSU Medical School, Old Wives Tales, Ozone Records, Papa Haydn, PCC (four locations), PSU (two locations), Reed College, Third Eye, TransCentral Library, & YWCA
Cornellus: The Weekend Garden Market
The Dalles: Klindts Bookseller
Hood River: Purple Rocks Art Bar, & Cafe
Ashland: Garo's Java House, The Black Sheep, Blue Mt. Cafe, & Rogue River Brewery
(Out of Oregon)
Longview, WA: The Broadway Gallery, & Carat Patch
Long Beach, WA: Pacific Picnics
Naselle, WA: Rainy Day Artisty
Nahcotta, WA: Moby Dick Hotel
Duvall, WA: Duvall Books
Bainbridge Island, WA: Eagle Harbor Book Co.
Seattle, WA: Elliot Bay Book Co., Honey Bear Bakery, New Orleans Restaurant, Still Life in Fremont, Allegro Coffeehouse, The Last Exit Coffee House, & Bulldog News
San Francisco, CA: City Lights Bookstore
Denver, Co: Denver Folklore Center
New York, NY: The Strand Book Company
Washington, D.C.: Hotel Tabard Inn

Peninsula People

It's funny how stuff works. We get a call from Becky that a lot of folks on the Long Beach Peninsula support the Edge, and want to help it get back on it's feet. Thanks, we say. Then we get a newsletter from our dear friends at Sherwood Forest on the Long Beach Peninsula. Sherwood used to be a summer camp in the early seventies, and your beloved rev. was a counselor there one summer (yes, he did look dashing with his whistle, and bandanna) and caretaker for most of a winter. Well, it seems Susie Griener-Andrews and her husband Gordy are living there, and trying to keep up the taxes, etc. Now, don't tell anyone, but Edge readers, they are willing to rent it out as a primitive camp site. They had a pretty good time with a Dulcimer group of about fifty. Bear in mind, these are gentle good people who love and respect this land, so no weird stuff. But if you have need of a place for a week-end or so of peace on the Willapa Bay, give Susie a call at (360)665-4733 or better yet write her at Box 89, Nahcotta, WA 98638. ed-



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From the Lower Left Corner of the Upper Left Edge
 Victoria Stoppello

When you travel east of the Mississippi, you quickly realize that answering "Washington" confuses things, and maybe even raises a barrier, when you're asked "Where you from?" East of the Mississippi, most people think Washington, D.C., when you say "Washington," and don't wait to hear if "D.C." is part of it. The barrier goes up, perhaps only in my imagination, but it's apparent that a lot of people don't like Washington (D.C. that is). In the South, Washington represents the federal government, that old foe in the War between the States. In rural areas, just about anywhere, Washington represents urban, moneyed, corporate, megalomaniacs out to over-regulate the rest of us. For some folks, Washington represents the liberal (if not worse) central government that imposes oppressive, irreligious, and anti-family programs. So in an effort to assure a chance of hearing what people really thought, we shifted our response to "the state of Washington." This typically brought out "ooh, way out there--God's country." Usually people had only the vaguest notion of what "God's country" consists of: "It's real cold up there, isn't it?" "You have a lot of trees, don't you?" "That's near California, isn't it?" The next layer was "What town?" and we'd answer Ilwaco, expecting no one to know where that was. (Occasionally someone did--usually a sport fisherman or a bicyclist who had done Highway 101 from border to border.) "That near Seattle?" "No, it's at the mouth of the Columbia." The fact that one of the world's major rivers is unknown for all practical purposes to so many Americans is pretty amazing. Most seemed to have never heard of it. Then, "Oh, that must be up by Hood River?" (This happens even in the Pacific Northwest--people can't keep their headwaters and river mouths straight.) Then the minor geography lesson: "The headwaters of the Columbia are in Canada. The Columbia system drains an area the size of France. The river is about four miles across at the mouth. Ilwaco is the last fishing port before the river dumps into the ocean." After a while, we just said, "We live in Ilwaco, Washington, the lower left corner of the state. Our house is two blocks from the Columbia River and about half a mile from the Pacific as the crow flies."

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Speed

(for Richard Bach and Mike Burgess)

Perfect speed is being there, said Bach. At the speed of light, mass is infinite.

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At the speed of light, mass is infinite; you're everywhere.

Captain has turned off the fasten seatbelt sign you're free to capitalize stay out after curfew eat a gallon of pistacio ice cream all at once be truly democratic.

Perfect speed Where's the fire, lady? Is being there Appear in court on the 25th.

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So, If being there is perfect speed and while you're There, you're Here, then Here must be the perfect place. Pitch the tent.

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 --Herb Caen

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