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Couples walk along the Prom in Seaside — a favorite place of Coast Weekend contributors to take a walk.

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Rainbow Girls play folk, gypsy Americana Aug. 30
California band swings into Fort George

ASTORIA — Rainbow Girls, a group of female musicians from California, will perform at the Fort George Brewery at 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30. The brewery is located at 1483 Duane St. There is no cover, and all ages are welcome.

Rainbow Girls write and perform original material with roots in folk, Americana, gypsy, funk, soul and rock 'n' roll.

In addition to their soaring harmonies, these ladies switch back and forth among a multitude of instruments including, but not limited to: acoustic and electric guitar, accordion, harmonica, banjo, bass, keys, ukelele, kazoo, djembe drum, and drum kit.

Born in an underground open mic night, Rainbow Girls began as an acoustic act, busking around the farmers markets of Santa Barbara, California, before hitting the streets of Europe for a summer of couch surfing, busking and traveling by the skin of their teeth. Since their return, these band members have evolved into an electric stomp-folk band complete with drums, bass and a slew of original music.

In May 2013 Rainbow Girls released its debut album, "The Sound of Light,"

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The Rainbow Girls' second album, "Perceptonium," was released this June.

and took it to Europe, the U.K., and the western half of the U.S. Since the end of



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California-based band the Rainbow Girls will bring Americana and gypsy soul to the Fort George Brewery at 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30.

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