EVENTSCONTINUED

Saturday, Sept. 12 (continued)

Cannon Beach Cottage Tour

Noon, Tolovana Inn, 3400 S. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-9301, www. cbhistory.org, \$20 to \$60. The annual Cottage & Garden Tour begins with a luncheon and history presentation, self-guided tour at 1 p.m. and a concert and wine reception at 6 p.m.

Editor's Pick:

Saturday, Sept. 12

Old-Fashioned Fun & Games

11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Flavel House Museum, 714 Exchange St., Astoria, 503-325-2203, free, all ages. Bring the family and enjoy some old-fashioned

fun, games, contests, prizes, story telling, music, craft demos, food, horse and wagon rides, and more. Games include badminton, croquet, hoop and stick, and ball and cup.



North Coast Peace Fest

Noon to 4 p.m., White Clover Grange, 36585 Oregon Highway 53, Nehalem, \$5, children 12 and under free. Veterans for Peace Chapter 164 has organized this annual peace festival. Enjoy live music by Sedona Fire Band, Rhythm Method and the Nehalem All Star Band. Find refreshments, vendors and nonprofit booths. Proceeds go to the Returning Veterans Project.

North Coast Conservative Barbecue

Noon, Lighthouse Christian Church, 88786 Delmoor Loop, Warrenton, 503-791-7966, \$7.50. The community is invited to the North Coast Conservative BBQ, hosted by Clatsop County GOP, Northwest Tea Party and North Coast Republican Women. Enjoy barbecue, a live auction, gun raffle drawing at 2 p.m., and live music.

Northwest Author Series

2 p.m., Cannon Beach Library, 131 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-1391, www.cannonbeachlibrary.org, free. Features John Bruning who wrote "Indestructible: How a Pilot's Quest to Rescue His Family Changed the Course of the Pacific War."

Community Barbecue

4:30 p.m., Nehalem City Park, 12705 Hugo St., Nehalem, 503-368-7424, all ages. The Lower Nehalem Watershed Council invites the community to its annual barbecue. Bring a side to share and beverage of choice. Hamburgers and hot dogs provided. Call to RSVP.

Second Saturday Art Walk

5 to 8 p.m., celebrate the arts in Astoria where businesses are open late, provide refreshments, entertainment and exhibit original works of art or craft. Look for the colorful pinwheels at participating merchants or go to www.astoriadowntown.com for a map of the art walk.

Race to the Bar

5:30 p.m., Peter Iredale Shipwreck at Fort Stevens, 100 Iredale Road, Hammond, www.racetothebar.com, \$40. The annual evening beach 10k/5k run/walk finishes with a bonfire and live music. Money raised benefits the Lower Columbia Hospice. No pets and minors must be with an adult.

Artist Reception

6 to 9 p.m., LightBox Photographic Gallery, 1045 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-468-0238, www.lightbox-photographic.com. There will be an artist reception featuring the work of Mark Crummett, on display through Oct.7.

Wine Tasting & Auction

6:30 p.m., Wahkiakum County Fairgrounds, 16 Fairgrounds Road, Skamokawa, Wash., 360-795-3007, www.redmenhall.blogspot.com, \$15 to \$30. Friends of Skamokawa will host its annual fundraiser with a wine tasting and auction featuring a cornucopia of wines at the Skamokawa Grange.

Skate Night

7 p.m., Astoria Armory, 1636 Exchange St., Astoria, \$3, 18 and older. The Lower Columbia Q Center will host a gay skate night. DJ imcodefour will spin and costumes are encouraged. All ages welcome up to 9 p.m.

"Culpa" Episode 4 Screening

7:30 p.m., Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, www.culpa-online.com. Arch Cape Studios presents the fourth episode of the locally made web film series "Culpa."

Sunday, Sept. 13

Let's Go Birding Bird Survey

8 a.m., Sunset Beach State Recreation Site, Warrenton, 503-861-3170 ext. 41, dane. osis@oregon.gov, all ages. Help with the citizen science project to monitor bird habitats. Volunteers meet at the Fort to Sea Trailhead.

Rod Run to the End of the World

8 a.m., Beach Barons Field, 25815 Sandridge Road, Ocean Park, 360-665-3565, www.beachbarons.com.

Race the Wave Cascadia

10 a.m., Tolovana Beach Wayside parking lot, Cannon Beach, 971-673-0628, \$30 to \$35, bit.ly/racethewave. Race the Wave 5k is a tsunami preparedness and initiative fun run, includes a fair, games and prizes.

Artful Jumble Benefit

11 a.m., KALA, 1017 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-440-3007.

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Tea & Presentation

11 a.m., Tolovana Inn, 3400 S. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-9301, www. cbhistory.org, \$20. The cottage tour concludes with an English tea and garden presentation.

Native American History Discussion

1 p.m., Pine Grove Community Center, 225 Laneda Ave., Manzanita. Stephen Beckham of Lewis and Clark College will discuss "Native American History on the North Coast."

Special Sunday Poetry

2 p.m., Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, www.hoffmanblog.org. Judith Barrington will read from her new book of poetry "The Conversation."

Tuesday, Sept. 15

Lunch in the Loft

Noon, Beach Books, 616 Broadway, Seaside, 503–738-3500, www.beachbooks37. com, \$25. Features author Deborah Reed discussing her newest book "Olivay." Cost includes catered lunch and an autographed copy.

Northwest Author Series

2 p.m., Coaster Theatre, 108 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-1391, www. cannonbeachlibrary.org, free. Features J.A. Jance who wrote "Dance of the Bones."

AAUW Film Discussion

3 p.m., at the home of Diana McLoughlin, Gearhart. "Woman in Gold" starring Helen Mirren will be discussed. To participate, view film prior to attending. For directions, call Carol at 503-717-2353.

ABATE Chapter Meeting

5:30 p.m., Astoria Moose Lodge, 420 17th St., Astoria, 503-325-3566, www.north-coastabate.com. Join the north coast group of motorcycle enthusiasts who ride, have fun and provide community support.

Wednesday, Sept. 16

HEART Support Group

10 a.m., The Harbor, 1361 Duane St., Astoria, 503-325-3426, www.harbornw. org. HEART is a support group open to anyone in an abusive relationship. Reserve seating.

Trivia at Salvatore's

6:30 p.m., Salvatore's Café & Pub, 414 N. Prom, Seaside, 503-738-3334, free. Go solo or bring a team of up to five people. There are three questions per round and three rounds.

Cannon Beach Reads

7 p.m., Cannon Beach Library, 131 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-1391, www.cannonbeachlibrary.org. This month's book selection is "The Island at the Center of the World." by Russell Shorto.

Thursday, Sept. 17

Angora Hiking Club

9 a.m., meet at Basin Street parking lot, 334 W. Marine Drive at 6th St., Astoria, 503-338-6883, www.angorahikingclub.org. Arline LaMear will lead a moderate hike at Gnat Creek Fish Hatchery. Bring a bag lunch.

Puppy Hour

3 p.m., Sweet Basil's Café, 271 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-1539, www. cafesweetbasils.com, \$5. Help raise money for the Clatsop County Animal Shelter at the weekly Puppy Hour event, includes wine by the glass and live music.

Writers at Work

6 p.m., Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway, Seaside, 503-738-6742, www. seasidelibrary.org. This group is designed for writers to meet and share ideas with local authors.

Love at the Library

7 p.m., Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway, Seaside, 503-738-6742, www. seasidelibrary.org. Author Matt Love will discuss his book "A Nice Piece of Astoria: A Narrative Guide."

CLASSES

Friday, Sept. 11

New Classes at SEPRD

6 to 7 a.m., Seaside Youth Center, 1140 Broadway, Seaside, 503-738-3311, www. sunsetempire.com. Kick your fitness into gear with a new kickboxing class, then from 7 to 8 a.m. Latin and hip hop fuse into a high energy, calorie burning zumba gold class. Both classes led by Tracy Rodriguez.

Saturday, Sept. 12

Conference on Extraordinary Living

8:30 a.m., Clatsop Community College, 1651 Lexington Ave., Astoria, 503-894-0187, \$10 suggested donation. This one-day event offers 13 diverse and informative workshops including genealogy, retirement, continuing education, alternative medicine, emergency preparedness and more. Early registration is recommended.

Quilting Class

10 a.m., Homespun Quilts, 108 10th St., Astoria, 503-325-3300, www.homespun-quilt.com, \$30. Quilt an urban environment in "Urban Abacas;" taught by Emi Ishino.

Monday, Sept. 14

New Classes at SEPRD

6 to 7 a.m., Seaside Youth Center, 1140 Broadway, Seaside, 503-738-3311, www. sunsetempire.com.

Wednesday, Sept. 16

New Parent/Child Reading Class

5:30 to 7:30 p.m., E.S.D. Building, 3194 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-325-2862. A free class for parents and their preschool children up to age 5 will be offered on three consecutive Wednesdays. Free pizza and childcare during classes. Registration required.