

## MORE NOTES

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**A Course in Miracles** — The Astoria ACIM study group meets weekly from 3 to 4 p.m. For information and location, call Nelle Moffett at 916-307-9790 or email moffett@cgiFellowship.org

**Spinning Circle** — 3 to 5 p.m., Astoria Fiber Arts Academy, 1296 Duane St. Bring a spinning wheel. For information, call 503-325-5598 or go to <http://astoriafiberarts.com>

**Evergreen Masonic Lodge No. 137** — 6:30 p.m. dinner, 7:30 p.m. meeting, 201 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside. All Masons and their families are welcome. For information, call 503-717-0808.

**WEDNESDAY**  
**Moms Offering Moms Support Club** — 9 a.m., Capt. Gray Port of Play, 785 Alameda Ave. For information, go to [www.momsclubofastoria.org](http://www.momsclubofastoria.org) or email [president@momsclubofastoria.org](mailto:president@momsclubofastoria.org)

**Help Ending Abusive Relationship Tendencies** — 10 to 11:30 a.m., The Harbor, 1361 Duane St. HEART covers subjects related to the effects of domestic violence on children, parents and other family members, dynamics of power and control, and how to recognize red flags. For anyone in an abusive relationship, or who knows someone who is. Call Juli Hol to reserve a spot at 503-325-3426, ext. 103.

**Open Sewing Gathering** — 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Homespun Quilts, 108 10th St. For information, call 503-325-3300 or 800-298-3177 or go to <http://homespunquilt.com>

**Wickiup Senior Lunches** — 11:30 a.m., Wickiup Grange Hall, 92683 Svensen Market Road. Free for those older than 60 (\$3 suggested donation), \$6.75 for those younger than age 60. For information, call Michelle Lewis at 503-861-4200.

# Local businessman, entrepreneur helps pen book

CANNON BEACH — North Coast businessman Antoine Simmons recently joined a select group of business experts and entrepreneurs from around the world, along with Jack Canfield, originator of the Chicken Soup for the Soul series, to co-write the book, "The Soul of Success, Vol.2 : The World's Leading Entrepreneurs and Professionals Reveal Their Core Strategies for Getting to the Heart of Health, Wealth and Success." The book was released Sept. 10 by CelebrityPress.

On the day of release, the book reached best-seller status in six U.S. Amazon categories and became an international best-seller on Amazon.

Simmons contributed a chapter titled "Three Key Ingredients For Business Success."

Simmons has been an entrepreneur since childhood, when he started his first business of selling fresh vegetables and fruits door-to-door out of his family's garden. A graduate of George Fox University, Simmons is the CEO of Haystack Lodgings, a property management company that owns and operates four boutique Inns located in the Oregon coastal towns of Cannon Beach and Seaside. His story was recently featured on Builtoregon.com, a website that promotes and shares stories of successful entrepreneurs in Oregon.



Antoine Simmons

**Senior Lunch** — 11:30 a.m., Bob Chisholm Senior Center, 1225 Avenue A, Seaside. Suggested donation of \$3 for those older than 60; \$6.75 for those younger than 60. For information, call Michelle Lewis at 503-861-4200.

**Columbia Senior Diners** — 11:30 a.m., Peace Lutheran Church (lower level), 565 12th St. The cost is \$5. For information, or to have a meal delivered, call 503-325-9693.

**Blood Pressure Checks** — noon to 2 p.m., Astoria Senior Center, temporarily located at 1555 W. Marine Drive in the old Astoria Yacht Club. For information, call 503-325-3231.

**Red Cross Blood Drive** — 1 to 6 p.m., Holiday Inn Express, 204 W. Marine Drive. To schedule an appointment to donate blood, go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) (Sponsor Code: Astoria) or call 800-733-2767.

**Ukulele Players** — 1:30 p.m., Warrenton Masonic Lodge, 66 S.W. Fourth St., Warrenton. All are welcome, including beginners. Loaner ukuleles available. For information, call Roger Williams at 503-717-5645.

**Seaside Dementia Support Group** — 2 to 3:30 p.m., Necanicum Village, 2500 S. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside. For families and/or caregivers of dementia patients. All are welcome. To attend, RSVP to 503-738-0900.

**Warrenton Gateway Masonic Lodge No. 175** — 6:30 p.m. dinner, 7:30 p.m. meeting, at 66 S.W. Fourth St., Warrenton.

**Seaside Elks Lodge No. 1748** — 7:30 p.m., 324 Avenue A, Seaside. For information, call 503-738-6651 or email [seasideelks@yahoo.com](mailto:seasideelks@yahoo.com)

**North Coast Republican Women** — 11:30 a.m., Astoria Golf and Country Club, 33445 Sunset Beach Lane, Warrenton. For information, call 503-717-0392 or go to [www.clatsopcountyoregon.republican](http://www.clatsopcountyoregon.republican)

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**Warrenton Senior Lunch Program** — noon, Warrenton Community Center, 170 S.W. Third St. Suggested donation of \$5 for seniors and \$7 for those younger than 60. For information, or to volunteer, call 503-861-3502 Monday or Thursday.

**Seaside Rotary Club** — noon, Shilo Inn, 20 N. Prom, Seaside. For information, go to <http://seasiderotary.com>

**Lower Columbia Hospice Bereavement and Grief Support Group** — 2 to 4 p.m., Meeting Room 1, Bob Chisholm Community Center, 1225 Avenue A, Seaside. Group is open to those who are age 18 or older. For information, call 503-338-6230.

**Lower Columbia Danish Society** — 7 p.m., First Lutheran Church, 725 33rd St. Jorgen Mad-

sen will call bingo in Danish. Prizes will be awarded; top prize is a duck in honor of St. Marten's Day. Anyone with an interest in Danish heritage, culture, and traditions is welcome. For information, call 503-325-2612.

### FRIDAY

**AAUW Walking Group** — 9:30 a.m. Seaside Branch of American Association of University Women weekly low-impact group walk, followed by coffee and fellowship. For information, call 503-738-7751.

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**Community Skate Night** — 5 to 9 p.m., Astoria Armory, 1650 Exchange St. Admission \$3. Limited roller skate rentals available for \$3; roller blades available. For information, call 503-791-6064 or go to [www.astoriaarmory.com](http://www.astoriaarmory.com)

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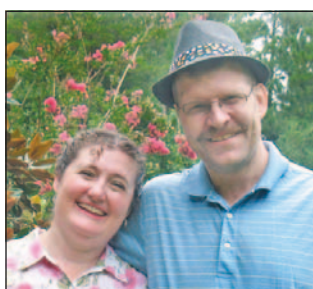
**Craft Vendors Wanted** — For 20th Annual Starving Artist Faire, 7 to 10 p.m. Dec. 4, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dec. 5 and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dec. 6, Astoria Armory, 1626 Exchange St. For information, call Cindy Peake at 503-458-6250 (evenings) or email [cindykp\\_6@hotmail.com](mailto:cindykp_6@hotmail.com)

**Gloves and Mittens Needed** — The Astoria Warming Center needs a substantial number of large size (so they will fit everyone) men's crocheted or knitted warm gloves and mittens for the coming winter. Some hats are also needed. For information, call Sandy Rea at 503-738-3103.

## SCHULTZ — BALL

Mark and Dorinda Schultz of Astoria announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristi Schultz, also of Astoria, to Ty Ball of Efland, North Carolina. He is the son of Ted and Sandy Ball, also of Efland.

A July 2 wedding is planned at Lewis and Clark Bible Church in Astoria.



Kristi Schultz and Ty Ball

## Treat family to fun Halloween events

Halloween events taking place in various North Coast locations are as follows:

### Astoria

•The residents and employees at Astor Place, 999 Klaskanine Drive, are welcoming trick or treaters between 1- 4 p.m. Saturday, Halloween Day. "The older residents are looking forward to it," Toby Nason, activities director, said. For questions, call Nason at 503-325-6970.

•Personnel from Medix Ambulance, the Astoria Fire Department and Astoria 9-1-1 are handing out bags of Halloween goodies this year. Look for them, and the various public safety vehicles, to be in downtown Astoria from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday. "This is the third year we have done this, and it has grown each year," said Astoria 9-1-1 Manager Jeff Rusiecki. "We will have a fire truck, Medi-Van and a 9-1-1 command vehicle parked on Commercial Street."

### Warrenton

•Clatsop Animal Assistance is holding its annual Howl-o-Ween party from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday at the Clatsop County Animal Shelter, 1315 S.E. 19th St. in Warrenton. Childrens' activities and refreshments are planned, and photographer Carrie Ank will be available to take photos. The cost for photos is a donation to CAA. Those attending are encouraged to dress up, and to dress up their pets.

### Seaside

•Cafe 101, 1815 S. Roosevelt. Drive, is hosting a free trick-or-treat event for children ages 4-12 and families from 6 to 8 p.m. Halloween night. The evening also features pumpkin bowling, glowing ring-toss, a witch's brew, and freaky family fun photos. Attendees can go through the tricky-tests to get a treat quickly, or stay and party a while. Regular seating still takes place in the front dining room. For questions, call the event coordinator, Angela Fairless, at 503-717-3177.

•Seaside Elks Lodge No. 1748 invites the community to its Halloween Party for Charity, a fundraiser for local needs and Elks charities, from 7 p.m. till closing Saturday at the lodge, 324 Avenue A. The event includes door prizes, food, silent auctions, games, music and a costume contest. There is a \$5 cover charge, with all proceeds going to charitable causes. For information, contact the Seaside Elks Lodge at 503-738-6651 or [seasideelks@yahoo.com](mailto:seasideelks@yahoo.com)



## ALCP receives \$8,000 donation



Submitted photo

Jane Cartwright, president of the Assistance League of the Columbia Pacific, left, receives a check for \$8,000 from Danene Lethin, co-owner of the fishing vessel Aleutian Ballard.

The Assistance League of the Columbia Pacific (ALCP) received an \$8,000 check from David and Danene Lethin, owners of the fishing vessel Aleutian Ballard, which was featured on Season 2 of the Discovery Channel's "Deadliest Catch," and now operates five months of the year in Ketchikan, Alaska, as a shore excursion, The Bering Sea Crab Fishermen's Tour.

"We were compelled to choose ALCP as our 'charity of the season' because of the work the women of Clatsop County do for the children of this great community," Lethin said. "I

grew up in Astoria, and love the small town feel and see firsthand how ALCP has impacted the kids of this area. When I have the opportunity to work beside great women who truly care for our youth, it humbles me and makes me proud to be involved with such a great organization."

ALCP programs include the Operation School Bell, which provides appropriate clothing to children in need and the Duffle Bag Program, which assists local children as they move from their homes into foster care. For information, go to [www.assistanceleaguecp.org](http://www.assistanceleaguecp.org)

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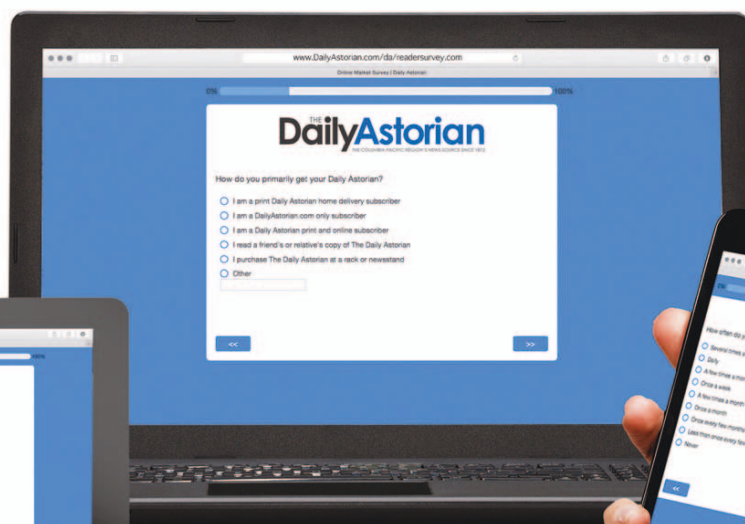
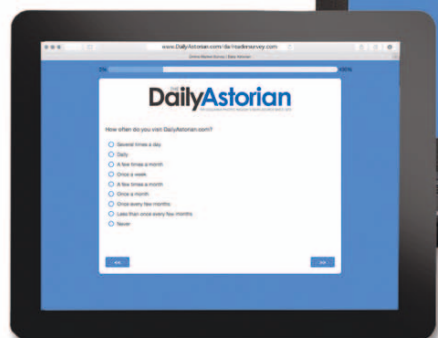


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