

**Friday**  
**Cannon Beach Chorus Christmas Concert**, 7 p.m., Cannon Beach Community Church, 132 E. Washington, Cannon Beach, \$10.  
**\* First Friday Nights**, 7 p.m., Columbia River Maritime Museum, 1792 Marine Drive, Astoria, all ages.  
**Kathryn Claire**, Celtic folk, 7 p.m., Peninsula Arts Center, 504 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, Wash., \$12.  
**"Scrooged in Astoria"**, musical, 7 p.m., Astor Street Opry Company, 129 W. Bond St., Astoria, \$5 to \$16.  
**"Six Dance Lessons in Six Weeks"**, comedy, 7 p.m., The Barn Community Playhouse, 1204 Ivy Ave., Tillamook, \$10 to \$40.  
**Starving Artist Faire**, 7 p.m., The Armory, 1636 Exchange St., Astoria.  
**\* "Totally Awesome 80s"**, musical, 7 p.m., Seaside High School, 1901 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside, \$5 to \$10, all ages.  
**Kathy Boyd & Phoenix Rising**, 7:30 p.m., Birkenfeld Theatre, 75 Nehalem St., Clatskanie, \$14 to \$18, all ages.  
**"Once Upon A Mattress"**, musical, 7:30 p.m., Coaster Theatre, 108 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, \$18 to \$23, PG.  
**James Apollo 5**, indie pop, 9 p.m., The Adrift Hotel, 409 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., no cover.  
**Mario Carboni & Red Simpson**, country, 9 p.m., Pitchwood Inn & Alehouse, 425 3rd St., Raymond, Wash., \$5.  
**DJ Sugar PDX Dance Party**, 10 p.m., Twisted Fish, 311 Broadway, Seaside, 21 and older.

**Saturday**  
**ABATE Holiday Run & Chili Feed**, 10 a.m., Relief Pitcher, 2795 S. Roosevelt, Seaside, \$5 to \$15.  
**Art & Antique Walk & Festival of Trees**, 10 a.m., downtown Ocean Park, Wash.  
**\* Providence Festival of Trees Open House**, 10 a.m., Seaside Civic & Convention Center, 415 First Ave., Seaside, free, all ages.  
**Starving Artist Faire**, 10 a.m., The Armory, 1636 Exchange St.  
**\* Gingerbread Tea**, 1 p.m., Butterfield Cottage, 570 Necanicum Drive, Seaside, \$3 to \$5, all ages.  
**\* Holiday Tea**, 1 p.m., Cannon Beach Library, 131 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, all ages.

# WEEKEND Best Bets

**Gearhart ArtWalk**, 2 p.m., along Pacific Way in Gearhart, look for the "Welcome to the Shore" flag at participating merchants.  
**\* "The Nutcracker" Ballet**, 2 p.m., Astoria High School, 1001 W. Marine Drive, Astoria, \$10 to \$50, all ages.  
**\* Lamp Lighting Ceremony**, 4 p.m., Sandpiper Square, 170 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, all ages.  
**Book Signing with Bonnie Henderson**, 5 p.m., Beach Books, 616 Broadway, Seaside.  
**\* Crab Pot Tree Lighting**, 5 p.m., Port of Ilwaco, 165 Howerton Ave., Ilwaco, Wash., free, all ages.  
**First Saturday Art Walk**, 5 p.m., downtown Seaside, look for the art walk signs at participating merchants.  
**Providence Festival Gala & Auction**, 5:30 p.m., Seaside Civic & Convention Center, 415 First Ave., Seaside, \$100 per person to \$1,000 per table.  
**\* Lighted Boat Parade**, 6 p.m., Port of Ilwaco, 165 Howerton Ave., Ilwaco, Wash., all ages.  
**Lindsey Straw**, Celtic, 6 p.m., Shelburne Inn Restaurant, 4415 Pacific Way, Seaview, Wash., no cover.  
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Center, 504 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, Wash., \$12.  
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**Drew Victor**, folk, 8 p.m., Sou'Wester Lodge, 3728 J Place, Seaview, Wash.  
**James Apollo 5**, indie pop, 9 p.m., The Adrift Hotel, 409 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., no cover.  
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**Sunday**  
**Starving Artist Faire**, 11 a.m., The Armory, 1636 Exchange St., Astoria.  
**\* First Sunday Family Program**, 1 p.m., Columbia River Maritime Museum, 1792 Marine Drive, Astoria, all ages.  
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**\* Cannon Beach Chorus Christmas Concert**, 3 p.m., Peace Lutheran Church, 565 12th St., Astoria, \$10, all ages.  
**\* "The Homecoming"**, drama, 3 p.m., Knappa High School Little Theater, 41535 Old Hwy. 30, Astoria, \$5 to \$7, all ages.  
**\* Tree Lighting Ceremony**, 6 p.m., Veterans Field, 3914 Pacific Way, Seaview, Wash., all ages.  
**Hip Hatchet**, folk, 7 p.m., The Adrift Hotel, 409 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., no cover.  
**Pretty Gritty**, country rock, 8 p.m., Fort George Brewery, 1483 Duane St., Astoria, no cover.  
**\* Recommended for kids.**

## Regatta searching for next year's court

The Daily Astorian

The Astoria Regatta Association is in the process of choosing a 2016 Regatta Court.

Any high school junior girl interested in trying out for the court is invited to attend an informational meeting at their school. Applications will be handed out and questions answered. Those who are unable to attend the meetings can pick up an application at the school office.

Meetings are being held at 8:50 a.m.

Monday at Warrenton High School; 8:30 a.m. Thursday at Knappa High School; noon Thursday at Astoria High School; and 11:45 a.m. Dec. 14 at Seaside High School. The girls chosen will attend parades, make appearances and give speeches. Each court member is given a scholarship to the school of their choice upon graduation from high school.

The 2016 Astoria Regatta Festival is being held Aug. 10-14.

For questions, call Carol Olson at 503-325-0642 or 503-791-3864.

## George, Ford awards taking applications

The Daily Astorian

The Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce is taking applications for the George and Richard Ford awards, the citizen-of-the-year honors for Astoria and Warrenton.

The George Award, which dates back to 1960 and has been awarded to more than 100 people, is based off the saying, "Let George Do It," meaning a person who takes on the jobs few others want to

do. Last year's winners were David Reid, a local Aflac Inc. insurance broker, and former Mayor Willis Van Dusen.

Richard Ford's family established the Ford Distinguished Service Award, which dates back to 2000, to honor the late Ford for his exemplary service to the community. Ford worked for the city of Warrenton as the building inspector and the fire chief and volunteered his free time to help neighbors. Last year's winners were Carl and Dianne Bur-

khart, who help organize the Community Day of Thanks, an annual free Thanksgiving feast in Warrenton.

The award recipients for 2015 will be named at the chamber's annual banquet Jan. 30. Nominations for the 2015 George and Richard Ford awards will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Dec. 11. More information and a nomination form can be found at [www.oldoregon.com](http://www.oldoregon.com) or at the chamber office, 111 W. Marine Drive.

## ACCUWEATHER® FORECAST FOR ASTORIA

### Astoria 5-Day Forecast

**Tonight**  
  
 Cloudy, rain, breezy  
 45°

Shown is tomorrow's weather. Temperatures are tonight's lows and tomorrow's highs

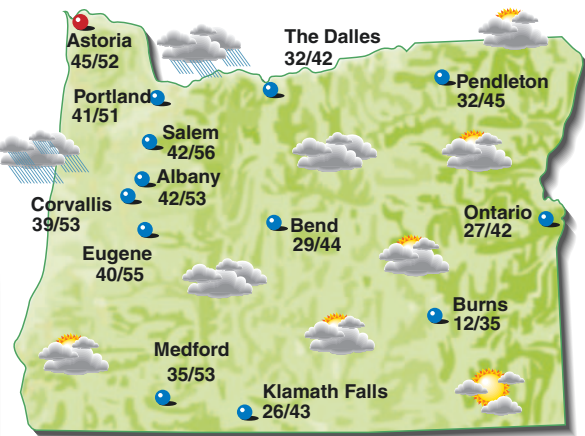
**Saturday**  
  
 Windy with periods of rain  
 52° 46°

**Sunday**  
  
 Mostly cloudy and breezy with a shower  
 54° 48°

**Monday**  
  
 Rain, heavy at times; windy  
 57° 49°

**Tuesday**  
  
 Windy with periods of rain  
 58° 48°

### Oregon Weather



### Almanac

Astoria through Thursday.

Temperatures	High	Low	Normal high	Normal low
High	63°	49°	50°	37°
Low	49°	37°	50°	37°
Normal high	50°	37°	50°	37°
Normal low	37°	24°	37°	24°

**Precipitation**

Yesterday	0.90"
Month to date	1.52"
Normal month to date	1.08"
Year to date	54.76"
Normal year to date	58.45"

### Sun and Moon

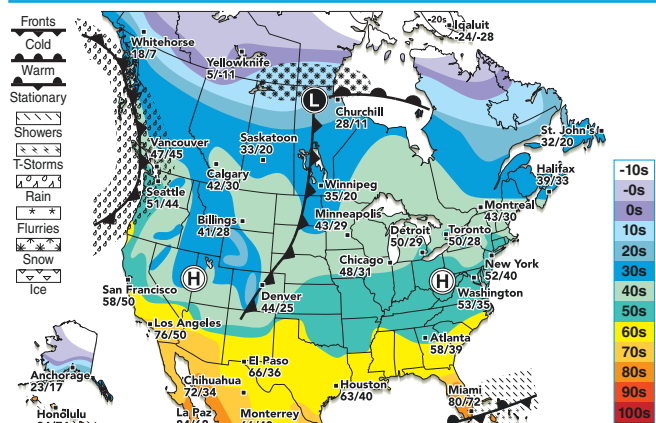
Sunset tonight	4:30 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	7:41 a.m.
Moonrise today	12:49 a.m.
Moonset today	1:21 p.m.



### Regional Cities

City	Today			Sat.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	36	21	sn	36	31	c
Bend	42	29	c	44	36	c
Brookings	54	46	c	58	49	c
Eugene	52	40	sh	55	42	c
Ilwaco	52	47	sh	52	49	r
Klamath Falls	41	26	pc	43	34	c
Medford	51	35	c	53	37	c
Newport	51	45	sh	53	46	sh
North Bend	55	45	c	60	50	c

### Tomorrow's National Weather



Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day. Forecast high/low temperatures are given for selected cities. **Weather (W):** s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

### Under the Sky

**Tonight's Sky:** Although the winter solstice is almost three weeks away, we will see the earliest sunsets (4:27 pm) of the year over the next few days.

Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

### Tomorrow's Tides

Astoria / Port Docks	Time	High	Time	Low
	8:48 a.m.	8.2 ft.	2:16 a.m.	2.3 ft.
	9:23 p.m.	6.5 ft.	3:25 p.m.	2.0 ft.

### National Cities

City	Today			Sat.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	56	37	s	58	39	s
Boston	47	35	s	49	37	s
Chicago	45	28	pc	48	31	s
Denver	53	27	pc	44	25	pc
Des Moines	50	34	s	49	36	pc
Detroit	48	28	pc	50	29	s
El Paso	64	37	s	66	36	s
Fairbanks	-2	-16	c	-9	-17	pc
Honolulu	84	74	pc	84	74	pc
Indianapolis	46	27	pc	51	30	s
Kansas City	53	32	s	51	36	pc
Las Vegas	64	40	pc	61	40	pc
Los Angeles	71	46	pc	76	50	pc
Memphis	56	34	s	60	42	s
Miami	78	70	r	80	72	sh
Nashville	54	30	s	58	34	s
New Orleans	60	47	s	64	52	s
New York	50	38	s	52	40	s
Oklahoma City	58	36	s	56	38	pc
Philadelphia	52	35	s	54	35	s
St. Louis	54	31	s	55	34	s
Salt Lake City	43	25	c	44	25	pc
San Francisco	59	44	pc	58	50	c
Seattle	51	42	sh	51	44	r
Washington, DC	52	36	s	53	35	s

## OBITUARIES

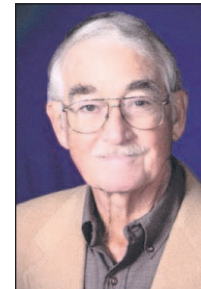
### William Ransome Mitchum III

Astoria

Nov. 9, 1942 — Nov. 28, 2015



William Ransome Mitchum III passed away well's Luce-Layton Mortuary. A Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 5, at St. Mary Star of the Sea Church on Grand Avenue, followed by a celebration of life in the McTavish Room at the Liberty Theater from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.



William "Mitch" Mitchum

After serving 38 years in the U.S. Navy, with tours in Vietnam and duty assignments around the world as a civil engineer, he and his wife, Toni, moved to Astoria in 1994.

Mitch leaves behind five children and 10 grandchildren.

His life of service to the U.S. and his dedication to the betterment of Astoria stands as a proud legacy.

A viewing has already been held at Cald-

An online guest book may be signed at [www.caldwellsmortuary.com](http://www.caldwellsmortuary.com)

## Public meetings

**MONDAY**  
**Knappa School District**, 5:30 p.m., Knappa High School library, 41535 Old U.S. Highway 30.  
**Cannon Beach Rural Fire Protection District Board**, 6 p.m., Cannon Beach Fire Station, 188 Sunset Blvd.  
**Youngs River Lewis & Clark Water District Board**, 6 p.m., 34583 U.S. Highway 101 Business.  
**Astoria City Council**, 6

p.m., City Hall, 1095 Duane St.  
**TUESDAY**  
**Astoria Library Board**, 5:30 p.m., Astoria Public Library Flag Room, 450 10th St.  
**Miles Crossing Sanitary Sewer District Board**, 6 p.m., 34583 U.S. Highway 101 Business.  
**Warrenton City Commission**, 6 p.m., 225 S. Main Ave.  
**Clatsop Community College board**, 6:30 p.m., Colum-

bia Hall Room 219, 1651 Lexington Ave., Astoria.  
**Warrenton-Hammond School Board**, 7 p.m., Warrenton High School library, 1700 S.E. Main Ave.  
**Lewis & Clark Fire Department Board**, 7 p.m., main fire station, 34571 Highway 101 Business.  
**Cannon Beach City Council**, 6 p.m., work session, City Hall, 163 E. Gower St.

## Death

**Dec. 2, 2015**  
**MEADOWS, Charles Leroy Sr.**, 81, of Astoria, died in Portland. Hughes-Ransom Mortuary is in charge of the arrangements.

## Lotteries

**OREGON**  
**Thursday's Pick 4:**  
 1 p.m.: 1-2-7-8  
 4 p.m.: 2-3-7-2  
 7 p.m.: 3-3-6-5

**WASHINGTON**  
**Thursday's Daily Game:** 6-2-2

**Thursday's Keno:** 04-05-06-10-11-12-16-17-18-33-35-39-43-46-51-54-64-65-68-76

**Thursday's Match 4:** 06-15-18-23

## On the record

**Assault**  
 • At 10:35 p.m. Wednesday, Warrenton Police arrested Jacob Martin Kitzman, 24, of Warrenton, for fourth-degree assault, second-degree disorderly conduct and third-degree escape near East Harbor Drive and Main Avenue.

**Theft**  
 • At 2:55 p.m. Tuesday, Warrenton Police cited Rachel Lenore Schmitz, 29, of Naselle, Washington, for second-degree theft for allegedly stealing \$200 in merchandise from Rite Aid.

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