

# EVENTS CONTINUED

## Saturday, Feb. 20 (continued)

### Pool-a-Thon

9 a.m., North County Recreation District, 36155 9th St., Nehalem, 503-368-7121, all ages. Proceeds from the 26th annual NCRD Pool-a-Thon will benefit the NCRD/Nehalem Elementary School Swim Instruction and Water Safety Awareness Program.

### AAUW Meeting

10 a.m., Ocean Park Timberland Library, 1308 256th Place, Ocean Park, Wash., 360-642-3636. AAUW welcomes Jenny Risner, Ocean Beach School District superintendent, who will give an update on the school's plans.

### Photography Show

10 a.m., Grays Harbor Community College, 208 S.E. Advent Ave., Ilwaco, Wash., 360-642-2239. The public is invited to view and vote on photography submitted by local artists from the Peninsula Photography Club. Light refreshments will be provided.

### Asian New Year Kite Celebration

11 a.m., World Kite Museum, 303 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., 360-642-4020, www.worldkitemuseum.com, \$3 to \$5, all ages.

### Finnish Film Screening

11 a.m. Appelo Archives Center, 1056 State Route 4, Naselle, Wash., free. "Drifting Clouds," a Finnish film written and directed by Aki Kaurismäki, is a comedy drama about a couple who are financially struggling during an economic crisis.

### Author Discussion

2 p.m., Raymond Timberland Library, 507 Duryea St., Raymond, Wash., 360-942-2408, free. Author Matt Love will talk about his latest work, independent publishing career and advice for aspiring writers, followed by a discussion and book signing.

### Chinese New Year Celebration

4 p.m., Grays River Valley Center, 30 Rosburg School Road, Rosburg, Wash., \$5 to \$50, all ages. Celebrate the Chinese New Year with the Naselle Mandarin Parents Group at a community party with games, crafts, dinner, silent auction and entertainment.

### Author Reading

7 p.m., Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita. The Manzanita Writers series welcomes author Ellen Urbani, who will read from her book "Landfall."

### Miss Clatsop County

7 p.m., Seaside Convention Center, 415 First Ave., Seaside, www.missclatsopcounty.org, \$10. Miss Clatsop County will be crowned at the annual Miss Clatsop County Scholarship Program pageant, a preliminary to the Miss Oregon Scholarship Program and Miss America. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

### Comedy on the Coast

8 p.m., Uptown Café, 1639 S.E. Ensign Ave., Warrenton, \$10 to \$15.

## Sunday, Feb. 21

### Asian New Year Kite Celebration

11 a.m., World Kite Museum, 303 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., 360-642-4020, www.worldkitemuseum.com, \$3 to \$5, all ages.

### In Their Footsteps

1 p.m., Fort Clatsop Visitor Center, 92343 Fort Clatsop Road, Astoria, free. Fort Clatsop presents a discussion on winter birding on the lower Columbia with Mike Patterson.

### Bar Wars: Trivia Game Show

4 p.m., Merry Time Bar & Grill, 995 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-468-0852, www.merrytimebar.com, 21 and older. Part trivia night and part game show. Each game is three rounds, each round is three sets. After six weeks, top teams will compete in a showcase showdown for cash and prizes. Sign up starts at 3 p.m.

## Monday, Feb. 22

### Asian New Year Kite Celebration

11 a.m., World Kite Museum, 303 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., 360-642-4020, www.worldkitemuseum.com, \$3 to \$5, all ages.

### Farmer-Chef Connect

1 to 3 p.m., North Coast Food Web, 577 18th St., Astoria, northcoastfoodweb@gmail.com or 503-468-0921. North Coast Food Web hosts an opportunity for chefs and farmers to meet in an effort to bolster local food producers. Farmers are beginning to decide what to plant; chefs can help those decisions along by sharing their needs.

## Tuesday, Feb. 23

### Coastal Writers Critique

10 a.m., PUD Building, 9610 Sandridge Road, Long Beach, Wash, 360-642-1221. This group discusses and critiques writing works in progress for encouragement, support.

### Past to Present Lecture

10:30 a.m., Columbia River Maritime Museum, 1792 Marine Drive, Astoria, \$5. Film producer Maria Brooks will present her documentary "The Odyssey of Captain Healy."

### Scientist in the Garden

1:30 p.m., Pine Grove Community Center, 225 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, free. The Nehalem Bay Garden Club presents Jim Karnofski who will give a talk about soil.

### Fort George Benefit Night

4:30 p.m., Fort George Brewery, 1483 Duane St., Astoria, 503-325-7468, all ages. The monthly benefit night will raise funds for the family of Sgt. Jason Goodding. All profits from food and beverage sales in the upstairs pub will be donated to his family.

### Knitting Club

5:30 p.m., Coffee Girl on Pier 39, 100 39th St., Astoria, 503-325-6900. The Knitting Club, and crafters too, meet weekly for informal knitting sessions. All skill levels welcome, and everyone should bring their own supplies.

### Last Tuesday Poetry Open Mic

7 p.m., Port of Call Bistro & Bar, 894 Commercial St., Astoria, 503-267-4290, free, all ages. Port of Call offers an Open Mic poetry reading of poems, short prose or song.

## Wednesday, Feb. 24

### Coffee & Caucuses

10 a.m., Bagels by the Sea, 210 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside, nholmes105@yahoo.com. Come for coffee, quizzes, prizes and a discussion on the upcoming elections.

### Sou'wester Garden Club

10 a.m., Bob Chisholm Community Center, 1225 Avenue A, Seaside, free. The public is welcome and membership is open. Dues are \$15 annually.

### Coloring for Adults

5:30 p.m., Astoria Public Library, 450 10th St., Astoria, 503-325-7323, free, 21+. The library offers adults coloring books with intricate designs for a fun way to unwind.

## Thursday, Feb. 25

### Road Scholar Discussion

1:30 p.m., CCC Seaside Campus, 1455 Roosevelt Drive, Seaside, 503-338-0313. Rex and Nancy Anderson will talk about Road Scholar, a nonprofit group created by Elderhostel that offers educational travel tours aimed primarily at older adults.

## Editor's Pick:

### Thursday, Feb. 25

#### History & Hops Lecture

6 p.m., Seaside Brewing Co., 851 Broadway, Seaside, 503-717-5451. Seaside Museum and Seaside Brewing present "Elk, Salt and a Monstrous Fish: Lewis and Clark on the Lower Columbia" with Tom Wilson.



### Film Screening

6:30 p.m., Big O Saloon, 89523 Oregon Hwy. 202, Astoria, free. Watch a screening of the 1971 movie "Sometimes A Great Notion" adapted from Ken Kesey's novel of the same name and starring Paul Newman.

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## Thursday, Feb. 25

### Board Game Day

1 p.m., Raymond Timberland Library, 507 Duryea St., Raymond, Wash., 360-942-2408, www.TRL.org, free, grades 1 to 6. Bring your friends to play game number 75 of the "100 things You Have to Do Before You Grow Up."

## CLASSES

## Friday, Feb. 19

### Storytelling Workshop

2 to 5 p.m., Astoria Public Library, 450 10th St., Astoria, 503-325-7323, www.astorialibrary.org, free. Author and storyteller Gideon For-mukwai will lead a storytelling workshop to help business owners, managers and marketers tell captivating stories that sell. Registration recommended.

## Saturday, Feb. 20

### Book Proposal Workshop

9 a.m. to noon, Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, www.hoffmanblog.org, \$30. Learn how to craft a strong book proposal with longtime literary agent Chip MacGregor.

### COASST Training

10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., CCC Seaside Campus, 1455 N. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside, 206-221-6893, coasst@uw.edu, free. Help make a difference for the environment by collecting data for the Coastal Observation & Seabird Survey Team. Volunteer kits are \$20. Registration required.

### Writing Workshop

1 to 3:30 p.m., Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, www.hoffmanblog.org, \$30. Author Ellen Urbani will conduct a workshop on short form personal narratives and essays.

## Sunday, Feb. 21

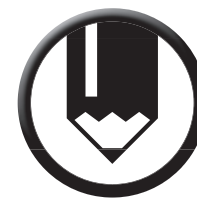
### COASST Training

10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Cannon Beach Library, 131 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 206-221-6893, coasst@uw.edu, free.

## Monday, Feb. 22

### Transitions in Life

8:30 to 11:30 a.m., Clatsop Community College, 1651 Lexington Ave., Astoria, 503-338-2402, \$49. Transitions in Life & Business will focus on preserving a legacy, enhancing value and fulfilling retirement. Registration required. Class repeats at 1 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce, 207 N. Spruce St., Cannon Beach.



### Tsunami Safety Class

1 to 4 p.m., CCC Seaside Campus, 1455 N. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside, 503-378-2911, www.tsunamisafe.info. The Oregon Office of Emergency Management offers a tsunami safety for local business owners and employees. "Tsunami Safe: Hospitality begins with Safety" is focused on increasing tsunami awareness in the hospitality industry. Registration required.

### Diabetes Education

1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Providence Seaside Hospital, 725 S. Wahanna Road, Seaside, 503-717-7301, www.providence.org, free. This program is for caregivers and anyone who