



Photo by Alex Pajunas

The Sunset Empire Park and Recreation District's annual Easter Egg Hunt at Broadway Park will be held Saturday, March 26.

## Search for Easter eggs at Seaside community event

SEASIDE — The Sunset Empire Park and Recreation District will put on its free annual Community Easter Egg Hunt and Aquatic Treasure Dive on Saturday, March 26.

The youngest age group will start promptly at 10:30 a.m. From there, each next oldest age group will go when everyone is in place and prepared to start. The egg hunt will proceed rain or shine.

This event boasts over 6,000 brightly colored, candy-filled eggs scattered throughout Broadway Field and Broadway Park.

One egg in each age group will contain a golden ticket for the collector to receive a special Easter basket prize.

The age categories are:

- 0-2 years old, parent help and baskets allowed;
- 3-4 years old, no parent help and no baskets allowed;
- 5-6 years old, no parent help and no baskets allowed;
- 7-8 years old, no parent help and no baskets allowed;
- 9-10 years old, no parent help and no baskets allowed.

Following the egg hunt, there will be an Aquatic Treasure Dive at Sunset Pool, located at 1140 Broadway, which begins at 1 p.m. The treasure dive is open to ages 7 to 17, and the cost is \$2.

For more information, contact Sunset Empire Parks & Recreation by calling 503-738-3311.

## Fiber artist Donna Crispin to teach weaving workshop

The Sou'Wester Lodge to host one-day workshop this April

SEAVIEW, Wash. — The Sou'Wester Lodge will host a Weaving Workshop led by instructor Donna Crispin on Saturday, April 23.

The day will begin at 11 a.m. with a brief nature walk along the beach to gather natural items such as shells and rocks for weaving projects.

After returning to the Sou'Wester Lodge, participants will learn about handspun Japanese paper cords, koyori, and then coil twine and loop cords around stones and beads to create a small shallow bowl or wall piece. Participants will also learn Japanese knots and basketry embellishments to decorate smooth water worn rocks.

The workshop is set for 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. All art supplies will be provided. Participants should bring a sack lunch or snack; hot tea and coffee will be provided.

Suggested donation for this workshop is \$30 to \$40 and includes materials.

The workshop is for ages 16 and older, geared for beginners and beyond, and will be capped with a number of 12 maximum participants.

RSVP by emailing [souwest-erlodge@gmail.com](mailto:souwest-erlodge@gmail.com), or call 360-642-2542.

Crispin has been weaving baskets and other fibers arts for almost 30 years, incorporating Pacific Northwest indigenous techniques, Japanese aesthetics,

and materials and inspiration from the natural world.

She has taught at Tillamook Bay Community College, the University of Oregon, the Sitka Center for the Arts and Ecology, Lane Community College, the High Desert Museum in Bend, the Newport Paper Arts Festival, the Tolovana Arts Colony and more. She has had basketry and fiber art shows in Oregon, Washington, California and Colorado, and has been a featured artist at the Cannon Beach Arts Association gallery. She is a member of the National Basketry Organization, the Columbia Basin Basketry Guild and the Natural Fiber Arts Group.

She hopes to pass on her



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Donna Crispin will teach a weaving workshop April 23 at the Sou'Wester Lodge after spending a week as the lodge's artist in residence.

basketry experiences to as many people as possible and inspire others to pursue a craft or artistic form of expression to enrich their lives.

## Saturday concert benefits Goodding family

Eight bands to perform at Seaside Civic and Convention Center

SEASIDE — The Seaside American Legion will host a benefit concert to support the family of Sgt. Jason Goodding at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 26 at the Seaside Civic and Convention Center.

Sgt. Goodding, a 39-year-old Seaside police officer, was killed in the line of duty Feb. 5 during a warrant arrest. He is survived by his wife and two school-age daughters.

The all-day benefit event will feature music as well as food, beverages and a full bar. Doors open at 1 p.m., and eight bands will play back to back from 2 to 10 p.m.

Performers include: Fabulous Garage Band, Thunder Road Band, Acustica World Music, Bruce Thomas Smith, Rusty Spurs Band, Alena and Buffalo Kitty Band, Maggie & the Cats, and Theory of Relativity.

Tickets are a suggested donation of \$20. Tickets are available in advance at the Seaside American Legion, the Seaside branch of U.S. Bank, and at the door on the day of the event. For more information, call 503-338-8019.

All proceeds will go to benefit the Goodding family. The Oregon Fallen Badge Foundation will also be present to assist with donation collection.



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The event will benefit the family of Seaside Police Sgt. Jason Goodding, who was shot in the line of duty in February.



## Lady Liberty Award Luncheon April 7

Noon-1:30 pm



Honoring Pam, Lori and Julie Lum

Funds raised benefit Liberty Theater

Tickets: \$50 Box Office 325.5922 X55 W-Sat 2 to 5:30 pm  
Table Sponsorships contact [director@liberty-theater.org](mailto:director@liberty-theater.org)

## Put in orders for spring plant sale in Seaside

SEASIDE — The Seaside P.E.O. (Philanthropic Education Organization) branch, Chapter CR, will host a spring plant sale — its biggest fundraiser of the year.

Plant orders must be received by April 1.

The plants will be available April 30, a week before Mother's Day. A diverse selection of beautiful and healthy annuals, perennials, herbs, vegetables, planters

and hanging baskets will be offered. New Leaf Greenhouse in Cornelius will supply the plants.

All plant orders are pre-sold. Order forms can be obtained from any Chapter CR member or by calling Khris Frank at 503-810-5196.

All profits from the sale help fund scholarships and loan programs that help women achieve their goals of higher education.