

# POINT of view

THE DAILY ASTORIAN // QUESTION OF THE WEEK

## 'Now that Oregon LNG has pulled out, what would you like to see happen on the Skipanon Peninsula?'



"Nothing. Actually, I wouldn't mind something that created jobs that was light. But not something so dangerous."

Richard Garner, Astoria



"A bicycle path, or something like the Riverwalk. That would be amazing. And maybe add a landing so you can send a kayak out."

Michael Morales, Astoria



"I'd like to see them possibly turn that into a nature conservancy, or something that would allow for the Port to expand over there."

Mike Haner, Seaside

## OBITUARIES

### Theodore C. Bottema

Seaside

Oct. 30, 1920 — April 18, 2016

The journey continues for Pauline (Winstanley) Thomas and Theodore (Ted) C. Bottema. Pauline passed away on July 7, 2015, at the age of 96, but has waited patiently for Ted, who passed away April 18, 2016, at the age of 95. Together they traveled the world in life, visiting over 150 countries, all seven continents, and interacting with as many people of the world as possible. They loved each other, they loved their family and they loved to travel.



Theodore "Ted" Bottema and Pauline (Winstanley) Thomas

Pauline, who was preceded in death by husbands Hugh Winstanley and Stanley Thomas, met Ted on a train in Siberia, Russia, and from that moment on their love of each other and of travel blossomed. She graduated from Washington High in Portland and attended Whitman College, where she met her first husband. After Hugh's death she worked for the Seaside School District for many years as the business manager, from which she retired.

Ted graduated from the University of Alabama in mechanical engineering, and was a key contributor in the development of the jet engine, during World War II, for the Allies. After the war, Ted worked for McDonnell Douglas, and later Boeing, from where he retired. After leav-

ing the aerospace industry, Ted ventured into a second career in precious gems, and began his world travels.

They lived less than 200 miles from each other, but required a trip on the trans-Siberian railroad to meet. From that moment on, no trip was too far, too dangerous or too challenging. Even in the final few years, they approached a dinner out or a trip to the doctor as an exciting venture. They truly knew how to live life, celebrate friends and share their experiences in life.

Ted and Pauline are survived by Betty Zachor (sister), Don and Vi Smith (brother), Effiema and George Adrian (aunt), Valerie and Mark Winstanley (children), Melissa and Jeff Bilyeu and Mitch Winstanley (grandchildren) and Adam, Alex, and Zach Bilyeu (great-grandchildren).

It doesn't matter whose relation, Pauline and Ted treated them all the same, with all the love and kindness they had to give. They will be missed, but treasured always.

Hughes-Ransom Mortuary & Crematory in Seaside is in charge of arrangements. Please visit [www.hughes-ransom.com](http://www.hughes-ransom.com) to share memories and sign the guest book.

### Michael William Holt

Arch Cape

July 1, 1952 — April 11, 2016



Michael William Holt, 63, was born July 10, 1952, to Betty Nethercott and Clyde Holt, and passed April 11, 2016.

Michael was an amazing man, with a huge heart and family. He has seven children, Alena Knox, James Asker, Jeremy Singleton, Alysse Holt, Colton Holt, Brooke Lee-Holt and Ayralea Holt. Michael was married to Rose Lee for 15 years until she recently passed in 2015. He has three grandkids, Schwazy Pypier Bisbee Holt, Aria Singleton and one on the way in the Bisbee house.



Rose Lee and Michael Holt

Michael was always so full of energy and stories. He could keep you laughing all day.

In Michael's earlier years, he spent four years fighting in Vietnam, and when he was

honorably discharged, he set out on new life adventures. Traveling became his love, till his children came along. Even after having kids, he still wanted to travel, so he bought a motor home, and off they went.

Michael and his family traveled for years, till he settled back down in Clatsop County in 2000. In 2002, he started up his own flagging company, and loved working for himself, but sadly his health issues stopped him from working only a few years later. But he loved being home full time with his family. Michael was an amazing friend, father and son, and will forever be missed.

His service will be announced by the family.

### Charles Kristian Kelly

Astoria

Dec. 9, 1963 — April 5, 2016

Charles (Charlie) Kelly, 52, of Astoria, Oregon, died Tuesday, April 5, 2016, on Youngs River from a drowning accident.

Charlie was born Dec. 9, 1963, in Astoria, to David Kelly and Margie Kelly. He grew up in Olney, Oregon, with his mother and stepfather, Hal Hankel Jr.

Charlie attended Olney School where his grandmother Evelyn Hankel was principal; he then graduated from Astoria High School in 1982. When he was a junior in high school, he went to work for Van Dusen Beverages in Astoria, where he worked until 1989. Then, at age 25, he went to work on the F/V Arrow, which is owned by his father David Kelly. He later became captain of the F/V Arrow, and ran the boat as such until present. In the off seasons from the Arrow, he fished with his Uncle Willie Perry.

On April 29, 1992, in Astoria, Charlie was blessed with his first child, Jacob Kelly. On Sept. 9, 1997, in Seattle, Charlie was blessed with a second child, Savannah Kelly. Jake and Savannah spent most of their childhood in the Tillamook area, attending Neah-Kah-Nie schools.

In December 2000, he started dating Tami Griffis, and shortly thereafter made the commitment to be life partners, and they have been for the last 15 years. In 2004 they built a home together in Olney, not far from where Charlie grew up. She survives and lives at their home in Olney.

When Charlie was 16 years old, family member Tom Alfonse taught him how to rebuild cars. Tom spent many hours with Charlie at his parents' home on Irving Avenue in Astoria, working with him on his 1970 Chevelle. This is when Charlie's love for working on classic cars started, and carried through his adult life. In the last five years, Charlie has spent many hours with his best friend Kelly Culver working on their classic cars in their shops.

The property Charlie grew up on is next to the Klatskanie Fish Hatchery. Charlie spent many hours and days on the N. Klatskanie River fishing for salmon, steelhead and anything else he could catch. Charlie's older brother Pat would often go up to the house and make Charlie a peanut butter sandwich, so he would eat, as Charlie would not leave the creek.

This is where Charlie's love of fishing and

peanut butter sandwiches began. To this day, Andy Schneider and Joel Midkiff from the F/V Arrow can vouch for the fact Charlie ate a lot of peanut butter sandwiches. His brother Tim can tell you he would eat no other peanut butter but Creamy Jiff. Tim was on the Arrow one year and purchased an off-brand of peanut butter, and well, let's just say it was never seen on the boat again!

Anyone who knows Charlie Kelly also knows he was an avid hunter, as he should be, he was taught by the best; his dad Hal Hankel Jr. He took the tools that his dad gave him and perfected them. In turn, Charlie mentored other kids in Olney like Brad Culver, Nathan Hannah and of course,

his children, nieces and nephews. The kids he mentored were not only taught how to shoot, they learned hunting safety, as well. He loved sharing hunting and fishing with his friends and family. During hunting season, Charlie was the most popular guy in town.

In addition to his partner in life Tami Griffis, and parents Hal and Margie Hankel, he is survived by his father David Kelly and his wife Valerie, son Jacob Kelly, daughter Savannah Kelly, brother Tim Hankel, with whom Charlie had a very special relationship, sister Darcy High, half-brother Blaine Kelly, nephews Derek Hankel, Tristan Hankel and Boone Kelly, nieces Brittany Hankel, Johanna Hankel, Kelsi High, Sady Kelly and Brianna Scarborough, mother-in-law Judy Griffis, sisters-in-law Sheri Hankel, Tacy Kelly and Trisha Scarborough, brother-in-law John Scarborough, and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Charlie is preceded in death by his older brother Pat in 2015, and his little brother Matt in 2005.

A celebration of life will be held from 12 to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 7, 2016, at the Elks Lodge in downtown Astoria.

Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary was in charge of the arrangements. Please sign our online guest book at [www.caldwellsmortuary.com](http://www.caldwellsmortuary.com)

Donations can be made to Clatsop County Sheriff's Department Underwater Recovery Team at P.O. Box 658, Astoria OR 97103.

God knows the State Police retirement fund that Charlie so generously donated to for several years will be needing some help! lol

## ACCUWEATHER® FORECAST FOR ASTORIA

### Astoria 5-Day Forecast

**Tonight**  
Partly cloudy  
45°

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

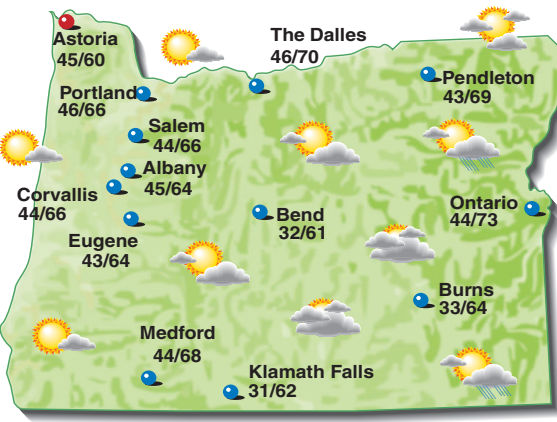
**Thursday**  
Sunshine and patchy clouds  
60° 45°

**Friday**  
Variable cloudiness with a shower  
58° 46°

**Saturday**  
Times of clouds and sun  
61° 44°

**Sunday**  
Pleasant and warmer with clouds and sun  
73° 50°

### Oregon Weather



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### Almanac

Astoria through Tuesday.

Temperatures	
High	58
Low	36
Normal high	53
Normal low	42
Precipitation	
Yesterday	0.01
Month to date	1.96
Normal month to date	4.55
Year to date	36.34
Normal year to date	29.74

### Sun and Moon

Sunset tonight	8:19 p.m.
Sunrise Thursday	6:06 a.m.
Moonrise today	12:31 a.m.
Moonset today	10:07 a.m.

Last New First Full  
Apr 29 May 6 May 13 May 21

### Regional Cities

City	Today	Thu.
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Baker City	58 36 pc	64 33 pc
Bend	55 32 sh	61 31 pc
Brookings	56 47 sh	62 47 s
Eugene	59 43 r	64 42 s
Hailey	58 48 pc	58 48 s
Klamath Falls	53 31 sh	62 30 pc
Medford	60 44 r	68 43 s
Newport	56 45 r	57 45 s
North Bend	57 47 r	60 47 s

City	Today	Thu.
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Olympia	63 39 pc	65 42 s
Pendleton	63 43 pc	69 46 pc
Portland	62 46 pc	66 47 s
Roseburg	61 46 r	68 46 s
Salem	62 44 r	66 45 s
Seaside	58 47 pc	57 47 s
Spokane	64 44 pc	68 45 pc
Vancouver	60 42 pc	64 43 s
Yakima	67 42 c	75 44 pc

### Under the Sky

Tonight's Sky: Cassiopeia is low above the northern horizon before midnight.

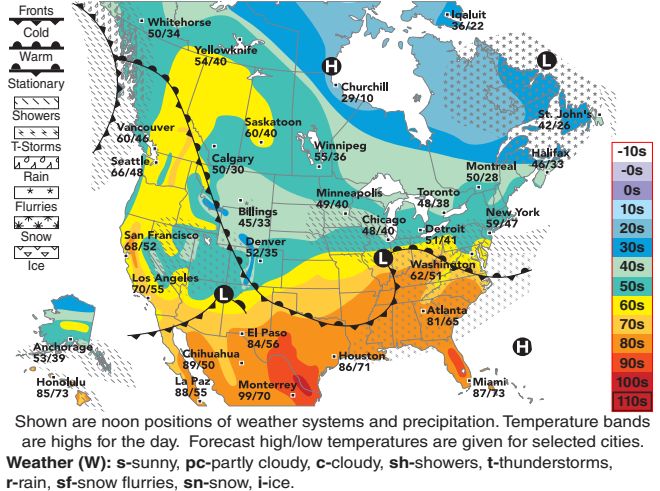
### Tomorrow's Tides

Time	High	Time	Low
6:18 a.m.	8.2 ft.	12:22 p.m.	0.4 ft.
7:17 p.m.	6.7 ft.	none	none

### National Cities

City	Today	Thu.
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Atlanta	85 67 pc	81 65 t
Boston	57 40 r	54 42 s
Chicago	53 42 r	48 40 r
Denver	56 34 pc	52 35 c
Des Moines	61 49 r	58 43 sh
Detroit	59 41 pc	51 41 r
El Paso	80 55 s	84 56 s
Fairbanks	56 35 pc	63 37 s
Honolulu	85 73 sh	85 73 pc
Indianapolis	68 58 r	73 51 t
Kansas City	74 50 t	64 46 s
Las Vegas	75 55 pc	67 55 sh
Los Angeles	70 54 pc	70 55 pc
Miami	80 67 t	85 82 pc
Miami	85 72 s	87 73 pc
Nashville	82 65 pc	87 58 pc
New Orleans	87 73 t	85 73 pc
New York	63 46 s	59 47 pc
Oklahoma City	76 49 s	76 58 s
Philadelphia	64 49 pc	61 48 r
St. Louis	77 58 t	75 51 s
Salt Lake City	58 46 sh	59 44 c
San Francisco	64 52 t	68 52 s
Seattle	62 45 pc	66 48 s
Washington, DC	65 53 sh	62 51 r

### 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.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

**WEDNESDAY**  
**Clatsop County Housing Authority Board**, 5 p.m., Judge Guy Boyington Building, 857 Commercial St.  
**Clatsop County Board of Commissioners**, 6 p.m., Judge Guy Boyington Building, 857 Commercial St.  
**Port of Astoria Commission**, 5 p.m., special meeting, old Port offices, 422 Gateway Ave.

**THURSDAY**  
**Sunset Empire Transportation District Board**, 9 a.m., Astoria Transit Center Conference Room, 900 Marine Drive.  
**Columbia River Estuary Study Taskforce Council**, noon, 818 Commercial St., Suite 203.  
**Clatsop County Recreational Lands Planning and Advisory Committee**, 1 to 3 p.m., fourth floor, 800 Exchange St.

## ON THE RECORD

**DUII arrest**  
 • At 9:04 p.m. Monday, Oregon State Police arrested Scott Thomas Brownlee, 38, of Seaside, for driving under the influence of intoxicants on U.S. Highway 101.

## MEMORIALS

**Saturday, April 30**  
**OAKMAN**, Jay Clarence — Celebration of life from 1 to 5 p.m., Goldmine Hill Clubhouse, 43 Ora Way in San Francisco.

**VRANA**, Ric — Memorial at 2 p.m., Cerimon House, 5131 N.E. 23rd St., Portland, followed by potluck at 4 p.m., 1923 N.E. Wygant St., in Portland.

**Sunday, May 1**  
**McCOY**, Donald L. "Don" — Celebration of life from 2 to 5 p.m., Valley River Inn Rogue Room, 1000 Valley River Way in Eugene.

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## LOTTERIES

**OREGON**  
**Tuesday's Pick 4:**  
 1 p.m.: 1-4-9-8  
 4 p.m.: 7-9-9-3  
 7 p.m.: 1-8-0-6  
 10 p.m.: 3-1-6-6

**WASHINGTON**  
**Tuesday's Daily Game:**  
 3-3-9

**Tuesday's Keno:** 11-13-18-20-22-26-30-34-38-39-51-55-64-66-71-72-74-76-77-80

**Tuesday's Match 4:** 02-06-07-14

**Tuesday's Mega Millions:** 14-16-17-28-48, Mega Ball: 2  
 Estimated jackpot: \$108 million

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