

POINT of view

THE DAILY ASTORIAN // QUESTION OF THE WEEK

'If you were inclined to give up something for Lent, what would it be?'



"I'm giving up my buying coffee out. I'm making my own, and saving some money. Charlie's giving up bad behavior."

Charlie and Tracy Wilson, Astoria



"Give up hamburgers. And french fries — my favorite. I pray for the whole world every day."

Ralph Knutson, Astoria



"Licorice. I love licorice. If I'm going to give up something, it should be something I really like."

Sharon Hale, Astoria

OBITUARIES

Jay Severin Westerholm Brownsmead June 22, 1948 — Feb. 23, 2017

Jay was born to William "Sharkey" and Mabel (Barendse) Westerholm on June 22, 1948, in Astoria, Oregon. Jay lived his whole life in Brownsmead, Oregon, attended Hilda Lahti Elementary, Knappa High School and Clatsop Community College, receiving an associate degree in forestry.

He graduated from high school in 1966, and was a member of the 1966 State 2A Basketball Championship team, which was one of his most valued accomplishments. He was a proud gillnet fisherman on the Columbia River all his life, as well as later in life, driving a log truck for 20 years. He loved working on his farm in Brownsmead and raising beef cows.

On Dec. 4, 1971, he married the love of his life, Connie Quimby, who still resides on their farm in Brownsmead, having been married 45 years. Together they raised two sons, Gerritt (Shannon) of Svensen, and Jason (Tiffany) of Gresham, Oregon.

Jay was a quiet, compassionate family man, and his sons were his whole world. He loved having them by his side, fishing, farming or watching his favorite ballgames.

His favorite pastime was attending Knappa

sporting events, and in recent years, watching his grandchildren playing in sports, as he had in his growing years. He loved history, especially the local history, and he read all he could on how this area was settled.

Besides his wife and sons, Jay is survived by five grandchildren, Austin, Hunter and Mason of Svensen, and Kayla and Ethan of Gresham, Oregon; a brother, Jon (Ina) of Brownsmead; a sister-in-law, Charlotte, of Seaside; a brother-in-law, Alan Quimby of Svensen; a sister-in-law, RaeAnn Quimby, and mother-in-law, Geraldine Quimby, of Brownsmead; his nephews, Erik, Karl and Bill; a niece, Kristen; and countless cousins and special friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Jerry, of Seaside.

Contributions may be made to Knappa High School Booster Club or the charity of one's choice.

At Jay's request, there will be no funeral service, but a celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Funeral arrangements were made by Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary. An online guest book may be signed at www.caldwellsmortuary.com



Jay Westerholm

Bette Anne (Kennedy) Snyder Long Beach, Washington March 28, 1923 — Feb. 23, 2017

Bette Anne (Kennedy) Snyder of Long Beach, Washington, passed away Feb. 23, 2017, following a short illness. She was born at home in Willapa, Washington, on March 28, 1923, to Ala Kennedy and Ethel Clubb Kennedy. She joined her 10-year-old sister, Evelyn, and 3-year-old brother, Jim, who ran through the neighborhood announcing the family had a new baby and seven pups!

At Valley High School, Bette played in the band and was a cheerleader. She often borrowed the family car and drove to Raymond to attend dances. When she was a senior, she got her own car, a 1929 Chevrolet coupe that cost \$75. After graduating, she and a friend opened a hamburger stand where the favorite menu items were Bette's mom's homemade pies.

When World War II started, Bette moved to Bremerton to live with her sister and brother-in-law, and went to work as a secretary at a construction firm, Wright and Hoffman. Bette loved to jitterbug, and she and her friend attended dances several nights a week, often taking the ferry to Seattle to the Trianon Ballroom. In her later years, when she met someone who'd been in the U.S. Navy during the war, she joked, "If you were stationed in Bremerton, I probably danced with you!"

After the war, she and her friend were ready for a new adventure. Bette wrote to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce asking about housing and job opportunities. The chamber wrote back and told them not to come. They went, found an apartment, got good jobs and stayed for several years.

In 1950, while on a trip home to visit her brother, Bette attended a dance in Long Beach and met a young bingo caller named Sid Snyder. After long drives and walks on the beach, she decided not to return to California, sent for her belongings, and spent the rest of her years in Long Beach.

Sid and Bette were married in 1951. They soon had three children and a small grocery store in Seaview, and Sid spent every other year in Olympia during the legislative session, working his way up from elevator operator to state senator.

Bette was active in the community and in her children's lives, and she also helped run the store. She was a member of the Ladies of The Elks and

the Rebekah Lodge, and was an avid bowler. She was a Cub Scout den mother and Camp Fire leader.

Early on, when Sid was away, she began writing him humorous letters about taking care of the kids and minding the store while he was off enjoying himself in Olympia. They became a huge hit among Sid's Olympia colleagues. He often carried the most current letter in his shirt pocket, pulling it out to read to any willing listeners.

As the children grew older and the legislative sessions became longer and more frequent, Bette began joining Sid in Olympia. They bought a condo in downtown Seattle so they could enjoy their Sonics, Seahawks and Mariners season tickets. Baseball had always been a favorite of Bette's, and she and Sid especially loved inviting guests to join them in their Diamond Club seats at Safeco Field.

Bette loved entertaining, and was a great hostess. She was a wonderful cook, but never passed up an opportunity to dine out, and in recent years, lunch at local restaurants was a part of her daily routine.

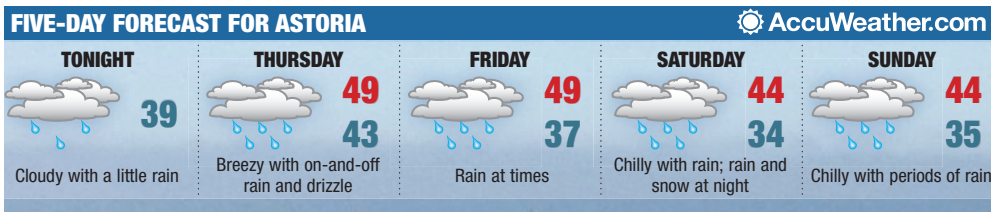
Family was always important to Bette, and she felt blessed to have been close to her parents, siblings, children and grandchildren. She was a guiding hand in her children and grandchildren's lives, and reveled in their successes.

Bette was preceded in death by her husband, Sid, in 2012. She is survived by her three children, Sid Snyder Jr. (Robin Powell) of Gearhart, Oregon, Karen Snyder (Bob Hamilton) of Long Beach and Sally Snyder Paxton (Ray) of Bellevue; four grandchildren, Melissa Winn Johnson of Bend, Oregon, Calvin Powell Snyder (Selam Gebrekidan) of Brooklyn, New York, Whitney Powell Snyder (Cara Parks) of New York, New York and Cole Kennedy Paxton of Evanston, Illinois; and many nieces and nephews.

Her funeral service will be held Saturday, March 4, at noon, at the Peninsula Church Center, 5000 N. Place, Seaview, and a reception will follow.

Memorial donations may be made to Columbia Pacific Heritage Museum, P.O. Box 115, Ilwaco, WA 98624.

Her guestbook is available at www.pentilascapel.com



ALMANAC

Astoria through Tuesday.

Temperatures
 High/low 49°/36°
 Normal high/low 53°/38°
 Record high 72° in 1968
 Record low 22° in 1960

Precipitation
 Tuesday 0.09"
 Month to date 12.07"
 Normal month to date 7.19"
 Year to date 17.88"
 Normal year to date 17.39"

SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight 6:02 p.m.
 Sunrise Thursday 6:53 a.m.
 Moonrise today 8:43 a.m.
 Moonset today 9:58 p.m.



UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Low in the southwest, Venus is down to the lower right of Mars. Between them lies faint Uranus, joined by a waxing crescent moon.

TOMORROW'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks

Time	High	Time	Low
3:39 a.m.	9.2 ft.	10:08 a.m.	0.6 ft.
4:10 p.m.	8.1 ft.	10:07 p.m.	1.0 ft.

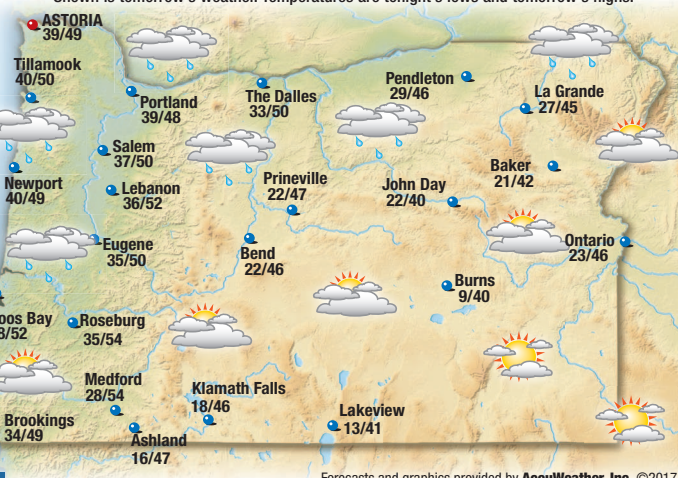
NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	W
Atlanta	76 44 t	61 39 s	
Boston	62 46 r	47 27 pc	
Chicago	45 26 r	38 21 sf	
Denver	44 22 s	51 27 s	
Des Moines	44 25 c	41 22 sn	
Detroit	61 27 r	39 25 c	
El Paso	64 35 s	68 40 s	
Fairbanks	7 -21 s	-1 -20 pc	
Honolulu	78 69 t	79 67 sh	
Indianapolis	59 31 r	41 26 pc	
Kansas City	51 26 pc	54 25 s	
Las Vegas	62 43 s	67 45 s	
Los Angeles	74 50 s	80 52 s	
Memphis	71 40 t	62 37 s	
Miami	84 72 pc	83 68 t	
Nashville	72 37 t	57 34 s	
New Orleans	61 55 c	65 49 s	
New York	70 48 t	49 32 pc	
Oklahoma City	61 30 s	63 35 s	
Philadelphia	74 48 t	49 31 pc	
St. Louis	56 33 c	56 29 s	
Salt Lake City	41 26 pc	46 27 pc	
San Francisco	60 43 s	61 44 s	
Seattle	48 42 r	48 44 r	
Washington, DC	74 45 t	54 36 pc	

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

REGIONAL WEATHER

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

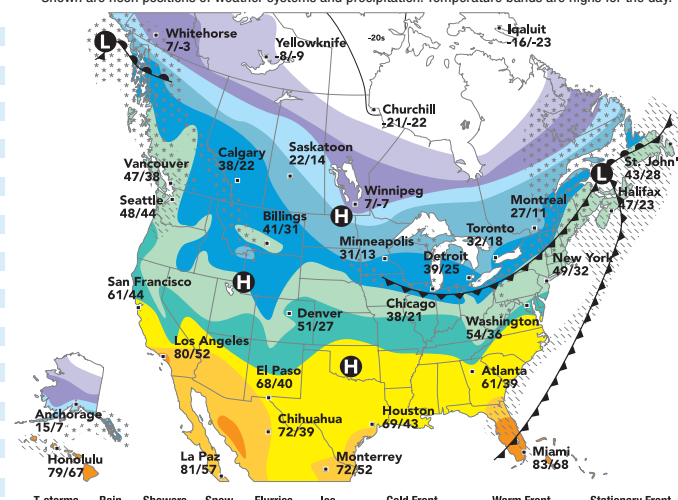


REGIONAL CITIES

City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	41	21	pc	42	25	c
Bend	44	22	pc	46	25	c
Brookings	52	36	pc	50	39	c
Eugene	52	35	pc	50	41	sh
Ilwaco	50	42	r	50	42	r
Klamath Falls	43	18	pc	46	23	pc
Medford	55	28	pc	54	33	c
Newberg	51	37	sh	50	43	sh
Newport	49	40	sh	49	44	sh
North Bend	52	38	pc	52	45	r
Olympia	50	39	r	48	41	r
Pendleton	49	29	pc	46	36	c
Portland	50	39	sh	48	42	sh
Roseburg	56	35	pc	54	37	c
Salem	51	37	sh	50	43	sh
Seaside	49	42	r	49	42	sh
Spokane	39	30	c	39	33	c
Springfield	53	34	pc	53	40	c
Vancouver	51	37	sh	49	43	sh
Yakima	53	29	pc	49	32	c

TOMORROW'S NATIONAL WEATHER

Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.



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ON THE RECORD

DUII

• At 11:42 p.m. Sunday, Brandon Joseph Albright, 30, of Hammond, was arrested by the Warrenton Police Department on the 400 block of northwest Ridge Road for driving under the influence of intoxicants. Albright, whose blood alcohol content was .11 at the time of the arrest, was allegedly swerving and crossing the road's center line.

• At 11:46 p.m. Sunday, Irina B. Demenko, 23, of Woodland, Washington, was arrested by the Warrenton

Police Department on the 50 block of east Harbor Road for DUII.

• At 8:18 a.m. Tuesday, Mike Lee Feaster, 55, of Phoenix, Arizona, was arrested by Clatsop County Sheriff's Office deputies on Iron Horse Road near Knappa for DUII, refusing to take a breath test and a failure to appear warrant.

Assault on a public safety officer
 • At 12:40 a.m. Sunday, David Anthony May, 30, of Warrenton, was arrested by the Warrenton Police

Department at Coffenburg Lake for criminal mischief, assaulting a public safety officer and resisting arrest. Police responded to reports of a man passed out near the lake who had caused damage to a fire pit. May was found to be highly intoxicated with no shoes on and cuts on his feet. Officers woke him up and took him to Columbia Memorial Hospital, where he tried to escape by punching an officer in the arm. He was later taken to the Clatsop County Jail.

CORRECTION

Name incorrect — Gary S. Medina, a former Astoria High School wrestling coach, was arrested and accused of rape. A story on 3A Tuesday incorrectly referred to him as Greg.

DEATHS

Feb. 27, 2017

DAVIS, Frank E., 73, of Seaside, died in Seaside. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Service of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

Feb. 26, 2017

VIUHKOLA, Carylton Maurine, 68, of Clatskanie, died in Longview, Washington. Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary in Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY

Skipanon Water Control District, noon, Pacific Grange, 90475 U.S. Highway 101, Warrenton

Seaside Improvement Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

Gearhart City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 698 Pacific Way.

THURSDAY

Northwest Oregon Housing Authority Board, 10 a.m., Champion Park Apartments, 4317 Brookfield Ave., Tillamook.

Seaside Parks Advisory Committee, 7 p.m., City Hall, City Hall, 989 Broadway.

LOTTERIES

OREGON

Tuesday's Pick 4:

1 p.m.: 6-1-2-7

4 p.m.: 6-0-8-5

7 p.m.: 2-1-5-0

10 p.m.: 9-6-7-3

Tuesday's Mega Millions:

20-33-45-58-69, Mega Ball:

4

Estimated jackpot: \$83 million

WASHINGTON

Tuesday's Daily Game:

0-3-9

Tuesday's Keno: 08-15-

16-17-18-19-20-23-30-31-

42-43-46-57-58-61-70-76-

77-78

Tuesday's Match 4: 08-18-

19-22

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