

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**4-H** — Looking for 4-H leaders. For information, call Sandra Carlson at the Oregon State University Extension at 503-325-8573.

**American Red Cross** — Needs registration volunteers (donor ambassadors) in Clatsop County to provide customer service and enhance the blood donor experience. For information, call Angela Basurto at 503-528-5430.

**Astoria Column** — 1 Coxcomb Drive. Volunteers needed to welcome visitors, provide information and answer questions about the Astoria Column and the city of Astoria. For information, call the Friends of the Astoria Column Visitor Center at 503-325-2963.

**Astoria Riverfront Trolley Association** — 111 W. Marine Drive. Needs conductors/motormen to operate trolley and narrate points of interest. One or more three-hour shifts per month. For information, call the 503-325-6311.

**Astoria Senior Center** — 1111 Exchange St. To volunteer, call Larry Miller at 503-325-3231.

**Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce** — 111 W. Marine Drive. Volunteers needed at the chamber and for events. For information, call 503-325-6311.

**Camp Kiwanilong** — A large variety of volunteer opportunities are available. For information, call 503-861-2933 or go to [www.campkiwanilong.org](http://www.campkiwanilong.org)

**Caring Adults Developing Youth (CADY) Mentoring Program** — 800 Exchange St., second floor. Needs mentors for youths ages 10 to 17 at risk of school failure. Time commitment: one year, about eight hours per month. For information, contact Laura Parker at 503-325-8601 or [lparker@co.clatsop.or.us](mailto:lparker@co.clatsop.or.us)

**Clatsop Animal Assistance Inc.** — Needs volunteers who have a strong commitment to work on behalf of the Clatsop County Animal Shelter's dogs and cats. For information, email [info@dogscats.org](mailto:info@dogscats.org) or call 503-861-0737.

**Clatsop Care Center** — Volunteers needed daily for all three meals to provide one-on-one assistance to dining dependent residents. Volunteers must participate in a 16-hour training program. For information, contact Mandy Branchley at 503-325-0313, ext. 209.

**Clatsop County Animal Shelter** — Animal care volunteers age 16 and older needed for one 3-hour shift per week. Pick up an application at 1315 S.E. 19th St., Warrenton. For information, or to schedule orientation, call Leslie Atkinson at 503-325-1000.

**Clatsop Community Action Regional Food Bank** — Volunteers needed to help hand out fruits and vegetables at the weekly produce pantries for two hours on Thursdays, from April to October, in Seaside and Warrenton. Warehouse attendants are needed for food packing or processing, picking orders for agencies, light janitorial and housekeeping, or lawn and grounds maintenance. Three to four-hour shifts are available Monday through Friday. To volunteer, call 503-861-3663.

**Clatsop Community College Outreach Literacy** — Needs volunteer literacy tutors to work with adults, native and non-native speakers. Training available. For

information, call 503-338-2557.

**Clatsop County Public Works** — 1101 Olney Ave. Adopt-A-Road volunteers needed to remove litter two times (minimum) per year for two years. Safety equipment and supplies provided. Volunteers must receive safety orientation. For information, call 503-325-8631.

**Clatsop Cruise Hosts** — Looking for volunteers to meet and greet cruise ship passengers and crew, provide information and answer questions about the Clatsop County area. Ships arrive in the spring and fall, about 20 ships each year. Work all the ships or part of them. For information, go to [www.clatsopcruisehosts.org](http://www.clatsopcruisehosts.org)

**Columbia Memorial Hospital** — Needs volunteers to provide assistance to patients, visitors and hospital staff. Training provided. For information, go to [www.columbiamemorial.org](http://www.columbiamemorial.org). To schedule an interview, call 503-325-4321.

**Columbia River Maritime Museum** — 1792 Marine Drive. Volunteer opportunities for those with an interest in maritime history. For information, call the volunteer coordinator weekdays at 503-325-2323.

**Columbia Senior Dinners** — 1111 Exchange St., Astoria Senior Center. Volunteers needed weekdays to serve tables and for kitchen help. To volunteer, call 503-325-9693.

**Community Emergency Response Team** — CERT volunteers needed for community events and disaster response with local police, fire and emergency medical service agencies. Training includes fire safety, first aid, traffic and crowd control, communications, damage survey, disaster planning and civic events within city limits. For information, contact CERT coordinator Kenny Hansen at [khansen@astoria.or.us](mailto:khansen@astoria.or.us) or leave a voicemail at 503-325-4411.

**Friends of Seaside Library** — 1131 Broadway, Seaside. Volunteers needed to staff the fundraising store. For information, call 503-738-6742 or stop by the library.

**Knappa Rural Fire Protection District** — Needs volunteer firefighters. Training provided. For information, contact any of the active personnel or call Chief Paul Olheiser at 503-458-6610.

**Long-Term Care Ombudsman** — Volunteers advocate to protect the rights and dignity of licensed long-term care facility residents in Clatsop County; educate about resident rights; and investigate quality of care concerns. Flexible schedule; about five weekday hours needed per week. For information, call 800-522-2602 or go to [www.oregon.gov/ltrco](http://www.oregon.gov/ltrco)

**Lunch Buddy Mentoring Program** — Adults needed to mentor elementary and middle school students once a week during lunch. For information, call Mary Jackson at 503-440-0368 or email [lunchbuddies.mp@gmail.com](mailto:lunchbuddies.mp@gmail.com)

**NorthWest Senior & Disability Services** — Needs dishwashers and volunteers to serve and clean up weekdays at a meal site, and drivers for Meals on Wheels. For information, contact Candy Foster at 503-738-9323.

**Providence Seaside Hospital** — Needs volunteer drivers for Community Connections, a free program that transports people to services and appointments relat-

ed to health and well-being in the Portland-Metro area. Mileage reimbursement available. For information, call (503) 717-7171 or email [Alana.Kujala@providence.org](mailto:Alana.Kujala@providence.org)

**Providence Seaside Hospital** — Needs volunteers who enjoy meeting, interacting with and helping people. Opportunities are available in the hospital gift shop, café, and as greeters and for spiritual integration. For information, call (503) 717-7171 or email [Alana.Kujala@providence.org](mailto:Alana.Kujala@providence.org)

**River Song Foundation** — Looking for people to assist with Trap/Neuter/Release/Feed (TNR), especially in the Seaside and Knappa/Svensen areas. TNR involves setting and/or monitoring traps, and daily feeding of cats and maintenance of any shelters, and is a proven, science-based method that along with spay/neuter programs is the only effective and humane way of ending cat homelessness and suffering. Call 503-861-2003 for information and to volunteer.

**Seaside Downtown Development Association** — Volunteers needed to help with local events happening throughout the year. For information, call Tita Montero at 503-717-1914 or email [director@seasidedowntown.com](mailto:director@seasidedowntown.com)

**Seaside Museum and Historical Society** — Volunteers needed to help as docents, maintaining and creating exhibits, and various events throughout the year. Small and large projects available. Any amount of time will be greatly appreciated. Call the museum at 503-738-7065 or email [seasidemuseum@hotmail.com](mailto:seasidemuseum@hotmail.com)

**Start Making a Reader Today** — Needs volunteers to read to students one-on-one for one hour a week at local elementary schools. To volunteer, call 503-391-8423 or go to [www.getsmartoregon.org](http://www.getsmartoregon.org)

**Svensen Congregate Meal Site** — Wickiup Grange Hall, 92683 Svensen Market Road. To volunteer, or for information, call Debbie Dunaway at 503-791-7298 or 503-861-4202.

**Titanic Lifeboat Academy** — Volunteer to help care for animals and assist with sustainable living projects; minimum commitment of four hours per week requested. Some training provided. For information, contact Caren Black at 503-325-6886.

**Tri-City Spay and Neuter Thrift Store** — 600 Broadway, Seaside. Needs volunteers interested in improving the welfare of animals. For information, call 503-738-7040.

**Veterans Services Officer of Clatsop County** — Seeking volunteer drivers to transport veterans from Astoria to the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Portland using the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) van. To volunteer, call 503-298-8757 or email [clatsopvso@gmail.com](mailto:clatsopvso@gmail.com)

**Warrenton Senior Lunch Program** — Warrenton Community Center, 170 S.W. Third St. Volunteers needed to help with Meals on Wheels and in the dining room Mondays or Thursdays. For information, contact Barb Balensifer at 503-861-1341.

**Wildlife Rehab Center of the North Coast** — Needs volunteers to help rehabilitate orphaned and injured wildlife. For information, call 503-338-0331 or go to [coastwildlife.org](http://coastwildlife.org)

## SELF-HELP GROUPS

**AI-Anon (Astoria)** — 7 p.m. Tuesday, Peace Lutheran Church, 565 12th St.; 12 p.m. Wednesday, First United Methodist Church, 1076 Franklin Ave. For information, call 503-325-1087; 7 p.m. Thursday, Crossroads Community Church, 40618 Old Highway 30, Svensen. For information, call 503-458-6467.

**AI-Anon (Clatskanie)** — 8 p.m., Monday, United Methodist Church, 290 S. Nehalem St. For information, call 503-728-3351.

**AI-Anon (Nehalem)** — 7 p.m. Monday, Riverbend Room, North County Recreation District, 36155 Ninth St. For information, call 503-368-8255.

**AI-Anon (Seaside)** — 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway, call 503-810-5196 for information.

**AI-Anon (Tillamook)** — 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, St. Albans Episcopal Church, 2102 Sixth St., call 503-842-5094 for information; noon Friday, 5012 Third St., call 503-730-5863 for information.

**AI-Anon Family Groups** information, Oregon Area AI-Anon website. [oregonal-anon.org](http://oregonal-anon.org)

**Alateen (Tillamook)** — 6:30 p.m. Thursday, 5012 Third St. For information, call 503-730-5863.

**Alcoholics Anonymous** — To find a meeting, call 503-861-5526 or go to [www.aa-oregon.org](http://www.aa-oregon.org)

**Celebrate Recovery** — 6 p.m. Thursday, The Table Church, 852 Broadway, Seaside. Faith-based 12-step program designed to help anyone struggling with hurts, habits and hangups, including drugs and alcohol, anger, co-dependence, domestic

abuse or sex, food or pornography addictions. Being religious not required. Free dinner and child care provided. For information, call D.B. Lewis at 503-741-5977.

**Eating Disorders Anonymous** — 1:10 to 2:10 p.m. Wednesdays, River Zen Yoga, 399 31st St. A 12-Step program. For information, call Susan Williams at 510-417-5553.

**Kick Butts Group Meets (Nicotine Anonymous)** — 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway.

**Men's Sexual Purity Recovery Group** — Tuesday nights. Part of the Pure Life Alliance ([www.purelifealliance.org](http://www.purelifealliance.org)) in Portland. For information, call the confidential voice mail at 503-750-0817 and leave a message.

# Native beach plants are on Salty Talks agenda

The Daily Astorian

ILWACO, Wash. — Salty Talks presents an evening of conversation with Kathleen Sayce on the topic "Native Plants of the Beaches and Dunes" at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at Ilwaco's Salt Pub & Hotel, 147 Howerton Ave., on the Ilwaco waterfront. The event is free and open to the public.

Sayce grew up in Ocean Park, attended Ilwaco High School, graduated from Fairhaven College at Western Washington University with a bachelor's degree in biology, and received a master's degree in botany from Washington State University.

She has led field research on the ecological impacts of *Spartina alterniflora* in tidal-lands of Willapa Bay for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and mapped the presence of *Viola adunca* for the Washington Department of Fisheries and Wildlife. She was also the science program director for the Willapa Alliance in the mid-1990s, and the science officer for Shore-Bank Pacific.

Salty Talks are given in



Submitted Photo

Kathleen Sayce

partnership with the Salt Pub & Hotel, Columbia Pacific Heritage Museum, Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission, Lewis

and Clark National Historical Park, with support from the Friends of Columbia River Gateway and the Port of Ilwaco.

# Gustafson and Englund are Students of the Month

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The Astoria Rotary honored two Astoria High School seniors, Kendal Gustafson and Olaf Englund, as Students of the Month for February. Both students received a Rotary Certificate and a gift certificate from The Rusty Cup.

Kendal Gustafson, daughter of Brian Gustafson, is captain of the swim team and plays clarinet in the AHS Wind Symphony and Pep Band.

She hopes to attend Portland Community College for two years to study environmental studies, then move to a four-year university.

Olaf Englund, son of Sarah and Kurt Englund, has been a member of the leadership class for three years, National Honor Society and the Chris-



Olaf Englund



Kendal Gustafson

tian Athletes Club, and participates in three sports during the school year. He plans to either attend the University of Oregon or Linfield College to study business.

Astoria Rotary selects Students of the Month during the school year from the junior

and senior classes at Astoria and Knappa high schools. To be selected, students must be in good standing in school and involved in school and community activities.

Astoria Rotary meets on Mondays at noon at the Elks Lodge in Astoria.

## HONOR ROLL

The following students have qualified for the honor roll by earning a 3.5 grade point average or higher at school.

### Astoria High School Astoria

**Seniors:** Taylor Atkins, Kira Barela, Lucas Caruana, Raina Christian, Natalie Cummings, Ashlee Dalton, Olaf Englund, Kirk Fausett, Jasyn Gohl, Victoria Holcom, Zhenessa Kukkola, Keldon Littell, Michelle Patterson, Jenna Rudolph, Shrida Sharma, Rachel Simmons, Kristen Travers, Meghan Welsh, Madeline Ank, Jackson Arnsdorf, Kyle Birge, Alexander Burchfield, Sydney Caplinger, Shannon Christie, Rylee DeMander, Sariah Dieffenbach, Fridtjof Fremstad, Anna Gimre, Caitlyn Hougham, Julia Jenkins, Sophia King-Keith, Tyler Lyngstad, Margaret McClean, Henry Meiners, Cole Olson, Jacob Olson, Elizabeth Roe, Cameron Santiago, Callie Sheker-Grothe, Kyle Strange, Alexis Wallace, Noah Waller, Sofia Ward, Brian Wilder, Jonathan Williams, Patience Womack.

**Juniors:** Timothy Barnett, Piper Brown, Lai Wah Chen, Sidney Cooper, Thayne Covert, Nain Garcia Rojas, Kenneth Hageman, Kyle Kukkola, Jasmin Mabry, Aleksander Mat-

thews, Megan Schacher, Helene Schiffel, Abigale Stemper, Drew Tapio, Claire Albright, Johnathan Barker, Cole Beeson, Azure Billinger, McKenzie Burnett, Haley Grant, Matthew Grauff, Isaac Gray, Darian Hageman, Jacob Handler, Karsten Johnson, Tyler Kukkola, Lexis Law, Sarah Lertora, Hannah Mather, Libbie Nash, Mai Nguyen, Megan Postlewait, Tyler Ranta, Hailey Ranta, David Sharp, Lidija Sovulj, John Wagner, Moira Welsh, Sadie Wooldrige, Carla Zulli.

**Sophomores:** Joshua Belter, Alexandra Cotte, Gracie Cummings, Julie Foss, Logan Gardner, Kaden Gilbert, Hannah Gozzard, Andrea Harris, Samantha Hemsley, Ian Hunt, Calvin Kaul, Balan Kolee, Zachary Larsen, Joshua Olson, Taylor Palmrose, Dylan Ploghoft, Illiana Porteur, MeiLi Dott, Henry Samuelson, Kes Sandstrom, Jennifer Travers, Nara Van De Grift, Austin Varner, Michael Williams, Kylie Witherbee, William Berezay, Nikolas Caruana, Jesse Clodgo, Connor Cooney, Kevin Ero, Brendan Everts, Jacqueline Everts, Emily Herndon, Josiah Hirsch, Laina Humphrey, Taylor Hutchinson, Parker Ivanoff, Immanuel Justo, Cody Lachica, Ivy Lutes, Lexxis Lyngstad, Tryton Mat-

lock, Madeline Miner-Paul, Rodrigo Palacios Rojas, Taylor Palmberg, Allyson Preston, Grant Roe, Nikkole Sasso, Stephen Strong, Claire Tetlow, Justin Villa, Tristin Wallace, Porter Whitsett.

**Freshmen:** Dylan Nielson, Isabella Anthony, Isabella Atkinson, Maggie Blaser, Isaac Brockman, Riley Cameron, Christina Campbell, Andrew Caruana, Liam Cooney, Sean Cooney, Haden Culver, Kiera Doyle, Rowan Fay, Brooks Fromwiller, Erin Grauff, Ebin Hillard, Kajsja Jackson, Kevin Kumar, Abigail Leader, Leo Matthews, Julia Norris, Michael Postlewait, Nicole Ramsdell, Evan Randall, Kegan Rascoe, Dylan Rush, Isabella Scroup, Shrey Sharma, Isabel Talley, Genevieve Thompson, Elizabeth Whitsett, Isabelle Wilcox, Abigail Albright, Madison Anderson, Adrian Castro, Haley Clark, Tailiegh Cole, Jayden Cross, Colt Dann, Haley Gassner, Samuel Gray, Brooklynn Hankwitz, Colby Junes, Ammon Larsen, Angelina Linares, McKenna Long, Araceli Lopez, Baylee McSwain, Arianna Nelson, Warinthip Newcomb, Hailey O'Brien, Spark Owen, Taylor Parker, Hailey Paz, Ryan Stenblom, Dalton Torres, Jourdan Vollmer, Marlee Walter, Sadie Ward, Gabriel Wilcox, Orbilia Zaragoza, Brooklyn Zerangue.

## GRADUATE

The following student has graduated from college:

### Fort Hays State University Hays, Kansas

Seaside: Robert Bernard Hoepfl, master's degree, education administration.