

POINT of view

THE DAILY ASTORIAN // QUESTION OF THE WEEK

'Should the city of Astoria restrict homeowners from renting out rooms to tourists?'



Liz Harris, Astoria

"No. I sympathize. When I travel, I like to stay with people sometimes. And, we get enough summer tourism to fill up the hotels."



Mike Adelman, Warrenton

"I don't have a problem with it. Would I do it myself? No. I don't like having strangers in the house. But it's good for the bottom line, dollar and tourist-wise."



Rod Zweber, Astoria

"Why should they restrict that? It's their property, and they should be able to do what they like. The government tells us too much of what to do, I think."

OBITUARY

Carolyn Ruth Simukka

Naselle, Washington

Nov. 10, 1934 — Feb. 22, 2017

Carolyn Ruth Simukka passed peacefully from this earth to join her Heavenly Father on Feb. 22, 2017, in Vancouver Washington.

Carolyn was born to Ruth (Macy) and Marion Hill on Nov. 10, 1934, in Astoria, Oregon, and grew up with her Aunt Nellie and Uncle Fred Sture in Knappa, Oregon. Carolyn graduated from Knappa High School in 1952, and went on to study at Oregon State University for 11/2 years until she was needed back home to care for her ailing aunt.

Carolyn married Alfred H. Simukka on Jan. 28, 1956, in Astoria, Oregon. While Carolyn's favorite occupation was staying home and taking care of her family, she did spend some time outside the home employed, including Bell Telephone Co., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Bonneville Dam and Wahkiakum West Phone.

After living at various fish hatcheries in Oregon over the years, Al and Carolyn returned to Al's roots and the Naselle community after retirement. Carolyn enjoyed many hobbies and interests including cooking, quilting, gardening, reading, canning and her beloved Naselle Lutheran Church.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her

mother, Ruth Hill; and oldest daughter, Linda Kay Simukka. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Alfred; daughter, Debbie (Joe) Jermann; and son, Eric (Cindy) Simukka. One of Carolyn's greatest joys were her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren.

She is also survived by her grandchildren Heather (Henry) Idica, Craig (Deverie) Gorham, Kevin (Samantha) Gorham, BJ Gorham, Tony (Kendra) Gorham, Michael Gorham, Kyle (Elya) Simukka and Shelby (Jordan) Shaw; her great-grandchildren, Deanna (Tony) Smallwood, Chelsea (Alan) Barber, Christopher and Jacob Gorham, Payten Gorham and Hazel Mae Shaw (expected to bless us in

March 2017); and her great-great-grandchild, Amelia Ramos.

A celebration of Carolyn's life will be held on Saturday, March 18, 2017, at 1 p.m., at the Naselle Lutheran Church, followed by graveside services at Peaceful Hill Cemetery, and refreshments back at the church.

As were Carolyn's wishes, the family asks that instead of flowers, donations be made to the Naselle Lutheran Church or Peaceful Hill Cemetery Association, in care of Pentila's Chapel, P.O. Box 417, Long Beach, WA 98631.



Carolyn Simukka

Alaska man dies after being hit by car on Highway 26

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An Alaska man died Tuesday morning after he was struck by a car on U.S. Highway 26 just east of Seaside.

The 44-year-old man

from Ketchikan, Alaska, was standing in the roadway shortly before 7 a.m. when he was hit by a car traveling eastbound.

Kathy Barnes, 43, of Seaside, was driving a 2011 Sub-

aru Legacy when she struck the pedestrian. Oregon State Police have not yet released the man's name.

The highway was closed for about four hours following the incident.

Autopsy showed young woman died in accidental drowning

EO Media Group

CHINOOK, Wash. — An autopsy revealed that the young woman who washed ashore in Chinook last week died in an accidental drown-

ing, Pacific County Coroner Mark McClain said.

Deputies are actively working to determine her identity, according to Sheriff Scott Johnson. While they believe they have a few promising leads, it's too soon to reveal anything further, Johnson said.

Lane County boosts age to 21 for buying and using tobacco

Associated Press

EUGENE — Lane County commissioners have increased the legal age for using and buying tobacco products to 21.

Lane County is the first county in Oregon to raise the age limit from 18. The ordinance was approved Tuesday by a 3-2 vote and applies countywide starting April 13, the Register-Guard reported.

The ordinance is the latest in the Tobacco 21 campaign, an effort to pass similar local and state laws around the country. California and Hawaii have statewide laws setting the minimum age for tobacco purchase or use at 21, and Oregon lawmakers are considering doing the same.

'This will allow the product to get out of the school system.'

Faye Stewart
commissioner

"This will allow the product to get out of the school system," said Commissioner Faye Stewart, who voted in favor of the change.

Violators of the new rule may be fined up to \$50.

Commissioners Jay Bozievich supports a higher minimum age but voted against the ordinance. He said he was swayed by the

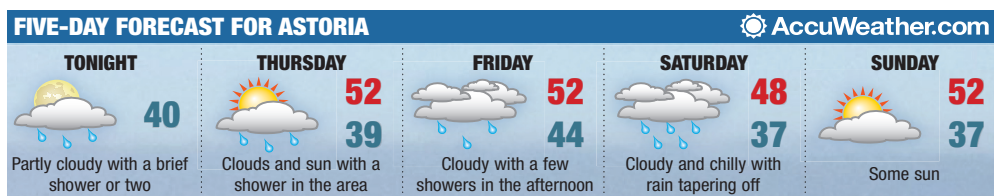
thought of active military members returning to Lane County to learn it is illegal for them to buy cigarettes.

He had called for a grandfather clause that would allow anyone who turned age 18 before April 13 to be exempt from the new age limit.

"You don't criminalize an addiction," Bozievich said. "You treat it."

During public comment, Tamara Miller of Eugene argued against such a clause. "If we are going to protect kids in this community, why not protect them all now?" she said.

Commissioner Sid Leiken cast the other "no" vote, saying the legal age should be uniform across Oregon, and legislators are already pursuing the matter in Salem.



ALMANAC

Astoria through Tuesday.
Temperatures
High/low 57°/50°
Normal high/low 54°/39°
Record high 80° in 1926
Record low 27° in 1969
Precipitation
Tuesday 1.05"
Month to date 8.85"
Normal month to date 3.49"
Year to date 26.73"
Normal year to date 20.88"

SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight 7:21 p.m.
Sunrise Thursday 7:26 a.m.
Moonrise today 10:47 p.m.
Moonset today 9:10 a.m.

UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Low in the southwest, Jupiter will be between the waning gibbous moon and to its upper left is Spica.

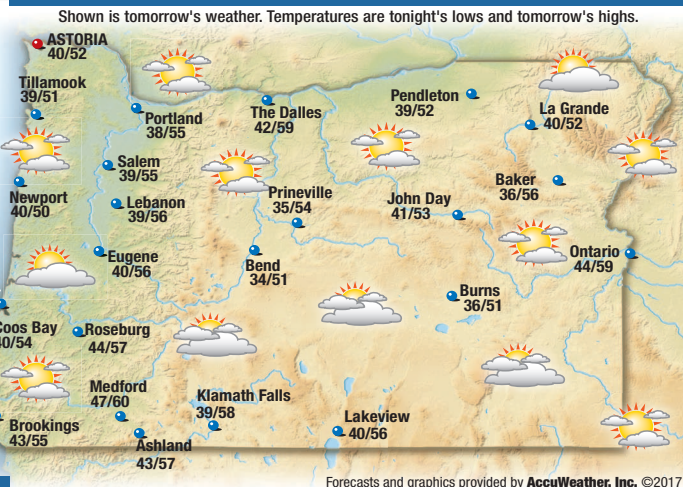
TOMORROW'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks
Time High Low
4:21 a.m. 8.6 ft. 10:51 a.m. 0.8 ft.
4:59 p.m. 7.5 ft. 10:46 p.m. 1.7 ft.

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	45	26	sf	54	37	s
Boston	31	19	sf	35	18	s
Chicago	31	15	s	40	33	c
Denver	76	47	pc	75	42	c
Des Moines	36	26	pc	56	43	c
Detroit	31	17	pc	39	24	s
El Paso	86	53	s	87	56	s
Fairbanks	8	-14	pc	8	-19	pc
Honolulu	84	69	pc	84	70	pc
Indianapolis	31	18	pc	43	32	s
Kansas City	42	30	pc	65	50	c
Las Vegas	88	62	s	86	62	pc
Los Angeles	82	57	pc	80	57	pc
Memphis	45	30	s	52	45	c
Miami	72	51	s	71	56	s
Nashville	42	22	s	52	39	pc
New Orleans	57	46	s	67	53	s
New York	29	21	sf	35	24	s
Oklahoma City	56	44	pc	74	58	pc
Philadelphia	29	21	sf	37	22	s
St. Louis	39	27	s	52	42	c
Salt Lake City	75	48	s	69	47	c
San Francisco	66	54	c	65	49	c
Seattle	54	41	r	52	39	pc
Washington, DC	33	23	sf	42	25	s

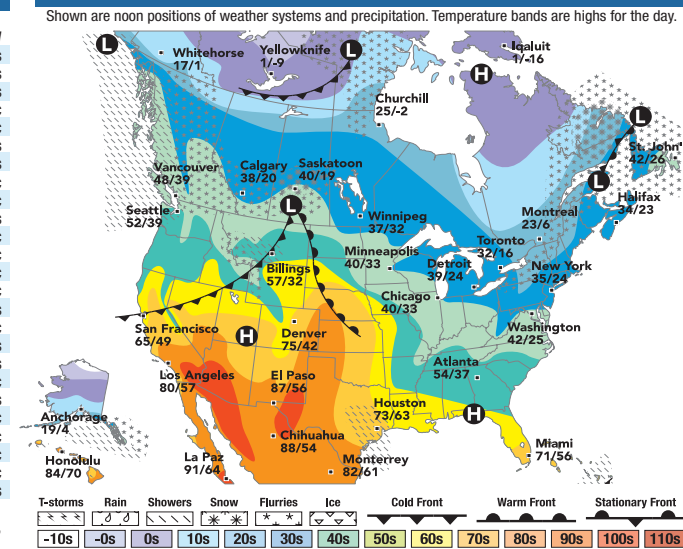
REGIONAL WEATHER



REGIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	61	36	r	56	24	pc
Bend	58	34	r	51	32	pc
Brookings	55	44	r	54	42	c
Eugene	57	40	r	56	37	pc
Ilwaco	52	43	r	50	42	pc
Klamath Falls	61	39	r	58	32	c
Medford	61	47	r	60	41	pc
Newberg	56	38	r	54	38	pc
Newport	53	40	r	50	39	pc
North Bend	56	42	r	54	40	pc
Olympia	53	38	r	53	35	sh
Pendleton	64	39	sh	52	34	pc
Portland	56	38	r	55	37	pc
Roseburg	59	44	r	57	39	pc
Salem	56	39	r	55	37	pc
Seaside	53	42	r	51	40	pc
Spokane	55	36	sh	46	28	pc
Springfield	57	41	r	58	36	pc
Vancouver	58	40	r	55	39	pc
Yakima	64	34	c	57	29	s

TOMORROW'S NATIONAL WEATHER



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High school art club holds public workshop

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Art Out Loud, Astoria High School's art club, will host a public art workshop from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday.

The workshop provides an opportunity for the public to create works of painting, pottery and pastels. Centering around the theme of spring, guests will

be able to paint a landscape, use pastels to create a floral piece and mold clay into a bird's nest. All activities will be instructed by student club members.

Entrance is \$3 per person and \$10 for a family. All proceeds support the art club.

The art club was chartered in 2015 by Elizabeth Roe, now a senior. Art teacher Mickey

Cereghino advises the club, which seeks to provide community service through the arts. Over the past years, the club has made and distributed cards to local care centers, organized art sessions at local elementary schools, held charity art shows and done outreach at local schools and in the community.

DEATHS

March 15, 2017
DYKES, Ray, 84, of Clatskanie, died in Longview, Washington. Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.
March 14, 2017
HESS, Alicia A., 52, of Astoria, died in Astoria. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Services of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

March 11, 2017
RENNER, Darrell "Bud," 82, of Seaview, Washington, died in Astoria. No services are planned. Pentila's Chapel By the Sea in Long Beach, Washington, is in charge of the arrangements.
March 10, 2017
BROWN, Lynn J., 60, of Astoria, died in Astoria. Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary in Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY
Tourism Advisory Committee, 3 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway, Seaside.
THURSDAY
Cannon Beach Parks and Community Services Committee, 9 a.m., 163 E. Gower St.
Seaside Tree Board, 4 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.
Youngs River Lewis & Clark Water District Board, 6 p.m., special meeting, 34583 U.S. Highway 101 Business.

Cannon Beach Design Review Board, 6 p.m., City Hall, 163 E. Gower St.
Gearhart Planning Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 698 Pacific Way.
Seaside Transportation Advisory Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.
Clatsop County Charter Review Committee Meeting, 4 p.m., South County Campus, 1455 N. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside.

LOTTERIES

OREGON
Tuesday's Pick 4:
1 p.m.: 8-8-9-9
4 p.m.: 5-7-5-8
7 p.m.: 6-7-4-4
10 p.m.: 3-1-9-1
Mega Millions: 16-23-28-33-59, Mega Ball: 13
Estimated jackpot: \$131 million

WASHINGTON
Tuesday's Daily Game: 1-0-8
Tuesday's Keno: 03-04-07-10-20-21-24-31-32-40-47-50-51-52-56-61-64-74-77-80
Tuesday's Match 4: 01-08-12-18

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