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After her starting pistol failed to fire, Norma Hernandez shouts out to runners to begin the Run on the River half marathon at the Sixth Street Viewing Platform in 2014.

Register now for Run on the River and save

ASTORIA — The Astoria Parks Foundation's fourth annual Run on the River takes place Sunday morning, May 21. The marathon starts at the Sixth Street Viewing Platform and runs along the Columbia River on the Astoria Riverwalk. It is sponsored by Buoy Beer Co.

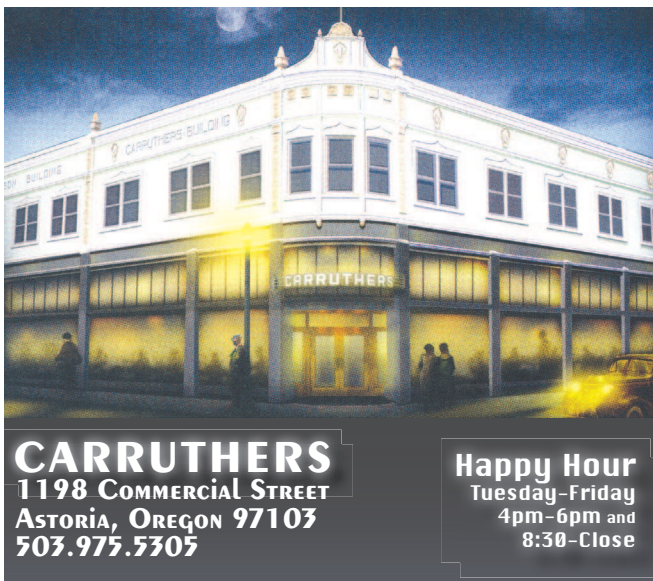
Runners who register before Tuesday, April 25, get the early bird rate: the half marathon is \$85 a person and \$75 per person for groups of six or more; the 10K is \$50 and the 5K is

\$35. Registration includes a T-shirt and glass medal.

An included seafood boil and a drink is provided by Buoy Beer 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.. Award ceremonies are at noon. Let a volunteer know if an alternate meal is needed.

Prizes will be awarded to the top male and female finishers.

To register or find more information, visit <http://bit.ly/2oV0GMa> or contact Jennifer Benoit at jbenoit@astoria.or.us or 503-298-7692.



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Happy Hour
Tuesday-Friday
4pm-6pm and
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Yacht Club hosts open house

ASTORIA — The Astoria Yacht Club hosts its annual open house at the Yacht Clubroom from noon to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 22.

The clubroom is located upstairs in the Chinook Building, 300 Industry St., at the West Mooring Basin.

Since 1931, the Yacht Club has provided social and boating activities for pleasure

boaters on the Lower Columbia. The Yacht Club continues to offer educational and group boating activities, such as navigation and sailing classes, sail racing, cruising groups, paddle adventures and crewing opportunities on the Thursday evening Downtown Rallies.

Those who enjoy (or think they would enjoy) experiencing the river from the deck of

a boat can meet other skippers and crew members and learn about the club. Club members will be on hand all afternoon, and will host these discussions:

- 1 p.m.: Sailing lessons
- 1:30 p.m.: Local boating conditions
- 2 p.m.: Paddle group and activities
- 3:30 p.m.: Thursday Down-

town Rallies

4 p.m.: Sailboat racing
Anyone interested in discussing the formation of a dinghy-racing program is also invited to sign up during the afternoon.

For more information, call 503-784-5072 or check the website: astoriayachtclub.com. On Facebook: Astoria Yacht Club.



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Yacht Club member Paul Winiarz, left, shares a laugh from aboard the Shearwater as Tom Brownson passes by on his boat Cantata during the Astoria Yacht Club Downtown Rally in June on the Columbia River.

Music, dance, comedy and fun in Nehalem

NEHALEM — A variety talent show, "Come Together — A Community Celebration of Music & Theater Arts," will take place 7 p.m. Saturday, April 22, at the North Coast Recreation District's Performing Arts Center, 36155 Ninth St.

It will be an evening of family-friendly entertainment with local artists, both newcomers and established favorites. The lineup will include singers and musicians — from folk and

opera to blues and Broadway — dancers, improv and comedy, skits and more.

Tickets are \$10 each and can be pre-purchased at the recreation district office. Unsold tickets will be available at the door. Net proceeds from ticket sales will be donated to support programs for students at Neah-Kah-Nie High School.

To learn more, join the Facebook event page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1936418523293626/>

