

COAST WEEKEND CALENDAR

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Thursday, June 8

Business After Hours

5:30 p.m., Pier 39, 1 39th St., Astoria, 503-325-6311, free. Sponsored by the Astoria Warrenton Chamber of Commerce, Business After Hours provides a social networking opportunity for chamber members and business owners to meet and mingle.

"Little Mermaid"

6:30 p.m., Columbia Theatre, 1231 Vandercook Way, Longview, Wash., 360-575-8499, \$11 to \$15, all ages. The Evergreen Dance Center presents "The Little Mermaid" ballet.



Goonies Celebration

10 a.m., Oregon Film Museum, 732 Duane St., Astoria, 503-325-6311. Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce and Oregon Film Museum have partnered to offer a weekend of activities in celebration of Goonies Day; check thegoondocks website for activity schedule.

Columbia-Pacific Farmers Market

4 p.m., Veterans Field, at 3rd and Oregon streets, Long Beach, Wash., 360-642-2400. This market offers produce, meat, eggs, dairy, baked goods, flowers, plants, prepared foods and live music.

Manzanita Farmers Market

5 p.m., City Parking Lot, near Laneda Ave. and 5th St., Manzanita, 503-368-3339. Featuring produce and farm products, live entertainment, kids' activities, wines and handcrafted items.

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Friday, June 9



Auditions

5:30 p.m., Bob Chisholm Community Center, 1225 Avenue A, Seaside, 503-741-5668. Casting for "Alice in Wonderland," a summer program with Sunset Empire Park & Recreation is open to students from elementary to high school age, many roles available, no experience necessary.

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Pride Cocktail Hour
6:30 p.m., Liberty Theatre, 1203 Commercial St., Astoria, 503-325-5922, \$20, 21+. Mingle with Pride Gala performers during a pre-show cocktail hour.

Contra Dance

7 p.m., Astoria Arts & Movement Center, 342 10th St., Astoria, 503-741-8412, \$5 to

\$10. Celebrate the art of dance with music by Clatsop County Stringband and caller Dave Ambrose.

Reader's Theater

7 p.m., Hoffman Cen-

ter, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, \$7. The top three winning submissions from this year's one-act playwriting competition will be performed.

Coast Weekend editor suggested events

Coast Weekend welcomes comments and contributions from readers. New items for publication consideration must be submitted by 10 a.m. Tuesday, one week and two days before publication.

Saturday, June 10

Angora Hiking Club

9 a.m., meet at the 6th St. parking lot (between 6th and 7th streets, Marine Drive and the trolley tracks), Astoria, 503-368-4323. June Baumler and Tami Christner will lead a moderate hike at Elk Flat/Devil's Cauldron.

Riverwalk Marketplace

9 a.m., 632 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-260-5592. This market features produce, flowers, plant starts, eggs, ready-to-eat food, pie walks, live music and kids' activities.

Discover Pass Free Day

10 a.m., Washington State Parks, Wash., free, all ages. National Get Outdoors Day offers day-use only free admission and encourages healthy, active outdoor fun at sites across the nation.

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Knit in Public

10 a.m., Homespun Quilts, 108 10th St., Astoria, 503-325-3300. Join knitters at the World Wide Knit in Public Day with demonstrations throughout the day.

Saturday Market at the Port

10 a.m., Harbor front at Howerton Way,

Port of Ilwaco, Wash. This market features art, crafts, farm fresh produce, food booths and live music.

Weekend Market on the Dock

10 a.m., 1161 Robert Bush Drive, South Bend, Wash., 360-875-8157. This market features live music, jewelry, food and treasures.

SummerFest

Noon, along Pacific Ave., downtown Long Beach, Wash., free, all ages. SummerFest offers family friendly activities, beach safety, balloon artistry, face painting, live music, and horse and wagon rides.

Artist Reception

1 p.m., Astoria Art Loft, 106 3rd St., Astoria, 503-325-4442. A reception with guest speakers will be held for The Wetland Conservancy's "Beaver Tales" traveling art exhibit.

Book Signing

1 p.m., Lucy's Books, 348 12 St., Astoria, 503-325-4210. Lucy Mihajlich, author of "Interface" will be signing her book as part of Astoria Pride.

Consignment Auction

5 p.m., Long Beach Grange, 5715 Sandridge Road, Long Beach, Wash., 360-642-4953. Preview auction items from 4 to 5 p.m. or visit the website for drop-off information.

Second Saturday Art Walk

5 p.m., celebrate the arts in Astoria where businesses are open late, provide refresh-



ments, entertainment and exhibit original works of art or craft; look for the pinwheels at participating merchants.

Soup Bowl Benefit

5:30 p.m., The Loft at the Red Building, 20 Basin St., Astoria, 503-325-4962, \$50. Attendees to the annual

Soup Bowl can choose from a selection of hand crafted artisan bowls, bid on a silent auction, listen to live music and be entertained at this benefit for The Harbor.

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6 p.m., LightBox Photographic Gallery, 1045 Marine Drive, Astoria,

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5 p.m., RiverSea Gallery, 1160 Commercial St., Astoria, 503-325-1270. Sculptor Jacqueline Hurlbert will be the featured artist at a reception exhibiting her work in "Content with My Delusions."

503-468-0238. An artist reception will be held for the artists in the Plastic Fantastic Show VIII featuring 36 photographers.

Pride Dance Party

9 p.m., Astoria Arts & Movement Center, 342 10th St., Astoria. This is an all-ages dance party.

Sunday, June 11

Riverwalk Marketplace

9 a.m., 632 Marine Drive, Astoria, 503-260-5592. This market features produce, flowers, plant starts, eggs, ready-to-eat food, pie walks, live music and kids' activities.

Astoria Sunday Market

10 a.m., 12th St., downtown Astoria, 503-

325-1010. Astoria Sunday Market offers local products by farmers, master gardeners, craftspeople and artisans; live music with Ray Prestegard in the food court.

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Farm Stand

1 p.m., Wickiup Grange, 92683 Svensen Market Road, Svensen. Farm Stand features sustainable grown fresh fruits, vegetables and flowers from local farms.

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Monday, June 12

Historical Tour

9 a.m., Fort Stevens State Park, 100 Peter Iredale Road, Hammond, 503-861-2000, all ages. Take an underground tour through a rare gun battery, ride in the back of a period military truck, or see inside a military jail



at Fort Stevens State Park's summer tours.

Biz Kidz Prep

6 p.m., 4-H Club House, Walluski Loop across from Clatsop County Fairgrounds, Astoria, 503-325-1010. Biz Kidz prepare for their first market day.

Tuesday, June 13



Cannon Beach Farmers Market

1 p.m., Cannon Beach City Hall, 163 Gower Ave., Cannon Beach. This market offers a wide variety of fresh produce, pasture-raised meat, organic cheeses and hand-crafted artisan food products.

Art of Aging

3 p.m., Hoffman Center, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, \$5. Art of Aging/Art of Dying series presents

Jodi Winwalker who will inspire attendees to explore the joy of music and reasons to include more music in one's life.

Wednesday, June 14

Author Presentation

7 p.m., Hoffman Center, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita, 503-368-3846, free.

Gail Frank will speak on "Los Samaritanos," a healing presence along the U.S./Mexico border.

Thursday, June 15

Senior Craft Fair

10:30 a.m., Bob Chisholm Community Center, 1225 Avenue A, Seaside, 503-738-9323, \$3 to \$6.75, all ages. Local artisans highlight their creative talents during the third Thursday Craft Fair, includes handmade crafts, jewelry and more.

River People Farmers Market

2:30 p.m., North Coast Food Web, 577 18th St., Astoria, 503-468-0921. Shop for farm fresh produce, meat, cheese, fish and more from local farmers and producers at the NCFW teaching kitchen.