

POINT of view

THE DAILY ASTORIAN // QUESTION OF THE WEEK

'What do you enjoy most about Thanksgiving?'



"Family, friends and the food. Love the getting together with everybody and laughing."

Kristin Covert, Astoria



"Concentrating on our blessings. It's a time of sharing with those less fortunate."

Vicki Sauvageau, Astoria



"Spending time with family. And the food. Especially the dressing."

Kristi McCauley, Astoria

Thanksgiving dog spectacular features Cannon Beach resident

The Daily Astorian

CANNON BEACH — NBC will present the 16th anniversary edition of the beloved holiday special "The National Dog Show Presented by Purina" on Thanksgiving Day from noon to 2 p.m. following the telecast of NBC's "Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade."

The show features Cannon Beach resident David Frei as expert analyst. Frei is an American Kennel Club-licensed judge, along with John O'Hurley, co-host of USA Network's "Beverly Hills Dog Show Presented by Purina."

NBC's Mary Carillo will report from the benching area and inside the show ring, while Tara Lipinski and Johnny Weir offer a behind-the-scenes look at the show as reporters and digital contributors.

As the co-host of NBC's National Dog Show Presented by Purina since its inception in 2002, Frei is seen every Thanksgiving Day by the largest TV audience for any dog show — most recently more than 25 million viewers in 2016. It is the same role that he perfected in 27 years as the longtime co-host of USA Network's Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show.

He has now added to his duties with NBC/USA as co-host of the Beverly Hills Dog Show, which debuted on Easter in 2017.

Being America's "dog guy" has brought him many appearances on network television, including "Today," "NBC Nightly News," "Good Morning America," "Fox & Friends," "The View," "Martha Stewart," and more.



Tara Lipinski, David Frei and Johnny Weir. The National Dog Show

The dogs have taken him to the White House for a visit with the President, for a ride on a float in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, to ring the opening bell at the New York Stock Exchange, to throw out the first pitch at two Major League Baseball games, to a role on HBO's "Sex And The City" and even to an appearance as a pastry judge on the Food Network's "Best In Show" competition.

A breeder-owner-handler and judge in the world of purebred dogs for more than 40 years, he has enjoyed much competitive success with his Afghan hounds, Brittneys and Cavalier King

Charles spaniel. His dog, Ch. Stormhill's Who's Zoomin' Who, was the top Afghan Hound in the country in 1989 and retired as the top-winning female in the history of the breed. As a judge, he has officiated at shows in the U.S., Canada, Australia, Denmark and China.

He has been honored for his work with the therapy program, Angel On A Leash by the American Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club, the ASPCA, the Pet Philanthropy Circle and a number of other organizations.

NBC will present an encore of the event on Saturday, Nov. 25, from 8 to 10 p.m.

OBITUARIES

William Walter Boone

Hamlet

Aug. 17, 1951 — Nov. 4, 2017

William Walter Boone passed away peacefully at home, surrounded by his wife and children, on Nov. 4, 2017. Born on Aug. 17, 1951, and raised in Portland, William (Bill) was the third child of four born to Harold and Virginia Boone. His older sisters, Debra and Carol Lee, welcomed his arrival, and a couple of years later he was followed by his brother, Daniel.

Bill grew up boating, whitewater kayaking, and fishing on Oregon rivers. At age 19, he spent a summer traveling solo in Europe, and upon his return home, attended the University of Oregon in Eugene.

Bill worked as a cook at Rian's Fish House in Portland in the early 1970s, where he met his wife, Deborah, who worked there as a waitress. In 1974, Bill and Debby married and moved into an old house near Hamlet that underwent a slow and consistent remodeling project for nearly 40 years. Their daughter, Wendy, was born in 1978, and their son, Peter, in 1981.

Bill was a dedicated parent to both children, teaching them to work hard, to be patient, to respect all beings, and to serve their community however they can. When his young daughter finally convinced him that she needed a horse, Bill cleared a pasture, taught her how to build a fence, and bought her two horses. When his son, Peter, wanted a cabin, they designed and built a cabin on skids that they could move around the property with an old Allis Chalmers dozer.

Bill also coached soccer teams for both kids, and spent countless hours watching games in the wind and rain. He was a great listener, and gently helped his kids with subtle advice and wise counsel as they grew up and navigated a challenging world.

Bill began working construction for a local builder soon after moving to the area, and learned to be a skilled carpenter and craftsman. A natural entrepreneur, he operated Charlie Creek Supply, selling building materials, and then started Boone Construction Inc. in 1976. The business successfully weathered the economic ups and downs for 40 years until his retirement in June 2016, and the many beautiful homes he built and remodeled for his clients can be found along the coast from Manzanita to Gearhart.

Many of his clients became good friends, as they found themselves connected to Bill far beyond the business relationship. A capable man, he was also a self-taught plumber, electrician, sport logger, mechanic, road builder, bridge builder, and thanks to his young daughter, occasional horse wrangler.

Bill joined the Hamlet Volunteer Fire Department in 1975, and became fire chief in 1991. He served as chief until he retired from the department in 2016, thus ending a 40-plus year career with the volunteer fire service. Bill believed strongly in a sense of civic duty, and shared this commitment to public service with

both of his own children, as well as other young people in the community.

A natural leader with a calm and quiet hand, his tenure as chief oversaw expansion of the department, the construction of two fire stations, and steady upgrading of equipment. Over the years, he helped thousands of people at hundreds of emergency scenes, and was a comforting presence for those in need of help.

Bill loved good food, and he liked to cook. Dinner was often the highlight of his day, whether he was out at a restaurant or cooking it himself, and he enjoyed teaching his kids how to cook. He also loved live music, especially the blues, and was a regular attendee, with his children and granddaughter most years, at the annual Waterfront Blues Festival in Portland. He was a familiar face at small live music venues in the area, and always enjoyed a good show.

He taught his children to love the outdoors, wildlife, and the forest environment. Both fondly recall time in the woods with Dad falling trees, moving logs, cutting firewood, clearing ditches, watching animals and learning to identify their tracks, picking mushrooms, and tending newly planted trees.

He had his favorite trees, old giants that he watched change and grow over the years, and he carried a wealth of knowledge about the many different varieties that grow on his property. Bill loved his property, which he called "the place," but at the same time he recognized that it wasn't just his. It belonged to all the living things that inhabited it, and he was just one of those things.

Bill loved to fish, and enjoyed vacations in his middle and later years to Mexico and Canada to fish and enjoy life with friends and family. Despite these storied and much-enjoyed trips, he was just as happy to wade the rivers at home with a fly rod. He taught his son Peter to fish for salmon and steelhead, and although a good fish was always celebrated, he also taught his son to truly appreciate a day on the water even if no fish were involved. Bill loved spending time on his boat, and especially enjoyed an overnight voyage up the Columbia River with his granddaughter, Jacqui. His children both have wonderful memories of fishing with Dad, and both learned to love the outdoors as much as he did.

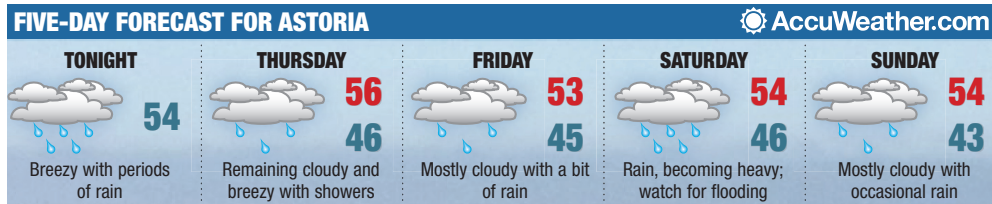
Bill took up elk hunting when he and Debby moved to the coast, and because of his love for animals, he was selective about the animals he chose to harvest. He would drive his son nuts by passing up legal bulls if he thought they would be old and tough, or difficult to pack out.

Bill had many friends from all walks of life, and was loved by many. He loved a good story, whether he was telling or listening, and loved to share a good laugh. He was much loved and will be dearly missed.

Memorial donations can be made to the Hamlet Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 765, Seaside, OR 97138.



William "Bill" Boone



ALMANAC

Astoria through Tuesday.

Temperatures

High/low 63°/45°
 Normal high/low 52°/39°
 Record high 66° in 1954
 Record low 25° in 1985

Precipitation

Tuesday 1.35"
 Month to date 10.47"
 Normal month to date 7.56"
 Year to date 72.62"
 Normal year to date 53.78"

SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight 4:37 p.m.
 Sunrise Thursday 7:27 a.m.
 Moonrise today 10:50 a.m.
 Moonset today 8:13 p.m.

First	Full	Last	New
Nov 26	Dec 3	Dec 9	Dec 17

UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Cygnus, the swan, is beginning its annual nosedive toward the western horizon.

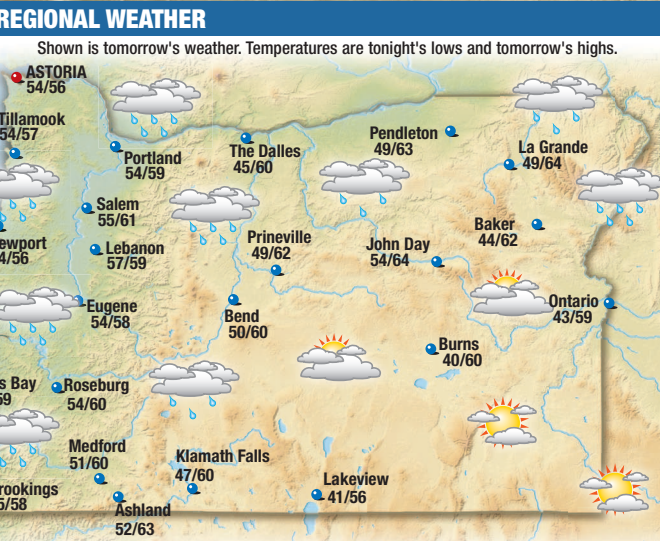
TOMORROW'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks

Time	High	Low
4:39 a.m.	7.4 ft.	9:58 a.m.
3:24 p.m.	8.2 ft.	10:27 p.m.

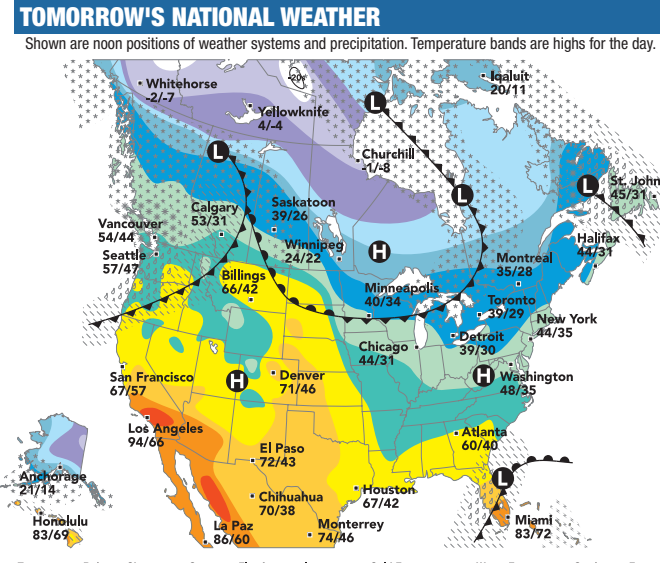
NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.
Atlanta	64 42 pc	60 40 pc
Boston	53 29 r	42 33 s
Chicago	36 30 s	44 31 pc
Denver	65 39 r	71 46 s
Des Moines	40 31 pc	51 39 s
Detroit	37 28 pc	39 30 pc
El Paso	67 40 s	72 43 s
Fairbanks	7 -6 sn	0 -12 c
Honolulu	83 70 pc	83 69 pc
Indianapolis	39 26 s	45 29 pc
Kansas City	42 33 s	58 42 s
Las Vegas	78 56 s	78 56 s
Los Angeles	94 64 s	94 66 s
Memphis	49 31 s	55 35 s
Miami	85 72 pc	83 72 t
Nashville	49 29 s	54 32 s
New Orleans	66 44 c	63 44 s
New York	55 31 r	44 35 s
Oklahoma City	51 34 s	69 43 s
Philadelphia	56 30 r	46 34 s
St. Louis	42 31 s	55 35 s
Salt Lake City	65 42 pc	65 46 pc
San Francisco	68 55 pc	67 57 pc
Seattle	64 56 sh	57 47 sh
Washington, DC	56 32 s	48 35 s



REGIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	City	Today	Thu.
Baker City	58 44 c	62 29 c	Olympia	63 55 sh	56 43 sh
Bend	63 50 c	60 31 c	Pendleton	62 49 c	63 40 c
Brookings	62 56 r	57 46 r	Portland	61 54 sh	59 46 r
Eugene	62 54 sh	58 43 r	Roseburg	67 54 sh	60 43 r
Ilwaco	59 53 r	55 48 sh	Salem	65 55 sh	61 46 r
Klamath Falls	62 47 c	60 34 c	Seaside	61 53 r	56 47 sh
Medford	63 51 c	60 39 r	Spokane	55 50 sh	57 39 r
Newberg	63 57 sh	59 47 r	Springfield	64 56 sh	58 42 r
Newport	61 54 r	56 46 r	Vancouver	60 55 sh	60 46 r
North Bend	64 55 r	58 45 r	Yakima	55 46 sh	61 37 c



DEATH

Nov. 21, 2017
 OLSON, Theodore J., 81, of Hammond, died in Hammond. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Service of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

MEMORIAL

Friday, Nov. 24
 AARNIO, William — Celebration of life at 1 p.m., Astoria Moose Lodge, 420 17th St.
Saturday, Nov. 25
 HALE, Mary Louise (Paetow) — Celebration of life service from 2 to 5 p.m., brief eulogy at 3 p.m., Everett Golf & Country Club, 1500 52nd St. S.E. in Everett, Washington.

LOTTERIES

OREGON		WASHINGTON	
Tuesday's Pick 4:	Tuesday's Mega Millions: 3-7-22-27-50, Mega Ball: 3	Tuesday's Daily Game: 9-4-6	Tuesday's Match 4: 01-14-20-22
1 p.m.: 0-8-4-3	Estimated jackpot: \$119 million	Tuesday's Keno: 01-02-05-07-21-24-26-29-32-33-34-37-46-54-55-60-62-65-72-80	
4 p.m.: 4-8-2-7		Tuesday's Lucky Lines: 04-07-10-15-18-21-28-30	
7 p.m.: 0-2-5-5		Estimated jackpot: \$17,000	
10 p.m.: 0-7-7-0			

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