

Community work party at Astoria Warming Center

ASTORIA — The community is invited to join a work party 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 17, at the Astoria Warming Center, located at the First United Methodist Church (1076 Grand Ave.). Use the side door on 11th Street.

Participants will help

staff clean up for the end of the season with litter patrol, cleaning and putting away pillows and mattresses, and doing laundry at a laundromat.

For more information, and to sign up for the work party, contact Janet Weidman at janet.weidman@icloud.com.

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An 'Affaire' to remember in Seaside

SEASIDE — You are invited to attend the 11th annual “A Sweet Affaire,” an adult event planned for 4 to 6:30 p.m. Sunday, March 11, at the Seaside Civic & Convention Center.

This much-anticipated community event will feature wine, beer, spirits, other non-alcoholic beverage tastings, signature small-bite appetizers provided by local restaurants, fine chocolates and desserts, live music and a variety of raffle and auction items.

Local chefs, restaurateurs, vintners and brewers who have prepared and donated the afternoon’s appetizers, desserts and beverages will be on hand. Pianist Lynn Archibald will provide music for the festivities.

The silent and live auctions include an array of activities within and outside the area, donated by merchants and individuals, including gift certificates from several local restaurants, spas and hotels, beautiful gift baskets, unlimited movie passes, an in-home chef’s dinner, OSU football tickets, zip line tours and “An Opportunity Drawing” featuring a romantic getaway to The Lodge at Columbia Point in Richland, Washington, which includes a hotel stay for two nights, a gift basket from Hood River Distillers,



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Rotarian Les McNary discusses some of the auction items of A Sweet Affaire to a gathering crowd at the 2017 event.

champagne and chocolates — a \$1,000 value!

Through funding from the Sunset Parks and Rotary Foundations, youth and adults have had access to positive recreation activities such as swimming lessons, senior aquatics, after-school care, art enrichment and summer camp programs.

In addition, more than 300 Seaside families have received gifts for the holi-

days; high school students have been awarded college scholarships and given opportunities to participate in youth exchange programs and enjoyed a safe graduation party. From sheltering the homeless, lighting Broadway Field, to feeding the hungry, your participation will help both foundations’ programs make a difference in the lives of our community members.

Tickets for “A Sweet

Affaire” are \$35 and may be purchased at the Sunset Pool, the Bob Chisholm Community Center, US Bank Seaside Branch or from a Seaside Rotary Club member.

For questions, contact event co-chairs Ashley Flukinger (503-738-6380 or ashleyflukinger@gmail.com) or Skyler Archibald (503-738-3311 ext. 103 or sarchibald@sunsetempire.com).

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Youth get down to business at local markets

ASTORIA — A 4-H training will teach youth how to be entrepreneurs 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 10, at the Columbia Center’s Coho Room (2021 Marine Drive) in Astoria.

At this event, young participants will learn

how to pick a product for them to sell, how to market and display it at the Astoria Sunday Market or Seaside Market, how to price their item and how to keep inventory of their products, make a sales journal and work on a

business plan.

Participants can sell as many times as they want throughout the summer months and learn great business skills, including communication, organizational and people skills. Those who sell five

or more times can apply for a cash scholarship.

For questions, contact Sandra Carlson at the OSU 4H and Extension Office (503-325-8573) or Cyndi Mudge with the Astoria Sunday Market (503-325-1010).