

# WEEKEND Best Bets

## FRIDAY

**Rene Denfeld Author Reading & Luncheon**, 12 p.m., Beach Books, 616 Broadway, Seaside, \$30 RSVP.

**Buzz Rogowski**, jazz, 6 p.m., Bridge-water Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria, no cover.

**Ray Raihala**, Americana, 6 p.m., Urban Café, 1119 Commercial St., Astoria, no cover.

**Thistle & Rose**, bluegrass, 6 p.m., Seasons Café, 255 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

**Folkslinger**, bluegrass, 7 p.m., Mc-Menamins Sand Trap, 1157 Marion Ave., Gearhart, no cover.

**"Moonglow,"** 7 p.m., Barn Community Playhouse, 1204 Ivy Ave., Tillamook, \$10 to \$15.

**"The Odd Couple,"** 7:30 p.m., Coaster Theatre, 108 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, \$20 to \$25, rated PG.

**Laney Lou & the Bird Dogs**, country, 8 p.m., Adrift Hotel, 409 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., no cover.

**UMPHY**, folk, 8 p.m., Public Coast Brewing Co., 264 Third St., Cannon Beach, no cover.

**RockFish Blues Band**, 8:30 p.m., Pitchwood Alehouse, 425 3rd St., Raymond, Wash., 21+.

## SATURDAY

**Harry Miller Camp Kiwanis Golf Charity Golf Tourney**, 8 a.m., Seaside Golf Course, 451 Avenue U, Seaside.

**\* Clatsop County Master Gardeners Spring Plant Sale**, 8:30 a.m., Clatsop County Fairgrounds, 92937 Walluski Loop, Astoria.

**\* Coastal Community Festival**, 9 a.m., City Park, 207 Spruce St., Cannon Beach.

**\* Celebrity Chef Challenge**, 1 p.m., City Park, 207 Spruce St., Cannon Beach.

**\* Mother's Day Tea**, 1 p.m., Flavel House Museum, 441 8th St., Astoria, \$8 to \$12.



**A park ranger will lead a guided walk to look for and identify birds in Warrenton during the International Migratory Bird Day Hike Sunday at Fort Stevens State Park. Pictured is a western tanager.**

Seattle Audubon Society

**Deborah Reed Author Reading**, 2 p.m., Cannon Beach Library, 131 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

**Seaside AAUW Fashion Show**, 2 p.m., Astoria Country Club, 33445 Sunset Beach Lane, Warrenton, \$30 pre-sold Beach Books.

**Jim Fitzgerald Artist Talk**, 4 p.m., LightBox Photographic Gallery, 1045 Marine Drive, Astoria.

**ScheckPea Duo**, blues, 5 p.m., Luminari Arts Gallery, 1133 Commercial St., Astoria.

**Second Saturday Art Walk**, 5 p.m.,

throughout Astoria; look for colorful pinwheels at participating merchants.

**Ray Raihala**, folk, 6 p.m., T. Paul's Supper Club, 360 12th St., Astoria, no cover.

**Wes Wahmund**, jazz, 6 p.m., The Bistrot, 263 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

**Dan Weber**, Americana, 7 p.m., Peninsula Arts Center, 504 Pacific Ave., Long Beach, Wash., \$15.

**"Moonglow,"** 7 p.m., Barn Community Playhouse, 1204 Ivy Ave., Tillamook, \$10 to \$15.

**Alena Sheldon**, country, 7:30 p.m., American Legion, 1315 Broadway, Seaside, no cover, 21+.

**"The Odd Couple,"** 7:30 p.m., Coaster Theatre, 108 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, \$20 to \$25, rated PG.

**Two Crows Joy**, Americana, 8 p.m., Workers Tavern, 281 Marine Drive, Astoria.

## SUNDAY

**\* International Migratory Bird Day Hike**, 9 a.m., Fort Stevens State Park, Battery Russell, 100 Peter Iredale Road, Hammond.

**Gail Pettis**, jazz, 2 p.m., Raymond Theatre, 323 Third St., Raymond, Wash., \$15.

**Maggie & the Katz**, blues, 5:30 p.m., The Bistro, 263 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach.

**Julie Adams & Michael Costello**, Americana, 7:30 p.m., Seaside Brewing Co., 851 Broadway, Seaside, no cover.

**Edmund Wayne**, indie roots, 8 p.m., Adrift Hotel, 409 Sid Snyder Drive, Long Beach, Wash., no cover.

**\* Recommended for kids.**

## Saddle Mountain to open for sunny weekend

The Daily Astorian

Saddle Mountain State Natural Area, closed for the past few weeks while crews removed hazard trees and patched asphalt on the road

leading into the park, will open briefly for the weekend.

The park will open at 3 p.m. on Friday and remain open through dusk on Sunday.

The opening will coin-

cide with a forecast of sunny and warm weather. The park will close again after the weekend and remain closed through May 18 so maintenance work can be completed.

## Astoria ferry gets electric grant

The Daily Astorian

The Oregon Community Foundation has awarded the nonprofit Astoria Ferry Group \$20,000 to overhaul the Tourist No. 2 ferry's electrical system.

The ferry group is trying to refurbish the 94-year-old ferry, which used to transport people across the Columbia River, into a tourist attraction and event space. The grant will help repair and replace distribution panels that provide electricity for navigation, bilge pumps, the engine compartment heater, air circulation and lighting.

The restoration will be supervised by Stephen Gleaves, a retired electrical engineer from the Washington State Ferries agency and advisory board

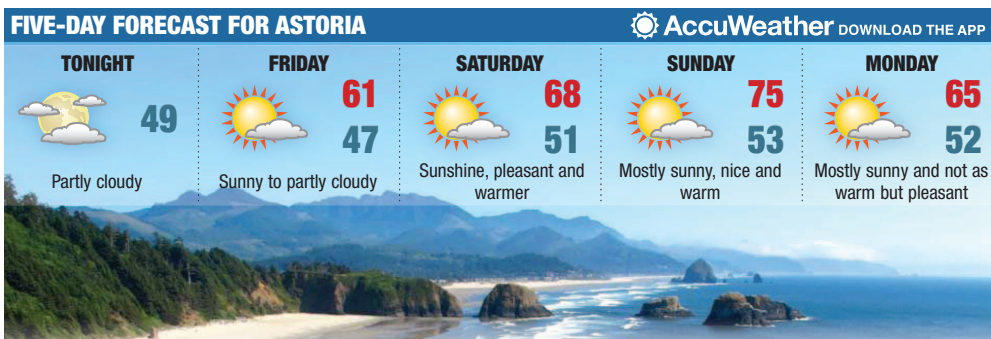


The Astoria Ferry Group recently received a \$20,000 grant from the Oregon Community Foundation to help with electrical work on the Tourist No. 2.

member for the ferry group. Gleaves helped design all the electrical systems for Washington state ferries since 1991.

Students in the seamanship

program at Tongue Point Job Corps Center and in the historic preservation program at Clatsop Community College will assist in the project.



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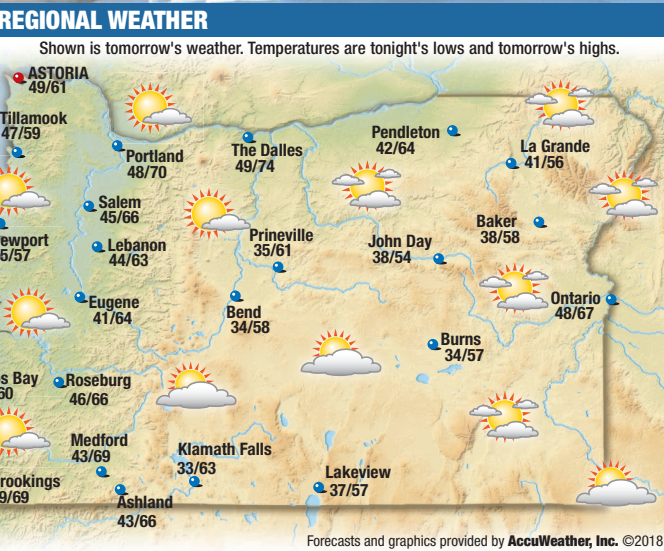
Astoria through Wednesday.

**Temperatures**

High/Low ..... 60°/52°  
 Normal high/low ..... 60°/44°  
 Record high ..... 78° in 1940  
 Record low ..... 34° in 2006

**Precipitation**

Wednesday ..... 0.06"  
 Month to date ..... 0.18"  
 Normal month to date ..... 1.10"  
 Year to date ..... 32.88"  
 Normal year to date ..... 31.14"



### SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight ..... 8:35 p.m.  
 Sunrise Friday ..... 5:48 a.m.  
 Moonrise today ..... 3:52 a.m.  
 Moonset today ..... 3:12 p.m.

New First Full Last  
 May 15 May 21 May 29 June 6

### UNDER THE SKY

**Tonight's Sky:** Hercules climbs in the eastern sky this evening. Look for a keystone pattern of dim stars high in the east by mid evening.

Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

### TOMORROW'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks

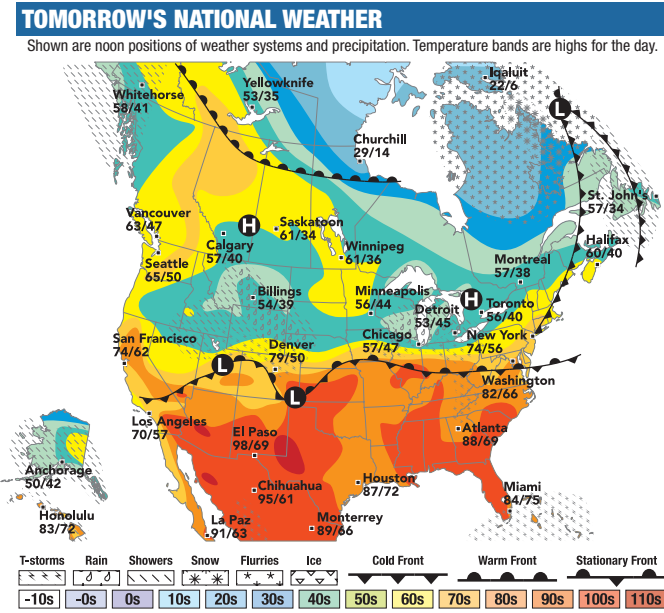
Time	High	Time	Low
11:09 a.m.	6.9 ft.	5:18 a.m.	1.8 ft.
11:41 p.m.	8.1 ft.	5:19 p.m.	1.2 ft.

### NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Mon.
Atlanta	87/66 s	88/69 s			
Boston	67/54 pc	64/49 pc			
Chicago	73/46 pc	57/47 r			
Denver	89/51 s	79/50 pc			
Des Moines	78/59 pc	74/51 t			
Detroit	74/43 pc	53/45 r			
El Paso	101/71 s	98/69 s			
Fairbanks	73/47 pc	65/42 c			
Honolulu	84/69 pc	83/72 pc			
Indianapolis	82/61 s	88/70 pc			
Kansas City	89/66 pc	89/70 pc			
Las Vegas	98/72 s	92/66 s			
Los Angeles	76/59 pc	70/57 sh			
Memphis	89/69 pc	90/70 s			
Miami	84/74 c	84/75 t			
Nashville	88/65 pc	91/66 s			
New Orleans	90/67 s	90/69 s			
New York	72/58 pc	74/56 pc			
Oklahoma City	87/65 s	87/68 pc			
Philadelphia	81/60 t	77/60 s			
St. Louis	90/68 pc	92/72 pc			
Salt Lake City	78/56 pc	58/42 t			
San Francisco	67/54 pc	74/62 pc			
Seattle	59/48 c	65/50 s			
Washington, DC	81/63 t	82/66 s			

### REGIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Mon.
Baker City	61/38 pc	58/40 pc			
Bend	59/34 c	58/40 pc			
Brookings	61/47 c	65/51 s			
Eugene	61/41 c	64/44 s			
Ilwaco	55/50 s	59/49 s			
Klamath Falls	64/33 pc	63/40 pc			
Medford	69/43 c	69/44 s			
Newberg	61/43 c	66/46 s			
Newport	55/45 c	57/45 s			
North Bend	60/47 c	60/48 s			
Olympia	60/42 c	67/43 s			
Pendleton	65/42 pc	64/44 pc			
Portland	63/48 c	70/51 s			
Roseburg	64/46 c	66/49 s			
Salem	63/45 c	66/47 s			
Seaside	56/49 c	59/48 s			
Spokane	60/43 pc	66/47 pc			
Springfield	61/43 c	63/45 s			
Vancouver	61/47 c	68/47 s			
Yakima	69/47 c	75/51 pc			



## Warrenton looks for development input

The Daily Astorian

Warrenton is looking for some feedback.

An eight-question survey is one of the first steps in developing an economic road map, according to city officials. The city is working in partnership with the nonprofit Rural Development Initiatives.

The survey will likely

remain on the city's website through the end of May, Mayor Henry Balensifer said.

The short survey focuses on the business community and business-related opportunities, asking questions like: "How would you 'sell' Warrenton to a prospective business?"

But there are also broader questions that hit at quality of life and development issues

the City Commission has been wrestling with for the future.

In addition to surveys and interviews, the process with Rural Development Initiatives will involve a community economic assessment, focus group meetings, action plans and teams. Balensifer has already appointed people to the focus group to represent diverse interests in Warrenton and Hammond.

## New sheriff's deputy to graduate on Friday

The Daily Astorian

The Clatsop County Sheriff's Office will soon have a new deputy on patrol.

The state Department of Public Safety Standards and Training will graduate its 377th Basic Police Class — including 40 new officers throughout Oregon — Friday morning

in Salem. The 16-week class teaches skills such as firearm use, emergency vehicle operations, ethics, cultural diversity, problem solving, community policing, elder abuse and drug recognition.

Deputy Travis Owsley will join the sheriff's office after the graduation. The ceremony begins at 10 a.m.

## ON THE RECORD

**Assault**  
 • At 5:08 p.m. Wednesday, Donel William Van Gundy, 52, of Astoria, was arrested by the

Clatsop County Sheriff's Office on U.S. Highway 30 and charged with fourth-degree assault, strangulation, menacing, possession of

a weapon with intent to use and criminal mischief. The alleged victim sustained several minor injuries after a domestic disturbance.

## CORRECTION

**Game location incorrect** — Warrenton defeated Catlin Gabel 6-4 in a home game Tuesday. A story on 10A Wednesday incorrectly said the game was on the road in Portland.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

**THURSDAY**  
**Seaside Budget Committee**, 4 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.  
**Seaside Convention Center Commission**, 5 p.m., 415 First

Ave. **Cannon Beach Academy**, 5:30 p.m., 3718 S. Hemlock St.  
**Warrenton Budget Committee**, 5:30 p.m., 225 S. Main St.

**Warrenton Planning Commission**, 6 p.m., 225 S. Main St.  
**Gearhart Planning Commission**, 6 p.m., 698 Pacific Way.

## LOTTERIES

**OREGON**  
**Wednesday's Pick 4:**  
**1 p.m.:** 3-4-4-7  
**4 p.m.:** 4-9-2-5  
**7 p.m.:** 3-9-9-1  
**10 p.m.:** 9-1-2-9  
**Wednesday's Lucky Lines:** 01-08-11-15-20-22-25-30  
 Estimated jackpot: \$12,000  
**Wednesday's Megabucks:** 1-4-

15-26-27-37  
 Estimated jackpot: \$5.8 million  
**Wednesday's Powerball:** 11-16-38-50-69, Powerball: 19  
 Estimated jackpot: \$257 million

**WASHINGTON**  
**Wednesday's Daily Game:**  
 5-4-1  
**Wednesday's Hit 5:** 15-30-32-

36-38  
 Estimated jackpot: \$180,000  
**Wednesday's Keno:** 07-13-14-17-21-22-32-33-34-36-37-42-46-53-55-64-70-74-77-79  
**Wednesday's Lotto:** 06-13-16-24-33-39  
 Estimated jackpot: \$2 million  
**Wednesday's Match 4:** 01-08-20-24

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