

Ronald Joe Perdue

Astoria

Aug. 11, 1958 — Aug. 19, 2018

Ron Joe Perdue was born in Astoria, Oregon, on Aug. 11, 1958, to Raymond and Hazel Perdue (Mobley). He was a Clatsop County resident his entire life.

Ron graduated from Warrenton High School in 1976. He married Susan Turnbull in April 1977, and they had three children. Ron worked most of his adult life at the Warrenton Sawmill.

He enjoyed spending time with his family, camping and riding anything equipped with a motor. He especially favored quads, UTV's and motorcycles. Ron had quite a gift for teaching others how to ride, and his passion for this pastime gave confidence to anyone willing to learn. He wanted everyone else to share in his enthusiasm for riding.

In addition to his love of life and his family, Ron was perhaps best known for his unfiltered sense of humor.

Ron lived in the Lewis and Clark area of Astoria at the time of his death, and enjoyed how peaceful it was there. He passed on Aug. 19, 2018, at the age of 60, after a brief battle with cancer. He was surrounded by those he loved. At the time of his passing, he was very concerned about the love of his life.

He is survived by his beautiful mother,

Hazel; his sister, LeEllen; and brothers, Ray and Jerry. He is also survived by his "one and only, only one" wife, Susan; son, James Perdue and his wife, Brandi; son, Jason Perdue and his wife, Dany; daughter, Danielle Perdue and her significant other, James. He leaves behind five granddaughters, Josephine Rose Perdue Posey, Lily Marie Perdue, Kaylee Ann Perdue, Grace May Perdue and Riley Elizabeth Rae Nice. They were the twinkle in his eyes.

His father, Raymond, preceded him in death.

At Ron's request, there will be a "Celebration of Life" and potluck at 89642 Logan Road, in Astoria, Oregon, on Sept. 8 at noon. Anyone wishing to share memories is invited to do so.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Ron's name to Lower Columbia Hospice, 2111 Exchange St., Astoria, OR., 97103.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by Hughes-Ransom Mortuaries and Crematory, Astoria. Visit the online memorial tribute to write a comment or sign the guest book at www.hughes-ransom.com, or share with others on fb.me/hughesransommortuary

Reino Antero Vedenoja

Astoria

April 15, 1935 — Aug. 23, 2018

Reino Antero Vedenoja was born on April 15, 1935 in Kalajoki, Finland, and was called home to heaven on Aug. 23, 2018, at his home in Astoria, Oregon.

A proud Finn, Reino was born in a small town much like his future home on the Oregon Coast. Kalajoki was a small seaside community that was blessed with abundant fishing, farming and forest resources. Reino grew up on a farm, the youngest child in a large family.

Reino met the love of his life, Railii, in Kalajoki, and they were married on Aug. 29, 1954. Soon after their wedding, Reino was summoned to serve in the Finnish Army, where his enterprising spirit led him to become a self-taught barber to earn extra money to support his young family.

After the Army, Reino worked as an entrepreneur and trucker, mill worker, construction worker and metal fabricator — the one thread that ran through his storied working life was his incredible work ethic and pride in what he did. In 1971, Reino and Railii and their seven children immigrated to Astoria, Oregon. With the support of Railii's brother, Antti, wife, Eila, and the Rahlkola family, Reino and family planted new roots and found their place in a community that reminded them very much of where they grew up.

After the tragic loss of their beloved daughter, Maija, in 1982, Reino found redemption and peace through Jesus Christ. He became a leader and elder in the Finnish Free Evangelical Church, and was known in the U.S., Canada and Finland for his powerful personal testimony of faith and his rich baritone voice. In their home, Reino and Railii hosted church services and prayer meetings, as well as pastors, missionaries, evangelists, singers and even an Olympic athlete sharing his path to Christ.

In retirement, Reino found great joy in fishing the Columbia River, traveling, watch-

ing his family grow and blossom, and tinkering around the house and yard. He was incredibly proud of his family, and always had a good story to share with anyone who would listen.

After a long and full life, his final days were spent exactly as he had wanted, cared for and surrounded by his wife and large, loving family.

Reino is survived by his wife, Railii; children, Marju (Vaughn) Jaakola, Lasse (Melissa) Vedenoja, Arja (Jeff) Shepard, Eeva Gray, Sari (Dean) Hartman, of Astoria, Oregon, and Eija (Risto) Liias, of Everett, Washington; grandchildren, Petri, Sanna (Jason), Kai (Nicki), Kimmo (Jennifer), Kirsti, Marko, Katri (Mike), AJ, Jason, Lisa (Neil),

Timo (Hayden), Mika, Markus and Maija (Wyatt); great-grandchildren, Mikko, Raija, Marissa, Taylor, Gavin, Vivianna, Leo, Ciara, Josh, Grayden, Emelia, Landin and Brayden; sister, Elli Rasmus, of Alavieska, Finland; and many, many other loved ones from Oregon to Finland.

The family wishes to thank Dr. Paul Voeller, the neurointensive care unit team at Oregon Health & Science University, Lower Columbia Hospice, and Columbia Memorial Hospital for the care provided to Reino.

There will be a private, graveside memorial followed by a celebration of Reino's life at his home on Erie Avenue on Saturday, Sept. 1, at 3 p.m.; friends and loved ones are warmly welcome to join this celebration. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you support the Astoria Rescue Mission or a charity of your choice in Reino's loving memory.

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day — and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing." 2 Timothy 4:7-8



Reino Vedenoja

Hood to Coast chairman replaced after snubbing women's teams

By BRENNIA VISSER
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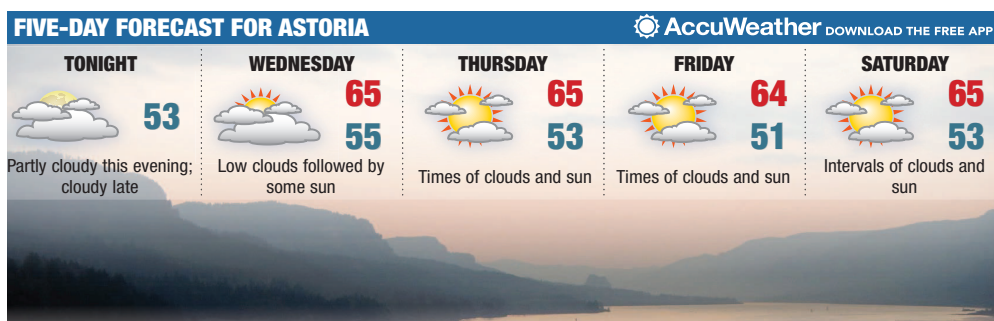
Hood to Coast founder and chairman Bob Foote has been replaced after not recognizing the top women's teams during the awards ceremony on Saturday in Seaside.

Organizers announced Foote's daughter, Felicia Hubber, the race director since 2006, as the new chairwoman. Hubber will also continue as race director.

Chief operating officer Dan Floyd said the decision was the result of a conversation between himself,

Foote and Hubber, and is a decision Foote "100 percent supports."

"What's not being said is that Bob has suggested this for years, that she take over," Floyd said. "Felicia agreed, and has decided now is the time for her to chart our future as an organization."



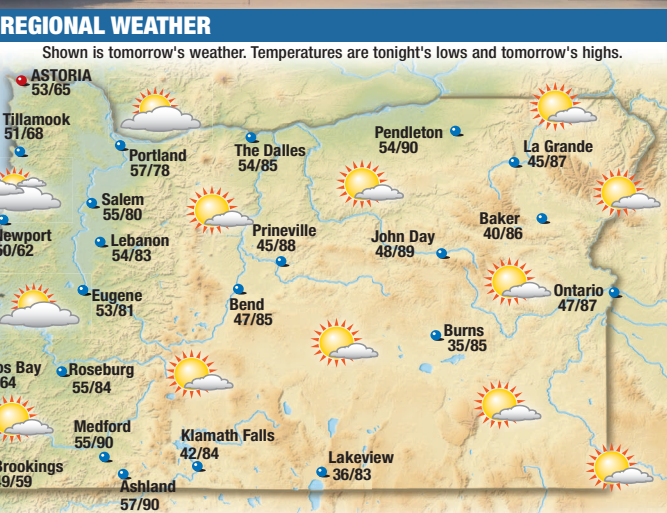
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Astoria through Monday.	
Temperatures	
High/low	71°/55°
Normal high/low	69°/52°
Record high	88° in 1894
Record low	43° in 1955
Precipitation	
Monday	0.00"
Month to date	0.51"
Normal month to date	0.94"
Year to date	36.25"
Normal year to date	37.88"

SUN AND MOON			
Sunset tonight	8:02 p.m.		
Sunrise Wednesday	6:32 a.m.		
Moonrise today	9:23 p.m.		
Moonset today	8:35 a.m.		
Last New First Full			
Sep 2	Sep 9	Sep 16	Sep 24

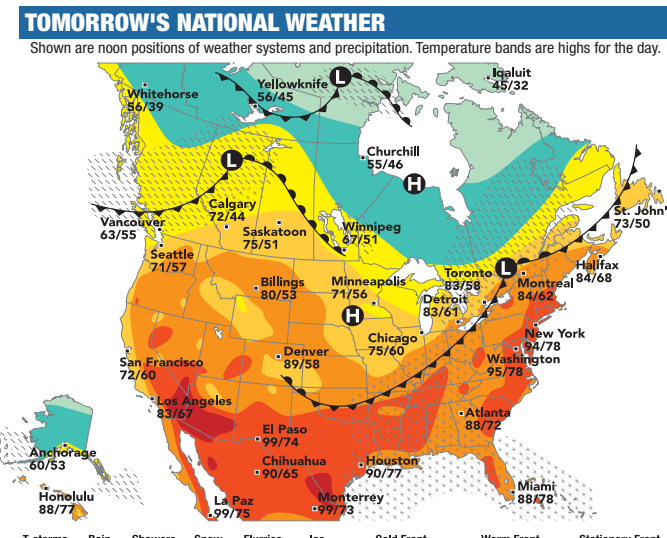
UNDER THE SKY
Tonight's Sky: The Milky Way arcs high overhead, from Cassiopeia in the north, through the Summer Triangle overhead, to Sagittarius in the south.

TOMORROW'S TIDES			
Astoria / Port Docks			
Time	High	Time	Low
3:33 a.m.	7.7 ft.	9:53 a.m.	-0.1 ft.
4:05 p.m.	7.8 ft.	10:19 p.m.	0.8 ft.

NATIONAL CITIES						
City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	91	73	pc	88	72	t
Boston	96	77	s	98	77	s
Chicago	93	70	c	75	60	sh
Denver	75	52	pc	89	58	s
Des Moines	83	57	t	75	55	s
Detroit	92	74	s	83	61	t
El Paso	98	72	s	99	74	pc
Fairbanks	56	44	c	57	44	c
Honolulu	88	78	c	88	77	pc
Indianapolis	91	75	s	84	63	t
Kansas City	90	62	t	78	60	s
Las Vegas	100	77	s	100	80	s
Los Angeles	82	67	pc	83	67	pc
Memphis	92	76	pc	90	75	t
Miami	88	77	pc	88	78	t
Nashville	94	75	pc	90	73	t
New Orleans	88	79	t	88	78	pc
New York	92	78	pc	94	78	s
Oklahoma City	94	69	s	88	71	pc
Philadelphia	95	77	pc	95	78	pc
St. Louis	95	78	s	84	68	pc
Salt Lake City	76	56	s	86	65	s
San Francisco	70	58	pc	72	60	pc
Seattle	81	56	pc	71	57	s
Washington, DC	95	79	s	95	78	s



REGIONAL CITIES													
City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	76	40	pc	86	43	s	Olympia	82	48	pc	70	53	pc
Bend	79	47	pc	85	45	pc	Pendleton	81	54	pc	90	58	pc
Brookings	66	51	s	60	50	pc	Portland	87	57	pc	78	59	pc
Eugene	89	53	pc	81	54	pc	Roseburg	92	55	pc	84	56	s
Ilwaco	68	54	s	64	57	pc	Salem	88	55	pc	80	56	pc
Klamath Falls	81	42	s	84	43	s	Seaside	72	53	s	65	57	pc
Medford	90	55	pc	90	54	s	Spokane	75	52	pc	79	52	pc
Newberg	87	52	pc	81	54	pc	Springfield	89	53	pc	84	53	pc
Newport	68	50	s	62	51	pc	Vancouver	86	54	pc	78	57	pc
North Bend	70	52	s	63	54	pc	Yakima	81	49	pc	85	50	s



Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

Woman rescued after seizure on NOAA ship off Grays Harbor

The Daily Astorian

A 32-year-old woman was hoisted Sunday from a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration vessel about 40 miles northwest of Grays Harbor, Washington.

The crew onboard Bell M. Shimada — a 196-foot

Oscar Dyson-class fisheries research vessel based in Newport — contacted the Coast Guard at 10:23 p.m. The caller reported that the woman sat down on the deck due to dizziness, suffered a seizure and temporarily lost consciousness.

An MH-60 Jayhawk helicopter crew from Air Sta-

tion Astoria responded to the scene. A rescue swimmer from the helicopter secured the woman in a stokes litter on deck before she was hoisted from the ship.

After the helicopter arrived back at the air station, she was taken by ambulance to Columbia Memorial Hospital in Astoria.

ON THE RECORD

DUII

• At 8:40 p.m. Friday, Terry Diane Nelson, 67, of Astoria, was arrested by Astoria police and charged with driving under the influence of intoxicants, reckless driving, reckless endangerment and second-degree criminal mischief. Nelson allegedly crashed into a parked car as

a woman was putting a child inside. The woman jumped inside the car to avoid the collision. Nelson, who police suspect consumed drugs prior to the accident, was taken to Columbia Memorial Hospital in Astoria.

• At 1:14 p.m. Friday, Dennis Charles Tresham, 66, of Astoria, was arrested by

Astoria police on Alameda Avenue and Floral Street and charged with driving under the influence of intoxicants. A car Tresham was allegedly driving went over an embankment and rolled 20 feet before coming to a stop in an upside down position. Tresham's blood alcohol content was 0.13 percent.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

TUESDAY
Clatsop County Human Services Advisory Council, 4 to 5:30 p.m., 800 Exchange St., Room 430.
Clatsop Care Health District Board, 5 p.m., Clatsop Care Health and Rehabilitation, 646

16th St.
Astoria Library Board, 5:30 p.m., Library Flag Room, 450 10th St.
Warrenton City Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 225 S. Main Ave.
Astoria Planning Commis-

sion, 6:30 p.m., City Hall, 1095 Duane St.

THURSDAY
Clatsop County Recreational Lands Planning and Advisory Committee, 1 to 3 p.m., fourth floor, 800 Exchange St.

LOTTERIES

OREGON
Monday's Pick 4:
1 p.m.: 5-1-5-5
4 p.m.: 2-9-6-4
7 p.m.: 6-2-1-6
10 p.m.: 1-0-7-4
Monday's Lucky Lines: 02-08-09-14-20-23-25-31

Estimated jackpot: \$31,000
Monday's Megabucks: 3-4-22-25-28-48
Estimated jackpot: \$6.3 million

WASHINGTON
Monday's Daily Game: 2-0-5
Monday's Hit 5: 15-17-20-32-34

Estimated jackpot: \$100,000
Monday's Keno: 04-09-10-11-12-15-22-26-27-42-47-50-55-57-58-60-65-67-75-79
Monday's Lotto: 05-23-24-31-39-40
Estimated jackpot: \$2.1 million
Monday's Match 4: 01-08-11-12

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