

Investigation launched after threats at Astoria High School

Parent alerted school after son threatened

By EDWARD STRATTON
The Daily Astorian

Police are investigating alleged threats of violence by a student at Astoria High School.

A parent of a student posted on Facebook on Monday that another student has been threatening to shoot, stab or kill her son over the past two weeks. The family made a third report Monday that the student threatened to kill her son at the upcoming homecoming dance, she wrote. She encouraged other parents to contact the high school with their concerns.

Lynn Jackson, the principal at the high school, issued a statement to parents about the investigation.

“Upon receiving information regarding threats of potential violence toward another student, the administration of Astoria High School began a preliminary investigation Monday morning to discover who were the alleged student(s) involved in the report,” he said. “By late morning, the investigation became a collaborative effort between the Astoria Police Department and the Astoria School District to fully ascertain the level of threat the issue entailed.

“Steps have been taken to ensure the safety of students involved while adhering to district and board policies. The situation continues to be collaboratively investigated with the Astoria Police

Department.”

Sgt. Brian Aydt said officers are still interviewing students. While the investigation is in the early stages, it appears the alleged threat was only by one student toward another, rather than a threat of mass violence, he said. Once the investigation is finished, it will be forwarded to the Clatsop County District Attorney’s office to see if charges will be filed.

Craig Hoppes, school superintendent in Astoria, declined to comment on the specific case but said that, by policy, students are removed from class after threats of violence. The school district’s policy regarding threats of violence includes “removing from the classroom setting any student who has threatened to injure another person or to severely damage school property.”

Tall ship returns to Astoria

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The Hawaiian Chieftain will return to Astoria next week for tours and sailing excursions.

The tall ship, along with companion ship Lady Washington, moored at city docks this summer after being unable to find moorage with the Port of Newport.

The Hawaiian Chieftain, a steel hulled educational ship launched in 1988 in Hawaii, arrives in Astoria on Oct. 2 and will leave on Oct. 8.

The ship will be open for tours Oct. 3 through Oct. 7. Several sails will also be offered, includ-



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ing a “history sail” with archaeologist Melissa Darby, who will talk about Sir Francis Drake, an English explorer, sea captain, privateer and slave trader, and dis-

cuss the possibility that he made landfall in Oregon in 1579.

For more information or to purchase tickets, visit www.historyseaport.org

News collaborative to cover Capitol

Capital Bureau

SALEM — A news collaborative to sharpen and expand coverage of Oregon state government and politics has launched, combining the strengths of three news organizations.

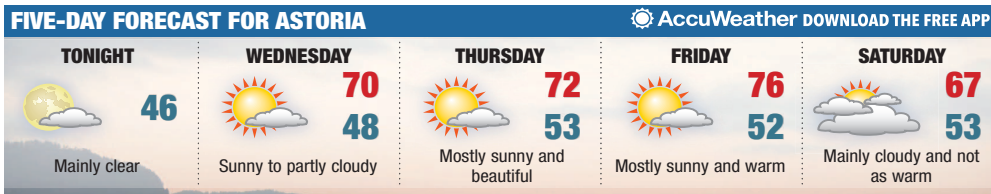
The new team represents Pamplin Media Group, publisher of the Portland Tribune and 24 other newspapers, EO Media Group, which publishes The Daily Astorian, East Oregonian and nine other news-

papers, and Salem Reporter, a digital news service.

A reporter from each organization has been assigned to the Oregon Capital Bureau operation. They are Paris Achen of the Portland Tribune, Claire Withycombe of the East Oregonian and The Daily Astorian, and Aubrey Wieber of Salem Reporter. They will work under the direction of Les Zaitz, editor of Salem Reporter and a veteran investigative reporter.

“Throughout its 110-year

history the EO Media Group has been committed to quality journalism,” said Heidi Wright, the group’s chief operating officer. “That commitment led us to our original collaboration with Pamplin Media Group to provide our readers with important stories other news outlets had abandoned. This coverage has never been more vital and the resources Salem Reporter brings to the effort will increase the value of this coverage to our readers.”

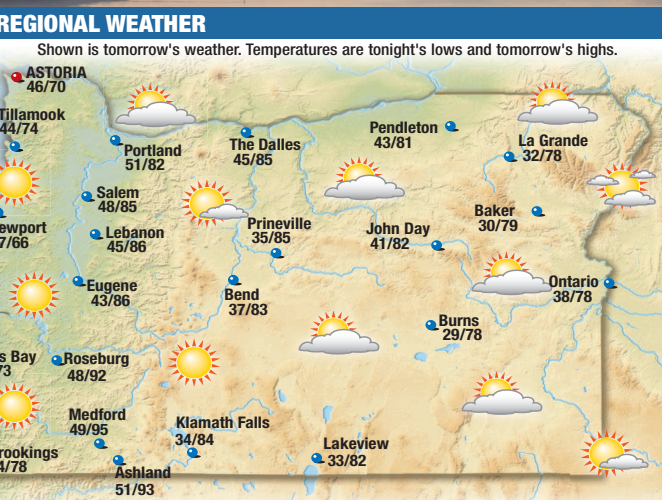


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Astoria through Monday.

Temperatures
 High/low 66°/42°
 Normal high/low 67°/48°
 Record high 85° in 1991
 Record low 36° in 1970

Precipitation
 Monday 0.00"
 Month to date 2.25"
 Normal month to date 1.57"
 Year to date 38.53"
 Normal year to date 39.67"



SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight 7:08 p.m.
 Sunrise Wednesday 7:07 a.m.
 Moonrise today 7:52 p.m.
 Moonset today 7:30 a.m.

Oct 2 Oct 8 Oct 16 Oct 24

UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Draco, the dragon, slithers around the Little Dipper. Its brightest star is Thuban, between the Little Dipper and the handle of the Big Dipper.

TOMORROW'S TIDES

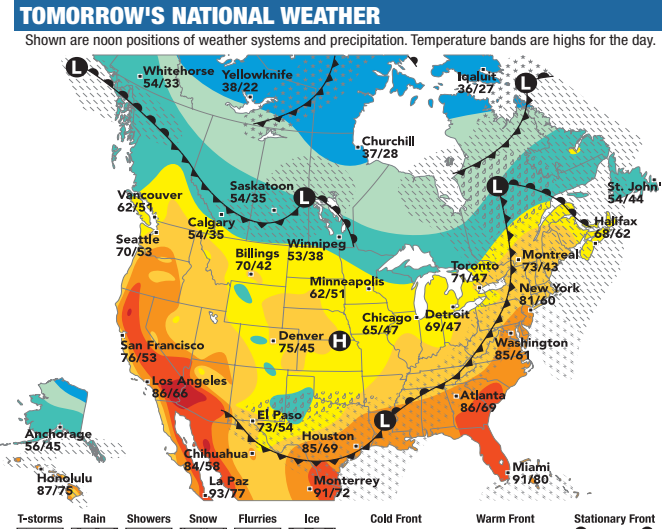
Time	High	Time	Low
2:42 a.m.	7.8 ft.	8:51 a.m.	0.3 ft.
2:55 p.m.	8.2 ft.	9:21 p.m.	0.0 ft.

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	86	71	pc	86	69	t
Boston	66	66	r	79	59	c
Chicago	82	53	t	65	47	pc
Denver	66	42	pc	75	45	s
Des Moines	65	46	r	65	50	s
Detroit	77	61	t	69	47	pc
El Paso	92	64	s	73	54	t
Fairbanks	51	40	c	50	34	c
Honolulu	88	76	pc	87	75	pc
Indianapolis	77	58	t	68	49	pc
Kansas City	77	46	t	67	46	s
Las Vegas	97	74	s	96	74	s
Los Angeles	79	63	pc	86	66	pc
Memphis	85	68	t	74	59	sh
Miami	91	81	pc	91	80	pc
Nashville	83	70	t	74	58	t
New Orleans	88	76	t	87	75	t
New York	72	70	r	81	60	t
Oklahoma City	83	55	pc	63	50	sh
Philadelphia	78	71	r	84	61	t
St. Louis	84	54	t	70	52	pc
Salt Lake City	71	44	s	74	52	s
San Francisco	74	52	s	76	53	pc
Seattle	68	50	s	70	53	pc
Washington, DC	81	71	sh	85	61	t

REGIONAL CITIES

City	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	72	30	s	79	36	pc
Bend	74	37	s	83	43	s
Brookings	78	53	s	74	52	s
Eugene	83	43	s	86	45	s
Ilwaco	69	50	s	68	52	s
Klamath Falls	78	34	s	84	35	s
Medford	91	49	s	95	52	s
Newberg	82	47	s	84	49	s
Newport	67	47	s	66	48	s
North Bend	70	49	s	68	51	s
Olympia	71	44	s	74	46	pc
Pendleton	75	43	s	81	46	pc
Portland	82	51	s	82	53	pc
Roseburg	86	48	s	92	51	s
Salem	82	48	s	85	50	s
Seaside	73	48	s	71	49	s
Spokane	69	45	s	74	50	pc
Springfield	83	43	s	86	46	s
Vancouver	80	49	s	81	50	pc
Yakima	76	40	s	80	46	pc



Calvin Frank Johnson

Astoria

Sept. 29, 1924 — Sept. 17, 2018

Calvin “Cal” Johnson was born in Portland, Oregon, to Calvin W. Johnson and Nellie I. (Parish) Johnson. He spent his childhood with older sister, Melba, and younger sister, Colleen, in the Ardenwald neighborhood of Milwaukie, Oregon.

When Cal was in high school, the family moved to Newport, and later settled in Astoria. Cal grew to love Astoria, and never wanted to live anywhere else. With his father’s guidance and help, Cal eventually built his home on the hill in Astoria.

Over the years, Cal worked for a number of businesses. He was a supervisor at New England Fish, where he taught the employees how to fillet fish. At Larson Dairy and later at Darigold, he learned to make ice cream and was called “the ice cream man,” winning state awards in competition for his vanilla, chocolate and fresh strawberry ice cream. Later on, Cal worked for Nehalem Valley Freight before retiring.

Cal was a man of many talents and determination. He had numerous interests, hobbies and talents, including woodworking, hunting, fishing, photography and trap shooting. He was a master craftsman, upholstering his own furniture and building wooden boats. He was also a rock hound, and collected gemstones to make into jewelry.



Calvin Johnson

He was No. 4 seniority in the Knappa Gun Club, and helped in the construction of the rifle sites and clubhouse. He was also a member of the National Rifle Association, and was an expert in gun evaluation and checked gun stock.

He loved gardening and canning his own vegetables, and often sold them to the Peter Pan Market, which his sister and her husband once owned. He also canned his own tuna, salmon and sturgeon.

In 1995, Cal married Phyllis Thompson, a former Astorian. Together, they spent many happy years, and split their time between Astoria and Laguna Hills, California. She survives, along with his stepchildren, Kathy Thompson Fox, Ken Thompson and Connie Thompson Ballenger. His sister, Colleen Johnson Hensley, also survives, as well as his nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Lower Columbia Hospice.

Cal will be remembered for his generosity, his love for family and pets, and for his deep devotion to his beloved Phyllis. Per his wishes, a private service is planned.

Caldwell’s Luce-Layton Mortuary is in charge of the arrangements. Please sign our online guest book at www.caldwellmortuary.com

DEATHS

Sept. 22, 2018
 ROBERTSON, Norman L., 80, of Astoria, died in Astoria. Hughes-Ransom Mortuary is in charge of the arrangements.

Sept. 20, 2018
 LUMBRA, Elaine L., 92, of Astoria, died in Astoria. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Service of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

MEMORIALS

Friday, Sept. 28
 PETERSON, Marian Doumit — Memorial at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church, 120 Oceanway in Seaside.

Rosary at 10:30 a.m., Mass at 11 a.m. Luncheon reception follows at the Astoria Golf & Country Club, 33445 Sunset Beach Road in Warrenton.

Saturday, Sept. 29
 BIRD, Nancy A. (Ames) — Memorial at 2 p.m., Astoria Christian Church, 1151 Harrison Ave.

ON THE RECORD

Assault
 • At 5:43 p.m. Monday, Kevin Wilson, 54, of Astoria, was arrested by the Clatsop County Sheriff’s Office on the 90890 block of Lewis and Clark Road and charged with fourth-degree assault, strangulation, menacing and unlawful possession of a weapon. He was allegedly involved in a domestic dispute.

DUII
 • At 7:02 p.m. Monday, Anthony Araiza Lopez, 26, was arrested by Oregon State Police on the 92760 block of Abbott Road and charged with driving under the influence of intoxicants and reckless driving. After Lopez allegedly drove at a high rate of speed through a yard, a homeowner followed him to another loca-

tion and called police.
 • At 2:35 a.m. Saturday, Dennis J. Mastin, 27, of Astoria, was arrested by Astoria police at 11th Street and Marine Drive and charged with driving under the influence of intoxicants. Mastin allegedly rode a motorized bike in the wrong direction down a one-way street. His blood alcohol content was 0.18 percent.

CORRECTION

Wrong meeting subject — The Astoria City Council held a special meeting Monday night to discuss changes to the design of the new Astoria Co-op Grocery. A meeting notice on 2A Monday incorrectly said the meeting would be about the new Fairfield hotel on the Columbia River.

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., Astoria Library Flag Room, 450 10th St.

Warrenton City Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 225 S. Main Ave.
Seaside Airport Advisory Committee, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.
Astoria Planning Commission, 6:30 p.m., City Hall, 1095 Duane St.

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Clatsop County Board of Commissioners, 5 p.m., Judge Guy Boyington Building, 857 Commercial St., Astoria.
Clatsop Community College Board, 6 p.m., special meeting on board policies, president’s conference room, lower library Suite 104, 1651 Lexington Ave.w

WEDNESDAY
Astoria Parks Board, 6:45 a.m.,

LOTTERIES

OREGON
Monday’s Pick 4:
 1 p.m.: 9-0-3-2
 4 p.m.: 5-8-9-5
 7 p.m.: 8-9-1-1
 10 p.m.: 2-5-1-3
Monday’s Lucky Lines: 2-5-10-14-20-24-28-31

Estimated jackpot: \$36,000
Monday’s Megabucks: 14-15-22-29-32-37
 Estimated jackpot: \$7.5 million

Estimated jackpot: \$120,000
Monday’s Keno: 02-04-08-23-26-28-29-34-37-39-43-45-46-49-58-65-66-67-71-76
Monday’s Lotto: 18-24-25-38-44-49
 Estimated jackpot: \$3.4 million
Monday’s Match 4: 03-05-07-18

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