

POINT of view

THE DAILY ASTORIAN // QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What do you think about all the hotel proposals in Astoria?



"I think they're good because it brings more tourists to the area, which increases the business for local small businesses. Local people might not like that because of the traffic, but I think it's good to bring tourists to the area."

Katie Montgomery, Knappa



"I'm against them. I think it's blocking our riverfront, and I have lived here all my life, so I don't like it."

Carrie Sue Ho, Knappa



"For the most part I do support the hotels, but I do think we need to be mindful of people's concerns and mitigate them as much as possible."

Samuel McDaniel, Astoria

Bank of the Pacific to close in Warrenton

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Bank of the Pacific is closing branches in Warrenton and Naselle, Washington, early next year as the use of physical branches declines.

Both locations will keep an ATM. Warrenton accounts will be consolidated into the bank's Astoria and Seaside locations, or a branch of a customer's choice, on Feb. 1. Naselle accounts will be consolidated into Long Beach and Cathlamet, Washington, locations.

Denise Portmann, president and CEO of parent company Pacific Financial Corp., said in a release that the moves are based on the declining use of physical branches and advancements in online banking.

"We believe optimizing our branch network plays a significant role in prudently allocating our capital resources," she said.

The company estimates the closures will save \$437,000 in annual operating expenses, while costing \$60,000 for severance pay, write-down of fixed assets and other closing costs. Two of the four employees at the Warrenton branch will be laid off, while two others will be reassigned,



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Bank of the Pacific will close its Warrenton branch at 651 S.E. Marlin Ave. early next year.

Portmann said. The Warrenton branch will continue to be used as administrative offices, with an ATM outside.

The majority of employees at the Naselle branch will be relocated because of retirements and other opportunities, Portmann said. The bank will try to keep the ATM in place or find another location in the Naselle area, while upgrading the machine to handle deposits, checking and other services, she said.

Bank of the Pacific, headquartered in Aberdeen, Washington, has three locations in Oregon, including Warrenton. The bank first opened a commercial lending center in Gearhart in 2003. In 2013, it bought and moved into Sterling Savings Bank's branches in Astoria and Seaside. The same year, it opened the Warrenton branch on Marlin Avenue.

According to data from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., "The city of Warrenton has the smallest average branch size for banks in Clatsop County compared to other cities within the county," Portmann said. "We believe our customers will have minimal disruption as we transfer their accounts to neighboring branches in Astoria or Seaside."

A letter will soon be sent to affected Bank of the Pacific customers with information about the transition. The letter will include an invitation to early December open houses at the branches before they close.



William Victor 'Bill' Wuorinen

Naselle, Washington

Sept. 11, 1930 — Oct. 20, 2018

William Victor "Bill" Wuorinen, 88, passed away on Oct. 20, 2018 at Ocean Beach Hospital in Ilwaco, Washington. Bill was born Sept. 11, 1930, to parents Victor and Laura (Anderson) Wuorinen in South Bend. He spent his early life in the Deep River Logging camp at Toonerville, attending the Maple Grove Grade School. In 1938, the family moved to their home in Naselle, where Bill resided until his passing.

In 1958, Bill married his best friend for life, Margie Frances "Midge" Treichler. They had three children, William "Will," Linda and stepson Terrence "Terry" Wayman.

A logger by trade, Bill was proud to call the Naselle area his home for his entire life, except for three years of service during the Korean War, in which he served bravely. During a fierce battle on March 17, 1953, Bill and another soldier rescued a colonel and provided life-saving first aid while fighting off enemy combatants for over eight hours.

After the battle, they were promised the Silver Star, the third-highest personal decoration for valor in combat by the U.S. Armed Forces, but due to a mix-up, Bill never received his award. Through the efforts of many in the community, most notably, his good friend Richard Nikkila, in February 2013 he finally received the Silver Star he had been promised 60 years earlier at a large ceremony held at the Lyle Patterson Gymnasium at Naselle High School.

Bill and Midge enjoyed many outdoor activities together, especially traveling throughout

the Northwest in their travel trailer. He was also an avid woodworker, and many friends were recipients of the tables, clocks and bowls he created. Quick with a joke or a story, his greatest

passion was visiting with the many friends he made throughout his life. Having lived in the Naselle—Grays River Valley his whole life, he was a fountain of knowledge of local history, and loved related stories about the region and the people who inhabited it.

Preceded in death by his parents, Victor and Laura Wuorinen, and his wife of 49 years, Margie Frances "Midge" Wuorinen, Bill is survived by his son, William K. "Will" Wuorinen, of Spokane; daughter, Linda K.

Gibson (Ted), of Long Beach; stepson, Terrence "Terry" Wayman, of Seattle; granddaughter, Savannah Bryant, of Long Beach; and grandson, Brandon Miller, of Long Beach. He will be missed by good friends Cassie Vangundy and the staff of his favorite haunt, Geno's Pizza and Burgers in Astoria, and longtime neighbors Junea and Dean Brannon, as well as anyone else who met him.

His casket will be open Friday, Oct. 26, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Penttila's Chapel in Long Beach.

Services will be held Saturday, Oct. 27, 2018, at 1 p.m. at Peaceful Hill Cemetery in Naselle. A reception will follow at Rosburg Hall. The family suggests that any memorial donations be given to the Appelo Archive Center.

His guest book is available at penttilaschapel.com



William Wuorinen

ON THE RECORD

DUII

At 2:04 p.m. Monday, Deborah Jean Lance, 54, of

Astoria, was arrested by Astoria police on Lief Erikson and Blue Ridge drives and charged

with driving under the influence of intoxicants and refusing to take a breath test.

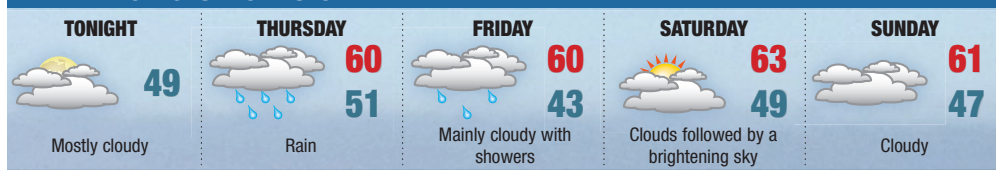
CORRECTION

Wrong date — The next meeting of the Astoria Design Review Committee is sched-

uled for 5:30 p.m. Thursday, where a riverfront hotel project will be under review. The

date was incorrectly listed as Nov. 1 in a letter to the editor on 4A Monday.

FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR ASTORIA



ALMANAC

Astoria through Tuesday.

Temperatures

High/low 59°/48°
 Normal high/low 59°/43°
 Record high 79° in 1929
 Record low 34° in 1991

Precipitation

Tuesday 0.09"
 Month to date 3.02"
 Normal month to date 3.92"
 Year to date 41.70"
 Normal year to date 44.16"

SUN AND MOON

Sunset tonight 6:14 p.m.
 Sunrise Thursday 7:46 a.m.
 Moonrise today 6:47 p.m.
 Moonset today 7:29 a.m.

Full Last New First

Oct 24 Oct 31 Nov 7 Nov 15

UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Full 'Hunter's' Moon at 9:47 a.m. PDT.

TOMORROW'S TIDES

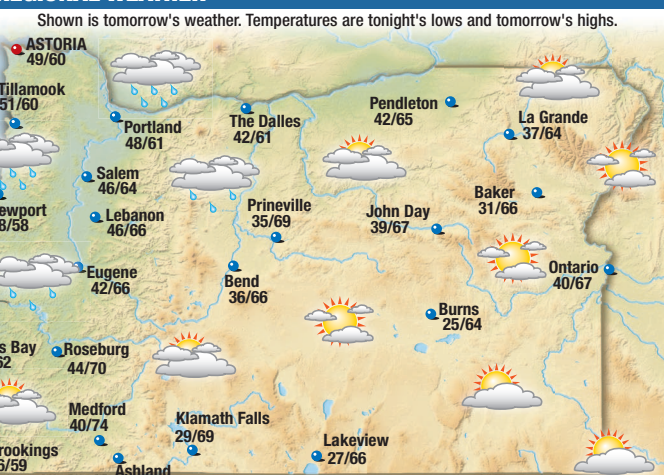
Astoria / Port Docks

Time	High	Time	Low
2:31 a.m.	7.9 ft.	8:20 a.m.	1.3 ft.
2:15 p.m.	9.0 ft.	9:01 p.m.	-0.6 ft.

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	W	Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	72	50	pc	60	49	r
Boston	51	38	c	51	34	s
Chicago	51	36	s	51	40	pc
Denver	64	43	pc	67	42	pc
Des Moines	58	41	pc	55	39	s
Detroit	50	32	pc	52	39	s
El Paso	72	57	pc	75	55	pc
Fairbanks	50	30	pc	42	31	pc
Honolulu	87	77	s	88	77	sh
Indianapolis	54	35	s	53	41	pc
Kansas City	62	44	pc	53	41	c
Las Vegas	82	61	pc	84	60	s
Los Angeles	80	59	s	83	62	s
Memphis	67	51	pc	57	51	r
Miami	87	73	pc	86	76	sh
Nashville	65	45	s	59	49	sh
New Orleans	76	72	c	81	62	r
New York	54	40	pc	50	39	s
Oklaoma City	61	48	r	57	46	c
Philadelphia	56	38	s	54	38	s
St. Louis	60	42	s	56	44	pc
Salt Lake City	68	49	pc	65	43	pc
San Francisco	67	52	pc	69	53	s
Seattle	59	50	c	59	53	r
Washington, DC	59	40	s	57	45	s

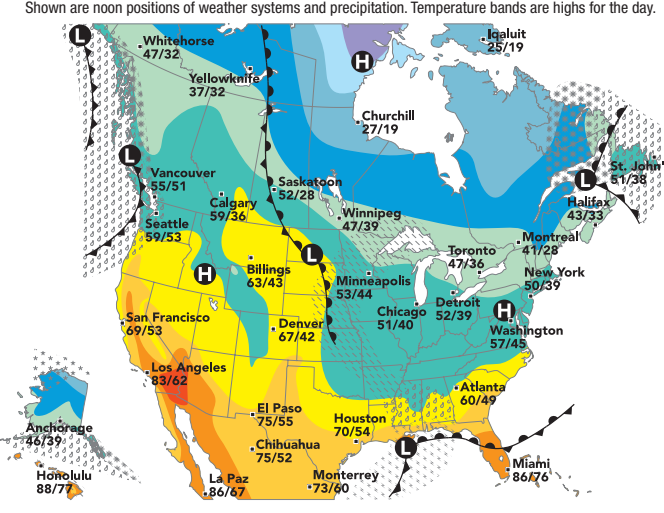
REGIONAL WEATHER



REGIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Thu.	W	Hi	Lo	W
Baker City	66	31	pc	66	36	pc
Bend	60	36	pc	66	45	c
Brookings	57	47	c	58	51	c
Eugene	64	42	c	66	50	r
Ilwaco	58	52	c	57	54	r
Klamath Falls	63	29	pc	69	35	pc
Medford	66	40	pc	74	43	c
Newberg	62	47	c	62	54	r
Newport	58	48	c	58	52	r
North Bend	59	49	c	61	56	r
Olympia	59	45	c	55	51	r
Pendleton	63	42	pc	65	50	c
Portland	62	48	c	61	53	r
Roseburg	67	44	c	70	48	c
Salem	63	46	c	64	52	r
Seaside	60	51	c	58	54	r
Spokane	58	41	pc	57	48	c
Springfield	65	45	c	67	51	c
Vancouver	61	48	c	60	54	r
Yakima	62	36	pc	58	44	c

TOMORROW'S NATIONAL WEATHER



Jeffery Thomas Gallinger

Seaside

Nov. 11, 1953 — Oct. 21, 2018

Born Nov. 11, 1953, in Portland, Oregon, Jeffery Thomas Gallinger attended Holy Family Grade School in southeast Portland, where he skipped fifth grade. He attended De La Salle North Catholic High School and graduated in 1971, at the age of 17.

After high school, he started with Simson Concrete and then worked for Pepsi Bottling Co. for six years. From that point, he went wherever his work took him, from branding cattle in Montana, to selling mattresses in Alaska, to building a log cabin in Washington state from lumber felled on the property, to helping friends and family with various building projects and odd jobs.

In the late 1990s, he moved to Seaside to help build the new Safeway. He got to know many people in town through the bingo program — both playing and calling — at Our Lady of Victory, where he was also a cook for the church's Sunday supper program. That led to Jeff cooking

for the American Legion, as well.

Jeff's interests included gardening, eventually becoming an expert on cultivating orchids. He was an excellent cook, always trying new recipes, and an avid reader. He loved fishing from the time he was 7 — whether it was on the Deschutes River or in the Pacific Ocean — and crabbing and clamming at the Seaside coast.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Rosemary Gallinger; his brothers, Paul and Mark Gallinger; and his son, Riley Gallinger-Long. He is survived by his sons, Zack and Wyatt Gallinger-Long; his grandsons, Christopher and Alexander Gallinger-Long; his siblings, Jay Gallinger, Margorie Keene, Mary Gallinger, Bridget Abbott, Blaze Gallinger, Barbara Pearson and John Gallinger; and a large circle of friends in Seaside.

He will be buried on his best friend's family property overlooking the Columbia River.

DEATH

Oct. 20, 2018

BAUSKE, Rhonda, 54, of Seaside, died in Seaside. Hughes-Ransom Mortuary in Seaside is in charge of the arrangements.

MEMORIALS

Friday, Oct. 26

BOYLE, Dorothy Isebell Daggett Morgan — Visitation from 1 to 5 p.m., Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary, 1165 Franklin Ave.

Saturday, Oct. 27

BOYLE, Dorothy Isebell Daggett Morgan — Funeral at 11 a.m., Pioneer Presbyterian

Church, 33324 Patriot Way in Warrenton. Reception follows at the church. Graveside service at 2:30 p.m., Greenwood Cemetery, 91569 Oregon Highway 202 in Astoria.

CASAVANT, Betty Jean — Celebration of life at noon, Cannon Beach Community Church, 132 E. Washington St.

in Cannon Beach. ELLIS-VAUGHN, Susan Deanne — Celebration of life from 1 to 3 p.m., Warrenton High School, 1700 S. Main Ave. in Warrenton.

PHILLIPS, Margaret Ann — Celebration of life at 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, 349 Seventh St.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY
Clatsop County Board of Commissioners, 6 p.m., Judge Guy Boyington Building, 857 Commercial St.

THURSDAY
Sunset Empire Transportation District Board, 9

a.m., meeting and executive session, Astoria Transit Center Conference Room, 900 Marine Drive.
Columbia River Estuary Study Taskforce Council, noon, 818 Commercial St., Suite 203.
Clatsop County Recreational

Lands Planning and Advisory Committee, 1 to 3 p.m., fourth floor, 800 Exchange St.
Astoria Design Review Committee, 5:30 p.m., City Hall, 1095 Duane St.
Cannon Beach Planning Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 163 E. Gower St.

LOTTERIES

OREGON
Tuesday's Pick 4:
1 p.m.: 3-7-1-2
4 p.m.: 8-0-0-6
7 p.m.: 8-8-8-9
10 p.m.: 7-2-6-4

Tuesday's Lucky Lines: 1-7-12-15-17-24-25-31
 Estimated jackpot: \$18,000
Tuesday's Mega Millions: 5-28-62-65-70, Mega Ball: 5
 Estimated jackpot: \$40 million

WASHINGTON
Tuesday's Daily Game: 3-6-0
Tuesday's Keno: 02-12-15-17-20-25-27-29-32-36-40-41-42-49-51-68-70-75-76-77
Tuesday's Match 4: 06-14-21-22

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