

## Bob Pyle, Florence Sage share family stories as narrative poetry



Robert Michael Pyle



Florence Sage

ASTORIA — Robert Michael Pyle and Florence Sage will share family stories in the form of narrative poetry at 6 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 1, at the Astoria Library. Admission is free.

Pyle, of Grays River, will begin with selections from “The Children of the Night Go Forth,” a series about his early life in Colorado. Pyle has authored 22 books — most recently the novel “Magdalena Mountain” — including two poetry collections: “Evolution of the Genus Iris” and “Chinook and Chanterelle.”

Sage, of Astoria, will read from her upcoming compilation, “The Man Who Whistled, The Woman Who Wished: Stories of a Polish-Canadian Dad and Mom, their Entourage and their Times.” Sage’s previous book is “Nevertheless: Poems from the Gray Area.”

The Astoria Library is at 450 10th St. For information about library programs and services, contact 503-325-7323 or visit [astorialibrary.org](http://astorialibrary.org).



Poster art is by Ronni Harris, local artist and vendor at the Winter Pop-Up Market.

## Winter Pop-Up Market bursts forth

ASTORIA — Astoria Sunday Market brings a Winter Pop-Up Market to downtown the first four weekends of December. Just in time for the holidays, the Winter Market is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, Dec. 1 through 23, at the old ABE-

CO building, soon to be Astoria Court, at 1332 Commercial St.

The Winter Pop-Up Market features artisans, makers and bakers offering gifts with a personal touch, crafted with love.

“This is another maker’s market, which means the person selling is the person who made the product,” noted Cyndi Mudge, executive director of Astoria Sunday Market.

Shoppers will discover fine art, food, jewelry, fabric art, wine, baked goods and more.

For updates, visit Astoria Sunday Market at [Facebook.com/AstoriaSundayMarket](https://www.facebook.com/AstoriaSundayMarket).

## Hard-hitting, heartfelt bluegrass at Sou’wester

SEAVIEW, WASH. — The Horsenecks play the Sou’wester Lodge at 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 1.

The duo performs hard-hitting and heartfelt old-time and classic bluegrass music. Their sound is centered on the pairing of the rhythmic Appalachian fiddle style of Gabrielle Macrae, (the Macrae Sisters, Hook & Anchor) and with the driving three-finger banjo playing of Barry Southern (Tramp Attack, The Loose Moose Stringband).

Their second album, “Fiddlehead,” was released in July.

This event is free and open to the public. The Sou’wester is at 3728 J Place, Seaview, Wash.



COURTESY SOU’WESTER LODGE  
The Horsenecks.



COURTESY KALA

Multi-instrumentalist Larkin Stentz performs in the Astoria Column.

## Hear Larkin Stentz in concert

ASTORIA — KALA welcomes multi-instrumentalist Larkin Stentz at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 30, in a solo concert. Tickets are \$13 and available in advance at [libertyastoria.showare.com](http://libertyastoria.showare.com) and at the door. Doors open at 7 p.m.

You’ll hear Stentz’s impeccable flute playing, ambient synthesizer, vocalizations, spoken word and hammered dulcimer from the canon of his collected recordings and life works. His last recording was performed inside the Astoria Column.

Cocktails will be available. Only people 16 and older may attend.

For more information, call 503-338-4878. KALA is at 1017 Marine Drive in Astoria.



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## Astoria Library has just your type

ASTORIA — Keyed up for the holidays? Tapped out of gift ideas? Try your hand at making typewritten cards and other paper crafts at the Astoria Library from 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, Dec. 1. All ages are welcome. Participation is free.

Raymond Montgomery, a typewriter enthusiast, will bring a variety of machines

from his collection for participants to try. The library will provide card stock and art supplies. Attendees may bring additional materials, such as photos, to personalize their creations.

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