

# Hospital adds new top nurse

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Columbia Memorial Hospital in Astoria has hired Judy Geiger as vice president of patient care services, the top administrative nursing position.

Geiger has more than 30 years of experience as a pediatric nurse and nurse administrator, most recently as chief nursing officer and executive director of One Intermountain Pediatrics, part of Intermountain Healthcare in Salt Lake City, Utah. She



Judy Geiger

has a bachelor's in nursing and a master's in health care management from Regis University.

"I was impressed by her work history," Nicole Williams, chief operating officer at the hospital, said in a release about Geiger's hiring. "She worked her way up from general nursing to holding multiple leadership positions in one

health care system."

"Since 2009, Judy and her husband have owned a home in Seaside, where they have enjoyed vacationing. We're thrilled to welcome them to the area more permanently."

Geiger will oversee nursing services, care management, surgical services, cancer care, pharmacy and hospice services. She will play a key role in preparing the hospital for accreditation visits, and federal and state inspections.

# Contractor stakeholder meeting scheduled

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Clatsop County's Building Codes Division is hosting a contractor stakeholder meeting on Thursday.

Building Official David Kloss will discuss the latest industry updates, budget information and building codes division reports. All contractors working in the county are invited to

attend. The meeting will be held 9 a.m. at the Judge Guy Boyington Building in Astoria. Participants can call 503-338-3697 to reserve a seat.

# Solar panels installed on county building

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Solar panels will help power the Judge Guy Boyington Building in downtown Astoria.

The solar array, installed by the county this week, consists of 45 pan-

els and is expected to generate up to 15 kilowatts of energy for the building. Pacific Power provided a \$30,000 grant for the installation.

The project is a part of the Blue Sky Challenge, a voluntary pro-

gram the Board of Commissioners decided to adopt in 2017 that provides Pacific Power customers the opportunity to support newly developed energy and help build a larger market for renewable energy.

# Transit district has openings on budget committee

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The Sunset Empire Transportation District Board is seeking volunteers for its budget committee.

The budget committee is comprised of seven district board members and seven community members appointed to a three-year

term. There are five community member positions open. Budget committee meetings are held up to three times a year.

Those interested in serving are asked to submit a letter of interest by Feb. 15. Letters can be emailed to Jeff Hazen, executive director of the transit agency, through jeff@ride-

thebus.org; dropped off at the Astoria Transit Center at 900 Marine Drive, Seaside Transit Office at 39 North Holladay Drive; or mailed to: Sunset Empire Transportation District, 900 Marine Drive, Astoria, OR., 97103.

For more information, contact Hazen at 503-861-5399 or by email.

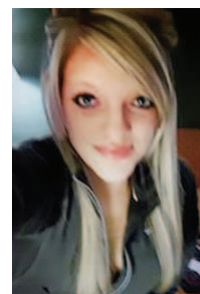
## Blair Dylana Hernandez Warrenton

June 20, 1992 — Nov. 30, 2018

Blair Dylana Hernandez was born to Nancy Eddy and William Hernandez. She could light up a room with her smile and loving ways.

Blair worked at Costco handing out samples, and later as a housekeeper in Seaside, Oregon. She enjoyed her animals and tending to her flowers in her spare time.

Blair is survived by her mother, Nancy Eddy; her brother, Travis Eddy; Nancy's sisters, Lisa Ferguson, Julie (and Andy) Burris and Teresa (and James) McGuire; numerous cousins; and a special great-aunt, Betty Aho, of Svensen. Blair always talked highly of Betty.



Blair Hernandez

Blair's grandparents on her mom's side, Ellen and Tauno Aho, passed when she was 2.

Her father, William Hernandez, survives; and two brothers, Gerald Haynes and Roberto Hernandez; a sister, Jackie Higgenbotham and her husband, Bobbie; William's parents, Lee and Deja Haynes; and numerous aunts and cousins.

Blair's boyfriend of seven years, Rick Baker, also survives.

There will be a celebration of life for Blair this Saturday, Jan. 19, at 1 p.m. in the Chinook Room at the Astoria Riverwalk Inn (formerly Red Lion). This will be a potluck!

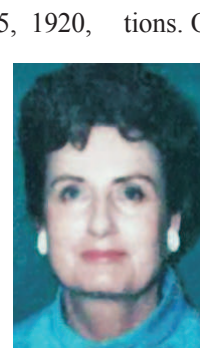
## Orabelle Bruneau Klamath Falls

Sept. 5, 1920 — Oct. 18, 2018

Orabelle Bruneau, born Sept. 5, 1920, in New Plymouth, Idaho, passed away Oct. 18, 2018, in Klamath Falls, Oregon.

She was a graduate of Fruitland High School in Fruitland, Idaho, and attended Links School of Business in Boise, Idaho. After marrying Robert Rhodes, they were blessed with two children, Julie and James. They moved to Klamath Falls, where they were active in the livestock business.

Her fulfilling career with U.S. Bank began in Klamath Falls, continued as a loan officer in Portland and Astoria, and concluded as manager of the Warrenton branch in 1982. That same year she married Capt. Joe Bruneau, a Columbia River Bar Pilot. They enjoyed traveling to numerous masters tournaments and marine pilot conven-



Orabelle Bruneau

tions. Orabelle volunteered with the Friends of the Columbia River Maritime Museum and at Columbia Memorial Hospital in Astoria. In 2014, she moved to southern Oregon to be near family.

She is survived by her daughter, Julie, and son-in-law, Sam Henzel; a son, James C. Rhodes; a stepson, David Bruneau and his wife, Chrys; granddaughters, Francine Henzel and Alexis Henzel and her husband, Haloti Tukuafu; and a great-granddaughter, Suliana Tukuafu. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe, and brothers, Earl Walker and Jesse Walker.

At her request, no services were held. She is greatly missed and appreciated as a wonderful mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

**FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR ASTORIA** AccuWeather DOWNLOAD THE FREE APP

TONIGHT	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
46	53 39	49 39	50 41	52 45
Breezy with rain	Mostly cloudy	Periods of rain	Cloudy, rain and drizzle in the afternoon	Periods of rain

**ALMANAC**

Astoria through Thursday.

**Temperatures**

High/low ..... 53°/45°  
Normal high/low ..... 50°/38°  
Record high ..... 64° in 2018  
Record low ..... 16° in 1930

**Precipitation**

Thursday ..... 0.20"  
Month to date ..... 2.55"  
Normal month to date ..... 5.88"  
Year to date ..... 2.55"  
Normal year to date ..... 5.88"

**SUN AND MOON**

Sunset tonight ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Sunrise Saturday ..... 7:52 a.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 2:38 p.m.  
Moonset today ..... 5:16 a.m.

**REGIONAL WEATHER**

Shown is tomorrow's weather. Temperatures are tonight's lows and tomorrow's highs.

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**UNDER THE SKY**

Tonight's Sky: The Big Dipper is low in the northeast after sunset. It rotates counterclockwise during the night, reaching its highest point early in the morning.

Source: Jim Todd, OMS

**TOMORROW'S TIDES**

Astoria / Port Docks	High	Time	Low
12:07 a.m.	7.6 ft.	5:18 a.m.	3.5 ft.
11:11 a.m.	10.0 ft.	6:30 p.m.	-0.9 ft.

**NATIONAL CITIES**

City	Today	Sat.
Atlanta	58 52 c 64 34 sh	64 34 sh
Boston	41 25 sn 29 22 pc	26 8 sn
Chicago	30 23 sn 26 8 sn	26 8 sn
Denver	41 23 sn 46 29 pc	46 29 pc
Des Moines	24 12 sn 14 -1 c	14 -1 c
Detroit	35 23 c 24 11 sn	24 11 sn
El Paso	65 37 pc 59 33 s	59 33 s
Fairbanks	-10 -21 s -15 -27 pc	-15 -27 pc
Honolulu	79 68 c 83 68 s	83 68 s
Indianapolis	35 31 c 35 9 c	35 9 c
Kansas City	37 18 sn 19 4 c	19 4 c
Las Vegas	63 44 s 63 44 s	63 44 s
Los Angeles	65 50 s 74 53 s	74 53 s
Memphis	57 53 c 58 24 t	58 24 t
Miami	79 65 pc 79 69 pc	79 69 pc
Nashville	50 47 c 61 23 r	61 23 r
New Orleans	72 64 c 68 37 t	68 37 t
New York	42 29 sn 34 30 pc	34 30 pc
Oklahoma City	57 23 r 35 21 pc	35 21 pc
Philadelphia	42 28 pc 36 34 sn	36 34 sn
St. Louis	42 33 c 34 11 r	34 11 r
Salt Lake City	41 28 c 41 31 pc	41 31 pc
San Francisco	61 53 pc 63 54 pc	63 54 pc
Seattle	54 46 r 53 42 c	53 42 c
Washington, DC	46 33 pc 41 38 sn	41 38 sn

**TOMORROW'S NATIONAL WEATHER**

Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.

Legend: T-storms, Rain, Showers, Snow, Flurries, Ice, Cold Front, Warm Front, Stationary Front

## ON THE RECORD

**Assault**

• At 1:24 p.m. Thursday, Tonjia Kay Christian, 66, of Hammond, was arrested by Warrenton police on the 509 block of NW Ridge Road and charged with fourth-degree assault and harassment. She allegedly assaulted a woman on Tuesday at her residence.

## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY CLOSURES

In observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day on Monday, all federal, state, county and city offices and services, including Astoria, Warrenton, Gearhart, Seaside and Cannon Beach city halls, are closed. All U.S. post offices are closed, and there is no mail delivery.

Astoria, Jewell, Knappa, Warrenton/Hammond, Seaside (including Cannon Beach and Gearhart schools) and Ocean Beach School District schools and Clatsop Community College are closed.

The Astoria Library, Seaside Library, Warrenton Library and all Timberland libraries in Washington state, including Ilwaco, Ocean Park and Naselle, are closed.

The Port of Astoria offices and services are closed.

Garbage collection through Recology Western Oregon (covering Astoria, Seaside, Gearhart and Cannon Beach), city of Warrenton garbage collection, and Peninsula Sanitation (covering the Long Beach, Washington, Peninsula) are not affected by the holiday. Recology Western Oregon's transfer station and Peninsula Sanitation's transfer station are open.

The Sunset Pool in Seaside is open. The Astoria Aquatic Center is open.

The Clatsop County Heritage Museum is closed. The Oregon Film Museum and Flavel House are open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and the Carriage House is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Uppertown Firefighters' Museum is closed for the winter. Lil' Sprouts is open from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Fort Clatsop is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Columbia River Maritime Museum is open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Seaside Museum is open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sunset Empire Transportation ("The Bus") is running.

The Daily Astorian offices are open, and the newspaper printed and delivered as usual.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

**TUESDAY**

**Clatsop County Human Services Advisory Council**, 4 to 5:30 p.m., 800 Exchange St., Room 430.

**Astoria Library Board**, 5:30 p.m., 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 City Council**, 7 p.m., City Hall, 1095 Duane St.

## LOTTERIES

**OREGON**

**Thursday's Pick 4:**

**1 p.m.:** 0-6-4-8  
**4 p.m.:** 2-0-4-6  
**7 p.m.:** 2-4-6-3  
**10 p.m.:** 2-2-8-7

**Thursday's Lucky Lines:** 2-7-10-15-17-21-25-29  
Estimated jackpot: \$20,000

**WASHINGTON**

**Thursday's Daily Game:** 8-7-2

**Thursday's Keno:** 03-12-13-20-23-24-26-27-29-31-33-38-40-41-51-58-61-62-67-79

**Thursday's Match 4:** 01-18-19-23

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