

Monthly contra dances on at AAMC



The Clatsop County Stringband will play live music at the contra dances. From left, Larry Moore, mandolin; Knox Swanson, guitar; Gina Kytr, fiddle and Hobe Kytr, banjo.

ASTORIA — The second contra dance of the fall season begins at 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 1, at the Astoria Arts and Movement Center. Admission is \$5-\$10.

Featuring live music from the Clatsop County Stringband, Caller Dave Ambrose will teach a beginner's lesson at 7 p.m. and have everyone ready to dance to music by 7:30 p.m.

Everyone is encouraged to dance with as many people as they are comfortable with, no partner required.

This is a dance for all ages and grown-ups are encouraged to bring their children along. Children under 12 years are admitted free. It's a great way for the whole family to have a fun evening.

The dances will be held the first Friday of every month.

The arts and movement center is located at 342 10th St. in Astoria.



Beach Ballet dancers

Seaside drama students take the stage with high comedy

SEASIDE — Seaside High School drama is gearing up to present their fall play, "Going for Broke," by Michal Jacot in the Seaside High School Cafetorium. Opening night is Nov. 1 at 7 p.m. Performances continue Nov. 2 and the following week, Nov. 7-9. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are sold at the doors—\$7 for adults, \$5 for senior citizens, veterans and active military, students with ASB card and children under 13.

After being part of the richest family in Boston, the adult Webb kids try to adjust to sudden poverty when crazy brother Elwood is given total control of the fortune, but they just don't know how to be poor. The exasperating family dynamics reach a fever pitch of high comedy as the kids try to retrieve "their" money.

Introducing seniors Frida Ruff, Lukas Jolly, Jacob Seibel and sophomore Olivia Mayhugh as the Webb siblings; senior Crystal Rouse as Mrs. Webb; sophomore



The cast of Seaside High School's production of 'Going for Broke.'

Sophia Reynolds as Fenwick, Jr. and a supporting cast full of eccentric characters. Directed and produced by Susan

Baertlein and assisted by Ann Branson.

For more information 503.738.5586 or sbaertlein@seasidek12.org.

A 'spooktacular' ballet event

OCEAN PARK, Wash. — "Spooktacular," a new Halloween social and show, will take place Oct. 31 at the Crown Alley Irish Pub, 21712 Pacific Highway, Ocean Park, Wash., beginning with open mic at 7 p.m. with an unusual dance performance at 8:30 p.m. There will be face painting, arts and crafts, games and a costume contest for children and adults.

Organized by Annika Kay, a dance instructor at Beach Ballet studio. For information, www.beachballet98631.com

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