

Symphony scholarships available to students

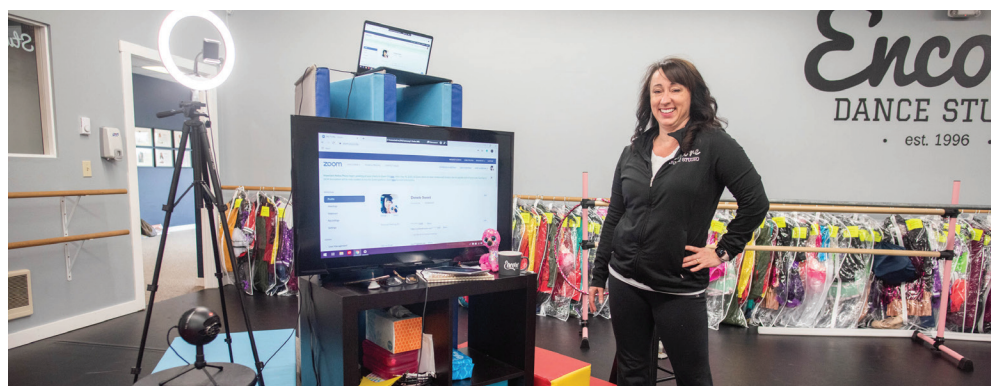
The Southwest Washington Symphony is accepting scholarship applications for private music students until March 1 at swwasymphony.org.

Scholarships will be distributed April 1. Students living in Cowlitz, Columbia, Clatsop, Pacific and Wahkiakum counties can apply.

Applicants must have had some prior

musical training, either in school or through private study. Instrumental applicants must be enrolled in grades 5 to 12. Vocal music applicants must be in grades 8 to 12.

Applicants are required to supply contact information for a person, such as a school music teacher or private instructor, who can attest to the seriousness of the applicant's commitment.



Denele Sweet stands inside Encore Dance Studio.

Hailey Hoffman/The Astorian

Dance auditions open to youth

WARRENTON — Dance auditions for tweens, teens and young adults will be held starting at 5 p.m. Monday at 737 East Harbor Drive, for the company, a contemporary dance company.

The company is ran by Denele Sweet, owner of Encore Dance Studio in Warrenton. Dancers can audition for beginning, intermediate and advanced groups. Beginning dancers will be given choreography during their audition, while intermediate and advanced dancers will learn their audition choreogra-

phy on their own ahead of their auditions. All dancers must reserve an audition time by contacting Sweet at denelesweet@gmail.com or 503-861-1637.

Sweet is also accepting young artist choreography to be considered. Young choreographers can submit up to one minute of original choreography. Choreographers must be cast in the company's ensemble to be considered.

There are no audition or tuition fees to participate in the project. Dancers must be available for all rehearsals and performances.

Indie musicians to perform Saturday

SEAVIEW — The Sou'wester Historic Lodge will host country duo Left Coast Country for a livestreamed concert from 8 to 9:30 p.m. on Saturday.

The performance will be hosted on the lodge's Instagram, instagram.com/souwester.

The show is appropriate for all ages and is free to watch.



Left Coast Country

Washington parks hiring seasonal staff

Washington State Parks is hiring seasonal park aides and senior park aides for parks throughout the state.

More than 400 people will be hired to fill the positions. Employees register campers, maintain trails, clean campgrounds and comfort stations, and complete custodial maintenance chores.

Most positions last about five to six months but employees have the opportunity to become full-time staff. Employees earn \$14 to \$21 per hour, depending on qualifications and experience.



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A gull explores the edge of the water in Cape Disappointment State Park.

Applications are available at careers.wa.gov.

CrosswordAnswers

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