

SPORTS

# Tigers top Warriors softball, 15-9

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Warrenton had more hits, but the Warriors also had more errors, as Taft scored a 15-9 win over Warrenton in a Coastal Range League softball game Tuesday on the Warriors' home field.

Warrenton led 5-2 through three innings, before the Tigers erupted for seven runs in the top of the fourth.

Taft added two runs in the fifth and four in the sixth to pull away.

Emma Smith led the Warrior attack with two hits, including a grand slam home run, for four RBIs and two runs scored.

Avyree Mieth added a home run, while Mieth, Mia McFadden and Emma Jasmin allowed seven hits and walked eight.

PREP SPORTS SCHEDULE

**THURSDAY**  
Baseball — Willamina at Warrenton, 4:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY**  
Baseball — Astoria at Valley Catholic, 5 p.m.; Tillamook at Seaside, 4:30 p.m.; Taft at Warrenton (2), 3 p.m.; Knappa at Nestucca, 4:30 p.m.  
Softball — Valley Catholic at Astoria, 5 p.m.; Seaside at Tillamook, 5 p.m.; Warrenton at Taft (2), 2 p.m.; Nestucca at Knappa, 4:30 p.m.  
Boys Golf — Tillamook at Seaside, 2 p.m.

**SATURDAY**  
Track — Seaside at Astoria, 12:30 p.m.

Warrenton had seven errors and stranded 10 base runners.

**Nestucca beats Knappa in eight**

In the battle for first place

in Northwest League softball, Nestucca and Knappa had to go eight innings before deciding a winner Tuesday.

And the Bobcats posted the win, 7-6, to pull into a first place tie with the Loggers at 5-2.

Nestucca scored two runs in the bottom of the eighth for the victory.

Victoria Ramvick, Hannah Dietrichs and Patricia Lebo all had two hits apiece for Knappa, while Taryn Barendse had a triple.

Dietrichs started in the circle and suffered a leg injury midway through the game, but remained in and allowed just four hits, with eight strikeouts and four walks.

The Loggers are scheduled to host Nestucca for a single game Friday.

# Warrenton baseball rally beats Taft

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The Taft Tigers came within six outs of scoring a big win for themselves Tuesday afternoon, as they celebrated Senior Day on their home field.

But the Warrenton Warriors managed to score two runs in the top of the sixth, on their way to a 7-6 Coastal Range League baseball win over the Tigers.

"It wasn't a pretty game," said Warrenton coach Lennie Wolfe, whose team improved to

5-0 in league play. "We weren't as sharp, and we had to scratch and claw for everything we got."

Freshman Cam'Ron Daniels played a big part in saving the Warriors, making "four fantastic catches" in left field, Wolfe said.

Pitcher Dylon Atwood picked up the win in relief, allowing four hits, while Taft pitchers gave up just two hits, but walked 12.

The Warriors host Willamina Thursday, then host a double-header Friday with Taft.

**Loggers pound Nestucca**

Knappa built a 9-0 lead through three innings with just one hit, but that was plenty for the Loggers, who went on to a 12-1 win over Nestucca in a Tuesday afternoon Northwest League baseball game.

Through three innings, two Nestucca pitchers walked 12 and hit two batters, while Mark Miller had Knappa's lone hit.

Knappa pitcher Jaxon Dietrichs started and allowed just two hits with three strikeouts and no walks through four innings.

# Oregon Episcopal wins boys golf match

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The top three 4A teams from the 2019 state tournament, along with the defending 3A state champions, gathered for a four-way event at Trysting Tree Golf Club in Corvallis Tuesday.

The battle of state champions was won by defending 3A champion Oregon Episcopal, which shot 303 to top the 311 posted by defending 4A champion Marist. Valley Catholic, which finished third in the 2019 state championship, shot 339, while the state runner-up team from Seaside finished with a 417.

On the individual side, which featured four returning all-state players, defending 4A champion Nick Watts, of Marist, shot 69 to win the event. Watts returned late the night before after playing in the U.S. Open sectional qualifier at Gold Mountain Golf Club, where Watts finished one stroke away from earning a spot in the regional qualifier and a shot at playing in the U.S. Open.

Following Watts were three players from Oregon Episcopal: Nic Nuliyal (72), Ethan Tseng (74) and Benjamin Tieu (77).

Seaside's Curtis Kunde rounded out the top five with a 78.

Also competing for the Seagulls were Conner Langmo (105), Riley Wunderlich (114), Owen Higdon (115), Everest Sibony (119) and Carter Perrigo (123).

"This was a great event to get Curtis playing with some of the best players in the state," said Seaside coach Jim Poetsch. "The other guys were not quite ready for prime time, but it gave them a good idea of where we need to be by next year if we expect to compete."

OBITUARIES

## Joseph Donald Gult Jr.

Forest Grove

Sept. 10, 1948 — April 21, 2021

Joseph "Josef" Donald Gult Jr., 72, a resident of a Forest Grove memory community, died April 21, 2021, at the Hillsboro Medical Center from leukemia.

Private cremation rites were held at the Hoyt crematory in Forest Grove.

Joseph Donald Gult Jr. was born Sept. 10, 1948, in Detroit, Michigan, the son of the Joseph Donald Gult Sr. and Arlyle Jean Hoggatt.

He was raised and received his education in Detroit, graduating from Jared W. Finney High School in 1966. He then attended Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, where he joined the Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity.

A student of the guitar since the age of 12, he was recruited to join the fraternity rock band, which performed at countless wild weekend parties in the frat house basement. Josef survived the parties, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in industrial arts.

After graduation, a friend introduced him to the then-new field of hemodialysis. Josef worked as a hemodialysis technician at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, and at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor.

After trying to push his car out of one too many snowdrifts, Josef decided that the Michigan winters weren't for him, so he went to join his brother, Randy, in sunny Southern California.

In Southern California, Josef worked as the chief hemodialysis technician at Hoag Memorial Hospital in Newport Beach. While living on the fabled "OC" (Orange County coast), Josef met and married his wife, violinist Kim Angelis.

In 1985, the couple moved to rural Calaveras County in Northern California, where Josef started a new career in construction, becoming a general contractor. One of his crowning achievements was the building of his own residence, a meticulously detailed replica of the Mother Lode Victorian vernacular home.

In 1994, Josef switched careers again, becoming a full-time musician. His energetic guitar playing greatly enhanced the recordings and concerts of his wife; their musical adventures took them all over the U.S., Asia, Africa and South America.

In 2003, the couple moved once again, this time to Astoria. The years that Josef spent in Astoria were among the best of his life, as Coast Community Radio enabled him to realize a lifelong dream of hosting his own radio show. He also became the cultural events coordinator for Clatsop Community College, a job that he

dearly loved. Josef was a member of the Astoria First Presbyterian Church, the Lower Columbia Preservation Society and, of course, Coast Community Radio. Among his special interests, he enjoyed photographing and watching birds. He also loved dogs, cats and horses, his favorite pet being his Collie, "Paco." He was passionate about preserving old houses and other historic buildings.

Josef was renowned for being fun, charming and talented, as well as being a very "sharp-dressed" man. From his work as a hemodialysis technician, to restoring old homes, to his performances on international concert stages, Josef made the world a better place.

"Well done, good and faithful servant ... enter into the joy of your master." Matthew 25:21

Josef was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Arlyle Gult, and by his sister, Kathy Trinity. Survivors include his beloved wife of 40 years, Kim Angelis; his brothers, Randall and Steven Gult; his niece, Terilyn Trinity and her son, Trevor Trinity-Rees; and six more nieces and nephews and their spouses and children.

The family suggests that remembrances may be contributions in Josef's memory to Coast Community Radio (coastradio.org), the Alzheimer's Association (act.alz.org), or the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (donate.lls.org).

To sign the online guest book, or to send a condolence to the family, go to [tualatinvalleyfa.com](http://tualatinvalleyfa.com)

Tualatin Valley Funeral Alternatives in Hillsboro is entrusted with the arrangements.



Joseph Gult Jr.



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SEVEN-DAY FORECAST FOR ASTORIA

TODAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
57 44 A little p.m. rain	56 44 A couple of showers	54 46 A shower in the a.m.	58 46 Low clouds	60 45 Partly sunny	60 45 Sun and some clouds	60 46 A p.m. shower possible



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Astoria through Tuesday

**Temperatures**

High/low ..... 59/49  
Normal high/low ..... 59/43  
Record high ..... 82 in 2013  
Record low ..... 33 in 1969

**Precipitation**

Tuesday ..... Trace  
Month to date ..... 0.25"  
Normal month to date ..... 0.50"  
Year to date ..... 34.43"  
Normal year to date ..... 30.54"

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UNDER THE SKY

**Tonight's Sky:** Eta Aquarid meteor shower peaks tonight.

Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today ..... 5:54 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 8:30 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 4:21 a.m.  
Moonset tonight ..... 3:27 p.m.

New First Full Last

May 11 May 19 May 26 June 2

TODAY'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks	Time	High (ft.)	Time	Low (ft.)
10:17 a.m.	6.5	4:35 p.m.	2.3	
11:15 p.m.	7.6	4:55 p.m.	0.8	
<b>Cape Disappointment</b>				
10:04 a.m.	6.4	4:12 a.m.	2.6	
11:02 p.m.	7.4	4:17 p.m.	1.0	
<b>Hammond</b>				
10:12 a.m.	6.7	4:23 a.m.	2.5	
11:10 p.m.	7.7	4:29 p.m.	0.9	
<b>Warrenton</b>				
10:12 a.m.	6.9	4:19 a.m.	2.4	
11:10 p.m.	8.0	4:39 p.m.	0.9	
<b>Knappa</b>				
10:54 a.m.	6.8	5:36 a.m.	2.0	
11:52 p.m.	7.8	5:56 p.m.	0.6	
<b>Depoe Bay</b>				
9:19 a.m.	6.3	3:38 a.m.	2.5	
10:16 p.m.	7.3	3:40 p.m.	0.8	

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Fri.
Atlanta	73/54/s	68/50/s
Boston	64/47/s	57/46/pc
Chicago	56/44/sh	58/40/pc
Dallas	81/58/s	83/66/s
Denver	73/48/s	80/52/pc
Honolulu	82/71/c	83/72/pc
Houston	86/61/s	86/64/s
Los Angeles	78/58/pc	74/59/pc
Miami	90/76/t	89/72/t
New York City	65/50/s	61/46/pc
Phoenix	100/73/s	97/70/s
San Francisco	64/51/pc	65/51/s
Wash., DC	67/51/s	63/45/sh

REGIONAL FORECAST

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

City	Today	Fri.	City	Today	Fri.
Seattle	65/46	68/50/s	Wenatchee	78/47	82/46
Tacoma	67/42	68/50/s	Moses Lake	87/50	82/46
Aberdeen	56/43	66/44	Yakima	81/43	89/53
Olympia	65/41	89/48	Kennewick	89/48	82/48
Longview	66/44	86/49	Walla Walla	82/48	89/53
Astoria	57/44	86/49	Hermiston	86/49	81/43
Portland	68/47	82/46	Pendleton	82/46	83/43
Salem	65/46	83/43	La Grande	83/43	88/56
Corvallis	63/42	84/40	John Day	84/40	89/51
Eugene	65/43	83/40	Burns	83/40	89/51
Medford	74/45	83/40	Caldwell	89/51	
Klamath Falls	73/35				