

SPORTS



The Astoria girls swim team following their league title performance at the Astoria Aquatic Center.

Astoria High School

# Astoria girls, Seaside boys win league swim titles

By GARY HENLEY  
The Astorian

Oregon high school swim teams have entered the post-season portion of their schedules, and so far, so good for both Astoria and Seaside.

The Fish and the Gulls both dominated the Cowapa League championships, held last week at both Astoria and Seaside pools.

Seaside ran away with the boys' league title, scoring 394.5 points to top second place Astoria (168), followed by Tillamook (163.5) and Valley Catholic (163).

The Astoria girls also handily won another league title, scoring 294 points ahead of Seaside (194), Valley Catholic (159) and Tillamook (68).

Astoria's girls 200-yard medley and 400-yard freestyle relays both took first, "with some strong swimming from Tori Smith, Grace Peeler, Constance Rouda and Hannah Daniels," said Astoria coach Alyson O'Connor.

Daniels, a freshman, added to her day by winning the 100-yard butterfly and

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500-yard freestyle.

Peeler, a senior, added points by taking second in the 100 freestyle and 100 breaststroke.

Big points were also scored by Smith and Rouda, who won first and second in the backstroke.

On the boys side, Seaside coach Shane Spell said, "The guys' 200 medley relay and 200 free relay are getting into a groove and should represent well at districts."

He added, "Sean Olea had a nice PR in the 100 breaststroke, and Logan Dennis had a nice PR in the 100 fly."

Seaside's depth could score a lot of points in the

upcoming meets.

"The guys' depth definitely played a big factor in the overall team scores," Spell said. "We'll get more rest in before the district meet ... and see how everyone can do in lowering their times. It's going to be nice having full heats and getting to see competition from the entire district."

For the Astoria boys, the 400 freestyle relay (Phelan Dopp, Stephen Ero, Trevor Newman, Jacob Peeler) placed third.

The Cowapa League schools will participate in a district meet this week, along with Newport, Taft and Toledo. The top two finishers in each event at dis-

tricts will advance to a season-ending 4A showcase meet at Cottage Grove High School.

BASKETBALL

# Big Seaside run stops Astoria boys

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Astoria had hopes of an upset early on, but a 26-1 run by Seaside midway through the second half ended all Fishermen hopes, helping the visiting Gulls to an eventual 53-38 Clatsop Clash boys basketball win Friday night.

Playing on their home court at the Brick House, the Fishermen picked up a quick five points from Xander Marinovich for a 7-2 lead.

Seaside countered with a 9-0 rally, highlighted by a Connor Langmo 3-pointer, for a 20-11 advantage early in the second quarter.

Astoria answered right back with a 9-0 run of its own, with back-to-back baskets from freshman Owen Williams helping tie the game at 20-20.

The Fishermen led 29-27 after a score by Colton McMaster early in the third.

From there, Seaside's Ever Sibony scored on a running jump shot that

PREP SPORTS SCHEDULE

**TUESDAY**  
Boys Basketball — Rainier at Warrenton, 7 p.m.  
Girls Basketball — Warrenton at Rainier, 7 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Boys Basketball — Banks at Seaside, 6 p.m.; Knappa at Rainier, 6 p.m.  
Girls Basketball — Seaside at Banks, 6 p.m.; Rainier at Knappa, 6 p.m.

sparked the big run for the Gulls, who scored 26 of the next 27 points.

Sibony had 18 of his game-high 21 points during the 26-1 run. Cash Corder added 15 points, while McMaster led Astoria with nine points.

The Gulls were set to play Monday at Tillamook, and close with home games against Banks and Astoria, as Seaside tunes up for the upcoming 4A state showcase tournament, which will be held June 24 and June 25 at Marshfield and North Bend high schools.

# Astoria girls beat Seaside in low-scoring game

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After scoring 78 points in a win at Tillamook two days earlier, the Astoria girls basketball team was held to just 37 Friday night at home against Seaside.

But 37 was plenty for the Lady Fishermen, who held the Gulls to just 19 points, in Astoria's low-scoring 37-19 win.

The Fishermen sprinted out to an 11-0 lead after one quarter and never looked back.

Halle Helmersen had seven of the 11 points, but that would be her only seven points of the game, after scoring 36 against the Cheesemakers.

Shelby Rasmussen led Astoria with 10 points, while Caleigh Peterson had six for the Gulls, who were 3-for-13 at the free throw line.

The Lady Fishermen can pull into a first place tie in the Cowapa League standings with a win Monday at Valley Catholic.

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TODAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
63 49 A little p.m. rain	68 50 Breezy in the p.m.	69 51 Sunny and pleasant	65 51 Breezy in the p.m.	69 52 Low clouds may break	64 53 Variable cloudiness	73 54 Sunny

**ALMANAC**  
Astoria through Sunday  
Temperatures  
High/low ..... 62/57  
Normal high/low ..... 64/50  
Record high ..... 78 in 1917  
Record low ..... 41 in 2001  
Precipitation  
Sunday ..... 0.54"  
Month to date ..... 1.91"  
Normal month to date ..... 1.30"  
Year to date ..... 37.27"  
Normal year to date ..... 34.66"

**UNDER THE SKY**  
Tonight's Sky: Today, the sun rises earliest at 5:21 a.m. PDT and sets at 9:01 p.m. PDT.  
Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

**SUN AND MOON**  
Sunrise today ..... 5:23 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 9:09 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 10:15 a.m.  
Moonset today ..... 12:41 a.m.

**TODAY'S TIDES**  
Astoria / Port Docks  
Time High (ft.) Time Low (ft.)  
4:20 a.m. 7.7 11:35 a.m. -0.4  
6:21 p.m. 6.6 11:47 p.m. 3.2  
Cape Disappointment  
4:03 a.m. 7.4 10:54 a.m. -0.3  
6:04 p.m. 6.4 11:02 p.m. 3.7  
Hammond  
4:14 a.m. 7.8 11:10 a.m. -0.5  
6:12 p.m. 6.8 11:21 p.m. 3.5  
Warrenton  
4:15 a.m. 8.1 11:19 a.m. -0.3  
6:16 p.m. 7.0 11:31 p.m. 3.3  
Knappa  
4:57 a.m. 8.0 12:36 p.m. -0.3  
6:58 p.m. 6.8 none  
Depoe Bay  
3:12 a.m. 7.3 10:23 a.m. -0.8  
5:20 p.m. 6.4 10:32 p.m. 3.5

**NATIONAL CITIES**

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Wed. Hi/Lo/W
Astoria	63/49	67/51
Boston	88/66/pc	86/65/s
Atlanta	76/64/sh	76/59/pc
Chicago	78/58/s	77/58/s
Dallas	97/74/s	96/74/s
Denver	98/66/s	97/67/pc
Honolulu	86/74/s	87/74/pc
Houston	95/75/t	95/74/t
Los Angeles	100/74/pc	97/72/pc
Miami	89/80/t	88/79/t
New York City	79/64/pc	78/58/pc
Phoenix	117/89/s	116/91/s
San Francisco	74/56/s	78/58/s
Wash., DC	80/64/pc	79/59/pc

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

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Wed. Hi/Lo/W	City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Wed. Hi/Lo/W
Seattle	65/51	76/44/s	Wenatchee	74/51	67/52/s
Tacoma	65/47	69/55/s	Moses Lake	79/52	82/52/s
Olympia	65/48	72/51	Yakima	74/47	69/50/s
Longview	66/49	72/51	Kennewick	78/54	72/51
Portland	69/53	70/47	Walla Walla	71/51	67/42
Astoria	63/49	67/42	Lewiston	72/51	67/42
Salem	70/50	70/47	Enterprise	72/51	67/42
Albany	68/46	70/47	La Grande	65/44	67/42
Corvallis	69/47	70/47	John Day	70/43	67/42
Eugene	71/46	70/43	Ontario	89/57	88/55
Bend	65/42	70/43	Burns	76/41	88/55
Medford	76/51	70/41	Caldwell	88/55	88/55
Klamath Falls	70/41	70/41			