

DAR holds meeting

The Astorian

The Astoria Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet on Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Astoria Golf & Country Club.

The program will be an interactive titled "Lunch at the White House with Caroline Harrison."

Participants are asked to RSVP to Regent Sue Glen at 503-861-0574 or for information regarding membership.

Information for the National Society's Good Citizen Scholarship contest for high school seniors, Junior American Citizen contests, open to preschool through seniors, and the American History essay contests, open to fifth graders to seniors, will be available to local schools in Clatsop and Tillamook counties soon. Several of the contests are also available to home schooled

students.

The theme for this year's Junior American Citizen contests is the "100th Anniversary Tomb of the Unknown Soldier: Rise and Shine for Duty, Honor and Patriotism." Patriots of the American Revolution is the topic for grades nine through seniors, and grades five through eight are to imagine losing a brother on the battlefields of France during World War I and attending the dedication of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Washington, D.C., on Nov. 11, 1921.

The chapter will also be placing displays in area communities to focus on Constitution Week, Sept. 17 through Sept. 21.

Membership to the organization is open to any woman 18 and over who can trace their lineage to someone who assisted the colonies in the American Revolution.



Jocelyne Adams and 'Nakita' and 'Tundra.'

Paws 'N Action competes at state fair

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Members of the Paws 'N Action dog club recently competed at the Oregon State Fair.

Hunter Kautz and "Yoda" led his team in the competitive Showmanship ring to a blue-ribbon performance.

Jeremiah Schlink and "Hopper," his vivacious papillon, achieved a blue-ribbon award, just missing out on the championship win in Showmanship. They came back strong with a Reserve Champion placement in their Obedience class.

Samantha Carlisle and "Finn" earned a blue in Showmanship, culminating with a championship in an advanced off-lead Obedience class. Carlisle also received a blue for both of her entered photographs, one of which was given a Medallion award.

Jocelyne Adams competed with her two service dogs "Nakita" and "Tundra"; Nakita earned a red ribbon in her advanced Obedience class while Tundra scored a blue in Showmanship and champion in his beginner Obedience class. Tundra tried his paws at dock diving, flying over the



Samantha Carlisle and 'Finn.'



Jeremiah Schlink and 'Hopper.'

water some 18 1/2 feet on his second try. At the end of the show, Adams was awarded a High-Combined medal for her scores in Showmanship and Obedience. Adams also received a blue for one of her photographs.

Another Paws 'N Action club member, Lindsey McCarthy, represented Clatsop County as a 4-H state ambassador.

Volunteers help with tree protection at Nordic park

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On Labor Day, volunteers from Home Depot, Astoria Rotary and the Astoria Scandinavian Heritage Association helped set up tree protection at the Astoria Nordic Heritage Park prior to construction, which began Tuesday.

The Astoria Scandinavian Heritage Association has offered this option as a \$7,000 coast saving measure by the project's general contractor, Rickenbach Construction. The total cost of the park construction is \$1.5 million. Funding was provided by more than 400 donors, seven corporations, 12 foundations and organizations and two governmental entities over a period of six years.

The Astoria Rotary, Team Depot (employees from Warrenton's Home Depot), park donors and community members volunteered time to complete the project. The U.S. Foods Chef's store in Warrenton provided beverages and treats for the volunteers.

The Home Depot Foun-



Volunteers help put in posts at the Astoria Nordic Heritage Park on Labor Day.

date provided funds to purchase 140 t-posts, 1,400 feet of construction fencing and 1,000 zip ties. The Home Depot Foundation wrote in its award letter: "We appreciate all you are doing to give back in your community and hope that this grant will help you reach your projects goal."

Construction of the park will take place over the next two to four months. Progress will be documented on the park's website and on social media.

ENGAGEMENT

Gauthier — Koons

Kari and Phil Gauthier, of Astoria, announce the engagement of their daughter, Tanya Gauthier, of Astoria, to Rocky Koons, also of Astoria.

The prospective groom is the son of Russ Koons, of Seattle, and Julie Koons, of Astoria.

Tanya Gauthier graduated from Astoria High School in 2007 and from Clatsop Community College in 2014.

Rocky Koons is a 2001 graduate of Astoria High School. He is a self-employed fisherman.

A Sept. 18 wedding is planned for 4 p.m. at Big Creek Lodge in Knappa.



Rocky Koons and Tanya Gauthier

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