

OBITUARIES

Charles (Chuck) Maynard Kraus Chandler, Arizona Oct. 2, 1938 — Nov. 29, 2021

Charles (Chuck) Maynard Kraus was born Oct. 2, 1938, in New Rockford, North Dakota, a son of Ray and Irene (Anderson) Kraus. He grew up and went to grade school there.

In his teen years, he moved with his family to Parshall, North Dakota, where he was a lifeguard in the summers, and graduated from high school.

He was active in sports, with eight-man football and wrestling being his favorites. He was also an avid participant in many humorous shenanigans, recounted delightfully over the years with family and friends.

While in college at Minot State University, he met and wooed his bride, Madelyne (Mady) Mary Russell. They danced their way through many dates and proposals from Chuck, until Mady decided he was serious, and they wed on Aug. 23, 1959. Chuck graduated in 1960 with a bachelor of science degree in education.

After graduating, Chuck and Mady moved to Sidney, Montana, where he taught history and coached wrestling and junior varsity football at the high school. He was named "Young Educator of the Year."

Their son, Doug, was born in 1963. In 1968, the family of three moved to Knappa, where Chuck began a long and fulfilling career as the director of the Clatsop and Tillamook counties Education Service District, based in Astoria. In 1969, daughter Gayle joined the family.

In 1971, Chuck achieved a master's of science degree in instructional media from the University of Minnesota.

While in Knappa, Chuck and Mady met many lifelong friends, and enjoyed many

wonderful years. In addition to his career at the ESD, Chuck was very active in the community, including with the Kiwanis Club, Boy Scouts, the Little League as an umpire, emceeing local events and the occasional gig as Santa.

In 2007, after a stint as snowbirds, Chuck and Mady moved to Chandler, Arizona, to be near Doug and Gayle and their families. There, they have hosted visiting friends and family, and met new friends, while being active in their neighborhood community of Springfield. A few of Chuck's activities included calling bingo, putting on pancake breakfasts and auctioneering.

Chuck enjoyed playing pinochle and other games with friends and family. He had a wonderful sense of humor, and a way of making everyone he met feel special. He was a talented performer, a singer and an actor.

He was the life of many gatherings. He had a strong living faith in God. He was a devoted and loving son, husband, dad, brother, grandpa, family man and friend.

Chuck passed away on Nov. 29, 2021, in Chandler. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Mady, of Chandler; his children, Doug (Sandy) Kraus and Gayle Loesch, of Chandler; five grandchildren, Nate Kraus, Nathalie Matson, Kayla Kraus, Austin Kraus and Garrett (Izzy) Loesch; one great-grandchild, Zerana; two sisters, Dorice Oynes and Shirley Sivertsen; and 11 nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ray and Irene, and his brother, Richard.

Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at valleyofthesunfuneralhome.com for the Kraus family.



Charles Kraus

George Mark Johannessen Lacey, Washington 1929 — 2021

George Mark Johannessen passed away on Dec. 6, 2021, while receiving hospice care at the Lacey Memory Care facility in Lacey, Washington.

Mark was born in Klo, Norway, in 1929. He was the oldest child of seven born to Trygve and Haldis Johannessen.

Mark immigrated to the U.S. in 1948. In New Jersey, he studied American history and English. Mark liked to travel, and headed west to California, where he became a naturalized U.S. citizen in 1950.

In California, Mark met Elizabeth ("Betty") Kostiv, who became his devoted wife of 67 years. Together they sponsored and helped his parents and siblings emigrate from Norway to the U.S. Mark and Betty had two children, Keith and Kim. They raised their children in Anaheim, California.

In California, Mark began his career in law enforcement with the Covina Police Department. He advanced his career by joining the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. Mark was promoted, and became a lieutenant investigator with the L.A. County

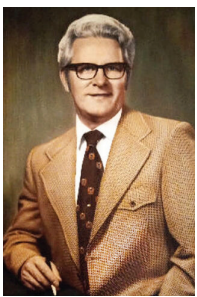
District Attorney's Office.

Mark became the chief of police of Astoria in 1967, and served until 1972. From 1972 through 1976, he was the chief of police of Springfield, Oregon. The hallmark of his career was his service to the community, ethics and professionalism. Mark was a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

Mark was successful in real estate as an agent and broker, as well as a developer in building and remodeling homes and apartments in Grays Harbor County, Washington. Mark and Betty retired to Mason County, Washington.

Mark was a devoted husband and father. He relished taking his family on trips and cruises. Mark loved sailing, camping, fishing and to travel. He frequently traveled to Norway and Costa Rica. Mark was an avid reader. He loved his wife, his family, and was proud to be of service to his community.

Mark is survived by his wife, Betty, and their two children, Keith and Kim. Dad will be missed, and was dearly loved by his family. "Vi elsker deg, Far" in Norwegian means, "We love you, Dad."



George Johannessen

SCOREBOARD

PREP SPORTS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY
Basketball — Tillamook Roby's Classic, TBA
Girls Basketball — Warrenton at Manahouse Christian, 4:30 p.m.
Boys Basketball — McLoughlin at Seaside, 5 p.m.; Warrenton at Manahouse Christian, 6:15 p.m.

SATURDAY SCORES

BOYS BASKETBALL
Madras 73, Astoria 68 (2OT)
Corbett 46, Seaside 41
Warrenton 41, Weston-McEwen 38
GIRLS BASKETBALL
Corbett 42, Astoria 31
Cottage Grove 39, Seaside 30
Weston-McEwen 38, Warrenton 33

FRIDAY SCORES

BOYS BASKETBALL
Corbett 65, Astoria 57
Seaside 55, Madras 35
Warrenton 46, Heppner 43
Knappa 78, Pilot Rock 25
GIRLS BASKETBALL
Astoria 38, Cottage Grove 22
Corbett 54, Seaside 30
Heppner 36, Warrenton 29
Knappa 46, Pilot Rock 41

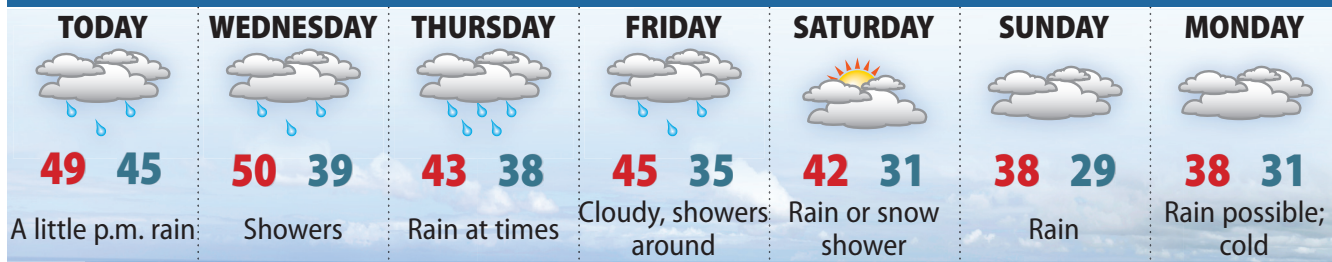
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SEVEN-DAY FORECAST FOR ASTORIA



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Astoria through Sunday

Temperatures
High/low 44/36
Normal high/low 48/37
Record high 61 in 1981
Record low 17 in 1924

Precipitation
Sunday 0.08"
Month to date 7.72"
Normal month to date 6.51"
Year to date 72.05"
Normal year to date 66.09"

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UNDER THE SKY

Tonight's Sky: Due south before midnight, the Pleiades, also known as the Seven Sisters, is an open star cluster near constellation Taurus.
Source: Jim Todd, OMSI

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today 7:55 a.m.
Sunset tonight 4:32 p.m.
Moonrise today 6:45 p.m.
Moonset today 10:13 a.m.



TODAY'S TIDES

Astoria / Port Docks
Time High (ft.) Time Low (ft.)
3:05 a.m. 7.3 8:21 a.m. 3.9
1:43 p.m. 8.6 9:05 p.m. -0.2
Cape Disappointment
2:39 a.m. 7.2 7:26 a.m. -0.3
1:26 p.m. 8.6 8:13 p.m. -0.2
Hammond
2:54 a.m. 7.4 7:49 a.m. 4.0
1:36 p.m. 8.8 8:33 p.m. -0.4
Warrenton
3:00 a.m. 7.7 8:05 a.m. 4.0
1:38 p.m. 9.0 8:49 p.m. -0.1
Knappa
3:42 a.m. 7.6 9:22 a.m. 3.4
2:20 p.m. 8.9 10:06 p.m. -0.1
Depoe Bay
1:57 a.m. 7.3 6:54 a.m. 4.4
12:37 p.m. 8.8 7:45 p.m. -0.3

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Today	Wed.
Atlanta	47/38/r	55/32/s
Boston	44/34/pc	42/28/sh
Chicago	40/20/pc	33/26/s
Dallas	60/39/s	62/47/pc
Denver	62/33/s	62/37/pc
Honolulu	79/68/c	78/68/sh
Houston	61/42/s	68/55/s
Los Angeles	67/50/c	62/52/c
Miami	80/63/t	76/57/s
New York City	45/35/s	47/34/pc
Phoenix	69/48/c	71/54/c
San Francisco	56/52/r	58/51/r
Wash., DC	48/35/c	50/30/pc

Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, l-ice.

SPORTS

PREP HOOPS ROUNDUP

Corbett wins team titles in Seaside Classic

The Astorian

Seaside's Holiday Classic tournament was a classic one for Corbett High School, which left the coast with two team championships.

Shortly after Corbett defeated Astoria 42-31 in the girls' title game, the Cardinal boys shocked Seaside 46-41 in the boys' championship Saturday night — the first time since 2017 that the Gulls have lost a game in their own tournament.

Corbett senior and tournament Most Valuable Player Joe Fundak scored 21 points in the final, one day after scoring 34 in a victory over Astoria.

The Cardinals built a 16-9 lead midway through the second quarter, but — as they have all season — Seaside answered right on cue with a 10-0 run, highlighted by scores from Conner Langmo, Cash Corder and Austin Palmer.

Seaside's Riley Wunderlich hit a 3-pointer to close the first half, Corder drained a 3-pointer in the third quarter for a 31-25 advantage, and Carson Kawasoe's trey had the Gulls in front 34-32 early in the fourth.

That's about where the highlights ended for Seaside, as Corbett's Lane Fort, Fundak and Mykah Cummings had three straight baskets, and the Cardinals never trailed again.

Corbett was 6-for-9 at the free throw line in the final 2:30.

Madras 73, Astoria 68

In the third-place boys game — and most exciting contest — of the Holiday Classic, Madras defeated Astoria 73-68 in double-overtime Saturday afternoon.

The Fishermen built an 18-4 lead after one quarter, and still led 46-38 going into the fourth, when "Madras got hot, and started making three's," said Astoria coach Kevin Goin.

The White Buffaloes indeed hit four long 3-pointers in the fourth to force overtime, which eventually came down to free throws. Astoria had a chance to win in regulation but missed a free throw.

The Fishermen had balanced scoring from Colton McMaster (18), Owen Williams (14) and Niko Boudreau (11), while Seneca Ball had 20 to lead four Madras players in double figures.

Gulls 55, Madras 35

The Gulls reached the championship game with a 55-35 win late Friday night over Madras.

Cash Corder scored 15 points and Conner Langmo added 12 for the Gulls.

Corbett 65, Astoria 57

The Cardinals locked up their spot in the title game with a 65-57 victory Friday over Astoria.

The Fishermen took a 47-45 lead into the fourth quarter, but Corbett rallied and outscored Astoria 20-11 in the final period, behind a 34-point night from Joe Fundak.

Colton McMaster scored 26 and Thomas Faulkner added 16 for the Fishermen.

Warrenton wins Heppner tourney

The Warrenton boys basketball team will continue to climb the Class 3A rankings, following two wins Friday and Saturday in the Heppner tournament.

Warrenton opened play Friday with a 46-43 victory over Heppner, followed by a 41-38 decision over Weston-McEwen in the championship game Saturday.

In the girls' side of the tournament, Warrenton lost close games against Heppner (36-29) and Weston-McEwen (38-33).

Knappa 78, Pilot Rock 25

With a victory over current No. 1-ranked Kennedy earlier in the season, the Knappa Loggers are quickly closing in on the top spot in 2A boys basketball with another easy win Friday night, 78-25 over Pilot Rock.

The Loggers — who gained three first-place votes in the coaches poll — are ranked sixth in the latest OSAA rankings.

Corbett wins girls' title

Before Corbett won the boys' championship game, Corbett's first title in the Seaside Holiday Classic was provided by the Lady Cardinals, who scored a 42-31 win over Astoria in the girls' final Saturday.

After opening with a 49-37 win over Heritage, the Lady Fishermen won a low-scoring semifinal Friday over Cottage Grove, 38-22.

Astoria had all the points it would need after just one quarter against the Lions, as the Lady Fish held a 23-11 lead after eight minutes.

Freshman Shelby Bruney scored 18 of her game-high 20 points in the first half, with freshman Malory Dundas adding seven points for Astoria, which the Lions to just 11 points over the final three quarters.

Cottage Grove 39, Seaside 30

Seaside's Lilli Taylor led all players with 24 points, but it wasn't enough as Cottage Grove outscored the Gulls 16-7 in the second half for a 39-30 win in the third place game of the Seaside Holiday Classic.

Gracie Arnold scored 20 points for the Lions, while just two other players had points for Seaside (Aubrie Taylor and Abby Nofield).

Lilli Taylor scored 14 points in a 54-30 loss to Corbett in the second round.

Knappa 46, Pilot Rock 41

Clutch 3-point shots from Knappa's Synнове Brown, Alondra Piña and Hadassah Maher helped the Lady Loggers score a 46-41 win over visiting Pilot Rock Friday in a nonleague girls basketball game.

Brown hit her 3-pointer in the final seconds of the first half, Piña connected from the 3-point line in the final seconds of the third quarter, and Maher's trey gave Knappa a 35-32 lead in the fourth quarter.

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