#### **IN BRIEF**

#### **Dedication for Astoria Nordic** Heritage Park set for Friday

A dedication for the Astoria Nordic Heritage Park will take place on Friday morning prior to the start of the Astoria Scandinavian Midsummer Festival.

Entertainment by the Nordic Viking Scandia Dancers will begin at 10 a.m. The dedication will begin at 10:30 a.m. Seating will be available on the street between the park and Astoria Riverwalk.

The Astoria Scandinavian Midsummer Festival will begin at 2 p.m. at the Clatsop County Fairgrounds and runs until Sunday afternoon.

#### Miss Oregon marks 75th anniversary

SEASIDE — The 75th annual Miss Oregon competition returns to the Seaside Civic and Convention Center this week.

Lilly Boothe, of Clatskanie, will compete as Miss Clatsop County.

The anniversary event, which runs from Thursday to Saturday, comes with a look back at the Miss Oregon pageant's origins.

"In honor of our 75th anniversary, we have joined forces with the Seaside Museum," Beth McShane, the pageant's executive director, said.

#### McCloud named interim **CEO** of Seaside chamber

SEASIDE — Katie McCloud joined the Seaside Chamber of Commerce a little over a year ago. On Friday, the board of directors announced she will be serving as the chamber's interim CEO if the position is unfilled by July.

Brian Owen, the outgoing CEO, was named general manager of the Seaside Civic and Convention Center in May. He has served as the chamber's CEO since 2016.

The chamber board has started forming a selection committee and will issue a formal job opening to the public. "Katie has been with the chamber for over a year and has the support of the board in this interim period," they said in announcing the appointment.

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TOP LEFT: Balloons decorated the stage with school colors during the Warrenton High School graduation ceremony on Friday. TOP RIGHT: A student poses as he receives his diploma. ABOVE: Members of the Class of 2022 as they entered the gymnasium.

#### **DEATH**

#### May 19, 2022

HUDSON, John Allen, 46, of St. Helens, formerly of Seaside, died in St. Helens. Ocean View Funeral & Cremation Service of Astoria is in charge of the arrangements.

#### **MEMORIALS**

Saturday, June 18 BAUNACH, Luella (Dunn) — Memorial at 11 a.m., Warrenton Community Center, 170 S.W. Third St. in Warrenton. Lunch is provided; all are welcome. Baunach, 85, of Rufus, formerly of Warrenton and Astoria, died June 1 in Rufus. Spencer Libby & Powell Funeral Home of The Dalles was in charge of the arrangements.

## Sunday, June 19

DAVENPORT, Douglas "Doug" — Celebration of life at 1 p.m., Coffenbury Lake Shelter A, Fort Stevens State Park. Potluck with burgers, hot dogs and drinks provided.

## ON THE RECORD

## **Theft**

 Angelo X. Helser, 31, of Keizer, was arrested on Friday for first-degree theft. The crime allegedly took place at Costco in Warrenton.

## **PUBLIC MEETINGS**

## **TUESDAY**

Clatsop County Planning Commission, 10 a.m., (electronic meeting)

Port of Astoria Commission, 4 p.m., 10 Pier 1, Suite 209. **Clatsop Care Health District Board**, 5 p.m., (electronic

**Clatsop Community College Board**, 5:30 p.m., IMTC building lounge, MERTS Campus, 6550 Liberty Lane. Cannon Beach City Council, 6 p.m., special meeting and work session, City Hall, 163 E. Gower Ave.

Lewis & Clark Fire Department Board, 6 p.m., meeting and budget hearing, main fire station, 34571 U.S. Highway 101 Business.

Warrenton City Commission, 6 p.m., City Hall, 225 S. Main

## **WEDNESDAY**

Clatsop County Board of Commissioners, 10 a.m., work session, (electronic meeting).

Seaside Tourism Advisory Committee, 3 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

## **THURSDAY**

Seaside Transportation Advisory Committee, 6 p.m., City Hall, 989 Broadway.

## **FRIDAY**

Cannon Beach City Council, 8 a.m., work session, City Hall, 163 E. Gower Ave.

Astoria City Council, 9 a.m., work session, City Hall, 1095 Duane St.

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TOP: The Hey! Stackers! work on their sandcastle.

**ABOVE: People viewed the** winning sandcastle in the masters division, made by the Form Finders team, at the **Cannon Beach Sandcastle** Contest on Saturday.

**LEFT: A member of Team Tie** Dye adds details to one of the features in their sandcastle.

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