

No surrender for 'Florence White Flags' at Hood to Coast

The 12-member team representing Florence in Saturday's 28th annual Hood to Coast Relay paced itself for a repeat of last year's first-place, defending its title with a dominant performance in the 199-mile race from Mt. Hood to Seaside.

Competing in the Mixed Masters Division, this year's team was made up of runners Amy Flora, Justin Loftus, Cambria Gilsdorf, Robyn McGillis, Thor Esbensen, Chris Johnson, Monika Zweifel, Mark Bloudek, Ben Sauvage, Jeff Spang, Jen Brendon and Rachele Campbell.

The team competed in a field of more than 1,500 teams — and 18,000 runners — and finished in 23 hours, 33 minutes, 30.7 seconds.

The second team across the finish was Soul Asylum: Vans on the Run, of Elmhurst, Ill., with a time of 26:30:15.2.

This year's roster for Florence included six returners from 2018 — Flora, Gilsdorf, McGillis, Johnson, Campbell, Bloudek — along with new



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Florence White Flag team members included: Amy Flora, Justin Loftus, Cambria Gilsdorf, Robyn McGillis, Thor Esbensen, Chris Johnson, Monika Zweifel, Mark Bloudek, Ben Sauvage, Jeff Spang, Jen Brendon and Rachele Campbell.

members Snake Ulrich, Tasha Nuno, Lee Wilson, Jennifer Brennan, Brent Hutton and Robbie Garcia.

The team placed 32 overall, with the Bowerman Track Club setting the day's best time in 17:19:01.3.

To see the complete results, visit www.eclecticedgeracing.overallraceresults.com/pages/event_summary/279.

Calendar

Aug. 29

• MHS volleyball vs F. City, M. Point
3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

• SHS volleyball at North Bend
7 p.m.

• MHS football at Lowell Jamboree
6 p.m.

Aug. 30

• Vik football
SHS Jamboree/BBQ
Hans Petersen Field
11 a.m. to 6 p.m.
(BBQ 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.)
• Vik volleyball hosts Bandon (noon)
Douglas (4 p.m.)

Summer sluggers



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The Florence Softball Association officially wrapped the 2019 summer season on Saturday during a day-long tourney held at Miller Park. Lofy Construction got its first win when it knocked out the Beachcomber team in a dramatic 1-run win in extra innings during semifinals. Then, in the finals, ACC went on to defeat Lofy and go 5-0 on the day to claim the championship title.

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NOTE: Temporary regs for wild Chinook in coastal rivers — Due to low forecasted returns this year, wild Chinook fishing will be restricted in most coastal rivers. Most of these temporary regulations will be in effect from Aug. 1-Dec. 31, though a few don't start until Sept. 16 or Oct. 1.

Before planning your fishing trip, be sure to check the regulation updates.

MID COAST LAKES:

Stocking of the mid-coast lakes ended in June. Warmwater fisheries are improving in several lakes around the Florence area including Siltcoos, Tahkenitch, Mercer and Munsel lakes.

SILTCOOS & TAHKENITCH LAKES: Warmwater species

Warmwater fishing has been good on Siltcoos and Tahkenitch lakes as well as many other lakes in the Florence area. Water temperatures are warm and fish can be found throughout the lake in a variety of habitats. Warmwater fishing will continue to be good through the summer and into the fall.

Siltcoos also gets stocked rainbow trout, check the stocking schedule for numbers and dates of stockings.

SIUSLAW RIVER: Cutthroat trout

Open to trout fishing. Check the regulations for open areas and gear restrictions.

WILSON RIVER: Steelhead, cutthroat trout

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Tide Tables

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide Low Tide

Aug. 28
11:45am / 6.1 5:15am / -1.1
11:06pm / 8.0 5:11pm / 2.1

Aug. 29
12:27am / 6.6 6:02am / -1.4
11:59pm / 8.2 6:04pm / 1.5

Aug. 30
1:08pm / 7.0 6:46am / -1.5
6:55pm / 1.0

Aug. 31
12:51am / 8.2 7:29am / -1.4
1:47pm / 7.4 7:45pm / 0.5

Sept. 1
1:43am / 8.0 8:12am / -1.0
2:28pm / 7.6 8:36pm / 0.2

Sept. 2
2:36am / 7.5 8:54am / -0.4
3:09pm / 7.7 9:29pm / 0.0

Sept. 3
3:31am / 6.8 9:38am / 0.5
3:52pm / 7.7 10:25pm / 0.0

Rannow cards tough round at PGA's Champions Tour event

After qualifying for last week's Boeing Classic on the PGA's Championship Tour, Ocean Dunes golf pro Bob Rannow finished the three-day classic by shooting an 80 in his final-round on Sunday.

Rannow, 50, wrapped up his first appearance in the Tournament of Champions at 24-over-par and in last place at Snowqualmie Ridge in Snowqualmie, Wash.

En route to qualifying for the tour, Rannow sank five bird-



Bob Rannow

ies, 11 pars and two bogeys for his round in the qualifier two weeks ago, posting a 3-un-

der-par 68 and to land the day's best score out 47 golfers in the prequalifying round.

Rannow was among the five golfers who had advanced into the classic in Washington.

In his final round, Rannow had a birdie, a double bogey, seven bogeys was par on nine wholes.

Brandt Jobe carded a 63 in the final round, finishing with an 18-under-par 198 to nab a \$315,000 first-prize purse.

Finishing second was Tom

Pernice Jr., who shot a 15-under-par, and third place went to Jerry Kelly and Fred Couples in a tie at 12-under-par each.

Rannow, who earned \$1,302, shot 82-78-80—240 for a three-day total score, placing 75th and among all finishers in a field of 78 — three of which did not finish; Fred Funk left in the second round, Dudley Hart left in the third round, and John Daly opted out after the first round of tournament play.



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