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RSVP by Nov. 1 for the Haystack Rock Awareness Program's "Have Your Dessert First" dessert potluck on Nov. 12.

## HRAP celebrates the end of the season

CANNON BEACH — The Haystack Rock Awareness Program will hold two programs to celebrate the end of the summer beach season.

First, the nonprofit is calling all volunteers to attend an End of Season Cleaning & Storage Party from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28 at Cannon Beach City Hall. Attendees can enjoy camaraderie an stories with HRAP staff while doing house-keeping duties. Lunch and beverages will be provided.

RSVP to HRAP Educa-

tion and Volunteer Coordinator Lisa Habecker by emailing visithrap@ci-cannon-beach.or.us or call her at 503-436-8064.

HRAP will also hold an end of the season celebration from 3 to 5 p.m. Nov. 12. All are invited to this "Have Your Dessert First" dessert potluck to recognize a successful year. The event will take place at Cannon Beach City Hall, 163 E. Gower St.

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## Learn the art of block printing

PACIFIC COUNTY, Wash. —
Artist Jill Merrill will teach
the art of block printing at
Pacific County Timberland
libraries this fall.

In each class, students will make and take home a block, one print suitable for framing, and printed greeting cards with envelopes.

All materials are provided; however, students may bring their own 4-by-6-inch, one-color graphic art.

Class size is limited; those wishing to attend should register at their local Timberland library. Programs are free and open to the public. The schedule is as follows:

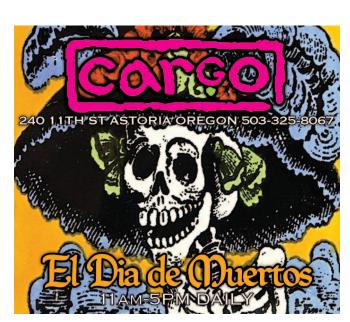
- 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 29 at the Ilwaco Timberland Library
- 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 5 at the South Bend Timberland Library
- 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 8 at the Naselle Timberland Library
- 2 to 4 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 17 at the Ocean Park Timberland Library
- 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 19 at the Raymond Timberland Library

This class is structured for adult learners.



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Students will use blocks to print greeting cards.





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Marv and Rindy Ross will bring Quarterflash to perform in Astoria on Nov. 5.

## Quartflash tickets on sale for Liberty Theater concert

ASTORIA — The Liberty Theater will presents the second concert of its 2016-17 Liberty Presents Series at 7:30 p.m. Saturday Nov. 5 with Quarterflash, led by Marv and Rindy Ross.

The Rosses first performed together in the '70s at Western Oregon University where they fell in love and got married. While completing their teaching degrees, they began gigging in bands with Rindy playing sax and singing Marv's guitar-driven compositions. After teaching three years in Central Oregon, they took very early retirements and formed Seafood Mama — a popular dance band that played every smoky hippie bar between Seattle and Portland in the late '70s.

In 1980 they recorded Marv's song "Harden My Heart," which became their first hit and led to Geffen Records signing them. Over the next decade they released four albums under a new name, Quarterflash, garnering gold and platinum records and tours with Elton John, Linda Ronstadt and assorted big-haired '80s acts better left unmentioned. It was an exciting, tumultuous, insane era, and the Rosses lived out many a fantasy including Marv writing a

song with Burt Bacharach and Rindy appearing on Merv Griffin with Richard Simmons.

In 1991 they formed Ross Productions to create music for NW audiences. Their first project was a commission from the state of Oregon to produce a musical based on diaries of immigrants on the Oregon Trail. From that project came The Trail Band and nine CDs of traditional Americana music. Also, the Rosses gained a deep interest in Native American music, and Marv began to write his second play, "The Ghosts of Celilo," a Broadway-styled musical featuring Native American music and culture. "Ghosts" was presented in October 2007 by Artists Repertory Theatre at The Portland Center for the Performing Arts to rave reviews and 13 sold-out performances.

Recently, the Rosses were awarded Western Oregon University's Alumni Award of Excellence, and they released their new Quarterflash CD, "Goodbye Uncle Buzz."

Tickets cost \$15, \$25 or \$35 and are available at the Liberty Theater's box office, by calling 503-325-5922 ext. 55, and online at Tickets-West.com

