



Seaside High School students were responsible for preparing a dinner of spaghetti, salad, dinner rolls and cookies for about 800 participants of the annual Three Course Challenge.

By Katherine Lacaze  
For Seaside Signal

Seaside High School's culinary arts program is growing this year under the leadership of new full-time teacher Chelsea Archibald whose hiring was officially approved by the Seaside School District Board of Directors during its meeting Sept. 18.

Archibald will be teaching four courses each trimester to offer students more opportunities to study culinary arts. During the fall semester, her classes include Cooking For Real Life, Culinary Arts and Pro Culinary Arts, as well as a class for the ProStart Program to prepare students for cooking competitively in the spring.

Archibald began taking culinary arts classes and was part of a ProStart Program in her own high school. She was further educated at Le Cordon Bleu and worked at Hotel Monaco in Portland. For the past four years, she has been the pastry chef at the Stephanie Inn in Cannon Beach — a job that's allowed her to make some of her favorite dishes, like ice cream and sorbet.

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Students participate in culinary program



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Seaside High School students put together dinner for about 800 people during the Three Course Challenge competition.

## School project wins key permit

'We are thrilled to have that behind us'

By R.J. Marx  
Seaside Signal

Despite cloudy skies and periodic rain, hundreds turned out to celebrate a public groundbreaking for the new middle and high school campus in the Southeast Hills.

Perhaps even better news came for the district with a permit OK from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

The official announcement of final approval was posted by the Army Corps on Monday, Sept. 24.

School district project manager Jim Henry made the announcement at the Tuesday, Sept. 18, meeting of the school district's board.

District Superintendent Sheila Roley thanked the public officials and contractors who "helped solve problems in a thoughtful and creative way in adjusting to the permit schedule."

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## Candidates take the stage in Seaside

By Brenna Visser  
Seaside Signal

Candidates running for state House District 32 and Seaside and Gearhart offices made their cases to voters on Sept. 19 in an election forum at Seaside City Hall.

Affordable housing, homelessness, environmental protection and emergency preparedness all surfaced as priorities for the 10 candidates.

In Seaside, most of the attention was focused on the contested mayoral race between Mayor Jay Barber and John Chapman, the owner of KSWB Radio Clatsop. Tita Monteiro, Dana Phillips and Steve Wright, all incumbents running unopposed, were also present.

Appointed in January 2017, Barber said his decision to run was driven by his love of the city. He believes his leadership skills paired with his civil relationship with council would help drive future progress for the city.

"We face difficult issues, but it takes leadership to get them done," Barber said.

Chapman believes his experience working and volunteering with people from all walks of life around the community would be an asset to the council. He emphasized his commitment to transparency and accountability if elected. His decision to run for mayor is driven by a desire to give back to a community that welcomed him 27 years ago.

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## THE SALT MAKERS return to Seaside

'A convenient place for making salt'

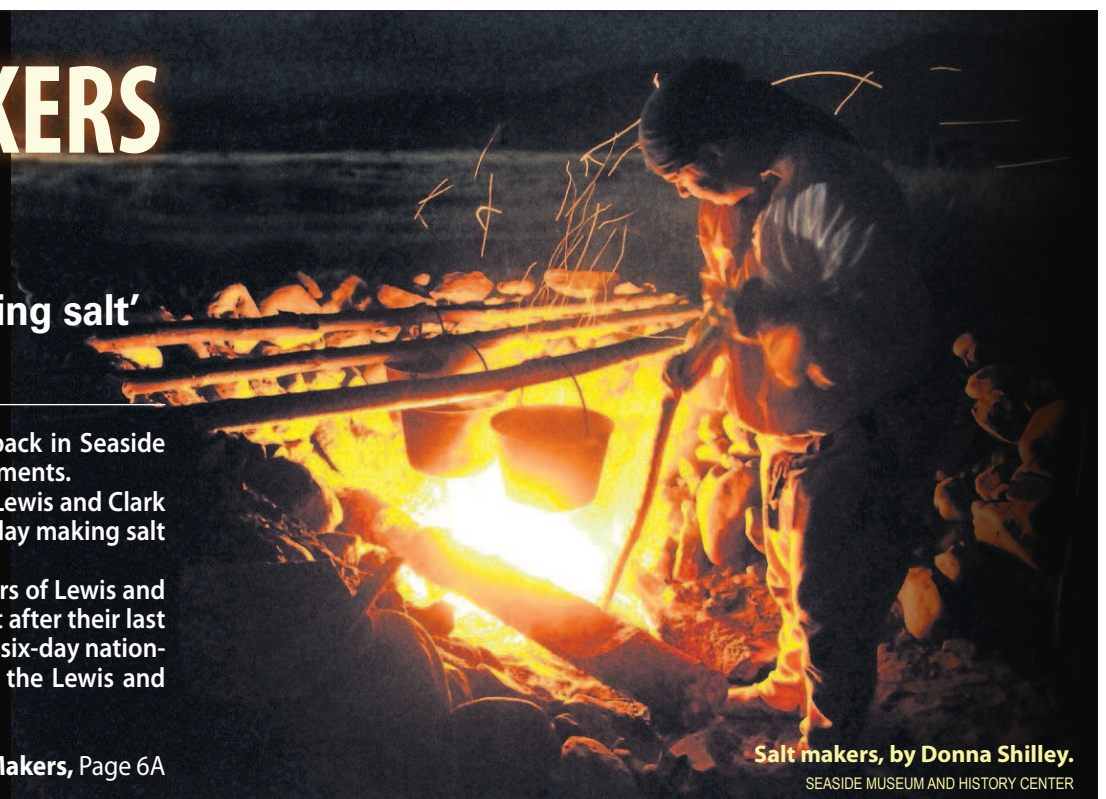
By Eve Marx  
Seaside Signal

Historians and historical interpreters are back in Seaside to celebrate one of Seaside's most historic moments.

From 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6, the Lewis and Clark Salt Makers will return to Seaside to spend a day making salt on the beach just off Avenue U and the Prom.

This day-long re-enactment of five members of Lewis and Clark's expedition party making their own salt after their last supply of salt from St. Louis ran out kicks off a six-day national conference of the 50th annual meeting of the Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation.

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Salt makers, by Donna Shilley.  
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