

JUNE 2011

Chamber Works



Annual Goonies Day Celebration

Tuesday, June 7, is the anniversary of the day the film was released in theaters in 1985. The Astoria-Warrenton Chamber is supporting Goonies Day (officially recognized by the City of Astoria Mayoral Proclamation made in 2010) by encouraging fans local and abroad to celebrate the anniversary.

The Clatsop County Historical Society is installing "Phase 2" of the Oregon Film Museum exhibits to open in time for Goonies Day. The new exhibits will bring the museum visitor into the film making process, from location scout to production manager to cast member. In addition, the Chamber and the Historical Society have purchased the replica of the Fratelli's Jeep that was brought to the 25th Anniversary Celebration by fan, Damon Crowe. The Jeep will be arriving in Astoria just in time for Goonies Day and will be a part of the ribbon cutting of the new exhibits on June 7.

Expect to see a few more Goonies fans in town the weekend prior to Goonies Day and on the day itself. We have a dozen local businesses participating by offering a special activity, menu item, or promotional offer to show their appreciation to the fans who love Astoria.

Visit our website, www.oldoregon.com/events for more information about what is going on. Call or email Regina if you'd like to be a part of the celebration this year.

The Whiskey Rebellion Return to Astoria for Performance

The Astoria-Warrenton Chamber of Commerce and Liberty Theater are teaming up to present The Whiskey Rebellion in concert on Sunday, July 31. This "high-energy" acoustic band was a crowd favorite at the Goonies Concert last summer. The band hails from West Virginia, where they have received many accolades from the music industry since their debut in 2007. This show is sure to be a hit with audiences of all ages and musical tastes. Save the date on your calendar, tickets go on sale June 1 at the Liberty Theater Box Office. Stay tuned to the Chamber and Liberty websites for more information.

Sponsorships Equal BIG Marketing Results for Local Businesses

One of our most important Chamber programs is the major sponsorship program known as the "President's Circle". This group of members invest far beyond their normal annual dues in support of the Chamber's effort. We also provide these businesses with highlighted exposure from July 1 through June 30th each year as well as other additional benefits.

This year's program provided several venues for putting our sponsors names right up front where thousands of people see them, both locals and visitors alike. Sponsor banners are an important element and are proudly displayed at the annual Crab Festival, the Great Columbia Crossing and the Annual Banquet. Sponsor logos are included in many selected publications demonstrating pro-active marketing and confidence in the work of the Chamber. We are grateful for this support and work to give our Sponsors an enhanced return on investment for their enhanced commitment. Sponsors also enjoy complimentary entries into the annual events based on their level of investment and opportunities for flyer insertion in our newsletter and other marketing avenues.

A new addition this year has been semi-annual complimentary luncheons for President Circle members. This provides an opportunity for President's Circle members to share their thoughts about the Chamber's direction with the Board President and Executive Director – the kind of feedback the Chamber really wants and appreciates!

Enhancing your business's exposure by including membership in the President's Circle major sponsorship program in your marketing budget is sound business. We've included the program's investment levels and benefits as an insert in this newsletter and hope you will thoughtfully review the packages offered. Sponsorships are in addition to standard membership dues and run from July 1 through June 30th. Take your membership to the next level and position your business to the forefront of your customer audience through major sponsorship.

If you'd like to participate with other Chamber members leading the way through President's Circle major sponsorship of your Chamber, just give Skip or Rose a call at 325-6311.

Director's Corner

Big Change at the Warrenton Visitor Center

In a "Win-Win" situation for everyone, there will soon be some BIG changes taking place at the Warrenton Visitor Center (WVC) located in Young's Bay Plaza.

Your Chamber has long been diligently searching for ways to improve the service level at the WVC, lengthen the hours available to our visitors, and at the same time justify the man-hours being used for a limited number of visitors. This has not been a project that we have taken lightly and has included many meetings with several different groups, including the Warrenton City Commission.

It has been said that "sometimes bad things happen for good reasons" and I think that our solution for the WVC may be one of these "times". It just so happened that while we were working to arrive at a solution that we could all agree on for the Visitor Center, we were made aware of the fact that the Warrenton-Hammond Historical Society had lost its location and were in desperate need of a new one and PRESTO therein lies the solution for both groups.

The Warrenton-Hammond Historical Society will move into the Warrenton Visitor Center, along with its growing collection of Warrenton history. They will set the hours and will be there to share the wonderful history of the Warrenton-Hammond area to all who stop by the center.

So, does this move mean the end to the "visitor center" duties of your Chamber in the Warrenton area? Absolutely not!!!! As a matter of fact, we see the "visitor information" part of our mission as greatly expanded with this move. For the last several years, we have only been able to justify manning the WVC from Memorial Day to Labor Day and during both Oregon and Washington Spring Breaks. This schedule led to a lot of "closed" time for the visitors who needed help, even though we had installed a phone system at the Center to put them in direct contact with the Astoria location at any time.

For those of you who are familiar with the WVC, you will know that you actually walk through an open air "atrium" of sorts to get to the front door. To turn this Visitor Information Center into a 24 hour, 365 day a year resource for our "guests" we will expand the roof over this "atrium" and enclose the side with Plexiglas to give protection from the elements and will then have all the information needed for our visitors in a brand new "information kiosk", similar to what you might find in one of Rest Areas along I-5. It will be protected from the elements and lighted so it will be available for use at any time. Our "partners" with the Warrenton-Hammond Historical Society will be responsible for keeping the information racks filled and will let the Chamber know when additional supplies are needed.

So what we will have when the process is completed, is a new home for the Warrenton-Hammond Historical Society to present their collection of Warrenton/ Hammond's past AND a Visitor Information Center that will be open 24 hours a day and 365 days per year. See what I mean when I said this was a WIN-WIN FOR EVERYONE? Please stop by at the Museum and thank them for what they are doing. (Maybe even volunteer to take a shift or two.)

Skip

A Note Received at the Chamber, to the Citizens of Warrenton:

For the last 30 years I have called Highway 101 my home. In the course of travelling regularly from my home in Brookings to Astoria, many times a year, I have come to know the personality that every town exudes. Everywhere I go, I meet people who are kind individuals, but I have never met a kinder group of townspeople than I have in Warrenton, the common decency of which I have never experienced in any other city.

It is my opinion, and this is over 30 years of experience, that the people of Warrenton will go to extremes to make weary travelers feel at home. This is the kind of town that I only have only idealized about but found in reality in your wonderful city.

I know what I am talking about. I have had several occasions in various towns where my luck has been on the downside. The people who encompass the community of Warrenton are different than the rest of the herd. I have had total strangers help me when I have been in distress.

I cannot say enough about the civility and kindness that the Warrenton community exudes. It is almost as if everyone was raised with first and foremost, in how to treat their fellow man. It is as if everyone were required to take a class in manners before graduating from high school.

I cannot say that for every populace in which I have encountered in the many excursions my writing assignments have taken me throughout the entire state of Oregon.

You should be proud of the people who make up your community. I look forward traveling through Warrenton and patronizing your businesses every year.

Warrenton is definitely a town in which I would consider retiring. Although there are many beautiful scenic wonders to explore, I feel that the real beauty of your town comes from within, from the people who comprise the city itself.

Some of my future writing assignments will always include Warrenton and Astoria, and I always plan on including my general feeling of both these towns in my writing.

Yours truly,

Larry Ellis - Columnist, Writer, Photographer

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**Change is Coming
Member Directory & Profile Update**

In our ever-changing electronic and information age it is essential to provide our members and the community the very latest in internet information technology and thereby enhance the marketing of our area and help drive more customers to Chamber member businesses.

The Astoria-Warrenton Chamber of Commerce is excited to announce a new marketing direction and will soon begin working on the all-new Astoria-Warrenton Chamber Member Business Directory & Community Profile.

Chamber member, Village Profile, Inc. will produce our powerful new marketing tool. This is what you can expect:

- Thousands of Printed Copies will have dedicated distribution to Chamber Members, Community Organizations, Area Residents, and in Chamber Relocation packets, via the Chamber of Commerce, the City of Astoria, Hotels, Motels, Banks, Restaurants, and Real Estate offices, all of which will reach your target market for one full year!

- Internet On-Line Viewing: The printed version of the Chamber Member Business Directory will be available year-round on the Chamber's website & the Village Profile website. A click on your ad will send viewers to your website.

- NewView eBook can be downloaded FREE to laptops, desktops, web-enabled cell phones and Smartphones.

- Mobile Advertiser's Directory available 24/7 at www.vpmobile.us.

- NEW for 2011 is the Chamber Smartphone APP for iPhone and Android

As a Chamber Member Advertiser your marketing message will reach local customers as well as a worldwide audience, all designed to drive more business to YOU!

For more information, contact Project Manager, Nikki Leary, at the Chamber office, (503) 325-6311.



**CCA's New Regional Food Bank
Facility to Host June Multi-Business After Hours!**

Do you have a business storefront that's too small to host a traditional business-after-hours event? Or maybe no storefront at all? How about home office businesses? Want to get a little more exposure for your products and services? Well then, the Multi-BAH is for you!

Twice yearly the Chamber provides an opportunity for members who need a little elbow room they currently don't have to participate in Business After Hours. This year on Thursday, June 16th, we'll be at the Clatsop Community Action's new Regional Food Bank facility in Warrenton at 2010 SE Chokeberry, next door to the Clatsop County Animal Shelter from 5:30pm to 7pm.



If you would like to participate, please sign-up with Rose at the Chamber right away. We have space for about 18 businesses and CCA will provide tables for everyone. Each business provides its products and services information, some munchies and a door prize (one of your products or services maybe, – or swag, or whatever!) There is no additional charge. We provide you with a little "mic" time to talk about your business and a good crowd of people who visit each table to see and learn about what you have to offer.

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FREE Workshop! Protecting the Information You Keep - It's Good Business

Diane Childs, Identity Theft Program Outreach Coordinator for the Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services will present a free workshop on June 30th.

Wireless internet. USB drives. Smart phones. These high-tech communication tools lessen our workloads and provide convenience while we're out of the office, but they also carry risks for businesses that save personal information on these devices. Having a good identity theft prevention plan will help safeguard employee and customer personal information and prevent security breaches.

When: Thursday, June 30th

Time: 10am

Where: Holiday Inn Express, Astoria

This workshop is presented by the Astoria Warrenton Chamber of Commerce and Clatsop Economic Development Resources (CEDR).



Energy-Saving Green Tech

In addition to reducing costs for energy and waste disposal, and improving productivity, companies that embrace environmentally friendly information technology, or green IT, are often recognized as responsible community leaders.

Buying green: When purchasing IT equipment, focus on energy-efficient products and on reconfiguring equipment to reduce power consumption and waste while improving productivity:

- Replace CRT monitors with LCD monitors, to save as much as 70 percent in related energy costs.
- Consider ENERGY STAR® and Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool (EPEAT) products. These products are tested and certified to be more energy efficient than standard equipment.
- Purchase multi-functional equipment rather than individual printers, fax machines, scanners and copiers.

Recycling, disposal: Green IT practices that encourage recycling and proper disposal contribute significantly to environmental sustainability and reduced operating costs.

- To learn more about recycling electronics, check the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's eCycling pages at www.epa.gov.
- When disposing of equipment it is important to protect sensitive data. Moreover, equipment disposal must be in compliance with government environmental regulations. Consider using a reputable IT asset disposal provider to manage the process.

Pacific Power's online Business Solutions Toolkit has more energy-saving information and tools. For details, please visit pacificpower.net/toolkit.

Source: Pacific Power and Tech Resources Inc.

Help Fund the Fireworks Display

The 4th of July Fireworks display over the Columbia River in Astoria has become a great tradition for locals and visitors alike. The Astoria Warrenton Chamber of Commerce needs your help to ensure the fireworks will continue for years to come. We appreciate the support from this community of our many projects.

We invite any individuals, organizations or businesses to contribute to the fireworks display, which costs \$10,000. You can donate to the program now through the 4th by dropping off a donation to the Astoria-Warrenton Chamber at 111 West Marine Drive in Astoria or mail to the Chamber at PO Box 176, Astoria.



4th of July Parade Accepting Applicants

Applications for the city's Old Fashioned Fourth of July parade are now available. The parade has grown to become the largest in the area, with more than 100 entries. This year's theme, "Hooked on Warrenton," is designed to get people focusing on some of the things that make this region a great place to live and visit.

"The Fourth of July is part of a three-day weekend this year, so we're expecting lots of people to line Main Street to see the parade," said Cindy Yingst, parade organizer. "It's been such a dreary spring that I think most people are ready to celebrate summer and to celebrate why we love this place."

Trophies will be awarded in eight categories. The parade is sponsored by Warrenton Business Association and the City of Warrenton.

Applications were mailed to those who were in last year's parade. If you'd like to be in the parade, pick up an application at Warrenton City Hall, 225 S. Main Ave.; Warrenton Community Library, 861 Pacific Drive in Hammond; or The UPS Store, 5 N. Hwy 101.

For more information, contact Cindy at (503) 861-7447.

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ADHDA Shares Accomplishments, Seeks Membership

Submitted by Tiffany Estes, ADHDA President

Thanks to the generosity of many local businesses, organizations and volunteers, the Astoria Downtown Historic District Association has accomplished a great deal over the past 12 months including: Advancing to the Transforming Downtown level of the Oregon Main Street Program; Received a \$10,000 Rural Business Enterprise Grant for the downtown inventory project; Coordinated and promoted several events; and Facilitated information dissemination after the fire that destroyed #10 and #1 Sixth Street. If you would like a full list of the 2010-11 accomplishments, contact the ADHDA office.

Our greatest accomplishment last year was raising the funds required to secure a RARE (Resource Assistance for Rural Environments) Volunteer for an 11-month period. Having Blaire Buegler working for ADHDA fulltime since September has made a huge difference. A dedicated staff person is not something ADHDA has had since the early 1990s, and it is what we need in order to sustain productive downtown efforts over the long term. Blaire has agreed to stay another year with us - we just need final approval of the RARE Program, and to raise the funds required for program participation (\$19K) by June 30.

Our goal is to raise \$15,000 of our total budget through memberships. We raised over \$10,000 during a similar campaign last year and believe we can meet this new goal given the momentum that is now underway. ADHDA's annual budget is almost \$40,000, and almost half of that is required for RARE. The remainder of the budget will come from other fundraising activity, and a yet-to-be-finalized major contributor.

Our membership drive is on NOW and continues through June 30! If you like what you've seen from ADHDA, please consider becoming a dues-paying member. Your membership will help ensure the momentum continues and grows even stronger. **Limited time offer: Current paid members of the Astoria-Warrenton Chamber of Commerce may deduct \$25 from first-time membership dues to ADHDA. This dual membership offer was devised in a spirit of cooperation between ADHDA and the AWACC.**

For more information about the ADHDA or to get a copy of the membership application, call (503) 791-7940 or stop by 818 Commercial Street.



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CHAMBER CALENDAR - JUNE 2011

- 1 **Chamber Ambassadors Meeting**
5:30 pm @ Wet Dog Cafe
- 2 **Member Orientation**
10 am @ Chamber "Green Building"
- 8 **Chamber Executive Board Meeting**
1:30 pm @ Chamber "Green Building"
- 14 **Newsletter Articles & Advertisements Due**
Note early deadline.
- 9 **Lower Columbia Tourism Committee Meeting**
8 am @ Chamber "Green Building"
- 16 **Chamber Board of Directors Meeting**
4:00 pm @ Chamber "Green Building"
- 16 **MULTI - Business After Hours**
5:30 pm @ Clatsop Community Food Bank
See article on page 3.
- 20 **Newsletter Inserts & Payment Due**
- 28 **Chamber Circle Breakfast**
7:30 am @ Wet Dog Cafe

June Chamber Circle Breakfast

Join us for another great networking event that includes information you can use!

Tuesday, June 28
Location: Wet Dog Café
Cost: \$7.50

RSVP's would be appreciated to the Chamber, (503) 325-6311.



Chamber Member Orientation

The next member orientation will be held on Thursday, June 2, 10 to 11:30am at the Chamber Office Green Building. This program is designed to help you take advantage of all your Chamber benefits! New, "old" and prospective members welcome! RSVP's would be appreciated as space is limited, please call the chamber, (503) 325-6311 or email rose@oldoregon.com.

ChamberWorks Reminders

* **Articles** are accepted by email or print until the **15th** of the month prior to insertion by email to newsletter@oldoregon.com. Submissions may be edited or omitted by the editors for space or content. Pictures are welcome in .tif or .jpg format. Articles should be 200 words or less.

* **Inserts** (8.5 x 11" size) are limited to 10 each month. Supply a proof copy to the Chamber to hold your space. Once you hear back that your insert is okay, bring **600 copies** and payment to the Chamber - no later than the **20th** of the month prior to insertion. Inserts are \$50. Inserts should be 1 sheet of office paper - no folds, staples or heavy paper without prior approval.

* Business Card size (3.5"W x 2"H) **advertisements** are \$20 a month, with a minimum 6-month commitment. Send camera ready art by email or drop off a card to be scanned. Advertisements are due on the 15th of the month prior to first insertion.

* **Member of the Month** – Reserve this space in an upcoming issue and fill this prime spot on the back cover with news regarding your business or organization. The space can fit about 400 words with one 3" wide photo and your contact info, but you can use the space however you like!

* Would you like to receive ChamberWorks by **email** instead of the paper copy? The email newsletter does include the inserted flyers. Just let us know!

* This service is available as a benefit to Chamber Members only. Please make certain that the member who is providing the article, ad or insert is easily identified in the provided material.

Civic Organizations Meeting Dates

Astoria Branch AAUW — 3rd Tues. @ 7pm, Library Flag Room

Astoria Downtown HDA — 1st Fri. @ 8:30am, Baked Alaska

Astoria Rotary — Mondays @ Noon, Elks Club

Elks — 2nd & 4th Thursdays @ 8 pm, Elks Club

Kiwanis — 1st, 3rd & 5th Tuesdays @ Noon, Golden Luck

Lions — Wednesdays @ 6:30pm, Golden Star

Moose — Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm, Moose Lodge

Toastmasters - 1st, 3rd & 5th Mondays @ 6pm, Hotel Elliott

Warrenton Bus. Assoc. — 1st Tues. @ 6:00, Warrenton City Hall

Warrenton Rotary — Wednesdays @ 7:00 am, Doogers

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Shanghaied in Astoria 2011 is Just Around the Corner

The Astor Street Opry Company is NOW seeking show sponsors for the 27th Anniversary season of its musical melodrama Shanghaied In Astoria. Sponsors start at just \$150 and can be made through cash or trade to show your support during summer run of classic SHANGHAIED IN ASTORIA opening July 7th and continuing to September 10th.

Always remember it is your support that keeps year round Community Theatre programming for all ages alive and thriving in Clatsop County! Please contact Judith for information about sponsorship opportunities at 503-325-6104 or email: jniland@pacifier.com. The ASOC is a "Not for Profit".

Submitted by Astor Street Opry Company

Ninth Annual Music Festival Takes Stage

From June 17th to the 26th, the Astoria Music Festival will present a series of concerts, many of which will take place at the beautifully renovated Liberty Theater. Artistic director Keith Clark has assembled an ambitious schedule with some top-tier talent, including Met-singers Angela Meade, Richard Zeller, Ruth Ann Swenson, and John Duykers.

The schedule of performances are sure to offer something for everyone from Beethoven and Mozart to Classics 4 Kids and, back by popular demand, the comic book opera "Too Much Coffee Man." Visit www.astoriamusicfestival.com or call 325-9896 for the complete schedule and information.

Finns, Danes, Norwegians and Swedes - Oh My!

The Astoria Scandinavian Midsummer Festival has been a tradition on the North Coast of Oregon for more than forty years. This year's festival takes place Friday through Sunday, June 17, 18, and 19th. The festival embodies the rich cultural heritage that was transplanted to the Astoria region by emmigrating Scandinavians. In the pacific northwest they found the same bountious seas and forests as in their native lands and the demand for their skills at managing them.

During the three days of the festival over a dozen Scandinavian musical, dance, and theater groups are scheduled to entertain. The 2011 headline act is Harald Haugegaard and Helene Blum from Denmark.

Retail booths will offer handcrafts, Scandinavian import items, and traditional Scandinavian foods. Local community groups and the Scandinavian Café from Vancouver, Washington, will offer full Scandinavian-themed meals. The Wet Dog Brewery will provide hand-crafted beers and a limited menu in the Beer Garden.

All events, except for the parade, take place at the Clatsop County Fairgrounds, three miles east of Astoria. See the complete schedule of events at www.astoriascanfest.com.



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Providence Seaside Hospital and SDDA host the Hot Rod Classic Charity Golf Tournament, Wednesday, June 15

Providence Seaside Hospital Foundation, in partnership with the Seaside Downtown Development Association (SDDA), is proud to host the Hot Rod Classic Charity Golf Tournament at Gearhart Golf Links and the Seaside Civic and Convention Center.

This year, funds raised will be used by Providence Seaside Hospital to support the purchase of a new radiant heater (baby warmer) and renovations to the Family Birth Center. SDDA will use their funds for downtown beautification projects. Both not-for-profit organizations could use your help.

The tournament is a shotgun start right after a delicious lunch at McMenamins Sand Trap restaurant. The afternoon is spent on the golf course with prizes and beverages along the way.

After the day of golf, participants and their guests meet up again at the 19th Hole at the convention center for music, cocktails, time to view the private car show and enjoy a wonderful dinner. Awards from the golf tournament are presented as the auction starts.

Some of the auction highlights include:

- History of Ft. Stevens led by David Lindstrom.
- Guided tour of tide pools and area beaches with local expert, Keith Chandler, of the Seaside Aquarium.
- Portland Timbers tickets.
- Catered dinner for six in your home by Chef John Newman of Newman's at 988.
- Fabulous desserts by area chefs.
- A selection of fine wines.
- A variety of artwork.

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