

Issue 437

June 13th, 2025



Pe Ell Graduates, we honor you.

Silas Edgar, Payton Endsley, Avery Guiltner, Jakob Hayes, Brookelynn, King, Calan McCarty, Riley McCarty, Cowyn McGrath, Ethen Noble, Logan Oechsner, Konnor Pilz, Aly Webster, and Johnny Williams.





Twin Cities Older Adult Center 2545 N National Ave. Chehalis, WA 98532 (360) 748-0061



RC TIMBER RIVER CONNECTIONS Older Adult Centers & Resources

TOWN OF PE ELL



SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 2025

8 AM UNTIL DUMPSTERS ARE FULL

CHARGES FOR GARBAGE:

TRUCK & TRAILER: \$50.00 (each loaded regardless of amount)

EXTRA LARGE LOAD: \$30.00 (truck bed w/sides)

LARGE LOAD: \$25.00 (regular truck bed) MEDIUM LOAD: \$20.00 (half truck bed)

SMALL LOAD: \$10.00 (car trunk)

RECYCLING ITEMS ACCEPTED FREE OF CHARGE:

- Household hazardous waste, excluding paint
- Computers and flat screen televisions. If they are not flat screen, the size limit is less than 42 inches. Limit of 2 items per household.
- Scrap metal
- Appliances (refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, hot water heaters, air conditioning units, dish washers, stoves). Limit of two units per household.
- Yard Waste
- Sensitive document shredding

TIRES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AS PART OF THE RECYCLE PROGRAM!!!

NEW FOR 2025

Dispose of 1 load of garbage at the rates described above and dump a 2nd load free. 2nd load not guaranteed based on capacity of dumpsters.

Please be aware that the acceptance of some items may change. Please contact Town Hall with any questions!

Happy Flag Day

June 14 - The birthday of the Stars and Stripes



NEW SHOW

Liberty Firearms & Blade Expo Brought to you by Liberty Belle Tactical, LLC We are not just in Oregon anymore!!

Bringing a New Show to the 'Southwest Washington Fairgrounds' in Centralia, WA in the New Year! We are excited to offer a new style show for the community and our beloved vendors! We are currently taking reservations for the first show of 2025 in February. You can make reservations with our Show Manager, Julie Zielke. We look forward to welcoming you into the 'Liberty Family' of Gun Shows in the beautiful Pacific Northwest!

June 14th-15th, 2025

September 6th-7th, 2025

October 11th-12th, 2025

November 15th-16th, 2025

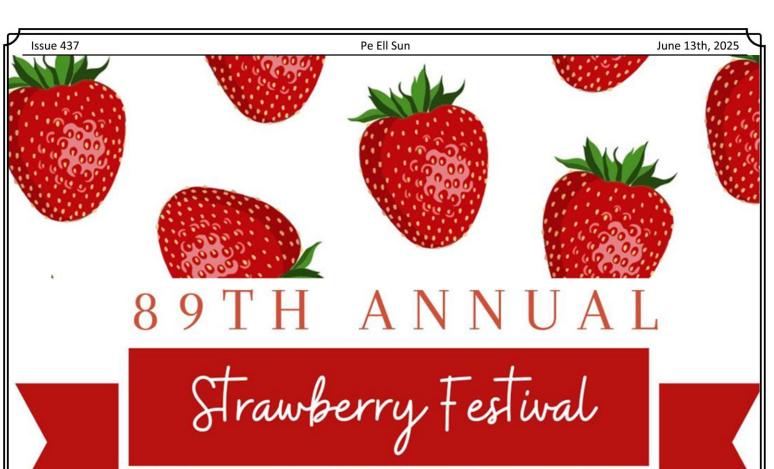
December 20th-21st, 2025

Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Sunday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

At Liberty Firearms & Blade Expo, we put a strong emphasis on 'Empowering Preparedness'. We feel the importance of bringing Safety, Respect for Self & Firearms, Knowledge and Preparedness are some of the top priorities for individuals. Having the ability to create a community, based on preserving our Second Amendment Rights, is something that needs to not only be fought for, but cherished as well! We strive to bring new ideas to our shows. Whether that is in the form of Firearm Safety Classes, spring events with vendors both inside and outside the facilities, and vendors that help bring the family atmosphere to our shows. We encourage public outreach to include, the local Sheriff's offices & Police Dept., Community Safety offices, Junior Shooting Leagues, Gun Ranges, NRA/ILA, Second Amendment Foundation, GOA, Silent Majority Foundation & MORE! We are excited to have you join us at the shows in the coming year! Merry Christmas!!

To make Vendor Reservations, contact – Julie Zielke at 253-381-6686 or 971-202-1584

Call/Text or by email at – <u>Julie@LibertyFBExpo.com</u>

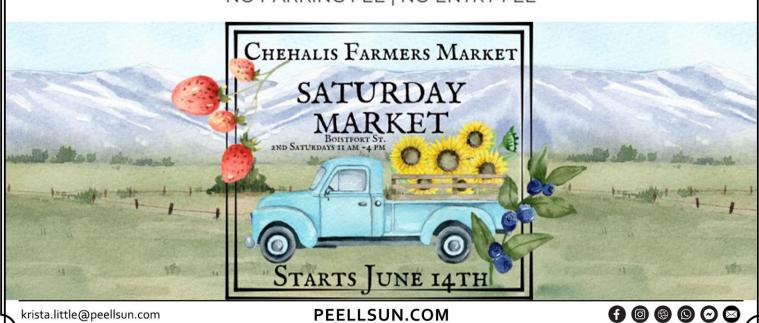


at the South Bay Grange

June 14, 2025

10am - 3pm | South Bay Grange 3918 Sleater Kinney Rd. NE Olympia, WA 98506

NO PARKING FEE | NO ENTRY FEE





























FARM STAND SUMMER OPEN DATES



-July: 12th & 13th 19th & 20th

-August: 2nd & 3rd 9th & 10th, 16th & 17th 23rd & 24th & 30th

-September: 6th & 7th 13th & 14th, 20th & 21st 27th & 28th



Fresh Veg Day

Pop-up Farm Store Event



Monday, June 16

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Lewis County Senior staff, serve meals, create learning and enrichment opportunities, help our seniors with issues directly impacting their health and wellness, reach out to the community with fundraisers, and other community events. Pe Ell Seniors meet at the Methodist Church for meals every Monday and Thursday. (416 1st Street S, Pe Ell) Volunteers are always needed and welcome, if you would like to volunteer please visit lewiscountyseniors.org/volunteer/ to sign up. Suggested Donation \$3-5 dollars for Seniors over 60 & \$10.69 if under 60

June 16th Lasagna Fresh Veggies & Dip **Garlic Bread** Yogurt & fruit

June 23rd Grilled Chicken Burger W/ **Fixings Sweet Potato Tots** Side Salad Apple Crisp

June 19th BBQ Jerk Chicken Collard Greens Cornbread w/ Honey Butter Red Velvet Cake Watermelon

> June 26th Chefs Choice

CAFE AND LOUNGE 416 N Main St. PeEll, WA 360.291.9902 Homemade Pies, Cinnamon Rolls, Soups, Salads, Burgers and Daily Specials FULL COCKTAIL LOUNGE



504 N Main St, Pe Ell

Open 7 Days a Week

Gas, Hot Foods, Snacks, Scratch Tickets, Beer, Hunting & Fishing Licenses, Propane



SUNDAY 12p - 8p MONDAY **CLOSED TUESDAY** 12p - 9p WEDNESDAY 12p - 9p **THURSDAY** 12p - 9p **FRIDAY** 12p - 12a SATURDAY 12p - 12a

Daily **Drink Specials** and More!

BINGO on Wednesday's

For Orders To Go Call: 360-291-2607 205 N Main St, Pe Ell



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Sunday

Bible Study 10:00 A.M. Worship 11:00 A.M. Evening Bible Study 6:00 P.M.

Thursday

Prayer Meeting 6:00 P.M.

112 Olive St, Chehalis, WA 98532

PE ELL-NEW HARVEST CHURCH

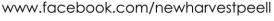


134 Mauerman Rd. Pe Ell, WA 360.523.2929

Sunday Service at 10am with Pastor Christian DeCan

Childrens Church and Nursery

www.mynewharvest.com







Council Meeting June 3rd, 2025 6:00 p.m.

The regular meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Willey. C.M. Nichols, C.M. Speer, C.M. Milanowski, C.M. Dodd, Mayor Willey, Attorney Unzelman, and Clerk/Treasurer Oster were present. C.M. Fiedler was absent. There were 2 citizens present.

A motion was made by C.M. Dodd and seconded by C.M. Nichols to approve the agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by C.M. Milanowski and seconded by C.M. Speer to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by C.M. Speer and seconded by C.M. Dodd to approve Blanket Voucher #202511 for Claim #'s 22194-22206 in the amount of \$52,206.14 and Payroll #'s 22184-22193 in the amount of \$22,948.94 for a Grand Total of \$75,155.08. Motion passed unanimously.

There were no purchase orders

A motion was made by C.M. Milanowski and seconded by C.M. Dodd to approve the Utility Bill adjustments for Acct# 1044 for a refund in the amount of \$13.03 for an overpayment on Final Bill and Acct# 1609 for a refund in the amount of \$295.01 for an overpayment on Final Bill. Motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

NONE

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made by C.M. Dodd and seconded by C.M. Milanowski to accept the recommendation from Gray & Osborne to award the Chehalis River Secondary Intake Project to Confederated Construction Company with a bid amount of \$101,680.92. Motion passed unanimously.

Clerk/Treasurer Oster notified the council that Mayor Willey and C.M. Milanowski completed a review of the Small and Attractive Asset Inventory. Any items that were of no further use to the Town were added to the Resolution for disposal or sale.

A motion was made by C.M. Dodd and seconded by C.M. Speer to pass Resolution #278-Surplus Property. Motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURN

A motion was made by C.M. Speer and seconded by C.M. Nichols to adjourn the meeting at 6:23 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

Council minutes are not official until they are passed formally at the next scheduled meeting



COMMUNITYchatter

by Kristi Keller Milanowski



Wishing all the Dads a very happy and blessed Father's Day!!

Kudos to PWV sports standouts Karli Phelps and Liam Smaciarz on being among The Chronicle's 2024-2025 Athletes of the Year!! If I've missed any of our PWV players on the list, please let me know.

Continued thanks to Mike Jensen for his daily Hwy 6 road reports and all the other commuters for keeping everyone up to speed on road conditions

Until the next Pe Ell Sun rises, here are a few words to ponder. "When you have more years behind you than ahead of you...You think about things differently."

Gemini the twins is the zadiacal sign for birthdays spanning, May, 21st, ~ June 21st, Flower and gemstone for the month of June are rose and honeysuckle and pearl, We begin the first half of June Happy Birthdays with Anne McCarty, Tim Mohoric, Tony Belanger, Chris Zock, Dylan Toepelt, Kaleb McCalden, Rochelle King, Marilyn Mauermann, Cheryl Smaciarz, Trevor Elliott, Kaila Marie Kautenberg, Steve Fluke, Maggie Elliott Toepelt, Kaiden Sedy, Andrew Schulz, Becky MacDonald, Rick Fries, Thalia Bensching, Travis Pilz, Dana Selliken, Brenda Gutsche Smith, Will Brown, Michael Toepelt, Ryzen (12) Miles, Trever Keller, Rochelle Frailey, Jason Phelps, Kayla Hoke, Paul Briggs, Taylee Leigh, Jonathan Elliott, Terra Morgan Gerling, Sharlene Hoffman, Cheryl Karboski, Lisa Swiglo Mohoric, Blaine Howard and Renea Brooks.

Extra Special Happy 20th Birthday wishes to Payton Peterson with lots of love from Dad Devin, Mom Jolene, Sis Presley, Tyler and all your family and friends!!

Raise a Happy Anniversary toast to Justus & Peyton Hoffman, Joe & Sue Christin Rosbach, Chris & Arlene Pierce, Glenn & Colleen Brooks Epling, Mike & Anne McCarty, Wayne & Kristin Pace, Dan & Terrie Holdsworth, Mike & Govinda Heartsong, Les & Karen Wright, Mickey & Pat Hensley Taylor and Ben & Melody Porter.

Special Happy 65th Anniversary wishes with lots of love to Jerry & Faye Phelps Bryant .

Extra Special Happy Anniversary wishes with much love to Mike & Jilona Speer.

Sympathy

Deepest, heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of Marvin "Marv" Duncan He was a great man and will be sorely missed.

Heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of Gerald Elliott who passed on 6/10.

Deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Rob Denney who passed on 6/4

Please continue keeping Louise Powell,

leers to one and all/

Mickey Taylor, Kim Evans, Brenda Longnecker, Jenn Hill, Nancy Nichols, Carole Pedersen, Phyllis Justice, Bob McGraẃ, Jerry Bryant, Adylynn Pilz-Harris, Mike Heartsong, Carla West, Linda Wood, Sherry McCalden, Gabby Myhre, Terrie Holdsworth, Dell Wilson, Ron Twigg and Miles Burmeister.

Please keep missing person, Johi Hutton, and her family in your prayers

Congratulations to Tommy Snodgrass and Serenity Hayes on the birth of son, Hadley Jo





Free Park Day!

Washington State Parks and the Washington Departments of Fish & Wildlife (WDFW) and Natural Resources (DNR) offer several "free days" when a Discover Pass is not required to visit these lands.

June 19th — Juneteenth

Free days apply only to day use (not overnight stays or rented facilities). Free days are valid at state parks and Washington State Departments of Natural Resources and Fish & Wildlife lands. Sno-Park permits are still required on free days at designated Sno-Parks during the winter season.



TIMBER RIVER CONNECTIONS RESOURCE FAIRS 2025

<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>
JUN 20TH	TOLEDO
JUL 16TH	TWIN CITY
AUG 20TH	PACKWOOD
SEP 23RD	WINLOCK
OCT 23RD	PE ELL
NOV 4TH	MORTON
DEC 19TH	TOLEDO

DISCOVER, CONNECT, AND HAVE FUN!

10am-2pm

CONTACT 360-740-0061 FOR MORE INFORMATION

etimberriverconnections.o





Choices are so difficult!

Pancakes



Pancake Breakfast
OR
Biscuits & Gravy
\$10.00



For More Information Contact: Lewis Zion - (360) 304-0779 Fred Wilson - (360) 864-4586 cowlitzprairiegrange@gmail.com 3rd Saturday of the month 7:00 am to 10:00 am

Cowlitz Prairie Grange # 737

5184 Jackson Hwy - Toledo, WA 98591 - (3 1/2 miles N of Toledo on Jackson Hwy)

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2025 Breakfast Dates
June 21st
July 19th
August 16th
September 20th
October 18th
November 15th
December 20th

Remember



June 13th Class of Graduation

June 16th School Board Meeting

June 17th Field Day TK Promotion End of year Carnival

June 18th Student of the Month

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

July 21st School Board Meeting



\$100 SIGN-UP FEES DUE AT SIGN-UPS ***CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY***

NO PLAYER WILL BE TURNED AWAY IF UNABLE TO PAY!

WHEN & WHERE:

TUESDAY, JUNE 17TH 6:00 P.M.-7:00 P.M. @ PE ELL SCHOOL CAFETERIA POSSIBILITY OF ROTATING PRACTICES IN PEELL AND WILLAPA VALLEY.

MORE DETAILS COMING SOON!

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PWV YOUTH FOOTBALL

SIGN-UPS!





Contact Pam Watson, Lewis County 4-H Youth Development Agent To see what groups are available near you. extension.wsu.edu/ lewis/4h/



Local Leader Mrs. Anne McCarty facebook.com/groups 469448733949716



Find a troop close to you, or start one.



girlscouts.org/en/get-involved/ become-a-girl-scout/join-a-troop.html

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SUN SAFETY

- Limit your sun exposure between the hours of 10 am and 4 pm
- · Get some sun-protective clothing
- · Wear a hat and sunglasses with UV ray protection
- · Replace any sweat-saturated items with dry clothing
- Apply sunscreen with a sun protection factor (SPF) of at least 15
- · Apply sunscreen on both sunny and cloudy days
- Apply sunscreen every two hours, or after swimming or sweating

HEAT SAFETY

- Reduce the intensity of activities 15 minutes or longer in length Make sure you are well-hydrated
- Limit outdoor physical activity in a place with a warmer climate Allow your body to acclimate to the change in temperature

SAFETY ON THE ROAD

- Driving and texting don't mix
- Never drink and drive
- · Plan your outing...know the area and pack accordingly
- · Perform a vehicle check-up
- Slow dow...enjoy the drive
- Get a good night's sleep the night prior and take frequent rest stops
- · Keep emergency supplies in your vehicle

POOL SAFETY

- Never leave a child unsupervised in or near a pool or spa
- Teach children 4 and older to swim
- Avoid inflatable swimming aids such as "floaties"
- If possible, install a 4ft tall or higher fence around all sides of the pool Do not use a pool or spa if there are broken or missing drain covers
- · Do not dive in less than nine feet of water
- Always employ a feet-first entry
- · Be aware of sandbars

PROTECT AGAINST BUGS

- Use insect repellents to guard against ticks
- Wear long sleeve shirts and long pants when going outside Never leave stagnant pools of water around the house Avoid using scented soaps or perfumes

FIRE SAFETY

- · Never use gasoline to start a BBQ grill or campfire
- · BBQ grills are meant for outdoor use only
- Ensure charcoal is cool and completely out before disposing
- Hot surfaces are not limited to cooking surfaces
- Build campfires in appropriate areas



BEGINS ON MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND AND CONTINUES
THROUGH LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Free Tansy Disposal

Let Lewis County Noxious Weed Control 'pick up the tab' for your Tansy Ragwort disposal!

During the month of June, Lewis County Noxious Weed Control will accept your tansy ragwort and dispose of it at no cost to you!



Tansy will be accepted by APPOINMENT ONLY.

Tansy must be bagged and bags must be securely closed. Absolutely no loose tansy will be accepted.

Call # (360) 740.1218

email: weeds@lewiscountywa.gov

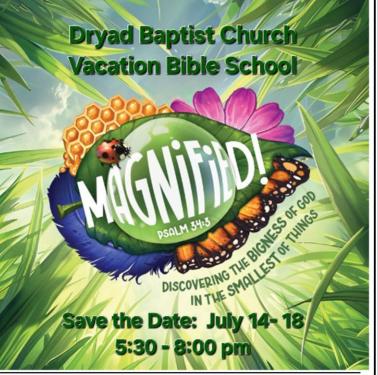




VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT NEW HARVEST!









shell-ebrate! EGG DAYS

JUNE 19* Thursday

ROYAL CORONATION 7 pm Community Bldg.

*Thursday due to graduation on Friday

JUNE 21 Saturday

FESTIVAL &
HISTORIC
PARADE
Festival 8 am
until done.
Parade at 11:00

JUNE 22 Sunday

BINGO 2-4 pm Olequa Sr. Center Egg float fundraiser



FARMER'S ALMANAC

FOUNDED IN 1792

Long-Range Weather Forecast for Pacific Northwest

Jun 8-14
Isolated showers,
then sunny; warm
Jun 15-19
Rainy periods;
cool north, warm south
Jun 20-30
Sunny, then a few showers; cool





LIVE Music

PE ELL'S CONCERT N THE LAWN

SATURDAY
JUNE
21st
5-7 PM

LOCATION: SCHOOL FRONT ON MAIN STREET
FREE & FAMILY FRIENDLY

FRECKLES BROWN BAND

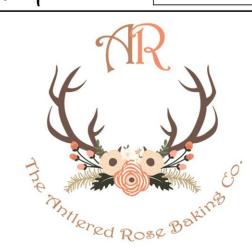








VARIETY MUSIC: ROCK, BLUES, COUNTRY, LATIN ROCK, POP BRING A FOLDING CHAIR AND KICK BACK



A NUMBER TO REMEMBER

Non-Emergency Number 360.740.1105

NEXT CITY COUNCIL MEETING

June 17th, 2025 6 @ City Hall



MARKET AT THE RIVERFRONT A Community Market

June 21, 20







Racing 5:00pm -- southsoundspeedway.com Created By: Stormy Townsend — phbystormy@gmail.com Or Stormy Martin on Facebook







SATURDAYS JUNE 7TH TO AUGUST 16TH II AM TO 3 PM RIVERFRONT PARK IN FRONT OF THE CARRIAGE MUSEUM, RAYMOND, WA









The Pe Ell Food Bank is OPEN on Wednesday, June 26th between 11:00 AM and Noon. Our new location is at New Harvest Church - 134 Mauerman RD. Please stop by if you are in need of a little extra assistance. The process is simple, we just need your name, number of people in your home and their ages, and the City in which you reside. That's it! We offer assistance the last Wednesday of the month between 11:00 am and Noon. We welcome your participation! Any questions, please feel free to contact: Brad Rhodes at 3608808067.



2025 Lewis County WorkSource Career & Resource Fair Dates



Dates for 2025

- June 27th
- July 25th
- August 29th
- September 26th
- October 31st
- November 28th

WorkSource is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Washington Relay Service: 711. For WorkSource PacMin's USDOL grar funding details, wist tinyurLoom/workdewa.



SUNDAY AFTERNOON live

Sunday Afternoon Live audiences are in for a rousing, thrilling, and soul-lifting musical experience when the **American Legion Band** comes to our stage at the historic Raymond Theatre on Sunday, June 22. This free concert will be especially meaningful since it takes place during the band's "Centennial Jubilee", a celebration of 100 years of magnificent performances.

In 1924, WWI veterans at American Legion Post No. 3 in Olympia started what is now the **Department of Washington American Legion Band**. Their first performance was for the Olympia Yacht Club on opening day in the spring of 1925, and they have performed annually on opening day ever since—except for the two years of the COVID pandemic, in 2020 and 2021. Another fascinating historic fact about the Band is that member Major Robert MacArthur Crawford, a WW2 pilot (dubbed "The Flying Baritone" by Time Magazine), wrote the US Air Force Anthem, popularly known as "The Wild Blue Yonder". Major MacArthur also wrote "Loyal Legionnaires", dedicated to American Legion Post No. 3, a song the Band performs at every Post function.

Conductor Kevin Robertson is only the 18th conductor in the 100-year history of the Band. Mr Robertson, a retired career Army musician, has been with the Band since 2010. Mr Robertson first came on as an emergency substitute baritone horn player; he has been a band member, and now leader, ever since. His wife Amy Robertson is a vital part of the Band, serving on the executive board as well as handling media contacts, vocals, and announcing at performances. Notably, the Robertsons will be celebrating 40 years of marriage on the day of their Sunday Afternoon Live concert. Many congratulations to Amy and Kevin!

The American Legion Band truly has something for everyone: Songs from stage and screen, marches, novelty pieces, and their incredible musical tribute to the armed forces.

The American Legion Band members are all volunteers, donating their time and talents to share their unforgettable music with us. Don't miss this free concert!

The Department of Washington American Legion Band will perform this free concert on Sunday, June 22, at 2 PM at the historic Raymond Theatre at 323 3rd St in Raymond, WA. Admission is free, but donations are gratefully accepted. We'll see you there!



KIDS SUMMER CAMP

AGES 6-12



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pacefamilylavender@gmail.com



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*Please be prepared to add to the total for surcharge.

MUSIC IN THE PARK

THURSDAYS 4-6PM SATURDAYS 1-3PM

JUNE 19TH - AUG 30TH VETERANS FIELD 3RD ST LONG BEACH, WA

www.LongBeachMerchants.com

THURS JUNE 19TH- SOULFUL VARIATIONS 4-6PM SAT JUNE 21ST- TBD 1-3PM

THURS JUNE 26TH- MILLIONTH STREET 4-6PM

SAT JUNE 28TH- BARNEY NINE FINGERS 1-3PM

THURS JULY 3RD- BLUBIRD TRIO 4-6PM

SRT JULY STH- OUT-PATIENTZ 1-3PM

THURS JULY IOTH- STEVE FROST 4-6PM

SAT JULY 12TH- RRE GORDON BAND 1-3PM

THURS JULY 17TH- PENINSULA GUITAR TRIO 4-6PM

SAT JULY 19TH- THE ROGUE TRIO 1-3PM(SANDSATIONS BOLSTAD APPROACH)

THURS JULY 24TH- SERSIDE JAZZ TRIO 4-6PM

SAT JULY 26TH- HARD COLD TRUTH 1-3PM

THURS JULY 3IST- DOUBLE J AND THE BOY 4-6PM

SAT AUG 200- BEACH BREAK 1-3PM

THURS RUG 7TH- BROWNSMERD FLATS 4-6PM

SAT RUG 9TH- SKAMOKAWA SWAMP OPERA 1-3PM

THURS RUG 14TH- SQUERKY WHEELS 4-6PM

SAT AUG ISTH- MURPHTONES 1-3PM

THURS RUG 21ST- JON LEE 4-6PM SAT RUG 23RD- TBD

THURS RUG 28TH- DYSTER CRACKERS 4-6PM

SAT AUG 30TH- THE DRUTHERS 1-3PM







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