



# The Landing At Newport

# NEWSLETTER May 2024

## Halibut Fishing Opens

The 2024 Halibut fishing season opens May 1st in the Newport area. Patriot Fishing offers “All Depth Fishing Trips” at the Newport Boat Ramp and Marina.

Seats are \$350 per person with discounts for Military, Police, fire, EMT, and First Responders. Custom electric or conventional rods and reels will be provided, as well as all bait, tackle and gear, however you are welcome to bring your own. Regulations allow you to keep Ling Cod and Rockfish while Halibut fishing. Add crabbing to the trip for \$35.00.



**Halibut fishing: Saturday, May 4th 5:00 am**

**Rockfish and Ling Cod fishing: Monday, May 6th 5:00 am**

**Salmon fishing: Friday, July 5th 5:00 am**

For tickets or more info. go to: [Patriotfishing.com](http://Patriotfishing.com)

## Loyalty Days & Seafair Festival



Events in celebration of the 67th Annual Loyalty Days on **May 3rd thru May 5th, 2024** include:

- ◆ Reading of the Names of all Fallen Soldiers
- ◆ A non-competitive mile run
- ◆ A parade through town on Hwy 101
- ◆ Blessing of the Fleet on the Yaquina Bay
- ◆ Highliner competition
- ◆ Community BBQ
- ◆ More info can be found at [discovernewport.com/events](http://discovernewport.com/events)

## Artsea - Brown Pelican Watercolor Class

We celebrate one of our local birds, the Brown Pelican, with this techniques class in watercolor. No drawing in this class and the instructor will demonstrate gradient washes using frisket and creating fine lines; individual instruction as needed. Bring the watercolor supplies you already have, additional materials will be available for purchase from the instructor. **Tickets are \$70.00 and there is a \$5.00 fee the day of class for other materials provided.**



**Thursday, May 9th, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm, Ages 18+**



## Artsea - Violet Forest Class

Join this Canvas Paint Party for an evening of painting this beautiful forest scene. Tickets include all supplies and step-by-step instruction.

**Ages 16+, adults over 21 can BYOB.**

**Saturday, May 11th, 5:00 pm, Ticket fee is \$35.00.**

**Artsea 4909 S. Coast Hwy, South Beach, OR  
458-868-9125**

**For tickets go to: [artseacraftsea.com](http://artseacraftsea.com), sorry, no refunds offered. (Artsea says, be leery of 3rd party ticket sales, please check with Artsea studio first.)**

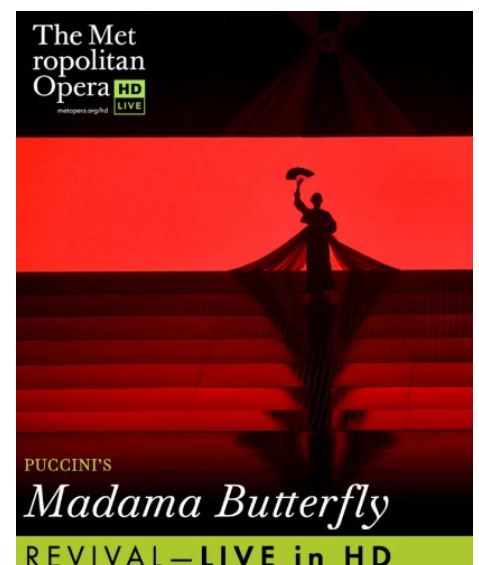
## Madama Butterfly—Met Opera Live in HD

Madama Butterfly is a tragic opera by Giacomo Puccini that explores themes of love, heartbreak, betrayal, and cultural differences. Based on a true story, the opera is set in Nagasaki, Japan at the turn of the 20th century and tells the story of Lieutenant Benjamin Franklin Pinkerton, an American naval officer who marries Cio-Cio San, also known as Butterfly. Pinkerton abandons Butterfly shortly after their wedding and returns to America, but years later he returns to Japan. (Sung in Italian with English subtitles).

**Saturday, May 11th 10:00 am—1:15 pm (one intermission)**

**Newport Performing Arts Center, 777 W. Olive Street**

**Go to [coastarts.org/events](http://coastarts.org/events) for tickets and info.**





## Tidepool Excursions



*Did you know purple sea urchins have tiny pincers called pedicellariae. They give a nasty pinch to any roving sea star that might try to make a meal out of the urchin or get too close.*

*Most sea stars are deterred by getting their tube feet pinched, but the sunflower sea star has been known to eat purple urchins anyway.*



*This is just one of the fun facts you could learn about these feisty echinoderms and other tidepool residents on our two upcoming Tidepool Excursions, but class space is limited.*

***On Thursday, May 9th at Otter Crest*** we will spend 2.5 hours exploring with the guide. There are several flights of stairs down to the beach and we will walk about 1 mile round trip on mostly rocks and some sand. If conditions are right, we will enter Devil's Punchbowl which will involve stepping up and onto boulders. Please be aware of your abilities.

***On Friday, May 10th at Neptune State Park*** it's a short, gentle path to the beach, but there are some big steps and rocks at the end, and the 1.5 mile round trip will be on mostly wet firm sand.

***Please wear sturdy shoes or boots that can get wet; rocks will be slippery. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Go to: [Facebook.com/newportparksandrec/](https://www.facebook.com/newportparksandrec/) and scroll to find this special event to register.***

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**Book your stay at the Landing now—just ask the reservations desk, “MAY” I have the 15% visitor’s special, listed in the “MAY” issue of the newsletter!**

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## Bloom NEWPORT 2024

Presented by Oregon Coast Council for the Arts, this 3rd annual Bloom Newport celebrates the creativity, culture, cuisine, community, and commerce that makes Newport unique and vibrant!

**Newport Performing Arts Center  
777 W. Olive Street, Newport**

***There will be art, food, drink, culture, and entertainment. Fun for all ages and the event is FREE.***

## Drop-In Figure Drawing



Coastal Arts Guild and Oregon Coast Council for the Arts are sponsoring a monthly drop-in figure drawing series, through November. This is an opportunity for artists of various skill levels to experience figure drawing with a live model, wearing fitted clothing. There will be a Guild volunteer to answer questions, but there will be no formal instruction.

Standing easels will be provided, and there will be a limited number of spaces for seated drawing at table-top easel for those unable to work while standing. Supplies will be provided and registration is free, however a \$5-\$10 donation is requested to cover the models' fee.

**Sunday, May 19th from 2:00 pm—4:00 pm**  
**Newport Visual Arts Center, 777 NW Beach Drive**

## Newport Marathon & Half Marathon

Presented by Oregon Coast Bank, the Newport Marathon course starts at the Yaquina Bay State Park lighthouse. It is a beautiful course with a few gentle hills through picturesque neighborhoods, under the Yaquina Bay Bridge to the Bayfront, past shops, restaurants, galleries, and a large fishing village. **Saturday, June 1, 2024.**

**Run starts at 7:00 am**

**Walk starts at 6:00 am**

**Half Marathon starts at 7:45 am**

To register, go to: [newportmarathon.org](http://newportmarathon.org)



## Owner Information



Landing at Newport Owners, watch your email for an updated list of House Rules from the COA Board.

Great to see all those who attended both meetings. We had a few more Rental Pool Members attend the recent meeting. The July Rental Pool meeting will be at 3:00 pm PST again.