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Bandon Today

Recycling center, 9 am to 3 pm, 180 18th St. S.E. (pink building).

Alcoholics Anonymous, 10 am, Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Blessing of the Fleet, sponsored by Bandon Ministerial Association, 10 a.m., Lost at Sea Memorial, Port of Bandon boat launch.

Marine Swap Meet, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Port of Bandon boardwalk, First St., Old Town.

Free flowers for Memorial Day remembrances, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Dog Style Boutique, 95 11th St. SW.

Bandon Historical Society Museum, 10 am to 4 pm, Hwy 101 and Fillmore.

Old Town Marketplace farmers and artisans market, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 250 First St. SW.

Visitor Information Center, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Old Town.

Wild Rivers Wool Factory birthday open house, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., 48443 Hwy. 101, Langlois.

AA non-smoking meeting, noon, Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Free hot-dogs and soda in honor of our fallen soldiers, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Hillbilly Trading Post, 1 mile south of town, 54559 Hwy. 101.

Washed Ashore exhibit and free workshop noon-5 p.m., Harbortown Events Center, 325 2nd St SE, Old Town.

AA meeting, 7 pm, Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Ballroom dancing, 7:30 pm, Odd Fellows Hall, Hwy 42S.

Sunday

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Visitor Information Center, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Old Town.

Wild Rivers Wool Factory birthday open house, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., 48443 Hwy. 101, Langlois.

Roaring Sea Arts open house, featuring music, art, prose and poetry, 1-4 p.m., Roaring Sea Studio, driveway prior to Sea Crest Motel, Hwy. 101, just south of Port Orford.

Boardwalk to Beach Run/Walk, 2 p.m., registration starts at 1 p.m., Port of Bandon boardwalk, First St., Old Town.

Overeaters Anonymous, 4-5 p.m., Unity of Bandon.

"Singspiration" sponsored by Bandon Ministerial Association, 6 p.m. First Baptist Church, 860 Second St. SE (Hwy. 101).

Al Anon, 7 p.m., Southern Coos Hospital.

Today's Tides: Highs 4:42am, 5.8ft., 6:28pm. 5.8ft. Lows 11:36am, 0.0ft., --:--pm, --:--ft.

Sunday Tides: Highs 5:51am, 5.4ft., 7:21pm. 6.1ft. Lows 12:19am, 2.5ft., 12:32pm, 0.3ft.

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LOST: WHITE//GRAY FEMALE SIAMESE CAT wearing a cone, near Bandon High School. Blind in the right eye. 541-294-1711.

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 Thanks to these fine retailers for their support of the Class of 2020 Raffle! Tickets \$10 ea. now through May 30 at: Bandon Ace Hardware, Bandon Mercantile, Beverage Barn, Hennick's Home Center and South Coast Bicycles. Prizes include: 4-Seasons Fat Tire Bike, Husqvarna Mower, Cuisinart Panini Grill, Drill & Driver Set, or Benchmade Knife. Drawing May 31!

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Blessing of the Fleet, Saturday, 10 AM at Lost at Sea Memorial.
Community Singspiration, Sunday, 6 PM at First Baptist.

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For Saturday, May 28:
4 p.m. Thursday, May 26

For Monday, May 30:
10 a.m. Friday, May 27

For Tuesday, May 31:
1 p.m. on Friday May 27

**Coffee Break display deadlines
are 24 hours prior to
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**The Bandon Western World office
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**HAPPY 9TH BIRTHDAY, Wild Rivers
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Boardwalk to Beach Run, Sun., May
29th, at 3 p.m. Reg. opens at 1:30 pm.
1 mile, 5k, and 10k races, to benefit
BHS cross-country program. Pick up
race forms at any fitness facility in
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Come See **DOG STYLE BOUTIQUE'S** new items. The store has been remodeled to accommodate "people" as well as dogs! Come see our gift & food lines. Our new T-shirt & slogan are available.

BANDON INN has a few more *housekeeping positions to fill.* Are you energetic, organized, self-motivated, reliable, have the ability to multi-task and a flexible team player? If so, come in and pick up an application.

Harvard Street Apartments is taking applications now for 1, 2 & 3 bedroom units. Waiting list only. Income restrictions apply & must have verifiable income that is 2x the rent. Please come by for more information. 1412 Harvard St., Bandon. 541-347-7028

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**Coquille
Rotary River
Run/Walk on
June 4**

COQUILLE - The Coquille Rotary Club will again sponsor the Coquille Rotary River Run/Walk, to be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, June 4, at Sturdivant Park in Coquille.

The event includes a 10K run a 5K run and a 5K walk. Walkers are encouraged to participate. Preregistration is \$12 with a T-shirt and \$5 without. Preregistration is encouraged. Race day registration is from 7:30-8:45 a.m.

Entry forms for preregistration are available at the Coquille Chamber of Commerce office and Coquille Century 21.

Flags to fly at cemeteries in Bandon on Memorial Day

BANDON – More than 100 American flags will be flown from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. in all five Bandon cemeteries on Monday, May 30, in honor of Memorial Day, weather permitting.

For information on how to donate a flag in honor of your loved one, contact Harry Stephens, Veterans Flag Project chairman, at 541-294-1048, or Bill Smith at 541-404-6195.

Volunteers are needed to assemble the flags on the

poles and place and take them down on Monday. To volunteer, call Stephens or Smith.

Veterans Flag Project volunteers put up flags on Veterans Day, Memorial Day and the Fourth of July at all five Bandon cemeteries, weather permitting. Each flag is tagged with the name of the person being memorialized.

For more information, visit www.veteransflagprojectbandon.zoomshare.com

Dollar Tree food drive through June 18

SOUTH COAST – South Coast Food Share is asking for support in the nationwide food drive at Dollar Tree stores. Dollar Tree customers are encouraged to purchase a food item and drop it off in a collection bin located in any Dollar Tree store through June 18. “Like” the Dollar Tree Food Drive on Facebook and follow the Food Drive on Twitter. Be sure to capture the action through June 18 by sharing your best photos on social media using the hashtag [?#?Dollartreefooddrive](https://www.facebook.com/dollartreefooddrive). Your photos could get posted on one of the official food drive accounts.

Boardwalk to Beach Run coming

BANDON – On Sunday, May 29, the Bandon High School cross country team will hold the Boardwalk to Beach Run on the Port of Bandon's boardwalk.

The mile run, 5K and 10K races will all start in Old Town Bandon on the boardwalk near the covered picnic shelter at 2 p.m., with registration opening at 1 p.m.

This annual event will take walkers and runners of all ages on a round-trip course, starting downtown, with a half-mile of beach and a portion of scenic Beach Loop Drive. All participants will receive a beach

towel with their entry fee, which is \$13 on or before May 27. A family of four or more can register for \$45. After May 27 and race day registration will be \$16 per person. A no-towel option is \$5.

All race proceeds will help Bandon High School cross country runners attend a high-altitude camp in the Steens Mountains July 17-23. Race forms are available at any fitness facility in Bandon or at BHS.

For more information, call Brent or Tricia Hutton at 541-260-3337.

Singspiration set for May 29

BANDON – A “Singspiration” gathering, sponsored by the Bandon Ministerial Association, will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday, May 29, at First Baptist Church, 860 Second St. SE (U.S. Highway 101, across

from South Coast Bicycles). The entire community of Bandon is invited to join together for a time of singing and fellowship. This musical event takes place each month with a fifth Sunday.

Memorial Day flowers offered at Dog Style Boutique

BANDON – The Dog Style Boutique will be offering roses for Memorial Day to families who would like to honor their loved ones who died in service or were veterans, through the Memorial Day Flowers Foundation.

Owner Roxanne Kight has ordered 250 roses that she will give away on a first-

come, first-serve basis, one per gravesite, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, May 28 and May 29, at Dog Style Boutique, 95 11th St. SW. Local veterans will be there helping pass out the roses.

“I love my country and I don’t get involved in politics, but I do support our veterans,” Kight said.

“Because I have a dog store, I always support the Working Dog Team Association, because we lose a lot of dogs these days (in war zones) to bombs they have sniffed out. This is something I wanted to do for our local veterans.”

Kight read about the Memorial Day Flowers Foundation and learned that for every 250 flowers you purchase, the foundation will place the same amount on graves in Arlington Cemetery. Each year, the foundation’s goal is to place a flower on every gravestone of the 280,000 graves at Arlington Cemetery.

For more information, call Kight at 541-347-2504 or visit <http://memorialdayflowers.org/>.

Port of Bandon’s Marine Swap Meet set for May 28

BANDON – The annual Marine Swap Meet will be held from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, May 28, on the Port of Bandon boardwalk.

Everyone is invited to come down and sell or trade their books, boards, kites, sails, fishing gear or

ground tackle. All items must be marine related or having to do with the water. There is no charge to set up a booth or table.

To reserve a space on the boardwalk, call the Port of Bandon office at 541-347-3206.

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Blessing of the Fleet ceremony on Memorial Day weekend

BANDON – The annual Blessing of the Fleet will take place at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 28. The gathering begins in front of the Lost at Sea Memorial in the Port of Bandon’s boat launch parking lot on First Street in Old Town.

The ceremony honors those who have been lost at sea or make their living on the sea, as well as all veterans.

Attendees are encouraged to contact the port office with names of their loved ones

to be included in the ceremony.

Following the ceremony, flowers and wreaths will be scattered at the mouth of the river by U.S. Coast Guard Coquille River Patrol and a gun salute will be held at the South Jetty provided by the VFW Medal of Honor Post #3440, Bandon. Donations of flowers are greatly appreciated.

For more information, contact the Port of Bandon office at 541-347-3206.

Memorial Day ceremony is sponsored by VFW

BANDON – VFW Post No. 3440 will hold a special ceremony honoring Memorial Day at 10:30 a.m., Monday, May 30, at the VFW Cemetery on Bates Road.

This year marks 150 years of honoring Memorial Day. Since April 19, 1775, when Robert Monroe was killed by the British in Lexington, Mass., to Jan. 5, 2016, when Sgt. Matthew McClintock was killed in action in Afghanistan, more than 1.2 million Americans have sacrificed their lives

in wartime.

Everyone is invited to the ceremony, which will feature speakers, prayers, a gun salute and the playing of Taps for the fallen. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be sold for \$1 each from 1-3 p.m.

“I just want young people to realize what Memorial Day really means,” said VFW commander George Trott. “It’s not just another three-day weekend.”

For more information, call Trott at 541-297-7097.