



# Weekender

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## SLOW IT DOWN

**Sergeant Mike Parker issued 10 speeding tickets in 1 week.**

**Please watch your speed!**

**There are lots of deer crossing the streets and if you drive slow, the risk to hit a deer are much smaller.**

**The speed limit is not a suggestion. Slow it down!**



Seabreeze Lake is experiencing an increased number of grass carp feeding on the vegetation which had negative impact on the water quality. Surfside HOA received the approval from WA State Fish and Wildlife to proceed with removing the grass carp from Seabreeze Lake. We are therefore looking for members who would like to participate in our fishing contest.



Surfside Homeowners Association

# CARP FISHING CONTEST

Seabreeze Lake

**Sign Up Now**

**Approved Fishing Dates to be confirmed**

Contest Prizes: \$250 for longest fish and highest total weight  
\$5 for each qualifying fish removed from Seabreeze Lake

Contact HOA Office to sign up.  
Every person must sign a contract.  
Valid 2026 Fishing License needed.

The flyer features a blue and white background with a stylized sun and clouds. At the top left is the Surfside logo, which includes a seagull and the word "Surfside". The main title "CARP FISHING CONTEST" is written in large, bold, white letters with a blue outline. Below it, "Seabreeze Lake" is written in a smaller, bold, blue font. A central button with the text "Sign Up Now" is surrounded by a white circle. Below the button, the text "Approved Fishing Dates to be confirmed" is displayed. The lower half of the flyer shows a blue water background with silhouettes of fish swimming and two people fishing from a boat. The text "Contest Prizes: \$250 for longest fish and highest total weight" and "\$5 for each qualifying fish removed from Seabreeze Lake" is centered in the water area. At the bottom, there is a dark blue footer with white text containing contact information and license requirements.

## SURFSIDE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION INFO

### 2026 HOA Membership Dues and Assessments

**Membership Dues and Assessments are due now. They need to be paid in full by February 27th to avoid interest.**

**Members can still pay at the HOA Office by check or cash, no charge. For the use of a Debit or Credit Cards there is a bank charge of 3.5%.**

**If you are unable to make a full payment by February 27th, please see office staff and fill out a Payment Plan for 2026.**

**Office Hours are Monday—Friday from 8:30am-4pm**

**Thank you!**

Please note that AMS is sending out new statements this week.

These Statements are for "Informational Purposes Only"

If you sent in your payment and still get a statement, then please know that mail and the processing takes some time. Your payment and the statement crossed paths.

**Thank you!**

## THINGS TO DO ON THE PENINSULA

### The PNW had some beautiful weather recently, therefore we like to feature some Outdoor Activities

- **Explore the beach:** Enjoy 28 miles of continuous, sandy beach, perfect for walking, beach-combing, or bonfires. You can even drive on parts of the beach.
- **Bike or walk the [Discovery Trail](#):** This paved, 8.5-mile trail runs from Ilwaco to Long Beach, winding through coastal forests and dunes with ocean views and various art installations and historical markers along the way.
- **Visit state parks:** Explore [Cape Disappointment State Park](#) at the southern end to see two historic lighthouses (North Head Lighthouse) and Cape Disappointment Lighthouse, hike trails with stunning coastal views, and explore historic military bunkers at Fort Columbia State Park
- **Go bird watching:** Head to the [Willapa National Wildlife Refuge](#) at the northern end of the peninsula to spot over 200 species of birds in diverse habitats including tidelands and temperate rainforests.

### WDFW approves seven days of coastal razor clam digs beginning Jan. 15 with additional dates planned through early March

“Low swell and nice weather resulted in successful razor clam digging for those who came out to the coast to celebrate the New Year,” said Bryce Blumenthal, a WDFW coastal shellfish biologist. “Hopefully similar conditions will come together for these upcoming digs during the Martin Luther King Jr. Day holiday weekend.”

Below are additional tentative dates:

- Jan. 29, Thursday, 3:43 p.m.; -0.4 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Mocrocks
- Jan. 30, Friday, 4:37 p.m.; -0.8 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Copalis
- Jan. 31, Saturday, 5:25 p.m.; -1.1 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Copalis
- Feb. 1, Sunday, 6:08 p.m.; -1.2 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Mocrocks
- Feb. 2, Monday, 6:48 p.m.; -1.0 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Mocrocks
- Feb. 3, Tuesday, 7:25 p.m.; -0.6 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Copalis
- Feb. 4, Wednesday, 8:01 p.m.; 0.1 feet; Long Beach, Twin Harbors, Copalis



## Check out the Discovery Trail for walking or bike riding.

### More information on [www.visitlongbeachpeninsula.com](http://www.visitlongbeachpeninsula.com)



#### Lewis and Clark Discovery Trail on the Long Beach Peninsula

Pacific County, Washington

Length: 8.5 miles

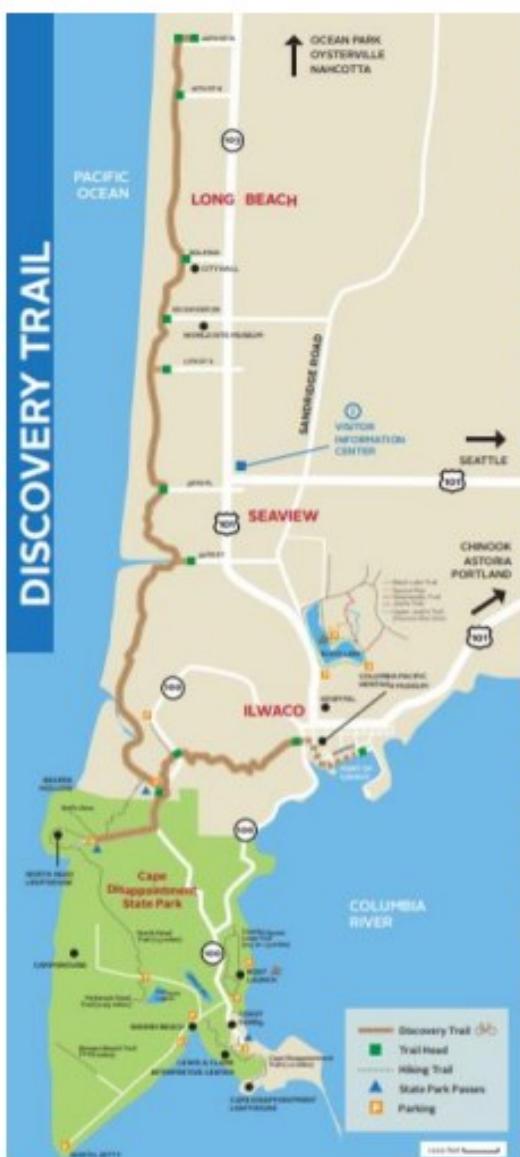
Elevation Gain: 15 ft., Highest Point: 45 ft.

Difficulty: Moderate

Trail end points: 26th St. NW just west of Sea Crest Ave. (Long Beach) and Port of Ilwaco

Trail surfaces: Asphalt (one short gravel stretch)

Trail activities: [Walk](#), [Hike](#), [Bike](#), [Run](#), [Inline Skating](#), [Bird](#), [Wildlife and Whale Watching](#), [Photography](#), [Wheelchair Accessible](#).



This paved, 8.5-mile trail is ideal for families with its benches, restrooms, water, ocean views, and enough turns and dips to make it fun and accessible for all ages. The Discovery Trail features hiking and biking coastal beauty on the Long Beach Peninsula in SW Washington. The trail is named after the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery. Their journey ended on the Long Beach Peninsula, and there are several art installments and interpretive panels dedicated to the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

The Discovery Trail is one of the most scenic in the Pacific Northwest with outstanding views of the ocean, grassy dunes, transitional wetlands and forest groves. In homage to Lewis and Clark's explorative trek you'll find several bronze sculptures along the path that commemorate the expedition. The trail also offers a collection of other impressive public art that adds to the trail's natural beauty. This peninsula—bound by the ocean, the Columbia River to the south, and Willapa Bay to the east—is comprised of several distinct ecosystems and home to a diverse array of wildlife. Hikers and bikers may see deer, bald eagles, shorebirds and other wildlife on the trail. Whale-watching and bird-watching are two very popular pastimes here; the visitor's bureau can provide you with information on migratory patterns and viewing locations. At Seaview Trailhead (mile 3.6), take 38th Place to the visitor's bureau for information.

The trail begins in Ilwaco and forks at North Head Road. Head south at the fork to enter Cape Disappointment State Park, Lewis and Clark National Historic Park and enjoy the state park's beaches, hiking trails and two lighthouses (each more than 100 years old). The Beard's Hollow ocean overlook is especially impressive. Visitors can learn about the expedition of the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery at the park's Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center. Alternately, take the North fork along the beach, through Seaview and Long Beach, at one point paralleling the city's extensive wooden boardwalk from Bolstad Ave. to Sid Snyder Drive, and terminating at a bronze sculpture: [Clark's Tree](#), a sculpture in memory of Clark's northernmost trek on the beach.  
<http://www.visitlongbeachpeninsula.com/things-to-do/recreation/discovery-trail/>

**Parking and Trail Access:** Ample trail access points, parking options and public transportation available (Check Pacific Transit System for current schedule)

#### SW Washington Coast Location:

112 Miles from Portland, OR (2.5 hour drive)  
171 Miles from Seattle, WA (3.5 hour drive)

# Surfside 2026

## **Election Committee and Nominating Committee Looking for Volunteers**

All members in good standing who wish to serve on one of the committees, please submit a cover letter and short resume. The cover letter should describe how your experience would add to the election process, and outline your interest in being involved. The process is outlined in OPS Procedure #101.

Please email to [ecc@surfsideonline.org](mailto:ecc@surfsideonline.org) or mail to 31402 H Street, Ocean Park, WA 98640.

Responses are due by February 09, 2026.



# SOUTH PACIFIC COUNTY **HUMANE SOCIETY**

Community-Funded  Long Beach, WA

## Sip For a Cause this January!

We're thrilled to partner with Adrift Hospitality for *Cocktail for a Cause* – featuring the January drink of this month: **Paws For a Cause!**

Every sip helps animals in need, with proceeds from this feature cocktail split between South Pacific County Humane Society and Tillamook Animal Shelter.

Available at participating locations:

- Pickled Fish, in the Adrift Hotel in Long Beach
- The Shelburne Pub in Seaview
- The Knot Bar in the Bowline Hotel in Astoria
- The Current Cafe, in the Boardwalk Cottages in Long Beach
- The Spinn Cafe in Manzanita (coming soon in January!)



## Book Club in February 2026



**Join in the FUN! If you love reading, you are invited to join Surfside's own book club, the SURFREADERS! We meet every other month, the first Friday, at same time and same place. Please drop by!**

**WHAT:** Surfreaders, a Surfside book lovers group

**WHEN:** Friday, February 6, 3-4PM

**WHERE:** Surfside Office Board Room, 31402 H St.

**CURRENT BOOK:** James by Percival Everett



# ARCHITECTURAL COMMITTEE

Plan on installing a fence, a shed, a gazebo or building a garage or a house?  
REMINDER...

ALL building plans must be submitted to the  
Architectural Committee prior to any construction.

*Pacific County will not approve permitting until the committee has signed off on all plans.*

The committee meets every Tuesdays at 9 a.m. at the business office. **The plans MUST be submitted by Friday at noon to be added to the next week's agenda.** The building packets are on our website at [surfsideonline.org/forms/](http://surfsideonline.org/forms/) or you can pick them up from the business office.

Please notify the business office if you want to attend the meeting in person.

**If you are building on a vacant lot without an address, please post a sign so the committee knows which lot will be developed.**

**Two (2) sets of plot plans must be submitted to the committee.** Once approved, you will get a copy of the approved plan. Take it to the county for their approval as needed. Surfside will retain one set of approved plans to keep on file.

For more detailed information on the Architectural Committee duties and guidelines go to our website [surfsideonline.org](http://surfsideonline.org), select the Other tab, then Governing Documents. Download the Operations Manual and the Surfside Restrictive Covenants or call the business office 360-665-4171 with questions.

Thank you!



# Neighborhood Watch

“  
Next Meeting,  
Thursday, February 5th  
at 2pm  
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**Please consider to become part of our Surfside Neighborhood Watch Team.**

With more people actively engaged in looking out for each other, Surfside can become a place where families feel more secure, children can play outside without fear, and residents are more likely to engage in local events.

If you are interested in participating in this neighborhood watch partnership, please come to our monthly meetings.

If you have questions, please contact John Curran,  
call or email the HOA Office with questions.  
360.665.4171  
[office@surfsideonline.org](mailto:office@surfsideonline.org)

# January 2026

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			31 	1 Office Closed	2 Office Closed	3
4	5	6 ARC 9am  CRC 1:15 pm	7	8 LBW 9am WSP 10:30am Neighborhood Watch 2pm	9  TBVN 1:15pm	10
11	12	13 ARC 9am	14 RV Comm. 10am	15 S&S 3pm	16	17 Regular Board Mtg 9am
18	19	20 ARC 9am	21	22	23	24
25	26	27 ARC 9am  EMC 1pm	28	29	30	31

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