



Around the Docks

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PGH Mission: To best utilize our resources to facilitate, enhance and stimulate international trade, economic development and tourism for the region.

Community Outreach

Public Tours of Satsop & Marine Terminals announced

The Port of Grays Harbor is a public port district and we want you to know what is happening at your Port. As part of its annual community outreach, Port staff and Commissioners will be presenting at each of the city council meetings throughout Grays Harbor to update them on Port activities beginning later this month. Be sure to check your council's agenda for upcoming dates.

Want to see what's happening at the Port's docks? Now is your chance with the Port's summer public tour program. Tours are one and a half hours long and include a brief presentation of the Port's history and facilities, followed by a bus tour of the industrial properties and marine terminals. New this year, the Port will be offering an Early Bird tour for all the early risers, beginning at 6:30am.

Satsop Business Park is also offering walking tours of its unique facilities. Comfortable, closed-toe shoes are required.

Marine Terminal Tour Dates:

July 19th: 6:30am and 3:30pm
July 28th: 3:30pm and 5:30pm
August 17th: 3:30pm and 5:30pm

Satsop Walking Tour Dates:

August 4th: 3:30 pm
August 16th: 5:30 pm

Reservations are required as space is limited. Call 360-533-9528 to reserve your spot.

Community Development

4th Graders get a glimpse of Grays Harbor's working waterfront



4th Graders from Simpson Elementary in Montesano pose for a photo before heading out on their bus for a tour of the Port's industrial properties and marine terminals earlier this month.

Spring time means tour time at the Port of Grays Harbor. For the 6th year in a row, the Port is hosting 4th graders throughout Grays Harbor County for its popular 4th grade tour program. Nearly 800 students, teachers and chaperones will visit the Port during a three week period to learn about its founding, its facilities and the important role it plays in our community. The program, established in 2011 as a Port Centennial event, is aimed at 4th graders due to their focus on Washington State history.

Prior to their visit, all students are provided with a Port-based curriculum developed to meet the grade-level standards in math, reading, and history.

When students arrive at the Port

for their tour, they begin with a brief overview and history, then it's back onto the buses for a tour of the Port's industrial properties and marine terminals.

A great deal of the program's success is due to the Gladys Philips Cultural Tours Grant via the Grays Harbor Community Foundation which provides transportation for the tours at no cost to all participating schools.

"The Port is very proud to offer these tours and we appreciate all of our partners' that have helped make it a success," said Port of Grays Harbor Commission President Jack Thompson. "When they see it first hand, our children better understand the importance of our working waterfront and how it benefits the community."

Infrastructure investment pays off

Roads, rail, utility systems, docks, runways and the navigation channel are just a few of the infrastructure investments the Port of Grays Harbor relies on to provide a competitive advantage to the many users of its facilities. The significant economic impacts generated by the Port's public infrastructure are made possible through partnerships with Port customers and users, along with local, state and federal agencies.

Did you know?



Activity at the Port's 4 deep-water terminals ranks 99th in the U.S.



The Port's two expert pilots safely navigated 82 deep-water vessels through the Grays Harbor Navigation Channel last year



Over 120 tenants rely on the Port's roads and utilities for their businesses each day



The Westport Marina is #1 for commercial seafood landings in both volume and value in Washington State



Equipped with robust utilities, Satsop Business Park is marketing the two largest manufacturing facilities in Grays Harbor



Bowerman Airport is the only jet-capable runway on Washington's coast



Thousands access the Grays Harbor waterfront each year via the Port's recreational facilities, viewing towers and boat launches at Friends Landing, Sterling Landing, 28th Street Landing and the Westport Marina

Calendar

May 19	<i>Champion Ebony@ T1</i> <i>Vita Kouan@ T2</i>
May 21	<i>TS Challenge@ T2</i>
May 24	Montesano City Council, 7pm
June 2	<i>USCG Henry Blake@ T1</i>
June 6	<i>CSAV Rio Grande@ T4</i>
June 10	<i>Orient Gloria@ T2</i>
June 14	PGH Commission Meeting, PGH Offices @ 9am



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Asset recovery process underway for manufacturing equipment at Satsop Business Park



The Satsop Business Park's Pacific Northwest manufacturing building sits on a nearly 20 acre site with more than 256,000 square feet of warehouse space. The Port will work with EuroSource, LLC to market and sell the manufacturing equipment inside the building. The building is expected to be available in 2017.

After three years of talks and negotiations with various interested parties to utilize the manufacturing equipment contained within the 256,000 square foot manufacturing facility at the Satsop Business Park, the Port of Grays Harbor will move forward with recovering its investment by working with EuroSource, LLC to market the unique panel manufacturing equipment to potential users throughout the globe.

"EuroSource, LLC, who is an industry expert in panel production equipment, will be a great partner in marketing the equipment," said Satsop Business Park Manager of Business Development Alissa Shay. "Here at the Park, we will continue to focus our efforts on attracting viable businesses to take advantage of the space and utilities Satsop has to offer."