

# NORTHWEST HISTORY -SPRING CELEBRATION

Vancouver/Clark County, Washington

April 1 - June 1, 2003

APRIL 1-31: Flora and Fauna of Lewis & Clark, NW Wood Carvers Assn, Clark County Museum, Info: 360-993-5679, [cchm@pacifier.com](mailto:cchm@pacifier.com)

APRIL 19: Nez Perce Memorial Ceremony, Lower West Parade Ground, N of Fort Vancouver, 5<sup>th</sup> St, 10 am, City of Vancouver, Info: Judi Bailey, 360-696-8031, [vanwrec@ci.vancouver.wa.us](mailto:vanwrec@ci.vancouver.wa.us)

APRIL 25: Early Bird Program at Three Creeks Community Library, Captain Robert Gray sailed his brig, the Columbia, into the mouth of the Columbia River in May of 1792, learn more about historic events. 8:30-10 am, Three Creeks Community Library, [www.fvrl.org](http://www.fvrl.org)

APRIL 25-27: International Discovery Walk Festival  
April 25: Children's Cultural Walk, 9:30 am, Historic Reserve,  
April 25: Mayor's Walk, 4-6 pm, Red Lion Hotel at the Quay,  
April 26: Lewis & Clark Walk, Bike & Swim.  
Walks 8am-1pm, Bikes 10am-1pm. Swim 1-3 pm.  
April 27: Lt Broughton Walks, 8 am-1 pm.  
[www.discoverwalk.org](http://www.discoverwalk.org), Info: 877-269-2009

APRIL 29: "Adventuring Along the Lewis & Clark Trail," an evening with Elizabeth Grossman, Sponsored by the Cascade Chapter of the Sierra Club and the Three Creeks Library. At Three Creeks Library from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Info: Bridget Cain-Bushman, 360-571-9696. [www.fvrl.org](http://www.fvrl.org)

APRIL 29: "Local Color," People of the Basin Film Series. This film traces the history of the local Black community in the Portland/Vancouver area. 7 pm, Kiggins Theater, Vancouver. Info: Center for Columbia River History, Andrea Reidell, 360-258-3289, [www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm](http://www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm)

MAY 3-JULY 31: Skamokawa Indian Village display by the NW Woodcarvers Association Three Creeks Community Library, [www.fvrl.org](http://www.fvrl.org)

MAY 6: "Northeast Passage," People of the Basin Film Series. This film deals with gentrification, community revitalization & affordable housing in the African American neighborhoods of inner North/Northeast Portland. 7 pm, Kiggins Theater, Vancouver. Center for Columbia River History, Info: 360-258-3289, [www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm](http://www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm)

MAY 8-JULY 27 "End of Our Journey Exhibit" features Lewis & Clark's journey through Washington State, O.O. Howard House, Info: 992-1800 [www.vancouverhistoricalreserve.org](http://www.vancouverhistoricalreserve.org)

MAY 8: "Lewis and Clark Stories of Our Time," David Nicandri, Foster Hall, Clark College, presented by the Vancouver Community Library, 7 pm, Info: Doreen Turpen, 360-699-8859

MAY 10: Lewis & Clark WA Trail Chapter, Ridgefield Wildlife Refuge & Cathlapotle Walk, 11am meeting at Three Creeks Library and 1 pm tour at the Refuge in Ridgefield. Open to everyone. Info: Arlene Johnson, 360-906-7119

MAY 12: "Fiddle Tunes in the Pacific Northwest from Lewis & Clark to the Oregon Trail" Inquiring Minds Series, Three Creeks Library, 7 pm, Vancouver. Bridget Cain-Bushman, 360-571-9696.

MAY 13: "Turbans," People of the Basin Film Series. A lyrical short drama that explores the struggles with assimilation in an Asian Indian immigrant family in 1918 in Astoria, Oregon. 7 pm, Kiggins Theater, Vancouver. Info: Center for Columbia River History, Andrea Reidell, 360-258-3289, [www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm](http://www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm)

## Lewis & Clark in Vancouver/Clark County

Wednesday, MAY 14  
Kickoff Luncheon

Water Resources Education Center,  
11:30-1pm. Dr. Stephen Dow Beckham,  
Lewis & Clark College,

Info: Arlene Johnson,  
360-906-7119.

[www.lewisandclark-clark.org](http://www.lewisandclark-clark.org)

### Clark County Historical Museum,

Family Activities, 3-5 pm.  
Gary Lenz will present Do  
No Harm, a demonstration of  
medicine and medical  
techniques Lewis and Clark  
employed on the journey.

Info: 360-993-5679, [cchm@pacifier.com](mailto:cchm@pacifier.com)



**End of Our Journey Exhibit and Presentation** at O.O. Howard House, Gary Lenz, re-enactor, will present "First Contact," a demonstration of the language, cultural and philosophy Lewis and Clark encountered when meeting the Indian tribes. 6 pm, O.O. Howard House.  
Info: Arlene Johnson, 360-906-7119

MAY 17: Vintage Home Fair, Esther Short Park. 9 am -3 pm. , City of Vancouver Cultural Services/Clark County Historic Preservation Commission, Leann Johnson, 360-619-1145

MAY 18: Fort Vancouver Tapestry Open House: The tapestry project open house at the WA School for the Deaf, 12-5 pm, Info: 360-992-0975. [www.fortvancouvertapestry.com](http://www.fortvancouvertapestry.com)

MAY 18: Queen Victoria's Birthday at Fort Vancouver. Bring a lunch and join Fort Vancouver's living history re-enactors. 9 am-5 pm, Info: 360-696-7655, [www.nps.gov/fova/visitevent.htm](http://www.nps.gov/fova/visitevent.htm)

MAY 20: "American Gypsy," People of the Basin Film Series. This film features the compelling story of one Romani family in Spokane, Washington. 7 pm, Kiggins Theater, Vancouver. Info: Center for Columbia River History, Andrea Reidell, 360-258-3289, [www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm](http://www.ccrh.org/center/pobfs.htm)

MAY 23: "Lewis & Clark on the Columbia," Focus on Mature Learning Class taught through Clark College. A one-day bus excursion to the coast with discussions on Lewis and Clark's experiences on the Lower Columbia River. Visit Fort Clatsop and Fort Columbia. Instructor: Roger Daniels, Info: 360-992-2153

MAY 29: "Tree troopers, cherry pickers and dam builders: commemorating the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps," Water Resources Center, 7 pm, co-sponsored by the Center for Columbia River History, National Park Service, U.S. Forest Service & Celebrate Freedom-Vancouver Nat'l Historic Reserve Trust  
Info: 360-258-3289, [www.ccrh.org/center/calendar.htm](http://www.ccrh.org/center/calendar.htm)

MAY 31-JUNE 1: Sturgeon Festival, Water Resources Center, 10 am-4 pm, History of the Sturgeon, Sturgeon Dissection, Free activities and entertainment for the entire family. Info: Bev Walker, 360-696-8478