

PDX MINI

Presents the

The Astoria Maritime Museum



August 21st 2010

The Museum features interactive exhibits that combine history with cutting-edge technology. Visitors of all ages will experience what it is like to pilot a tugboat, participate in a Coast Guard rescue on the Columbia River Bar, and live in Astoria during the height of the salmon fishing. Huge windows make the Columbia River a living backdrop for classic fishing vessels and Coast Guard rescue craft.

Experience first hand how the Bar Pilots work the dangerous wind and waves during a fierce winter storm in the award winning orientation film *The Great River of the West*.

Walk on board the bridge of a WWII era US Navy Destroyer, see the world class collection of maritime artifacts, and then walk out to the dock to explore the Lightship Columbia, a floating lighthouse.

We will stop for lunch at Fultano's Pizza in Astoria. From there, those visiting the Museum will continue to the Museum. Click here to download a [Menu](#).

We start in Portland at Cedar Hills Blvd and take our normal PDXMini Circuitous Route to Astoria. After a drive of some 125 miles we will arrive at the museum. The meet up will be at 8:00 and the first group out will be at 9:00.

RSVP: By no later than August *12th* to events@pdxmini.org. We need to have a count of those attending to get the group rate. Please tell us how many cars and people are coming and if you will be visiting the Museum.

Meet-Up: 8:00 AM At Albertson's Parking lot at SW Cedar Hills Blvd and SW Barnes Rd.

Directions: The Albertson's Store at SW Cedar Hills Blvd and SW Barnes Rd. Take exit 68 off of Hwy 26 and go North of Cedar Hill Blvd. At the intersection of Cedar Hills and Barnes, go right. At the stop light on Barnes, turn right into the Albertson's parking lot.

Mapquest location: [Cedar Hills Blvd & Barnes Rd](#)

Fee: The fee for the Museum Tour will be \$7 per person for a group of 10 or more signing up by August 12th. Those who wish to visit the Museum but don't sign up by August 12th, the fee will be \$10.