

The image shows the cover of an 'Oregon Coast Passport'. The title is written in a stylized, orange-brown script font. Below it, the word 'PASSPORT' is written in a simple, orange-brown, all-caps sans-serif font. The background is a photograph of a large, natural rock archway. The rock is layered and has a reddish-orange hue. A clear blue sky is visible through the opening of the arch. At the bottom of the image, a sandy beach is visible with several people walking around. The overall scene is bright and scenic.

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Meridian Lodge - Courtesy Photo

Rugged Adventure meets Sophisticated Comfort

The Oregon Coast's newest luxury resort challenges guests to test their own boundaries with a variety of outdoor experiences, while simultaneously providing a soothing environment with opportunities for solitude and self-reflection. Pacific City's Headlands Coastal Lodge & Spa has been carefully designed and constructed to combine the raw beauty of nature with the most modern, relaxing and tranquil accommodations.

The impressive 33-room lodge recently opened in January 2018, and offers onsite dining and drinks at Meridian Restaurant & Bar, relaxing treatments at Tidepools Spa & Wellness, 18 self-contained private cottages, and a variety of other amenities. Additionally, the lodge has a team of experienced "Adventure Coaches" to skillfully guide guests through a series of activities and excursions that can be selected or individually created. The resort also caters to dogs by supplying beds, blankets and dishes, and even includes a dog-wash station to clean off sand and dirt after a trip to the beach.

Offering breathtaking views of the Pacific Ocean and Haystack Rock, Headlands takes inspiration from the crashing ocean waves, shifting sand dunes and thick Northwest woods that define Oregon's untamed coastline. Founding Partners Mary Jones and Jeff Schons spent nearly 20 years visualizing and designing their newest property to incorporate stunning views of Cape Kiwanda, with both beach and tide pool access and within close proximity to the area's iconic sand dune. Portland's Scott Edwards Architecture and Bay Area EDG Interior Design were tasked with turning Jones and Schons' vision into reality, and their exceptional work is obvious throughout.

The spacious, yet cozy lobby of the lodge features amazing views of the ocean, a massive wood-burning fireplace, relaxed seating with woven lampshades, and even a "live wall" of mosses and ferns. Two meeting areas are available for group activities, and a gift shop provides customized products that highlight a stay at the lodge. Expansive oceanfront guest rooms integrate sweeping vistas of the ocean with luxurious furnishings, complete with a pillow menu for selecting the perfect cushion for the night's sleep. Each floor has its own well-stocked pantry, and an outdoor hot tub is perfectly positioned facing the beach, while also providing shelter from the wind.

Surrounded by ocean and waterways, and with access to miles of open beach and forest trails, Headlands is perfectly situated to offer a vast selection of excursions. Adventure means different things to different people, and the lodge's Adventure Coaches are readily available to help visitors select from a wide range of activities or design individualized expeditions. Guests are invited to charter a dory boat fishing trip, take a surfing lesson, go horseback riding, hike through the forest, dig for clams, explore the Three Capes Scenic Loop, learn how to cook a new dish, kayak a river, ride a bike, give sandboarding a try, or choose from a list of other locally-based activities. The Coaches will also combine adventures, or help create something unique.

Meridian, the lodge's onsite restaurant and bar, specializes in ocean-driven cuisine. Brunch and dinner are served in a comfortable setting, with amazing views of the ocean. Entrees feature the fresh catch of the day

and other extraordinary dishes sourced from Northwest farms. Meridian also offers craft cocktails, microbrews, and an extensive list of local and regional wines that complement a meal or can be enjoyed on their own. Reservations are not required, but strongly encouraged.

Tidepools Spa & Wellness offers treatments that cater to visitors' individual needs, and a staff of skilled therapists perform massages, facials and teach a schedule of classes that include body sculpt and yoga. In addition, Tidepools has a complete fitness studio, with Precor cardio equipment, Peloton bikes, cable tower, free weights, and yoga props. The spa and wellness center has both men's and women's steam rooms, showers and locker rooms.

The Headlands Coastal Resort & Spa is an ideal destination for an individual retreat, couples' getaway, family vacation, or group gathering. Their unique accommodations combine adventure and comfort in an all-inclusive environment, and provide unlimited potential for fun and relaxation. The resort is located at 33000 Cape Kiwanda Dr. in Pacific City, and additional information is available by calling (503) 483-3000 or visiting headlandslodge.com

Rise or Recharge with Stimulus Coffee + Bakery

Long before most people climb out of bed, the chefs at Stimulus are busy baking an assortment of delicious pastries and breads that will be ready when they open the doors at 6 am. The baristas at Stimulus brew rich, Oregon-roasted coffee and espresso drinks that pair perfectly with the freshly baked goods and other scrumptious breakfast selections, and are sure to wake you up and help get you on your way. In addition to delicious breakfast items, Stimulus offers a great lunch menu and keeps the coffee flowing until 6 pm, so that you can stop in during your day to fuel up and recharge.

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Quench Your Thirst and Grab a Bite to Eat at Pelican Brewing Company

Once you've worked up a thirst and an appetite hiking the dune and exploring the beach at Cape Kiwanda State Park, stop in to the Pelican Brewing Company for a glass of refreshing craft beer and snack or meal. Pelican Brewing Company is the only oceanfront brewery in Oregon, and you'll be treated to amazing views of the beach and Haystack Rock from one of the prized seats on the outdoor patio. Try a sample of Pelican's world-class beers or have a pint of Kiwanda Cream Ale, Silverspot IPA, or Tsunami Stout [Silverspot IPA won a silver medal, and Kiwanda Cream Ale took the gold at the prestigious 2014 World Beer Cup]. Order a delicious appetizer or entrée from their Northwest-inspired menu; we suggest the onion rings, burgers or their famous fish and chips.



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