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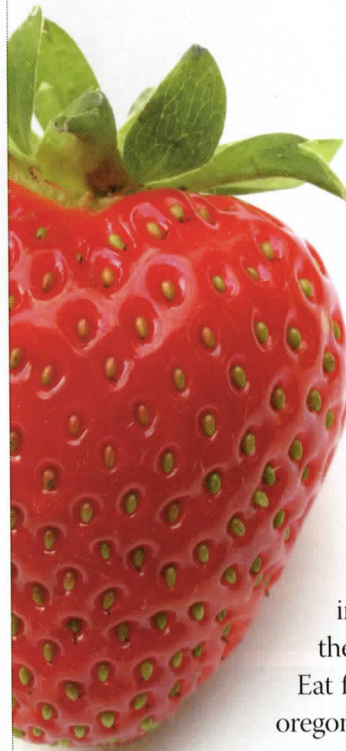


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# Eat Oregon Strawberries, So Delicious!



OREGON'S SUMMER doesn't truly start until the strawberries come in. That's typically June through early July. Kathy Unger of Unger Farms in Cornelius says to look for "Hoods" – the state's famed dark red, intensely sweet berry. Pick up a flat at the farmers' market or pick your own. Eat fresh with vanilla Umpqua Ice Cream. [oregon-strawberries.org](http://oregon-strawberries.org)

## 1859 Facebook Friends share their Bucket Lists

We asked our Facebook friends for their Bucket List ideas. Here are some of their responses. Become a fan of 1859 on Facebook and get access to perks and freebies.



### Celeste Cole

- Ride a horse on the longest continuous stretch along the Oregon Coast.
- Listen to the wolves howl in the Eagle Cap Wilderness.
- Snorkel the Elk River to watch the cutthroat trout sea run.
- Hike the Kalmiopsis Wilderness and eat signal cray fish out of the Little Chetco River.



### Bill Jennings

- Visit Crater Lake and take the boat tour.
- Bike Highway 101.
- Drive Highway 58 in October, stopping at the vehicle turn-outs to see, smell and feel the season of fall.
- Visit the Oregon Zoo with a young child.
- Spend one complete day volunteering in a public school.



### Meg Rice

- Make smores over a campfire on the beach.
- Go to a concert at the Oregon Zoo.
- Eat freshly-picked Oregon strawberries.



### Scott Pillar

- Taste three different Pinot noirs from three different Oregon wineries.
- Fly-fish the Metolius.
- Attend the Oregon Country Fair.



### Joni Schrantz

- Do the Treesort in Cave Junction!!
- See all of the Oregon ghost-town remnants.
- Hit the Sisters Folk Festival, September 9-11.

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# Wander the Japanese Garden... in the Rain



Photo by Alan Heustus

WHY FIGHT THE RAIN? Go with the flow to the Portland Japanese Garden ([japanesegarden.com](http://japanesegarden.com)), 5.5 acres of sheer tranquility and beauty amid the urban landscape. Enjoy the gardens year-round—each season reveals its own beauty. Reflect, meditate, find your inner Zen—and remember your umbrella.