

# GUILTY,

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"Ma'am, are you pleading guilty to these charges because it's what you did?" Geyer asked her.

"Yes," Sosa-Martinez responded.

"Has anyone threatened you in any way to get you to enter these pleas?" Geyer then asked.

"No," Sosa-Martinez said.

"Has anyone promised you anything, other than the promise of the state to make a certain recommendation? Other than that, has anyone promised you anything to get you to plead guilty today?" Geyer asked.

"No," Sosa-Martinez responded.

At the time of the fatal fire, Sosa-Martinez already had a court case against her for child neglect. She pleaded guilty in March 2012 and was on probation, but police found her with drugs again in 2013.

"I understand you have a probation violation pending right now in docket number 11C47710," Geyer said to Sosa-Martinez during the June 9 hearing, which lasted less than 15 minutes. "Do you understand that if you plead guilty in this case, you will almost certainly be found in violation in probation in that 11C case? Do you understand that?"

"Yes," Sosa-Martinez replied.

Shortly after 2 p.m. last Oct. 24, Keizer Fire District



KEIZERTIMES file photo  
Flames shoot out of an apartment on Susan Court Oct. 24, 2014. A 4-year-old was killed in the blaze.

personnel responded to a fire call at the Sosa-Martinez residence. The body of her son was found inside shortly after firefighters arrived.

A witness told the *Keizer-times* Sosa-Martinez did not go back in an attempt to save her son and instead "started texting like nothing was happening. We couldn't figure out what the hell she was doing."

Some clues were provided in the initial court appearance for Sosa-Martinez a few days after the fire.

"(There was) the use of marijuana by the defendant's admission on the day that her child passed away," Marion County deputy district attorney Katie Suver said at that appearance. "The defendant has a history of marijuana use which has resulted in ongoing criminal sanctions."

Suver also referenced Sosa-Martinez pleading guilty in 2012 to child neglect and noted the mom had been found in possession of marijuana twice since then.

# MONTY: 'It's a segment we want to serve.'

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"It will be kids friendly from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily, with a kids menu," Case said. "It's a segment we want to serve."

The plan, according to Case, is to eventually be open from 7 a.m. to 2:30 a.m. each day, which means having a staff of at least 20 employees (up from four) by opening day.

While reaching the entire family, Case noted there will also be full lottery and a pub atmosphere for adults after 9 p.m.

"It will be a bistro pub, with an emphasis on the food," he said.

Fred Martin, one of the employees for the Graues, will be continuing with the new ownership.

"I'm super excited," Martin said. "It sounds like an awesome concept and a great opportunity."

Case has visions of being highly visible in Keizer.

"We want to outreach and be involved in local schools and sports organizations," he said. "We want to really be-

come part of the community and to be a benefit to the community. We're excited to be a part of the community."

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— Lance Case

Case said his group was looking to open outside of the Portland area a few months ago and came across The Pub in February when it was for sale.

"This was one of many locations we looked at along River Road," Case said. "This is an excellent location, with residential and business around. The proximity to both

and to I-5 were big factors. We also didn't have to build this into a restaurant or build from the ground up."

Denny Graue confirmed on Tuesday he had sold The Pub after having it for sale about four months.

"The support wasn't that great," said Graue, who had turned the business into a sports bar. "We were losing money. We found an opportunity in Silverton with Towne House Restaurant and Lounge. The place is very well established, with a good reputation in town."

After making such a big change at The Pub, including the addition of a number of TVs, Graue admitted he was hoping for more success.

"It was disappointing, but if the business isn't thriving there's no use in keeping going," he said. "There are so many bars along River Road, the city can only support so much. The reputation of the place after Don Porter passed got worse and worse. We were trying to fix the mistakes of everyone that came after him."

# SPLASH,

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"Robert makes the decision, based on daily operations," Lawyer said at the time. "If he wants to run it, he can

go ahead and do that. The schedule can be adjusted on really hot days if we want to run it because of weather conditions."

After a story and editorial ran on the topic last summer, Mondays and Tuesdays were added to the rotation, albeit

for five hours per day.

"Robert and I have evaluated the options of increasing the operation of the Splash Fountain to provide additional opportunities for the community to enjoy this amenity," Lawyer said at the time. "We have determined that we can operate the Splash Fountain on Mondays and Tuesdays from noon to 5 p.m. without a significant impact to the operations budget for the parks system."

## puzzle answers

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