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### Today in History

The "Gashouse Gang," otherwise known as the 1934 St. Louis Cardinals, defeat the Detroit Tigers to win the World Series in seven games.  
— October 9, 1934

### Food 4 Thought

"A life is not important except in the impact it has on other lives."  
— Jackie Robinson

## The Month Ahead

#### Saturday, October 10

Willamette Valley Genealogical Society meet at 10:30 a.m. in Anderson Room A of the Salem Public Library (585 Liberty St SE, Salem). Kerry Wymetalek will speak about "Meek's Cutoff & The Lost Blue Bucket Mine."

Sons of Norway monthly potluck at Salem Masonic Temple, 1625 Brush College Rd. N.W. This month historian Scott W. Larsen talks about friendship between President Franklin Roosevelt and Crown Princess Martha of Norway. 6:30 p.m. Free. Public welcome. 503-910-3302.

#### Monday, October 12

Columbus Day. Federal offices are closed and no postal service.

Keizer City Council work session with the Salem-Keizer Transit District, 5:45 p.m.

#### Tuesday, October 13

Keizer Parks and Recreation Advisory Board meeting, 6 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

#### Wednesday, October 14

Keizer Planning Commission meeting, 6 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

#### Thursday, October 15

Keizer Heritage Center celebrates Halloween, 5:30-7:30 p.m., 980 Chemawa Rd. N.E. Pumpkin carving, face painting, art making, Halloween stories, palm reading by Madame Zelda, refreshments. Arrive in your best costume. 503-393-9660.

Volunteer Coordinating Committee meeting, 6:30 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Greater Gubser Neighborhood Association meeting, 7 p.m. at Gubser Elementary School.

#### Friday, October 16

An Evening with Edgar Allan Poe, 7 p.m. at Deepwood Estate. Tickets are \$15 regular, \$12 members. Seating is very limited. historicdeepwoodestate.org

#### Sunday, October 18

Lunch/dance at Keizer/Salem Area Senior Center, corner of Cherry Ave. and Plymouth Drive. Lasagna meal served at 12:30 p.m., dancing to Crossfire follows. Tickets are \$13, \$11 in advance. 503-390-7441.

#### Monday, October 19

Keizer City Council meeting, 7 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

#### Tuesday, October 20

Keizer Points of Interest Committee meeting, 5:30 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center.

#### Thursday, October 22

First Anniversary Soiree at The Arbor at Avamere Court, 450 Claggett Ct. N., 5-7 p.m. It will feature a glitz and glamour theme of the 1920s and 30s to reflect the lives of the facilities residents. Spirits and appetizers will be served. Come dressed in period costume. 503-383-6084.

#### Saturday, October 24

Bowser's Boo Bash, the Willamette Humane Society's annual costume party, dinner and auction benefiting animals, will be held at Salem Convention Center from 5 to 9 p.m. Advance tickets are \$60, \$75 after Oct. 16. info@whs4pets.org.

*In My Life*: a musical theatre tribute to The Beatles, 7:30 p.m. at the Elsinore Theatre. Tickets begin at \$35. www.elsinoretheatre.com

#### Saturday, October 24 - Sunday, October 25

Clackamette's 51st Annual Gem & Mineral Show Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Clackamas County Fairgrounds in Canby. Free admission. 503-631-3128.

Add your event by e-mailing news@keizertimes.com.

# ORP calls for transparency with tour

By CRAIG MURPHY  
*Of the Keizertimes*

There was some frustration expressed last week at Keizer Civic Center.

It wasn't directed at the city. After all, the Keizer City Council didn't meet last week. Instead, Republicans expressed frustration with the lack of transparency at the state level.

The Oregon Republican Party started a series of listening tours early last month. The stop in Keizer on Sept. 29 was the fourth one, with five more to follow including ones this week in Baker City and Pendleton.

State Rep. Bill Post of Keizer was among the state representatives attending last week's tour stop at city hall.

"We heard a lot of frustration," Post said. "The overwhelming No. 1 topic mentioned multiple times was the emergency clause on bills (in the state legislature). I had never seen that many emergency clauses. Democrats and Republicans would comment during the session on how many there were. It was not necessarily a one-party

thing. People didn't get a chance to read the bills."



Post

Post said there were also unhappy comments about a Planned Parenthood meeting originally scheduled for last week being canceled, as well as multiple budget bills all being rolled into one bill.

"At the end of the session, we had all of these budget bills come to us," Post said. "We had something like 150 budgets, all in one bill. It was very frustrating. The easy solution is we should address budget questions earlier in the session."

The frustration wasn't just directed at one party, Post emphasized.

"People were upset at both parties, feeling they were not allowed to be involved enough," Post said. "We kept telling people if you're upset about something or concerned, call us."

Bill Currier, chairman of the ORP, said information from the listening tours will be utilized in legislation.

"What's next is we are cataloging what is said, with a scribe at every event taking down all suggestions," Currier said. "Sometimes it's people sharing stories, sometimes it's ideas to correct problems. We'll take that in-the-field information to draft legislation for the next session regarding transparency."

Transparency has been a hot topic in the state in recent years, due to high-profile items like former Governor John Kitzhaber's resignation, the Cover Oregon debacle and various events surrounding athletics at the University of Oregon.

"If we can't get information out of the government about what's happening, we will never be able to solve the problems Oregon has," Currier said. "We remind citizens they don't yield sovereignty to the government. Government doesn't get to decide what information they can access; the citizens decide that. We're taking the approach that if we can raise awareness of not giving up the demand to know what the government is doing in a timely fashion, we will be able to turn the

government back around."

Post noted he heard some familiar complaints.

"They were generally the same things I keep hearing over and over," he said.

Currier said there have been some common frustrations at the stops so far.

"People talked about the difficulty in obtaining public records through record requests," he said. "They either focused on the delay in getting them fulfilled or the exorbitant cost associated. That was not unique to Keizer by any means. People also talked about government efficiencies. Much of the lack of transparency seems to relate to the cost of government doing business. There was a recommendation to have a constitutional amendment to require timely public record access."

Currier said a recent poll showed the top concern for Oregon voters is the state government going off track.

"The people feel the government is partisan and not getting things done," he said. "Sometimes that gets expressed as 'We don't know what's going on.'"

# City to borrow money from itself

By CRAIG MURPHY  
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Consider it a shell game of sorts.

Keizer City Councilors on Monday unanimously approved a request to move up to \$500,000 from the Transportation Improvement Fund to the city's general fund to meet current operating obligations for the month of October.

The current 2015-16 fiscal year budget calls for \$508,000 in payments to overlapping tax jurisdictions to repay them for revenue associated with the now-closed Urban Renewal District.

To minimize the amount of interest, councilors approved paying off the obligations in July. As a result of that payment, there wasn't enough in the general fund to pay for October obligations, hence the need for a short-term interfund borrowing.

How short-term is the borrowing? Well, very.

The borrowing will be paid back in November, when the majority of the current property tax revenue is expected to be received.

"We were able to save a tremendous amount of money for the city by paying off the jurisdictions early," mayor Cathy Clark said. "That's one of our fiscal policies."

City Manager Chris Eppley noted the funds coming in November.

"It's simply a timing issue," Eppley said.

The resolution calls for the money to be repaid by the end of the fiscal year (June 30). The city's TIF has approximately \$2,500,000 available.

In other business Oct. 5:

• There were a couple of references to the Oct. 1 mass shooting at Umpqua Community College in Roseburg, where President Barack Obama is expected to meet with families of the victims today.

Council president Dennis Koho noted he met up with some college friends in Canyonville recently, some of whom were directly impacted by the shooting.

"I don't know what the answer is," Koho said. "It's not taking away all the guns or giving everyone guns. I hope

we figure it out before the violence comes to Keizer."

Mayor Cathy Clark picked up on that theme.

"We express deep sympathy to everyone in the UCC family and in Roseburg," Clark said. "Our thoughts and prayers go out to you."

• Councilors approved a request for a change in the liquor license at Dim Sum House, located at 3843 River Road. The former Blooming Cuisine reopened as Dim Sum last September.

The restaurant has changed hands and is being renamed Ocean Sushi & Teriyaki. The new owners are Songying Li and Lixiang Yan, neither of whom was present Monday. According to the application from the new owners, the restaurant will be open from 11:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. every day of the week.

The council recommendation is being forwarded to the Oregon Liquor Control Commission for final approval.

• The public works shop facility, located next to the Keizer Fire District at 641 Chemawa Road NE, is get-

ting a new roof to the tune of \$26,413. The request was approved unanimously.


According to information in the council packet, the facility was built in 1981 with a metal roof.

"Repairs have been made through the years to address leaks that have occurred," the packet read in part. "The roof is now to a point that the entire roof needs to be addressed."

Staff will continue to use the facility while the roof is being replaced, since a membrane system is being placed over the existing roof. Pfeifer Roofing got the bid after submitting the lowest quote.


• The Oct. 12 work session will be with members of the Salem-Keizer Transit District. The work session starts at 5:45 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center.

## local weather

**Fri 10/9** 75/51 


Mostly cloudy. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the low 50s.

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**Sat 10/10** 75/58 


Chance of afternoon showers. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the upper 50s.

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**Sun 10/11** 67/51 


Mainly cloudy and rainy. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 50s.

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**Mon 10/12** 72/49 

Times of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 40s.

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**Tue 10/13** 73/50 

Mostly sunny. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the low 50s.

## public hearings

Pats 1 Cig, located at 4486 River Road N. The application is for off-premises liquor sales.

Council will also have a hearing Oct. 19 to consider a proposed text amendment to

Section 2.203 (permitted uses generally) to the Keizer Development Code to prohibit the storage or display of merchandise or other material for commercial use on a sidewalk, street, median or other portion of a right of way.

The **Keizer City Council** will hold a public hearing on Monday, Oct. 19 to consider a liquor license application and change of ownership for Salsa Rica Restaurant, located at 3844 River Road N in Keizer. The hearing will take place at 7 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road N.

Council will hold another hearing on Oct. 19 for a new liquor license application for

## looking back in the KT

**5 YEARS AGO**  
What's in your water? Fluoride in the city's water is the topic of a council work session - and whether it should continue to be added to Keizer's water supply.

**10 YEARS AGO**  
False 9-1-1 calls divert cops from break-ins  
Two Keizer men made urgent - but false - calls to 9-1-1 in an apparent attempt to distract police from a spree of break-ins on River Road North.

**15 YEARS AGO**  
Band tractor stolen, left wrecked in park  
Someone took the McNary Band's blue lawn tractor for a joy ride and dumped it into Willamette River earlier this month.

**20 YEARS AGO**  
Club drops first site, but not Keizer idea  
The Boys and Girls Club will not put a satellite club at Cummings School - but won't abandon the idea of a Keizer site.

## sudoku

Enter digits from 1-9 into the blank spaces. Every row must contain one of each digit. So must every column, as must every 3x3 square.

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# Web Poll

Results

Will you support the business payroll tax for increased bus services?

**71% - No**  
**29% - Yes**

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## THIS WEEK'S MOVIE TIMES

**Mission Impossible: Rogue Nation (PG-13)**  
Fri 12:15, 6:00, 8:35,  
Sat 6:20, 8:50, Sun 5:50, 8:20

**The Man from U.N.C.L.E. (PG-13)**  
Fri 4:40, Sat 4:00

**Pixels (PG-13)** Fri 11:45, 4:15  
Sat 12:00, 2:15, Sun 12:15

**Ant Man (PG-13)** Fri 1:45, 6:25,  
Sat 2:35, Sun 12:45, 3:00

**Fantastic Four (PG-13)**  
Sat 2:45, Sun 12:15

**Straight Outta Compton (R)**  
Fri 8:45, Sat 8:00, Sun 7:10

**Vacation (R)** Fri 9:10, Sat 4:15

**Trainwreck (R)** Sun 6:50

**Spy (R)** Fri 6:55

**Inside Out (PG)**  
Fri 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, Sat 12:40, 2:00,  
4:55, Sun 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 5:15

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