

Today in History

SATURDAY, DEC 12TH

21 & OVER

Live Fights at 5 pm – Tickets \$12 9 fights in all on the HUGE screen! Reserved Seats Available Now Online

Heavy smog begins to hover over London. It persists for four days leading to the deaths of more than 4,000 people. A high-pressure air mass stalled over the Thames River Valley, a cold air front trapped the the high-pressure air in place. The cold temperature caused residents to burn extra coal. The resulting smoke, soot and sulfur dioxide caused smog that smothered the city.

— December 4, 1952

UPCOMING EVENTS

FREE Every week on the Big Screen! FREE Prize drawings, and our FREE Weekly Pick'Em Fantasy League!

with Special Menu Items and Discounts! (All games are 21 and over only, no minors allower

XMAS BREAK MATINEES - All Break Long

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

Food 4 Thought

"A change in the weather is sufficient to recreate the world and ourselves." - Marcel Proust

The Month Ahead

Through Saturday, December 5

Dayspring Fellowship Church presents Big Band Christmas: Because a Babe was Born Free. Free, 7 p.m. each night, 1755 Lockhaven Drive NE.

Through Sunday, December 13

The 1940s Radio Hour at the Historic Grand Theatre, downtown Salem. Presented by Enlightened Theatrics. Performances 7:30 p.m. Wed-Sat. and 2:30 p.m. matinees on Sundays. Tickets range from \$15-\$20. enlightenedtheatrics. org. 503-585-3427.

Through Thursday, December 31

Christmas in the Kitchen display at the Keizer Heritage Center Museum, 980 Chemawa Road NE. Display is the personal collection of Keizer's Yvonne Knoll.

Through Sunday, January 3

Christmas in the Garden at The Oregon Garden, 879 W. Main Street, Silverton. Enjoy ice skating, traditional German Christmas Market with 18 artisan vendors, festive music, taste holiday foods, live reindeer, photos with Santa and walk through 400,000+ Christmas lights in the forest. Admission: \$11 adults, \$5 children, free for children 4 and under. Open 10 a.m. daily. More information at www.oregongarden.org.

Friday, December 4

The Trail Band performs traditional music at their annual Salem Holiday performance, 7:30 p.m. at the Elsinore Theatre. Tickets range from \$25.50 - \$40. www elsinoretheatre.com.

Friday, December 4 - Saturday, December 26

Miracle of Christmas Lights Display in Keizer's Gubser neighborhood. Runs from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. nightly. Donation drop off site, benefiting Marion Polk Food Share, is partway through route on Mistwood Drive.

Saturday, December 5

City Dance Theatre presents its annual Snowman's Dance program at McNary High School. Performances are at noon and 3 p.m. The performances are open to the public, admission is \$10.

Family Holiday Concert, Smith Auditorium, Willamette University. 7 p.m. Free admission.

Sunday, December 6

Christmas Unplugged-Reclaiming the Holiday Spirit with John Doan, 7 p.m., Hudson Hall, Willamette University. Call 503-370-6255 for tickets.

St. Paul's Evensong Concert series presents St. Nicolas, a cantata by Benjamin Britten. 4 p.m. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1444 Liberty St. SE. stpaulsoregon.org.

Monday, December 7

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

Tuesday, December 8

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

Coffee Shop Concert featuring McNary's singers and songwriters. McNary choir room, 7 p.m. Admission: \$5.

Wednesday, December 9

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

Thursday, December 10

Keizer Traffic Safety/Bikeways/Pedestrian Committee meeting, 6 p.m. in council chambers at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Friday, December 11

McNary Drama Department presents A Christmas Carol Radio Show. 7 p.m. in the McNary auditorium.

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

Chasing Dark: Signs, tips and resources

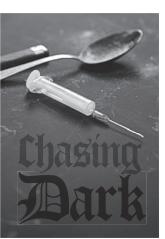
In recent weeks, the Keizertimes has run a Chasing Dark series, looking at the growing heroin epidemic in Keizer.

Links to full stories will be in a special section of the Keizertimes website (www.keizertimes.com) this weekend.

Throughout the series of stories, parents and law enforcement personnel alike have shared advice, tips and resources to help families. Here is a recap of some of that information:

Signs your child could be doing heroin

- Bottles disappearing from the medicine cabinet
- · Items around the house suddenly disappearing or money missing from purses/ wallets
- A sudden withdrawal socially from the family
- Messages on social media about drugs. The problem is most of the times the messages will be private.
- · Those going through withdrawals will be extremely weak and unable to keep food down.
 - Excessive drowsiness
 - Losing track of time
- Excessive use of cotton
- · Pick marks around the face
 - Weight loss
- · Dark circles under the
- Lack of smiling • Dirtiness, especially under
- the fingernails · Parents and authorities
- alike agreed those who are caught in an addiction need to feel free to talk openly about



See the whole series online at www.keizertimes.com.

what they are going through, without feeling judged. Building trust is critical.

• Jeff and Hollie Crist, whose son Brandon died of a heroin overdose in September, said if parents suspect something is going on, trust that instinct.

What to do

- Benton County offers a needle exchange program; such a program isn't offered in Marion County. Information about the Benton County program and other harm reduction programs: http:// harmreduction.org/connectlocally/oregon/
- Bottles of old medications can be turned in at the turnin receptacle at the Keizer Police Department, no questions asked. • Sometimes drug court
- programs are utilized, forcing users to stop doing drugs. The problem, many involved in the series agree, is users need to make the decision themselves

someone to go through treatment before they're ready to face up to the problem typically leads to the problem continuing.

- A Washington-based website has information: http:// www.stopoverdose.org/
- There are several treatment facilities. For example, ADAPT Oregon has several locations around the state, mostly in the Roseburg area. More information is available at http://www.adaptoregon. org/

For Elizabeth Smith, she found Balboa Horizons in California (http://www.balboahorizons.com/) helped her daughter. Other options include the Hazelden Treatment Center in Newberg (http://www.hazeldenbettyford.org/treatment/locations/ springbrook), Astoria Pointe (http://www.astoriapointe. com/), facilities in Eugene (http://rehab-international. org/oregon-rehab/eugene) or Klamath Falls (http://www. drug-rehabs.org/Oregon-Klamath_Falls-drug-rehabtreatment.htm).

Reports/other media

- In July, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention posted a briefing about the heroin epidemic. That briefing can be found here: http://www.cdc.gov/vitalsigns/heroin/ • In 2014 the Oregon
- Health Authority published a report about drug overdoses: https://public.health.oregon. gov/DiseasesConditions/InjuryFatalityData/Documents/

"At this time, there is no

"However, due to the allega-

to kick the habit. Forcing oregon-drug-overdose-report.

- In November, the Drug Enforcement Administration published a study about the increase in drug use. A summary can be found here: http:// www.dea.gov/divisions/ hq/2015/hq110415.shtml. The full report can be found here: http://www.dea.gov/ docs/2015%20NDTA%20 Report.pdf.
- In the summer of 2013, Oregonian investigations editor Les Zaitz wrote an in-depth story about drug cartels in Oregon: http://www.oregonlive. com/pacific-northwest-news/ index.ssf/2013/06/drug_cartels_in_oregon_violenc.html
- In August 2011, NBC News did a story about addictions being a brain disorder: http://www.nbcnews. com/id/44147493/ns/ health-addictions/t/addiction-now-defined-brain-disorder-not-behavior-issue/#. Vl8y8nuVvj9
- This fall, a link was shared by KGW with Alicia Cook writing about losing her cousin to a drug overdose: http:// www.kgw.com/story/news/ features/2015/10/14/lessonsi-learned-from-loving-adrug-addict/73958870/
- The police department in Gloucester, Mass. has a program designed to combat opiate overdoses. http://jgpr. net/wp-content/uploads/ sites/4/2015/05/Gloucester-Angel-Program.pdf
- In July, Seattle Weekly did a story about heroin: http:// www.seattleweekly.com/ home/960150-129/the-spikewhat-lies-behind-the

Sex offender arrested on new charges

A Keizer sex offender was arrested recently for encouraging child sexual abuse.

Larry Lee Edwards, 51, was charged with 10 counts of the crime on Nov. 19. Edwards was arrested and taken to the Marion County Correctional Facility with a bail of \$200,000.

At 1:20 p.m. on Nov. 19, investigators with the Keizer Police Department served a search warrant at the Edwards residence at 4090 Hennessy Lane NE in Keizer. The warrant was issued by Marion County Circuit Court based on a cyber tip that Edwards, a registered predatory sex offender in Oregon, was involved in the posting of child

The Keizer City Coun-

cil will hold a public hearing

Monday, Dec. 7 at 7 p.m. to

consider a petition to vacate

688 feet of Ridge Drive NE.

The council meetings take

place in council chambers

at Keizer Civic Center, 930

looking back

in the KT

5 YEARS AGO

Two businesses

Council will also hold a

Chemawa Road NE.

pornography online. More information about Edwards' sex offender history is available at http://sexoffenders.or-

egon.gov/. Edwards was taken into custody without incident and charged with 10 counts of encouraging child sexual abuse in the first degree. He was arraigned the next day and charged with 10 additional counts. According to the KPD, thousands of images and videos of child pornography were

public hearings

hearing to consider revisions

to Section 2.313 (accessory

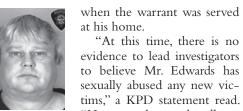
structures and uses) of the

Keizer Development Code on

The Keizer Parks and

that evening.

Recreation



Edwards

tion Mr. Edwards has committed the new crimes of encouraging child sexual abuse and based on the severity of Mr. Edwards' past crimes/convictions and the fact he is a registered predatory sex offender, the Keizer Police Department is issuing this media release as we feel it is in the public's interest to do so." recovered from electronic media in Edwards' possession

Anyone who has witnessed any suspicious and/or criminal activity involving Edwards

Board will hold a public

hearing Tuesday, Dec. 8 at 6

p.m. to consider amendments

to the master plans for Keizer

Rapids Park and Chalmers

Jones Park. The meeting takes

place in council chambers at

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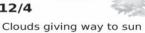
Keizer Civic Center.

is asked to contact KPD detective Ben Howden at 503-856-3525 or howdenb@ keizer.org.

The KPD is actively investigating and pursuing all those who possess, exchange, distribute or produce images and/or videos of child pornography.

local weather

Fri 12/4



Highs in the low 50s and lows in the low 40s.

Sat 49/44

12/5 Cloudy, periods of rain.

Highs in the upper 40s

and lows in the mid 40s.

Sun

51/45 12/6



Cloudy with rain. Highs in the low 50s and lows in the mid 40s.

Mon 53/48 12/7

Mainly cloudy and rainy.

Highs in the low 50s and lows in the upper 40s.

Tue 58/50 12/8

Light rain. Highs in the upper 50s and lows in the low 50s.



MOVIE TIMES

The Intern (PG-13) Fri 6:10, The Last Witch Hunter (PG-13) Fri 6:30, 8:45, Sat 12:40, 7:20,

Sun 1:30, 4:20, 8:20 **Mission Impossible:**

Rogue Nation (PG-13) **Maze Runner:**

Scorch Trials (PG-13) Fri 4:20, 6:50, Sat 2:10, 4:55, 9:20, Sun 2:50, 8:45 War Room (PG) Fri 4:10,

Sat 4:10, Sun 12:20, 5:20 Pan (PG) Fri 4:00, Sat 12:00,

2:45, 4:40 Sun 12:00, 2:10 **Everest (PG-13)** Sun 3:40

Sicario (R) Fri 9:15, Sat 6:30, Sun 7:45

A Walk in the Clouds (R)

Minions (PG) Sat 12:15, Sun 11:40

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sudoku

Advisory

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.

1 3 4 5 6 7 8 4 9 7 5 1 9 4 4 6 8 3 4 7 5 8 6 3 1 2 9

robbed in two days

Baskin Robbins and Muchas Gracias were robbed last week, but police are not sure yet if the two are related. **10 YEARS AGO**

Attempted murder tops list of charges Christopher Lee Millis, the Keizer man accused of ramming a truck into the Marion County Courthouse, was arraigned on multiple charges including attempted murder.

15 YEARS AGO

Estates owners declare

war on new plan McNary Estates residents have hired an attorney to fight the proposed development of some 64 new homes on land between the Estates and Windsor Island Road.

20 YEARS AGO

Vocal neighbors fight rezoning for apartments Homeowners on Mistletoe

Loop and McNary Heights Drive are fighting with all their power to stop a new apartment project on Wheatland Road.

KEIZERTIMES.COM Web Po

Where are you planning on doing most of your holiday shopping?

> **58% -** Online **42% -** In Stores

Vote in a new poll every Thursday!

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