

Today in History

U.S. Navy Lt. Everett Alvarez Jr. spends his 2,000th day in captivity in Vietnam. First taken prisoner when his plane was shot down in 1964, he became the longest-held POW in U.S. history. Alvarez was downed over Hon Gai during the first bombing raids against North Vietnam. He was released in 1973 after spending over eight years in captivity. - January 26, 1970

Food 4 Thought

"Americans never quit." — Gen. Douglas MacArthur, born January 26, 1880

The Month Ahead

Through Saturday, February 10

Pentacle Theatre presents Brian Friel's Dancing at Lughnasa. Performances are at 7:30 p.m. Visit pentacletheatre.org for show dates and tickets.

Friday, January 26

Oregon Symphony in Salem presents Brahms' First Symphony. 8 a.m. Smith Auditorium on Willamette University campus. Tickets range rom \$35 to \$50; students, \$10. orsymphonysalem.org.

Friday, January 26 – Saturday, January 27

First Taste of Oregon, Columbia Hall (2330 17th St.) at Oregon State Fairgrounds. Hours: Friday, 4-10 p.m., Saturday, noon-10pm. Adults \$10, Seniors \$8 Children under 6 are free Designated Drivers \$10, Group discounts available, please call.

Saturday, January 27

Cherry City Roller Derby, Season 9, Bout 8: Dolls of Anarchy vs Rydell Belles, 7 p.m. at The Mad House, 1335 Madison Street NE.

Saturday, January 27 – Sunday, January 28 2018 Oregon Wedding Showcase, Jackman-Long Building,

Gubser neighborhood rakes in food, cash for Food Share

The Gubser Miracle of Lights Christmas had a banner 2017 season resulting in a major donation to the Marionpolk Food Share at the Greater Gubser Neighborhood Association last week.

The 24-day run of the lights display yielded financial donations of \$28,926.79 (an average of more than \$1,000 per day) and record 27,180 pounds of donated food. Volunteers tending the donation booth also gave out a record 34,000 candy canes.

The cash donation is equivalent to more than 109,000 meals for local families in need, said Rick Guapo, president of the food share.

In the past five years, the Miracle of Light has generated more than 500,000 meals. The organizers were honored with the Oregon Food Bank Association's Hunger Buster Award in 2017.

More than 80 percent of the homes along the display route participated in the 2017 display.

Sponsors this year included: Dana Burk representing Keller Williams, Brenda Oleman representing Serenity Cleaning,

Devin Campbell representing Print Specialties, Gerald Nichols representing McKin-

Suzanne McConnell, GGNA president, organizers Jessica Ratliff, Brigett Eisele, Gavin Eisele and

Isaiah Ratliff present a check for more than \$28,000 to Rick Guapo of the Marion-Polk Food Share.

Maps Credit Union, Lisa and ley Landscape, John representing JK Timber and Lisa Lathan representing HomeSmart Reality.

Salem Reads kicks off Feb. 2

Salem Reads: One Book, One Community kicks off Feb. 2 with a month of activities and events in Salem and at the Salem Public Library. Salem Reads is a community reads program that invites the entire city to read the same book and enjoy programs built on the themes of the book.

Outcasts United by Warren St. John has been chosen for the second season of Salem Reads. It is the true story of a small, typical southern US town, transformed into one of the nation's most diverse communities as a refugee resettlement site. In Outcasts United, St. John explores the impact of this radical change on refugees and townspeople through the story

of a youth soccer team called the Fugees.

Opening night is Tuesday Feb. 6, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. It features a free Outcasts United book give away and free author lecture tickets for Warren St. John's Feb. 27 visit. In addition, an Outcasts United inspired art exhibit by local artists that will remain on display at the library until March 4. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Salem Public Library will also host documentary films, facilitated conversations, a refugee panel, book club meetings and the author visit, all free to the public. Visit the library foundation's website at splfoundation.org for a complete listing of events.

school have a new resource.

Wayne Frey, a member of the Keizer Traffic Safety, Bikeways and Pedestrian Committee, compiled an exhaustive list of potential walking routes to Keizer's schools and all of them are housed on the city's website, www. keizer.org.

To access to routes, go to the website, click on "Com-

School board looks to rein in costs ahead of bond vote

By HERB SWETT For the Keizertimes

Keeping costs under control was the focus of a work session the Salem-Keizer School been limited project delivery Board held Tuesday.

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The routes are streamlined to work with Android devices, but they work just as well on those produced bv other companies as long as the user has the Google Maps app.

Select your child's school from the list and then find the route with the starting point nearest to your home. When you click on the link, the map will open in the Google Maps app.

Walking routes from every direction within a mile of the every Keizer school are available. On average, there are at least 30 routes to each school.

Sidewalk availability along the route is also noted next to each entry.



Oregon State Fairgrounds. Hours: Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission is \$10; free parking. oregonweddingshowcase.com.

Sunday, February 4

Blind Boys of Alabama at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 2:30 p.m. The grammy-award winning group bring their unique style of gospel music to Salem. Tickets are required to attend the performance, and they're likely to go fast. The recommended donation for a ticket is \$20. For more information on tickets contact musicguild@ stpaulsoregon.org

Monday, February 5

City Council meeting. 7 to 9 p.m. Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Tuesday, February 8

Traffic Safety/Bikeways/Pedestrian meeting. 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

West Keizer Neighborhood Association meeting. 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Monday, February 12

City Council Work Session. 5:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Tuesday, February 13

Parks Advisory Board meeting. 6 to 8 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Wednesday, February 14

Assistance League of Salem-Keizer's 47th Annual Lasagna Lunch, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The luncheon will feature a member's secret lasagna recipe including vegetarian options as well as take-out and delivery services for those who can't make it. The event includes musical entertainment and benefits the philanthropic service programs of Assistance League. Tickets are \$25, available for purchase at als-k.org. Takes place at Willamette Heritage Center in Salem.

Planning Commission meeting. 6 to 8:30 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Greater Gubser Neighborhood Association meeting. 7 to 8 p.m. at Gubser Elementary School, 6610 14th Avenue NE.

Thursday, February 15

Volunteer Coordinating Committee, 6 to 7 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

Saturday, February 17

Cherry City Roller Derby, Season 9, Bout 9: Dolls of Anarchy vs Panty Raiders, 7 p.m. at The Mad House, 1335 Madison Street NE.

Thursday, February 22 Keizer Points of Interest Committee meeting. 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Keizer Civic Center, 930 Chemawa Road NE.

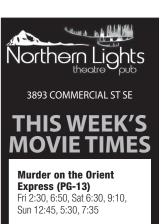
Tuesday, February 27

Keizer Public Arts Commission final story pole design meeting, 6:30 to 8 p.m. Keizer Civic Center, 980 Chemawa Road N.E. Open invite.

The board heard Michael Wolfe, district chief operating officer, recommend the construction manager/general contractor method of running the school construction project that will be on the May ballot.

The usual method, Wolfe noted, has been contracting with a design professional that designs the project and advertises for bids from contractors, with the lowest bidders determining the actual cost of the project. This is known as the design-bid-build method.

Under Oregon law, however, alternative methods including that of the CM/GC are permitted for public agencies if



All the Money in the World (R) Fri 8:30, Sat 8:45, Sun 5:00

Downsizing (R) Fri 8:55, Sun 7:5

Thor Ragnarok (PG-13) Fri 4:20, 6:25, 9:05 Sat 1:10, 6:10, 8:35 Sun 2:30, 6:15, 8:40

Star (PG) Fri 12:00, Sat 1:30, Sum 12:20

Only The Brave (PG-13)

Daddys Home 2 (PG-13) Fri 12:35, 1:50 Sat 3:20, 5:15, Sun 3:00

Bad Moms Christmas (R) Sat 7:10

Despicable Me 3 (PG) Fri 4:40, Sat 11:20

Ferdinand (PG) Fri 12:15, 2:15, 3:50, Sat 11:50, 1:55, 4:00, Sun 12:00, 2:05, 4:10

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time, unusual technical complexity requiring specialized knowledge or skills, complicated project phasing, substantial work coordination issues, and limited project budget.

The last has been a district concern for the proposed project to build and expand buildings and ensure their seismic

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5 YEARS AGO

Lady Celts beat Olys, Scots girls McNary's varsity basketball come away with two wins this week. The Lady Celts trounced the Sprague Olympians 62-27 and three days later steamrolled the McKay 46-29.

10 YEARS AGO

Man pulls gun on walker, gets cuffed A local man was arrested after allegedly picking a fight with a man walking his dogs. When the victim threatened to unleash his dogs on the man, he pulled out a black handgun and began threatening the victim. The victim was able to flee and call the police.

15 YEARS AGO

Keizerites join protest for education funding Keizer educators and residents joined thousands of protesters in Salem on Martin Luther King Jr. Day to call attention to Measure 28 and school funding. Signs, chants, and songs challenged politicians to deliver action instead of more rhetoric about public education.

20 YEARS AGO

Stull sues city for \$30 million over dismissal Charles Stull, former Keizer Police Chief, launched a full-scale legal attack on the city; claiming city employees, including police officers, lied to get him fired. The ex-chief is also suing several former subordinates who gave information against Stull during an investigation.

KEIZERTIMES.COM Web Po Results

> Do you support a ban on smoking in all Keizer parks?

> > 65% – Yes **35% –** No

Vote in a new poll every Thursday!

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