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Crash sends 2 to hospital



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A two-vehicle crash at the intersection of Cherry Avenue Northeast and Sam Orcutt Way Northeast sent the drivers of both vehicles to the Salem Hospital about noon on Saturday, Feb. 17. According to Keizer police officials, the driver of a 1999 Buick was traveling northbound on Cherry Avenue and attempted to turn left on Sam Orcutt Way when the Buick was struck by a 2001 Toyota traveling south on Cherry Avenue. The driver of the 1999 Buick was identified as 19-year-old Brenda Meza of Fairview, Ore., she was cited for not having a license, driving uninsured and failure to obey a traffic control device.

SKPS board okays bond for ballot



By **HERB SWETT**
Of the Keizertimes

Salem-Keizer School Board approval for a proposed general obligation bond estimated at \$619.7 million to go on the ballot became official Tuesday, Feb. 13.

District residents will decide May 15 on the bond measure proposal, which focuses on making district buildings seismically safe and large enough for anticipated enrollment growth.

The proposed bond measure would add space at 22 elementary schools, 10 middle schools, and six high schools. It would build a new Auburn Elementary School, improve science laboratories at the middle and high schools, improve vocational and technical programs at high schools, upgrade technology, make seismic improvements, and make safety and security improvements districtwide.

An \$8 million state grant has been awarded provided the bonds are approved.

The estimated tax rate increase is \$1.24 per \$1,000 assessed value.

Several audience members urged reinstatement of health positions in elementary schools. One was Alyson Budde of Silverton, office manager at Forest Ridge Elementary School.

The student safety issue, especially bullying, took up much of the meeting. John Van Dreal, district director of safety and risk management services, presented a flow chart on dealing with the problems. A few parents in the audience spoke to the board about their children's experiences with bullying.

Personnel actions approved by the board included the following in the McNary High School attendance area:

• Less than half-time status for Deborah Elde at Whiteaker Middle School and Charles Kuebris at McNary.

• Temporary part-time status for Corie McPursifull at McNary and South Salem high schools and Annamare Miller at Claggett Creek Middle School.

• Temporary full-time status for Kira Chuprov at Gubser Elementary School, Keista McCrae at Claggett Creek, Natalie Peton at McNary, and Hailee Young at Keizer Elementary.

• Resignations of Robbie Ellis and Robert James from McNary.

The Spotlight on Success portion of the meeting honored Cameron Vandecover, fifth-grader at Forest Ridge, and Jasmine Miller, fifth-grader at Optimum Learning Environment Charter School, for their videos at the Kid Governor competition. Both their videos were ranked in the top eight.

(Editor's note: Visit www.keizertimes.com for an expanded version of this story.)

The Keizer Planning Commission held its most recent meeting Wednesday, Feb. 14. Here is what was discussed:

The primary topic on the agenda was a change to the process by which amendments to the Keizer Station Master Plans are adopted.

Under current policies, changes to the Keizer Station Master Plan must be approved by the planning commission which forwards a recommendation on to the Keizer City Council.

The proposed changes, which were approved unanimously by the commissioners, would allow amendments pertaining to landscaping and design changes and other changes that do not increase the overall square footage in Keizer Station to go directly to the council.

"It would eliminate the duplication of the hearing process," said Nate Brown, Keizer's community development director.

There was some confusion over the language of the proposed changes

which used "Keizer Station Master Plan" and "Master Plan" interchangeably. Commissioners asked that the changes be limited to Keizer Station and, if the city wants the same process is applied to other Master Plans, that those changes come back at a later date.

Commissioner Garry Whalen said that it made more sense to make the change to other plans later given the ramping up to the River Road Revitalization study (see related story, Page A1).

"I think there is minimal risk to wait and address this when we have a more complete project," Whalen said.

The changes moved forward on the Keizer Station Master Plan process to streamline construction of new businesses like the cinema and a dental office owned by Kaiser Permanente.

Today in History

During the bloody battle for Iwo Jima, U.S. Marines from the 3rd Platoon take the crest of Mount Suribachi, the island's highest peak and most strategic position, and raise the U.S. flag. Marine photographer Louis Lowery was with them and recorded the event. — February 23, 1945

Food 4 Thought

"Some people wonder all their lives if they've made a difference. The Marines don't have that problem." — Ronald Reagan

The Month Ahead

Friday, February 23

McNary High School drama department presents *Lend Me a Tenor*. 7 p.m. in Ken Collins Theater. Tickets \$5 for students, \$7 for adults. Additional shows Feb. 24 at 7 p.m., March 1-2 at 7 p.m. and March 3 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Show is rated PG-13.

Senator Ron Wyden town hall, 9:30 a.m. in McNary High School auditorium.

The Grace Goudy Distinguished Artists series presents Johann Sebastian Bach's "The Goldberg Variations," performed by pianist Jeffery Kahane. Concert starts at 8 p.m. at Hudson Hall, 980 State Street in Salem. Tickets available from boxofficetickets.com For more info visit willamette.edu/go/goudy.

Dance and potluck featuring music by Crossfire. Hosted by the Keizer/Salem Area Seniors, 930 Plymouth Drive NE. Admission is \$5.

Saturday, February 24

Keizer Homegrown Theatre open house, 12 to 3 p.m., Keizer Heritage Center, 980 Chemawa Road, NE.

Tuesday, Feb. 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.

Free admission all day at Hallie Ford Museum of Art. 700 State St., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 28

Community Dinner at St. Edward Catholic Church, 5 to 7 p.m. Free.

Community Conversation: The Future of River Road. 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Keizer Civic Center. Members of the Keizer Chamber of Commerce, City of Keizer staff and members of the Keizer City Council will be on-hand to talk about the future of development on River Road North.

Friday, March 9

Oregon Symphony in Salem's annual fund raising gala at Zenith Vineyards. Tickets are \$80 each, purchase by visiting orsymponysalem.org

Saturday, March 10

Cherry City Roller Derby, Season 9, Bout 10: Rydell Belles vs Thrill Kill Kittens, 7 p.m. at The Mad House, 1335 Madison Street NE.

Sunday, March 11

In the Steps of Sousa. Elsinore Theatre, Salem. Elsinore Theatre, 3 p.m. Single tickets: premium seating is \$30; main floor/balcony seating is \$20; Students K-12 (main floor/balcony) are seated for \$10. Season tickets are available from Elsinore Theatre. salemconcertband.org


Tuesday, March 13

Keizer Chamber Luncheon 11:30 to 1 p.m. Agenda: State of the City Address by Mayor Cathy Clark. Register to attend at www.keizerchamber.com

Saturday, March 31

Cherry City Season 9, Bout 11: Dolls of Anarchy vs Thrill Kill Kittens, 7 p.m. at The Mad House, 1335 Madison Street NE.

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



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THIS WEEK'S MOVIE TIMES

Star Wars: The Last Jedi (PG-13)
Fri 3:20*, 6:15 & 9:05; Sat 3:45*, 6:40 & 9:30; Sun 2:40*, 6:00 & 8:50

Justice League (PG-13)
Fri 6:05; Sat 2:10*; Sun 7:50

Thor Ragnarok (PG-13) Sun 5:35

Murder on the Orient Express (PG-13)
Fri 9:20; Sat 4:30

Pitch Perfect 3 (PG-13)
Sat 7:00; Sun 4:15

Den of Thieves (R)
Fri 8:00; Sat 8:55; Sun 8:05

Molly's Game (R)
Sat 7:30; Mon 8:05

Wonder (PG) Fri 1:30* & 4:30; Sat 12:00* & 5:20; Sun 11:55* & 3:45*

Coco (PG) Fri 1:10*, 3:45* & 5:50; Sat 11:30* & 1:40*; Sun 4:00

Ferdinand (PG)
Fri 1:30*; Sat 1:10* & 3:15*; Sun 12:30* & 2:10

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looking back in the KT

5 YEARS AGO

Nancy's Burgers and Fries finally opens on River Road

After much anticipation, Nancy's Burger and Fries will be open to the public. Rich Giddens said Nancy Hall's food and personality will be loved. "Our menu is going to be fantastic," Hall said.

10 YEARS AGO

The perfect gift

Lance Johnson decided he had to help his dad Ron. So he donated a kidney -- and his father says he's feeling like a new man. After 18 months of deteriorating health, Ron says he's feeling great thanks to his son's gift.

15 YEARS AGO

Celts top Corvallis in Keizer

The McNary boys basketball team took home a 58-53 win against Corvallis. "We started off pretty shaky," said player Matt Espinoza. "But in the second half we came out and rebounded... We're a very dangerous team."

20 YEARS AGO

Youth meet draws 100 to Keizer

About 100 local teens showed up to the Youth Speak 3 forum to talk about issues facing them. The forum was designed to spur ideas about steps that could be taken locally to give local youth more activities and places to go.

Correction

In the Feb. 16 edition of the *Keizertimes*, in the story of titled *Board backs parks smoking ban 7-1*, the correct vote count was 7-2. Matt Lawyer and David Loudon voted against a recommendation of a ban. The mistake was due to a reporter error.

Clarification

In the Feb. 16 edition of the *Keizertimes*, in the story of titled *Sidewalk talks continue at traffic safety board*, the story stated there was a lack of sidewalks around Kennedy Elementary School. While there are sidewalks bordering the Kennedy campus, few of the streets leading to the school have such accommodations.

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Web Poll Results

Should the Keizer City Council prioritize finishing the network of sidewalks within the city limits?

72% – Yes.

17% – No.

11% – Depends on the cost.

Vote in a new poll every Thursday!

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