

# Sound of Metal roars on every level

By TJ Reid  
For the Keizertimes

One of my favorite superheroes in the Marvel canon is Daredevil, the man without fear. There is something very inspiring about a character who, despite his awful luck and less than ideal circumstances, decides that he is going to do his best to make the world a better place. There's also the fact that Matt Murdock is, in fact, blind. I have to admit that I am a sucker for stories of individuals with a handicap overcoming adversity, as they inspire me to try harder in my own, admittedly more comfortable, circumstances.



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Riz Ahmed delivers a riveting performance in Amazon Prime's *Sound of Metal*. Courtesy of Amazon Prime

*Sound of Metal*, a film that first premiered at the Toronto Film Festival in 2019 and recently got a worldwide release on Amazon Prime, is one such story of a heavy metal drummer who starts to lose his hearing and must come to terms with being deaf in a world full of sound. Intimate and enthralling, *Sound of Metal* is a triumph thanks to impeccable acting and creative sound editing.

Riz Ahmed stars as Ruben, the heavy metal drummer in question, and his performance is nothing short of perfect. It is an impressive feat; as the movie is told from his point of view, about a third of it

does not have any sound at all. This means that Ahmed has to emote even more than usual, conveying complex emotions through his face and body expressions alone.

It is impossible to not buy his fear and frustration as his world gets more and more silent, and the supporting cast that surrounds him (some who are actually deaf in real life) is equally up to the task. It would normally be difficult to keep my attention in dead silence, but somehow everyone involved kept me enthralled the entire way through.

This brings me to the sound editing which, by the way, is not

something I usually care about. I may review movies, but a lot of the subtleties of filmmaking are often lost on me; when the category comes up during the Oscars, I use it as a pee break.

But the sound editing in *Sound of Metal* is central to the feel of the movie. As I said, about a third of it takes place in complete silence, but another third takes place somewhere in between quiet and full sound. There is one memorable party scene that starts with the audio at full blast, showing how everyone else hears a song that is being performed, before becoming more and more distorted until we are shown how

Ruben hears it.

When the volume is at normal levels, the movie tends to showcase pretty sounds like chattering insects and pattering rain to amplify the tragedy of the situation. Creative sound choices such as this makes me feel like I am going deaf right along with him, which is terrifying and oddly claustrophobic.

All of this combined with an impressive and realistic script makes *Sound of Metal* a singular experience with a whole lot of intimacy, and one that I highly recommend

*Sound of Metal* is now available on Amazon Prime.

## COVID cases up 260% in 97303

Officials from the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) identified 248 new cases of COVID-19 in the 97303 zip code between Dec. 2 and Dec. 9.

Each week, the OHA is releasing pandemic-related statistics on the virus' spread throughout Oregon. On Dec. 2, the OHA reported Keizer had 94 new cases of COVID-19 infection. This week, the count skyrocketed. The change represents a 260% increase in the 97303 zip code.

To fight the rapid spread of COVID-19, the governors of Oregon, Washington and California issued travel advisories urging visitors entering their states or returning home from travel outside these states to self-quarantine. The advisories urge against non-essential out-of-state travel, ask people to self-quarantine for 14 days after arriving from another state or country, and encourage residents to stay local.

## obituaries

Submit an obituary through our website at keizertimes.com or send an email to: editor@keizertimes.com

### Tim Sader

Tim Sader, of Keizer, died Dec. 12 at the age of 56.

He was born in Tacoma, WA. A Celebration of Life is planned at a future date.

He was predeceased by mother Carolyn Hanson. Survivors include wife Jennifer Sader; sons Brandon and Hayden Sader; father Barry



Tim Sader

Sader; step-father Jim Hanson; brother Lance (Tracey) Sader; father-in-law Berl Davis and mother-in-law Polly Davis.

### Adelino B. Olpet

Oct. 18, 1963 - Dec. 8, 2020

Adelino B. Olpet of Keizer, passed on Dec. 8 at the age of 57.

## public notices

### NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON COUNTY OF MARION

Case No.: 20PB08453  
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: LARRY RICHARD FIES Deceased.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative for the Estate of Larry Richard Fies. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the undersigned personal representative at c/o The Law Office of David Johnson; PO Box 5044; Salem, OR 97304 within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred.

All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawyers for the personal representative, David Johnson, PO Box 5044, Salem, OR 97304.

Dated and first published on December 18, 2020.  
Deborah A. Karen  
Personal Representative

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### NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

**NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that KEVIN M. ELY has been appointed Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF TERESA MARIE ELY, Deceased, by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County under Case No. 20PB08440. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the said Personal Representative at Stayton Law, PO Box 248, Stayton, OR 97383, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice,

or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the Personal Representative, or the attorney for the Personal Representative.

Dated and first published: December 11, 2020.

Personal Representative:  
Kevin M. Ely  
935 Westwood Pl  
Stayton, OR 97383

Attorney for Personal Representative:  
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OSB#990890  
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### NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF MARION

No. 20PB08330- Probate  
In the Matter of the Estate of Margaret R. Koenig, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that by Order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County, Probate No. 20PB08330, Nancy Machado has been appointed Personal Representative of the ESTATE OF MARGARET R. KOENIG, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to present such claims, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned Personal Representative, c/o Sarah K. Rinehart, Attorney at Law, 117 Commercial Street NE, Suite 300, Salem, Oregon 97301, within four (4) months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred.

All persons whose rights may be affected by these proceedings may obtain additional information from the Personal Representative, the attorney for the Personal Representative, or from the records of the court.

Dated and first published December 11, 2020.  
Nancy Machado  
Personal Representative

Sarah K. Rinehart,  
Attorney at Law  
OSB# 821142  
117 Commercial Street NE, Suite 300  
Salem, Oregon 97301  
Attorney for Personal Representative

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### PUBLISHED SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MARION COUNTY Juvenile Department

Case No. 20JU06326  
PUBLISHED SUMMONS  
In the Matter of WYATT LAWRENCE

CURRENT, A Child.  
TO: Kiela D. Current  
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:

A petition has been filed asking the court to terminate your parental rights to the above-named child for the purpose of placing the child for adoption. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PERSONALLY APPEAR BEFORE the Marion County Juvenile Court at 2970 Center Street NE, Salem, OR 97301, on the following hearings: Prelim / Initial Appearance Hearing, on the 4th day of January, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. to admit or deny the allegations of the petition and to personally appear at any subsequent court-ordered hearing. YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM ON THE DATE AND AT THE TIME LISTED ABOVE. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING IN YOUR PLACE. THEREFORE, YOU MUST APPEAR EVEN IF YOUR ATTORNEY ALSO APPEARS.

This summons is published pursuant to the order of the circuit court judge of the above-entitled court, dated November 30, 2020. The order directs that this summons be published once each week for three consecutive weeks, making three publications in all, in a published newspaper of general circulation in Marion County, Oregon.

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### NOTICE READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY

IF YOU DO NOT APPEAR PERSONALLY BEFORE THE COURT OR DO NOT APPEAR AT ANY SUBSEQUENT COURT-ORDERED HEARING, the court may proceed in your absence without further notice and TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS to the above-named child either ON THE DATE SPECIFIED IN THIS SUMMONS OR ON A FUTURE DATE, and may make such orders and take such action as authorized by law.

**RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS**  
(1) YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO BE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY IN THIS MATTER. If you are currently represented by an attorney, CONTACT YOUR ATTORNEY IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIVING THIS NOTICE. Your previous attorney may not be representing you in this matter.

IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE AN ATTORNEY and you meet the state's financial guidelines, you are entitled to have an attorney appointed for you at state expense. TO REQUEST APPOINTMENT OF AN ATTORNEY TO REPRESENT YOU AT STATE EXPENSE, YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY CONTACT the Marion Juvenile Department at 2970 Center Street NE, Salem, OR 97301, phone number (503) 588-5291, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. for further information.

IF YOU WISH TO HIRE AN ATTORNEY, please retain one as soon as possible and have the attorney present at the above hearing. If you need help finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636.

IF YOU ARE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH YOUR ATTORNEY AND TO KEEP YOUR ATTORNEY ADVISED OF YOUR WHEREABOUTS.

(2) If you contest the

petition, the court will schedule a hearing on the allegations of the petition and order you to appear personally and may schedule other hearings related to the petition and order you to appear personally. IF YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR, YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM, UNLESS THE COURT HAS GRANTED YOU AN EXCEPTION IN ADVANCE UNDER ORS 419B.918 TO APPEAR BY OTHER MEANS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TELEPHONIC OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS. AN ATTORNEY

MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING(S) IN YOUR PLACE.

**PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY**  
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ISSUED this 7th day of December, 2020.

*s/ Alisa Larson-Xu*  
Alisa Larson-Xu, #165935  
Assistant Attorney General  
Of Attorneys for Petitioner

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