

METROPOLITAN

Gallery displays best news photos

Photographs by more than 30 Portland area photo-journalists will be on display at the Metropolitan Gallery February 4th through March 15, 1985. The exhibit, entitled "Snap Decisions," represents the best local newspaper and magazine photography for 1984.

Featured in the exhibit are staff photographers from daily and weekly newspapers as well as freelance photographers. Among the professional organizations represented are the National Press Photographers Association and the American Society of Magazine Photographers.

"Snap Decisions" is a unique opportunity for the public to enjoy the talent and vision of the area's top photojournalists. In addition to spot

news, the more-than-100 photographs depict a wide range of assignments, from fast-action sports to elaborate studio still-lives.

This is the third "Snap Decisions" exhibit since 1981. Last year's exhibit featured photographs taken on July 15, 1983 by photojournalists from around the state. The results were published by the Oregon Historical Society in a book entitled *One Average Day*.

The Metropolitan Gallery, operated by the Metropolitan Arts Commission, is located in the Portland Building, 1120 S.W. Fifth Avenue. Hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday.



Alcena Boozer is ordained into the priesthood of the Episcopal Church in a ceremony at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Portland. This photo by Portland Observer staff photographer Richard J. Brown is included in the exhibit "Snap Decisions '84" at the Metropolitan Gallery, 1120 SW Fifth Ave., through March 15th.

Aid sought for families of teenage accident victims

by Lanita Duke

Two Black mothers are responding to a community tragedy — the accidental shooting of a Black teenager — by helping to raise funds for both families involved.

On Sunday, January 13, Marcell Latrell Jordan, 13 year old, was accidentally shot by another teenager who was showing him the shotgun. It was on this Sunday that Parthenia Tarver and Sara Fikes planned to go on a boat trip. After word of the accident spread, Tarver and Fikes cancelled their boat trip and donated the funds to the families.

"In talking to people we have found many who are willing to help," Tarver said. "For young Black teenagers to experience this type of a traumatic

accident can be detrimental to their mental health. Therefore, the mother of the 15-year-old boy who accidentally shot Marcell is seeking professional help for her two sons and their friend who witnessed the fatal accident," she added.

Fikes said neither of the parents had requested financial assistance. "As concerned Black citizens, we recognize that professional psychiatric help can be costly. We encourage you to assist the Black families by providing some financial support," she added.

If this tragedy touched you or if you want to assist these families, call Tarver at 281-1732. Tarver and Fikes said any contributions will be divided equally between both families.

Successful South Africa protestors to hold party

On Friday, January 18, 1985, Calvin VanPelt resigned his position as the Honorary Consul to South Africa.

We believe that what has been demonstrated is the power of ordinary people. The organizations involved in organizing the demonstrations, The Black United Front, Portlanders Organized for Southern African Freedom, American Friends Service Committee and the Rainbow Organizing Committee, want to thank everyone who helped bring this about, especially members of the clergy, Rev. John Jackson, Rev. Phil Park, Chaplain Jim Stuart, and State Representatives Margaret Carter and Mike Burton, and also the people who traveled from Corvallis and Eugene to demonstrate and be arrested.

We have an on-going concern about all Oregon ties to the South African government — a government based on legalized racism where the Black majority population, including Nobel Peace prize winner Bishop Tutu, cannot vote. We will work with the Rainbow Organizing Committee, Representatives Margaret Carter, and others to move passage of a divestment bill. We want to see the withdrawal of all current investments and no new investments in the South African government.

A Post-Picket Party get-together and dinner will be held at Aldo's Restaurant, 824 S.W. 1st, in the Garden Room on Friday, February 1st, 4 to 7 p.m. Everyone is invited by POSAF, Rainbow Organizing Committee, BUF and AFSC.

Tri-Met driver honored

Tri-Met Bus Operator Kathi Harvey has been named "most inspirational" loaned executive. The recognition of Harvey's work as a fundraiser this past Fall was made at a United Way dinner during January.

Harvey turns out to be a bus operator with an interesting background. Mother of a 1984 Rose Festival Princess, this Northeast Portland resident has been driving a bus for Tri-Met since 1981. Before that, Harvey served on the staff of State Senator Frank Roberts in Salem.

Harvey involves herself in community activities and is a member of Tri-Met's Operator Contact Team, one of 40 bus operators who have been trained to take safety, environmental and career education into more than 200 schools in the Transit District.



KATHI HARVEY

Each year, businesses and public agencies in the Portland region loan personnel to the United Way to act as field campaigners and organizers.

Kids get voice in government

The Metropolitan Youth Commission has developed a youth participation committee to promote youth involvement in community decision making. In today's fast paced government it is highly important that youth have a voice in decisions for and affecting youth. Also, by participating on councils, committees,

and boards, valuable leadership skills may be acquired to help aid the development of your learning. If you would like to apply for a particular council, have any questions or comments, or would just like to have more information about youth participation in your area call (503) 796-5201.

PCC opens applications

Applications are now open for limited enrollment programs at Portland Community College.

At the PCC Cascade Campus, 705 N. Killingsworth, applications are being taken for fall, 1985 enrollment

in Computer Field Service, Interpreter for the Deaf, Microelectronics Process Technology, Optical Technology and Alcohol and Drug Counselor programs.

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