

Customers Urged To Mail Early This Holiday Season

The Holiday Season is here again. It is the busiest and heaviest time of the year for the Post Office.

During this holiday season the Postal Service will handle more than 12 billion holiday cards, letters and packages.

To handle this monumental amount of mail, the Postal Service

Low-Income And Homeless Families assisted

This winter, Portland area youth, affected by disaster or low-income situations, and local homeless families are the targets of a Red Cross effort to distribute Care Kits and Family Comfort Boxes to those in need. Red Cross is seeking individuals, civic groups, manufacturers and companies to assist in filling these needs through:

- completing one or more Care Kits and/or Family Boxes
- donating necessary items in bulk
- taking on a quantity of kits/boxes as a group project

"The need is now as the holidays and winter months approach. As families are without heat and shelter. As the home fire season approaches, the request for these items increases dramatically," says Ronnie Meyers, Community Services Specialist, American Red Cross.

To find out more about specific items needed for this project and how to get involved, contact Red Cross Youth and Community Services, 284-1234.

YMCA Offers New Year's Eve Overnight For Youth

The Washington County YMCA is offering a Kid's Night Out on New Year's Eve for children in grades 1 through 6. The overnight slumber party will be held at the YMCA Metro Community Center on 3030 SW Second Ave. in Portland. Parents may drop their children off at Fir Grove Elementary School on Wilson Ave. in Beaverton at 7:00 p.m. on December 31st and the YMCA will provide transportation to the program. The children will be brought back to Fir Grove by 9:00 a.m., Thursday, January 1st, 1987. Participants will have their own New Year's Eve Celebration and also go swimming and bowling. An evening snack and continental breakfast will be provided. Fees for Kid's Night Out are \$12.00 for YMCA Members and \$17.00 for Non-members. Financial assistance is available through YMCA office. The program is limited to 60 children and pre-registration and payment is required by December 26th. Contact the Washington County YMCA at 294-3345 for further information or registration forms.

Black United Front Annual Dance

The Black United Front, Portland Chapter, will hold its annual Christmas Dance, Saturday, December 20, 1986, from 9 pm until 2:30 am at the Royal Esquire Club, 1708 Northeast Alberta. The public is invited to enjoy the live music of Portland's own Streetcorner Singers and a band to be announced. Your favorite dance tunes, old and new will be played during intermission by D.J. Howard Williamson. Free food will be available. Tickets are \$5.00.

Walk The Square

With more than 700 members registered, "Walk the Square" is a popular walking exercise program offered by Meridian Park Hospital in cooperation with Washington Square Shopping Center.

New members are always welcome, and a onetime membership fee of \$10 includes a "Walk the Square" T-shirt and identification pin, fitness and exercise consultation, a record book to chart personal progress, frequent conditioning classes, monthly blood pressure screenings, a yearly health screening, and seminars on health-related topics.

Members can "walk the mall" from 8:30 - 10 a.m. daily, Monday through Friday, in a safe, climate-controlled environment along with friends old and new.

For more information on "Walk the Square", or to find out how to register (either by mail or at the mall) call the community education department, 692-2656, at the Tualatin hospital.

asks customers to "Mail Early" in the Season and early in the day.

Mail Early Collection Boxes—Beginning Monday, December 8th, your post office will begin special collection runs to strategically placed "Mail Early" collection boxes throughout the city.

These "Mail Early" collection boxes will be marked with a green Christmas tree decal on their side.

Postal Contract Stations & Self Service: As an added convenience, local postal contract stations

will be open outside normal post office hours and Self Service Postal Units are available to serve you 24 hours a day.

Saturday Service - Specified post offices, stations, and branches will be open December 13 and 20 as full service and retail mailing outlets.

Will Call Service - All post offices will be open for customers to pick up packages on December 13 and 20 from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

Shop early, mail early. Make sure your love arrives on time.

*As another year draws to a close,
we thank you for your friendship and good will,
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