

# Observing

**THIS SATURDAY, COME TO A PLACE OF FUN, SENSATION AND WONDER. AND IT'S NOT IN PORTLAND.**

**I-5 North, City Center Exit, left on 6th St. OPEN SATURDAY 10-6**

## Lam Opens Vancouver Facility

Lam Research Corporation announced that it has opened a new sales and service office in Vancouver to support increased demand for its products and to provide value-added services that better meet customer requirements in the Pacific Northwest region.

The decision to open the Vancouver office was driven by the growing popularity of Lam's advanced plasma etch systems in the area. "Our priority is top-level customer service and support," said Rick Friedman, director of Western Field Operations. "Customers depend on us for more

than just product offerings. They require immediate field service, process support, and spare parts. Lam can now respond to their needs more quickly by ensuring that service and spare parts are available locally."

Opened in the first quarter of 1994, Lam's new office is located at 600 SE Maritime Avenue, Ste. 120, Vancouver, Washington. Phone (206) 694-6383.

The brand new Vancouver office is part of a corporate expansion strategy designed to meet increased customer demand for Lam's advanced semiconductor processing equipment.

A powerful regional presence is a key element of this strategy. Other expansion sites include offices in Tempe, Arizona, Austin, Texas, Wilmington, Massachusetts, and San Jose, California. Recently, Lam also announced major expansions in Europe and Southeast Asia.

Lam Research Corporation is a leading supplier of wafer processing equipment to the worldwide semiconductor industry. The company's broad product offerings are focused on etch and deposition, two of the most vital areas in the fabrication of current and future integrated circuits.

## New Chief Assistant City Attorney Tapped

Judy Zeider, a 13-year city employee, was selected the new Chief Assistant City Attorney for the City of Vancouver on Friday, June 24. Zeider has recently been concentrating her work in civil matters ranging from advising the Cable Commission, Fire and Police Pension Boards, Clark Regional Communications Agency, building department and other agencies to employment-related legal issues. She is a graduate of the University of Washington and the Washington University School of Law. She has a broad background in many areas of municipal law.

Effective Aug. 1, Michael Karber will join the law department as an assistant city attorney. Karber has worked for the Law Department since 1992 as a legal intern. He is a graduate of the University of Arizona and Northwestern School of Law, Lewis and Clark College. Karber will assist with both criminal prosecutions and civil work including environmental law issues.

Both appointments were made by Ted Gathe, city attorney, who replaced Jerry King as the city's top lawyer in May.

## Student Art Beautifies Construction Site

Construction of Vancouver's new East Side Wastewater Treatment Plant is a bit easier on the eyes thanks to the art of students from nine area schools. Some 25 brightly painted four-by-eight-foot plywood panels decorate the fence surrounding the construction site at Marine Park.

The panels depict water-related subjects, which the students had previously studied in class. Over 530 students in grades two through eight participated in the project. The panels can be viewed from the concrete walkway leading to new Marine Park wetlands overlook. They were erected June 23.

## Searching For Athena

The Greater Vancouver Chamber of Commerce, Women in Action and Metro Buick-Olds, Inc./Saturn of Vancouver have launched the search for Clark County's first annual Athena Award recipient. The award honors professional women who demonstrate exemplary commitments to leadership and accomplishments in business and community.

The award is a nationwide program designed to honor women who strive toward the highest level of accomplishment, not only excelling in their

chosen field but also creating paths so that others may follow.

"The Athena Award program works hand in hand with the goals of Women in Action. Not only are both celebrating and taking inspiration from the accomplishments of women, we are promoting the abilities of local women who are professional leaders," said Cindy Horensten, president of Women in Action.

Since the program's creation in 1982, the Athena Award has been presented to over 1,500 women nationwide who have ex-

celled in community commitment and mentorship on behalf of business and professional women.

The presentation of the award will be held at the chamber's annual banquet in September. A 1994 Oldsmobile has been donated to the recipient for one month by Metro Buick-Olds Inc/Saturn of Vancouver.

Nomination forms are available at the Greater Vancouver Chamber of Commerce, 404 E. 15 St., Suite 11, Vancouver. Deadline for nominations is Aug. 1.

## Portland Metro

### Crime Stoppers

#### Bad checks

The Beaverton Police Department, Washington County Sheriff's Office, and other law enforcement agencies, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, are asking for your help in identifying and apprehending two subjects, who have been passing "bad checks" in an area from Portland to Seattle.

On May 10, 1994, two men, one claiming to be 54-year-old Wahid Aly Raafat, with a date of birth of 030340, and the other claiming to be 36-year-old Amir Azdaz Tukladis, with a date of birth of 061658, obtained identification cards from the Washington State Department of Motor Vehicles.

The two men claim to be from Egypt, but there is no record of them having entered the United States under the Raafat or Tukladis names.

The pair used fraudulent documents, showing international driver's licenses, to obtain identification cards from the Oregon DMV. They then surrendered the Oregon ID cards to obtain the ones from Washington.



Wahid Aly Raafat



Amir Azdaz Tukladis

To date, investigators know of at least four bank accounts that have been opened by the subjects. On just two of the accounts, under the Raafat name, over \$48,000 worth of "bad checks" have been passed. In most cases, computers or jewelry was purchased.

The subject, known as Wahid Aly Raafat, is described as 5'8", 200 pounds, with brown hair and brown

eyes. The subject, known as Amir Azdaz Tukladis, is described as 5'10", 210 pounds, with brown hair and brown eyes.

Crime Stoppers is offering a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for information, reported to the Crime Stoppers, that leads to an arrest in this case, or any unsolved felony crime, and you can remain anonymous. Call Crime Stoppers at 823-HELP.

### Juvenile Justice Summit

A Multnomah County delegation of 12 will attend a statewide "Summit" on the future of Oregon juvenile justice system in Eugene. They will join more than 400 children's advocates, public officials and other citizens, who will try to find a common direction for the juvenile justice system.

The Multnomah County group includes Richard Brown, Black United Front; Jack Cunningham, Gresham Police; Steve Doell, Parents of Murdered Children; Bob Kouns, Crime Victims United; Mark McDonnell, District Attorney's Office; Hal Ogburn, Juvenile Justice Division; Pam Patton, Morrison Center; Maccio Pettis, Children's Services Division/Coalition of Black Men; A. Halim Rahsaan, Youth Gangs Program; Helen Smith, District Attorney's Office; Timothy Travis, Juvenile Rights Project; and Bill Wood, Sheriff's Office.

"Our delegation is diverse and reflects the range of opinions in the county about the strategies for change in juvenile just programs," notes Hal Ogburn, Multnomah County Juvenile Director, "we look forward to sharing our perspectives with our colleagues from around the state. We want to help craft a state system which reflects the balanced approach of protecting the community while giving all young people the best opportunity to have a productive life."

Issues to be discussed include waiver of juveniles to adult court, boot camps, incarceration and treatment resources, offenses involving weapons, juvenile records, identification procedures and parental responsibility.

Legislation will be drafted to reflect agreements made at the summit for the 1995 Legislation to consider. Information regarding the other issues discussed, where agreement was not possible, will also be made available to lawmakers to aid them in their deliberations.

## Washington Mutual Lets Public Putt For Education

Did you know golfing can improve schools in Oregon and Southwest Washington? For the second year in a row, Washington Mutual will offer Putt for Education, and innovative putting contest that lets participants win a \$50 contribution to the school of his or her choice by sinking three out of three putts on one of the bank's traveling putting greens.

Washington Mutual is sponsoring the putting contest as part of its involvement in the annual Fred Meyer Challenge golf tournament. Last year, Putt for Education raised nearly \$50,000 for schools. The contest is free, open to anyone (including children) and all equipment is provided. Fifteen nine-foot, kidney-shaped

greens will travel to 67 Washington Mutual Financial Centers throughout Oregon and Southwest Washington from June 4 through July 30. See the attached schedule for local contests.

Schools will be the real winners during the Putt for Education contest. People who make three out of three putts can name any public or private elementary school, middle school, high school or university to receive a \$50 contribution. Schools can use the money to purchase much-needed equipment and supplies for their students. There's no limit to the number of people who may participate in the contest.

For each putt a person makes, his

or her name will be entered into a drawing for two tickets (a \$30 value) to the Washington Mutual Pro-Am at the Fred Meyer Challenge Aug 21 at the Oregon Golf Club in West Linn, Ore. Winners will be drawn at the end of the day at each financial center.

Known as the Friend of the Family, Washington Mutual is the sponsor of the Pro-Am at the Fred Meyer Challenge and is a leading supporter of education in the Northwest. Washington Mutual operates 231 financial centers in Washington and Oregon and is the No. 1 home lender in the Northwest.

For more information, call Terry J. Onustack at (206) 461-8696.

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