

# WHOOPI GOLDBERG SCORED CHAMPIONSHIP LAUGHS IN "EDDIE"

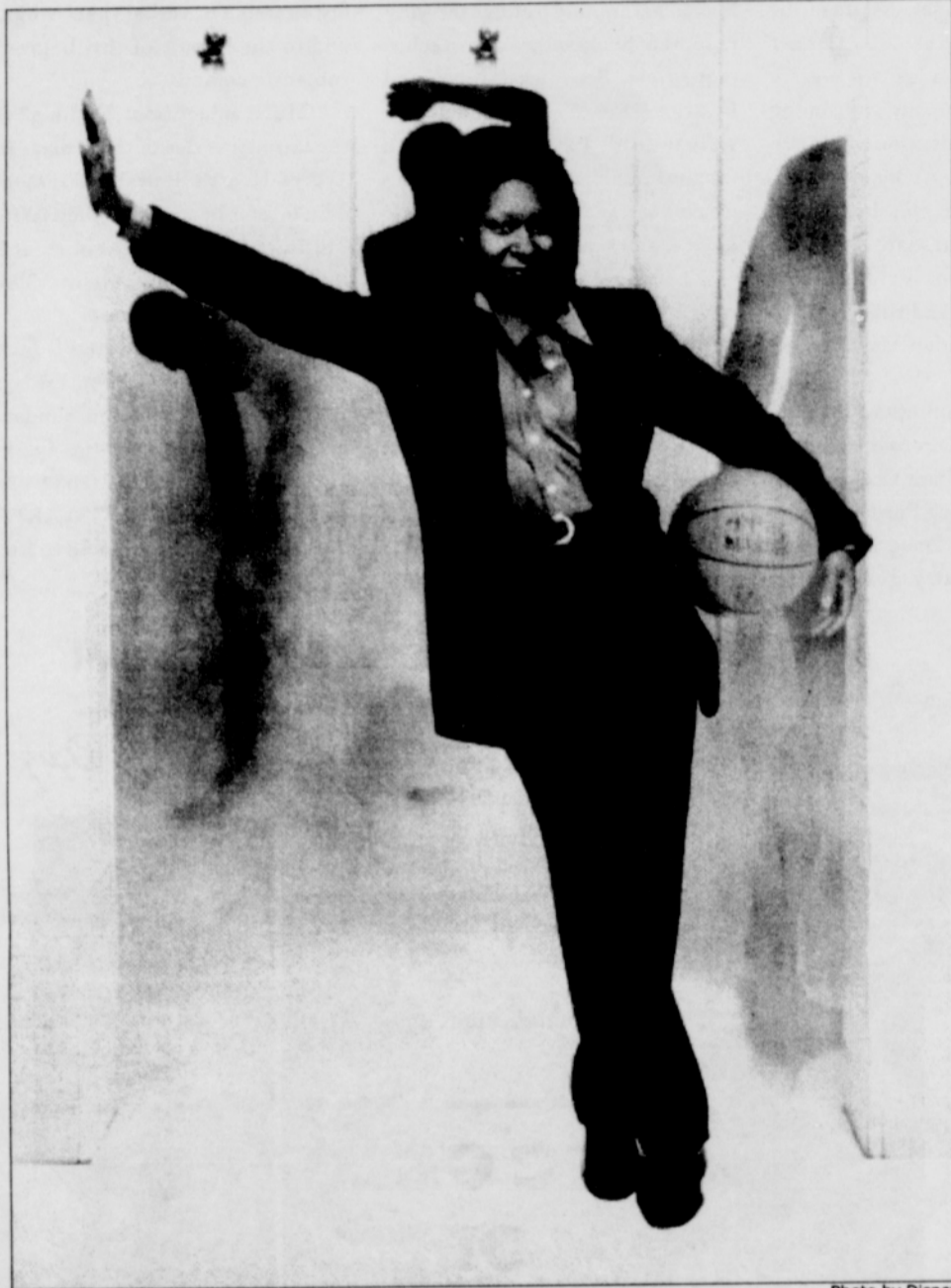


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A FAN-tastic, funny, fast-moving comedy hit for sports fans everywhere, Hollywood Pictures "Eddie" makes its broadcast premiere on "The Wonderful World of Disney" on Sunday, April 25, 7-9 PM (ET/PT) on ABC.

Whoopi Goldberg stars as Manhattan limousine driver Edwina "Eddie" Franklin, the most dedicated basketball fan who ever lived. Named the real head coach of her beloved New York Knicks as a publicity stunt by the team's new owner (Frank Langella), Eddie reveals amazing abilities to motivate and inspire that teaches everyone an unforgettable lesson. Over 40 NBA superstars hit the hoops for high-flying excitement that sends spirits soaring and has the crowd roaring for more.

As far as Eddie is concerned, the planet itself revolves around the sport, the players, the coaches, the significance of every stat in the book, and the one and only team - the New York Knicks. But even Eddie has no way of knowing what will happen when she hits a free throw during the half-time contest at Madison Square Garden, and her life changes - bit-time. After acting as the Knicks' honorary coach for one game,

Eddie gets the unbelievable offer to replace the team's real head coach, John Bailey (Dennis Farina). The team's new owner, a headline-grabbing businessman named Wild Bill Burgess (Langella), thinks publicity stunts like that will sell seats. What neither he nor anyone else could anticipate is that Eddie's true love of the sport and her insightful attitude toward life in general may be just what the team needs to pull ahead in the game with a chance to come out as real winners.

As Steve Rash the director of "Eddie" sees it, "She's a fan's fan. She represents every man, woman and child who has ever lost their voice or raided their piggy bank in support of their favorite team. The heart of this movie is about how, in the end, it is the fans that really make or break any great sport."

Academy Award winner Whoopi Goldberg stars as a dedicated basketball fan turned head coach for the New York Knicks in the FAN-tastic sports comedy "Eddie," airing on "The Wonderful World of Disney" Sunday, April 25, 7-9 PM (ET/PT) on ABC.

## Time Out With Kids

### Mother/Daughter Self-Defense Workshop

This is a powerful and practical workshop taught by a certified women's self-defense instructor. Participants will practice physical and verbal self-defense skills in a supportive environment. Mothers and daughters get the opportunity to work together and watch one another get stronger! Builds self-confidence and a feeling of security! Come join the fun on Saturday, May 1, from 1-4 PM at One With Heart, Inc. (4231 SE Hawthorne Blvd.) Call 231-1999.

### Tulip Festival

Come and enjoy viewing 15 acres of novelty daffodils. Visitors can take home many bouquets of these unusual daffodils and enjoy harp music. Activities such as the local craftsmen carving wooden shoes with antique wood tools, entertain young and old alike.

Try the shoes on. There will be pony rides on Saturday, April 17 and Sunday, April 18. A Craft Fair and Llama farm is included. The Tulip Festival is located at 33814 S. Meridian Rd. in Woodburn. Call 1-800-711-2006 or 503/634-2243.

### Alberta Street Fair

The second annual Alberta Street Fair will be held on Saturday, May 1, from 11 AM until 6:30 PM on NE Alberta Street east of Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. The Street Fair will be held in collaboration with Portland Habitat for Humanity's 7th Annual Walk for Humanity which begins at 9:30 AM at Alberta Park. Join us for a rich neighborhood tradition. The Alberta Street Fair is seeking volunteers to work before and during the event. Help is needed for publicity, set up, stagehands, children's activity center assistance, clean up and other vari-

ous tasks. Call Sandra Le Francois at 503/287-3496, ext. 30.

### Annual Library Booksale

Portland State University is holding its annual Library Booksale May 11-13. The sale features over 5,000 volumes and a large number of magazines. Prices are \$1 for hardbacks, \$0.50 for paperbacks and \$0.25 for magazines. The event will run from Tuesday, May 11 until Thursday, May 13 at the Smith Memorial Center Ballroom (1721 SW Broadway, Room 355). On May 13, books will sell for \$1 a bag after 10 AM, and all books remaining after 12 PM will be given away at no charge. Call 503/725-4579.

### Mastercuts Stylists

Parents, please mark your calendars! On Wednesday, May 5, thousands of MasterCuts stylists will volunteer their time to offer \$5 haircuts to kids age 12 and under during the annual

MasterCuts Clip for the Cure fundraising event benefiting breast cancer research. Last year, stylists raised more than \$36,000 by giving nearly 5,000 haircuts and hosting an array of activities from bake sales to raffles. For MasterCuts Clip for the Cure times in your area, call your local MasterCuts salon.

### Free Children's Physical

Bring your child for a free physical exam and learn how naturopathic medicine can help you and your family stay healthy. Schedule a free one-on-one appointment for Saturday, April 24, 12-4 PM at Natural Health Center-East, of the National College of Naturopathic Medicine, 11231 SE Market. Call 255-7355, ext. 0. For complete list of free screenings, call 499-4343, ext. 103.

Give your safety seat a checkup.

1 Kids under 12 years should always ride in the back seat. Infants under one year ride in rear-facing safety seats.

2 Read the safety seat's instruction manual very carefully — it can help you make sure you're putting your child in the right seat, the right way.

3 By Oregon law, all children under four years old and under 40 pounds must be properly secured in an approved child safety seat. To make sure yours is buckled in right, call the Child Safety Seat Resource Center at 656-7207 in Portland or 1-800-772-1315 statewide.

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