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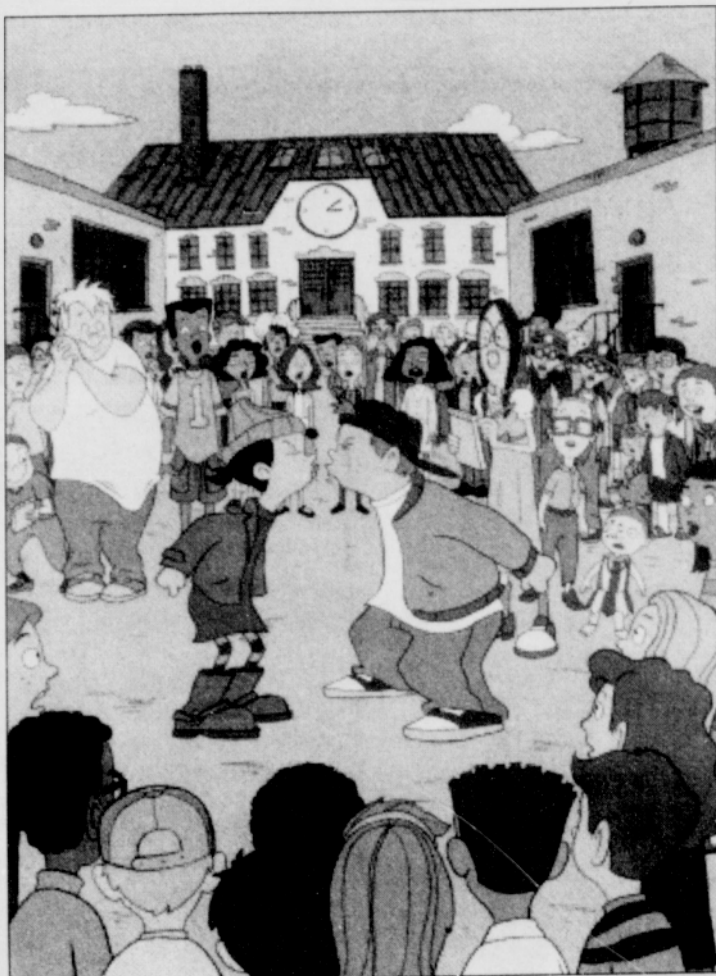
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## Village Art *Community Soul*

Come celebrate and support the Art and Soul of North and Northeast Portland as local vendors and artisans display their wares at the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Village Marketplace, sponsored by Self Enhancement, Inc. This community event will take place September 25, noon to 4 PM, at the Center for Self Enhancement, 3920 N. Kerby Ave.

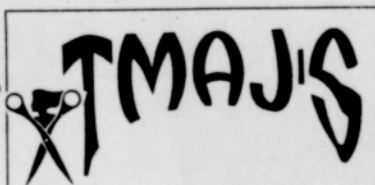
Patrons will enjoy the "African Village" atmosphere complete with drumming, storytelling, music, and poetry by community locals.

Vendors include World Village Boutique, Reflections Bookstore, It's All Good Gift Shop, J.P.'s Framing, and many more. Plus, Our Dream Gallery will exhibit African American Fine Art by artists from the Pacific Northwest, including

Jerry Quinton, Athena Hampton, Bill Scott, Vietta Lowe, and Travis Bonneau.

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