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Elections Materials Coordinator

Multnomah County's Elections Division has an opening for Elections Materials Coordinator. The Elections Division is responsible for conducting timely elections within Multnomah County. This position supports the Division by maintaining materials control, purchasing, warehousing and maintaining election supplies and documents. Salary is \$15.27 to \$17.59 per hour. Apply by August 29, 2003.

For detailed information, visit our website at www.co.multnomah.or.us, call our hotline at 503-988-5035, or pick up an application at the Portland Building lobby, 1120 SW Fifth Avenue, Portland. Multnomah County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Human Resources Director
Salary range: \$64,390 to \$90,146 annually, DOQ
Closing Date: August 29, 2003

MCSO seeks a highly skilled and experienced HR manager who thrives in a demanding work environment, and has significant experience in all

aspects of HR management. Successful labor relations/contract negotiations experience is essential. Prior experience working in a public safety or other government setting is preferred. Advanced degree/SPHR a plus.

The ideal candidate has the ability to establish positive and effective partnerships with customers, peers and staff. Leadership, management, customer service and strategic thinking abilities are key. This position is open until filled and may close any time without notice. For a complete list of minimum and desired qualifications, please visit our web site at www.multcojobs.org. You may obtain a full job announcement including application instructions online, or call the Job Hotline at 503-988-5035.



Multnomah County Sheriff's Office is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants representing the diversity of Multnomah County are invited to apply.



A local AAU basketball team made Portland proud as National Champion runners up.

Junior Champions 2nd in the Nation

It's not unusual for scouts to follow young athletes, romancing them with promises of scholarships, but these offers are pouring in for a team of basketball players that haven't started high school yet.

A Portland team in the Amateur Athletic Union placed second in

the nation out of 172 teams, in a recent championship competition in Orlando, Florida.

"Oregon hasn't had a final-four team since Damon Stoudamire was young," said Trent Gay, head coach of the team.

Gay has coached the team since these soon-to-be freshman 14-year-

olds were in the third grade.

"We've seen them get bigger and we've seen a change in competition from playing recreational ball to national elite power teams," he said.

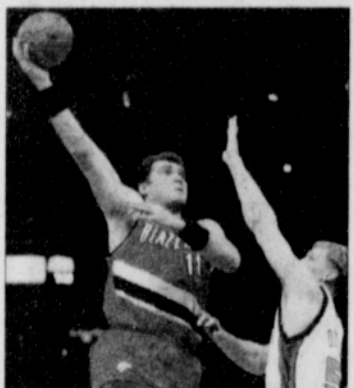
The team won four straight AAU state titles before the national competition.

Blazers Cut Sabonis After Retirement Talk

(AP)—The Portland Trail Blazers have terminated Arvydas Sabonis' contract, after the 7-foot-3 center said he intended to retire.

The Blazers had hoped to trade Sabonis, when his contract was no longer guaranteed. Sabonis was set to make \$7 million in the coming season, which would have given teams willing to trade for him some salary cap relief after his retirement.

When trade talks didn't advance, the Blazers decided Thursday to terminate the contract.



Arvydas Sabonis

"We had a myriad of conversations with teams about his contract, but none were going anywhere," Blazers general manager John Nash said.

One rumored trade had New Jersey's Kenyon Martin and Dikembe Mutombo coming to Portland in exchange for Rasheed Wallace and the rights to Sabonis.

Sabonis, 38, told his agent that he likely would not return to the NBA because he wanted to spend more time with his family.

Blazers Hire Kersey

(AP)—Former Trail Blazer Jerome Kersey has been hired by his former team as Director of Player Programs, a newly created position to develop young players and provide support on and off the court.

Kersey's position was outlined in the team's recent 25-point pledge to fans, which was designed to address problems that have plagued the franchise over the past season.

Kersey, a 17-year NBA veteran, played 11 years with the Trail Blazers. He ranks second on the team's all-time list with 831 games and 5,078 rebounds. He ranks third with 621 blocked shots and 1,059 steals.



Jerome Kersey

Junior Olympian Earns Silver



Silver medalist Kiona Tift with Tai Kwon Do instructor Austin Fumell.

Kiona Tift may look like your average 10-year-old, but this Parkrose Elementary student holds a Junior Olympian title for Tai Kwon Do. She earned silver medals in form and sparring in a recent competition in Orlando, Florida.

Tift has been training since she was three, and practices at the West Coast Tai Kwon Do Academy in northeast Portland.

She plans to compete in the Friendship Championships Tai Kwon Do competition at the Oregon Convention Center in June 2004.

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Abalone Baloney
Kids in grades 4 and up come together to share excellent books and learn about each other from 7 to 8 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 10 at the Hollywood Library, 4040 NE Tillamook St.

Pageturners
Engage in stimulating conversation about books and exchange perspectives as you get to know your neighbors at the Hollywood Library, 4040 NE Tillamook St. Read Mrs. Dalloway by Virginia Woolf and The Hours by Michael Cunningham, and talk about it on Wednesday, Sept. 18, from 7 to 8 p.m.

Race for the Cure
The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation Oregon and Southwest Washington celebrates the Komen Portland Race for the Cure on Sunday, Sept. 14 at Waterfront Park. If you would like to volunteer for the event, visit www.racefortheure-pdx.org or call 503-553-3676.

Wild Oats Wellness
Wild Oats Wellness Center presents free workshops at 3535 N.E. 15th Ave. (at Fremont) in upstairs studio 1. A lecture on integrating your heart in your work is Aug. 20 at 7:30 p.m. A lecture on detoxing is at 5 p.m. on Aug. 24, and a session on developing self-esteem is at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 27. Pre-register at 503-281-3262.

Neighborhood Culture
Oregon Symphony performs at Irving Park at 7 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 23 at Northeast 7th Avenue and Fremont at 7 p.m. For more information, call 503-823-PLAY.

D'Feet ALS Disease
The Walk to D'Feet ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) begins at 10 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 7. For details, visit www.alsa-or.org or call 503-238-5559.

Scaley Friends at OMSI
OMSI prepares for the 19th Annual Reptile and Amphibian Show from Aug. 30 through Sept. 1. The largest educational reptile gathering in the Northwest will include a 14-foot long Burmese python, on-site experts and a Kid's Zone. The show is free with paid OMSI admission. 1945 S.E. Water Ave. 503-797-4588.

Fly By at Pearson Air Park
The 5th Street Stroll and Warbird Fly-in allows you to stroll through time, checking out antique biplanes, hot rods and hogs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Aug. 23 at Pearson Air Museum, 1115 E. 5th St., Vancouver. For more information, visit www.pearsonairmuseum.org or call 360.694.7026.

Sausage Fest in Vancouver
Sausage enthusiasts can't wait for the 32nd Annual Vancouver Sausage Fest on Friday, Sept. 5 through Sunday, Sept. 7 at St. Joseph School, 6500 Highland Drive, Vancouver. The festival features music, arts and crafts, rides and food, of course. \$5 in advance or \$7 at the door.

Haunting at Lewis and Clark
Lakewood Theatre Company presents "Oregon Ghosts" weekends at the Studio Theatre, at Lewis and Clark College, 615 S.W. Palatine Hill Rd. \$23. For more information, call 503-635-3901.

OMSI Presents Musical Odyssey
The Oregon Museum of Science and Industry Omnimax Theater features "Pulse: A STOMP Odyssey" with enough percussions, voice, dance and visuals to speak volumes. Tickets are \$8.50. 1945 S.E. Water Ave. For more information, call 503-797-4000 or visit www.omsi.edu

Canoe Tours of Northwest Rivers
Portland Parks and Recreation will offer trips half-day and full-day trips of the Tualatin, Columbia and Willamette Rivers all summer long. The quiet and graceful river trips will offer participants to take a close-up look at nature and wildlife. They are designed for paddlers of all experience levels. For more information and a complete list of dates, call 503-823-5132.