




**NOW OPEN** *U-Licious*  
**SMOKEHOUSE** *And grill*  
 Specializing in Smoked Meats & Seafood  
 Beef • Pork • Lamb • Poultry • Seafood  
 Lunch starting at \$5.95  
 Pork Rib, Brisket, Turkey Sandwiches & More  
 Dinner Starting at \$9.95  
 Daily Special also available.  
 Butterfly Shrimp Dinner \$10.95  
 Open 11:30 - 11:00 PM Monday thru Saturday  
 4057 N. Interstate Ave. 503-493-9414

The ultimate childcare where children "R" US  
  
 Breakfast  
 Lunch  
 Snacks  
 Story time  
 Arts and crafts  
 Pottier training  
 State certified  
 Toys Games Fun  
 And much more!  
 Regina's ChildHaven Learning Center  
 Ages 2 mos-12 years  
 Educational learning  
 For more information  
 please call Mrs. Regina Dennis (503) 282-3154  
 3725 N. Vancouver Ave. Portland OR 97227

Sunday Supper Time  
  
 Celebrating our Customers!  
 Live at Cannon's Rib Express  
 Featuring  
 Reggie Houston's  
 Box of Chocolates  
 Tim Acott Bass & Vocals • Tracy Kim Guitar  
 "ya never know what ya goin git"  
 Sponsored by:  
  


**MARTIN CLEANING SERVICE**  
**CARPET & UPHOLSTERY CLEANING**  
 Residential & Commercial Service  
**CARPET CLEANING**  
 2 CLEANING AREAS OR MORE **\$25.00**  
 PRE-SPRAY TRAFFIC AREAS *Each Area*  
 INCLUDES 1 SMALL HALL  
 1 CLEANING AREA **\$35.00**  
 PRE-SPRAY TRAFFIC AREA  
 (HALL EXTRA CHARGE)  
 STAIRS (with other service) **\$1.50 Each**  
 Additional Services  
 • AREA & ORIENTAL RUG CLEANING  
 • AUTO / BOAT / RV CLEANING  
 • DEODORIZING & PET ODOR TREATMENT  
 • SPOT & STAIN REMOVAL SERVICE  
 • SCOTCHGUARD PROTECTION  
**UPHOLSTERY CLEANING**  
 SOFA **\$69.00**  
 LOVESEAT **\$49.00**  
 SECTIONAL **\$99.00**  
 CHAIR OR RECLINER **\$35.00**  
 THROW PILLOWS **\$5.00**  
**COUPON SPECIAL**  
 ANY 3 CLEANING AREAS  
 PLUS HALL & SOFA  
 OR  
 HALL, LOVESEAT & CHAIR  
**\$135.00**  
**CALL FOR APPOINTMENT:**  
**(503) 281-3949**

# Portland Observer Auto Review

## 2007 Dodge Caliber R/T AWD

BY KATHLEEN CARR

The new 2007 Dodge Caliber is a replacement for the now discontinued Neon and serves as the company's most affordable car. A bit of a change-up, the Caliber is a hatchback/wagon, and there is no accompanying sedan version. It features an all-new chassis design, and the Dodge Caliber is pretty easy to identify thanks to its distinctive styling



Tested Vehicle Information: Price: \$21,300; Engine: 2.4 L multiport injection; Transmission: Continuously Variable Transaxle

Dodge placed a priority on giving the Caliber a high level of versatility, style and safety.

The Caliber is not a hard-core fuel miser, though, and is instead a pretty normal-sized compact.

Eighteen-inch wheels are available on the Caliber, which is unusually large for this class of car. Inside, one will find the basic hatchback formula of seating for five and a 60/40-split-folding rear seat. There are interesting additions, though, including a chilled bottle cooler in the glovebox, illuminated rings for the front cupholders, an iPod holder and optional liftgate-mounted speakers. If you look at the Caliber and decide it's your automotive soul mate, keep in mind that many of its significant features, such as stability control and a five-speed manual transmission for the R/T trim make this a sweet ride.

# SPORTS

## Little League Team in Semifinals

Bounces back with two straight wins

(AP) — Oregon's first entry into the Little League World Series since 1958 advanced to the next round Monday after Murrayhill won its second straight game after an initial defeat in the tournament in South Williamsport, Pa.

Devin DeJardin singled home the game-winning run and Murrayhill of Beaverton benefited from timely double plays to beat Columbia, Mo., 2-1 on Monday night and advance to the semifinals.

After Miguel Rivera doubled off the right-field wall with one out in the top of the sixth, pinch-runner Austin Perry advanced to third on a passed ball. DeJardin followed with an RBI single to center.

Starter Jace Fry struck out the side in the bottom of the sixth, drawing cheers of "Go Northwest! Go Northwest!" outside Lamade Stadium. Murrayhill is the Northwest Division Champion.

Fry overcame some early wildness. He



Beaverton's Jace Fry is greeted at home plate after a solo home run in the Little League World Series. (AP photo)

walked three to load the bases with one out in the third, but got out of the jam with a strikeout and groundout.

Fry also got two inning-ending double plays in the game.

Offensively, he tied the game with an RBI double in the fifth. Jeffrey Ausmus knocked in

the only run for the Daniel Boone league team from Columbia (1-2). He beat out a slow bouncer in front of the plate, allowing Beau Burkett to score from third.

The loss knocked Columbia out of the tournament. Murrayhill's first game in the semifinals is Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. on ESPN2.



USA's LeBron James goes up for a shot during their first round game at the world basketball championships against Slovenia, Tuesday, Aug. 22 in Sapporo, Japan. (AP photo)

## Team USA Advances

(AP) -- Dwyane Wade scored 20 points and LeBron James added 19 in his most impressive performance of the world championships in Sapporo, Japan, leading the United States to a 114-95 victory over Slovenia on Tuesday night.

The Americans (3-0) remained unbeaten and clinched a spot in the round of 16 at the

world championships. They meet fellow Group D unbeaten Italy on Wednesday night.

Slovenia, with four NBA players on its roster, was widely considered the second-most talented team in the group. But the Slovenians have lost consecutive games to the group co-leaders after beating Senegal on Saturday in their world championships debut.

## Family Fun at Irving Park

Portland's First Step Sports Academy, headed by Coach E.J. Penn, will hold the final family fun day summer event on Friday, Aug. 25 at Irving Park, N.E. 7th and Fremont.

Festivities will last from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., with a special appearance by Mayor Tom Potter from

4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. First Step will present appreciation plaques to Potter and other leaders, followed by exhibition basketball games, free catered dinner plates, complimentary chiropractic adjustments and more.

## Hurst Finishes on Top



Pat Hurst receives the winning trophy Sunday at the Safeway Classic at Columbia Edgewater Golf Club.

(AP) -- Pat Hurst watched expressionless as Jeong Jang prepared to putt on the 18th hole Sunday at the Safeway Classic at Columbia Edgewater Golf Club. Hurst had already wrapped up her round, a 4-under 68 that gave her the lead.

Jang was a shot back, but her birdie putt was less than 18 feet away. If she sank it, a playoff would be necessary.

"I kept thinking I didn't want to

miss on the low side," Jang said. "But I did."

Jang finished with a 70 for a 9-under 207 and was the runner-up at the tournament for the third time - one shot back of Hurst.

"I had a pretty hot start. I birdied three of the first four holes, I think, and I just kept it steady after that," Hurst said.

It was Hurst's fifth victory on the LPGA Tour and first since last year's State Farm Classic.



## Woods Earns 12th Major Title

Tiger Woods rests his chin on the Wanamaker Trophy after winning the 88th PGA Championship golf tournament and his 12th career major Sunday at the Medinah Country Club in Medinah, Ill. (AP photo)

**Walt's Hair Affair**  
 2309 Neals Lane  
 Vancouver, WA 98661  
 Tues-Fri: 10 to 6  
 Mon & Sat: 10 to 4:30  
 Bryan Walden  
 Phone: 360-695-5577

**State Farm®**  
 Providing Insurance and Financial Services  
 Home Office, Bloomington, Illinois 61710  
**Michael E Harper**  
 Agent  
 9045 SW Barbur Blvd, Suite 109  
 Portland, OR 97219  
 503 221 3050 Fax 503 227 8757  
 michael.harper.cuik@statefarm.com  
  
