

Young members of the Black Panther Party guard the speaker's platform at a 1968 Free Huey rally for party founder Huey P. Newton in a photograph taken by Eve Crane of Portland.

Movement Lives on

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some of the most salient moments - the excitement of rallies and the heartbreak of funerals and vigils stir emotions as poignant today as for those who personally experienced the era.

the Black Panther Party in 1967, when she met Eldridge Cleaver, a working at the left-wing magazine the movement. Ramparts based in San Francisco.

cause I was interested in who he was and what he did."

The Black Panthers were icons in the 1960's struggle for economic and social justice and radical movement of minority communities against the U.S. government. But Crane became connected with Crane observed that in the outbreak of passionate social change and a call for a war's end, the events critical member of the party, while of 1968 slowed the momentum of

"It was really an exciting time "Cleaver got me interested in and all of a sudden boom, it just what they were doing," Crane said. closed down," she said. "I don't "He and I hit it off really well be- know why it happened, but after

Chicago, nobody was active any-

The convention quickly turned into a chaotic clash between protestors and police.

"It was such an eye opener to what was going on politically," she

Crane's year with the Panthers culminated with an experience at the convention.

"I stood outside the center and looked up to see men in suits with

After 1968 Crane said she turned her focus to a softer subject – puppies and kittens - but the power of her Black Panther photos lives on



Racial Profiling Committee Convenes -- Police Chief Rosie Sizer comes to the table during the first official meeting of Portland's Racial Profiling Committee Tuesday at Emmanuel Temple. The committee is charged with evaluating racial profiling issues, recommending and monitoring policy changes and facilitating dialogue between the police and community.

Need for Mentors Grows

Helping children of the incarcerated

With a growing prison population so, too, is the need for safe, has been doing for three years.

separated from an incarcerated parent," said Michael Balter, the tiple challenges and are at risk to group of kids."

become incarcerated themselves. provide the child with a caring adult can be a support and guide to help who will help them with life skills, but also to help break the cycle."

with incarcerated parents, some- Kristin Harper, the aid society's thing The Boys & Girls Aid Society program coordinator for its Committed Partners for Youth "Unspoken loss, grief and shame mentoring program. "The sucplague the lives of children who are cess of our program is dependant high quality mentor programs, I upon the number of safe, caring have seen how great the rewards adults willing to step up to the organization's executive director. plate and create a lasting rela-"These children typically face multionship with this vulnerable

While mentors will never take We intervene early, not only to the place of an absent parent, they young people navigate many challenging situations facing youth "This is a generation of youth today. Mentors give children a caring adults in the lives of children we need to pay attention to," says sense of belonging to a community that cares about them and values their success.

"As the Executive Director for a non-profit agency that provides can be when we step outside of ourselves to help a child who has been dealt a difficult hand in life," says Balter.

Stop Smoking Effort Helps Risk Population

Smoking is a serious health haz- 18 to 55 who would like to stop ard for everyone who smokes, but smoking and who may have ADHD. it is a special hazard for adults with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.

Adults with ADHC have smoking rates estimated to be twice as high as the general population. A current theory is that increased use of nicotine among people with ADHD may be a form of selfmedication, since nicotine has been found to reduce the disorder's symptoms such as restlessness and inability to concen-

The new study is for adults age out if a medication that has been

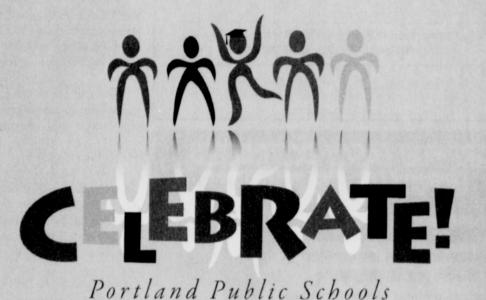
ADHD have not actually had it diagnosed or may not know they have it," said Carla Green, Kaiser senior investigator and principal investigator for the study. The disorder's symptoms include difficulty sustaining attention, distractibility, procrastination, difficulty organizing and completing tasks, misplacing things, restlessness, impulsivity, and talking out of turn.

The goal of the study is to find

proved effective in treating ADHD - the medication is called Concerta "Many people who have (Methylphenidate) - will also help people who have ADHD to stop

Volunteers will receive a screening test to determine the severity of their symptoms and the level of their cigarette use. All participants will also receive a proven smoking cessation program, which includes nicotine patches and behavioral counseling for nicotine dependence. Reimbursement for time and travel will be offered to everyone

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