

Lake Oswego's Kevin Love drives to the basket on a basketball court in New York that once saw the likes of Wilt Chamberlain, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Dr. J compete. Love is one of elite former high school players profiled in the new documentary "Gunnin' to that #1 Spot," opening Friday in Portland.

"Gunnin'" for that #1 Spot

continued from Metro pressures while being groomed to be in the spotlight of a multi-million dollar game. Combining a unique directing style by Adam Yauch, a founding member of the Beastie Boys, and the world's most popular hip hop music, Gunnin' highlights these soon to be NBA All Stars as they wow the crowd with gravity-defying skills in a way never before seen on film. "Gunnin' for that #1 Spot opens Friday, June 27 in Portland exclusively at the Regal Fox Tower, 846 S.W. Park Ave.

Bush's Dentist Comes Home

continued from Metro forces in their first full-scale invasion of the Middle East and was dentist for the most powerful leader in the world, but he maintains a matter-of-fact attitude about what he had undergone. "You travel around and do different things,

you just get a different perspective on life in the U.S.," he says. "I just see the sacrifices for the men and women who serve." Upon returning to Portland, the differences he saw in his hometown, and particularly in his boyhood neighborhood, caught him by surprise. "Being gone 24 years and coming back, you think, 'Whoa, a lot of changes,'" he says. Recognizing the vital role Jefferson played in developing his own career, Smith has taken advantage of opportunities to volunteer at the school. He is also impressed by the historic significance Barack Obama's presidential candidacy. As he cares for an increasingly Hispanic, Eastern European and African-American population in Gresham, he is saddened to see how a lack of fluoride in the water supply has ravaged some people's teeth. "It's heartbreaking in my mind to see a kid who is 10 to 11, and you got to start taking out permanent molars because they can't afford a root canal," he says. He would much rather a world where everyone gets preventive care from birth, which he reasons would be cheaper in the long run, saying, "I kind of joke with my patients—I say I'm trying to put myself out of a job."

Local Leader Named



Marcus C. Mundy

Marcus C. Mundy, president and chief executive officer of the Urban League of Portland, has been named to the Portland Metro Leadership Council of the Oregon Community Foundation. The foundation works in partnership with donors to improve the lives of Oregonians through philanthropy, providing more than \$55 million annually in grants and scholarships. Mundy also was recently appointed by Gov. Ted Kulongoski to serve on the Oregon Health Fund Board to help design and implement a state healthcare system providing access and affordability to all Oregonians.

In Loving Memory

Denell Ann Tanner Mullen
Denell Ann Tanner Mullen passed away June 28, 2007 from Hodgkin's lymphoma cancer. She was a great mother, sister, wife and most of all a wonderful friend. She is missed and loved always by her mother Sally Tanner; sister Sheila; brother Darrel; daughters Nenia, Ariel and Ahsia; grandson Trevonni; and husband of many years, Douglas Mullen.



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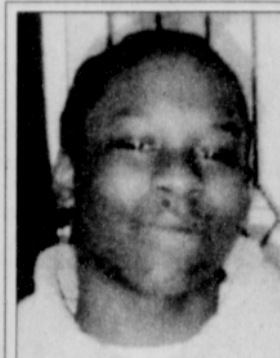
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