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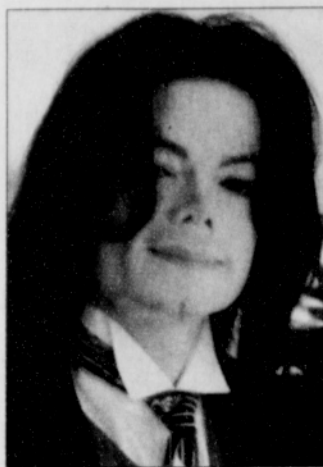
Arts & ENTERTAINMENT

Poll: Jackson's Legacy a Mixed Bag

When Michael Jackson, "the King of Pop," passed away late last month, he left behind a complicated and mixed legacy.

A new poll released by Zogby Polls reveals that peoples' opinion of the man is also mixed.

Twenty four percent of adults polled said that Jackson's humanitarian accomplishments should be considered his legacy, while 12 percent said his alleged history as a child molester is what the man should be remembered for.



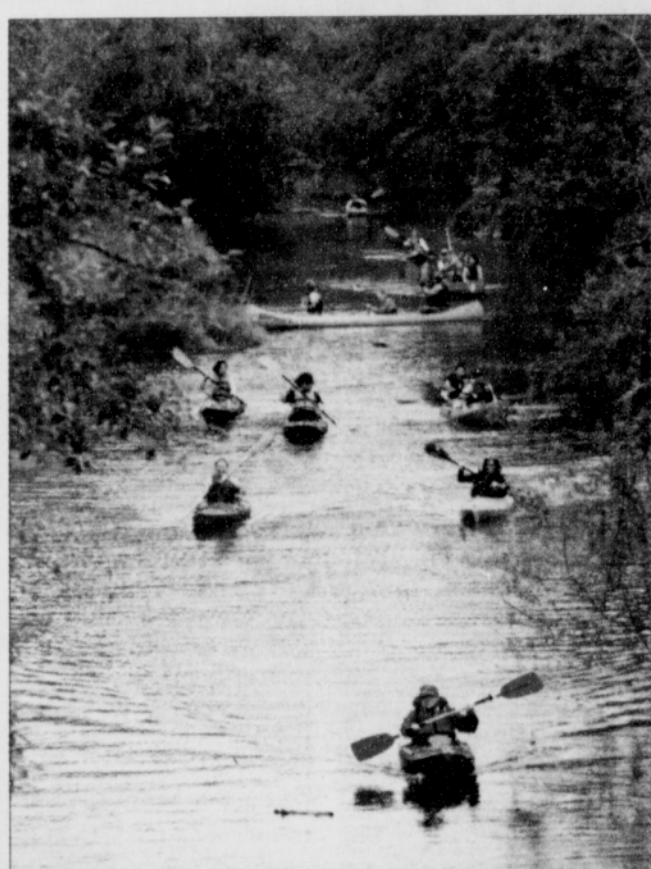
However, the poll found more agreement over whether or not Jackson should be honored with a Congressional resolution honoring Jackson, with 80 percent opposing such a resolution.

The poll also found divisions along racial and political lines. Sixty two percent of African

Americans polled said that Jackson's humanitarian work should define his legacy. Half of African American respondents also supported a Congressional resolution honoring the pop star.

Thirty nine percent of liberals favored the view that Jackson's humanitarian work should define his legacy, while twenty percent of conservatives said he should be remembered for his alleged history as a child molester.

Michael Jackson



Participants enjoy their free canoe or kayak rental at the annual Columbia Slough Regatta in north Portland.

Regatta Tours, Activities

Area residents are invited to join the largest one-day paddle in Oregon and canoe in search of eagles, otters and turtles during the Columbia Slough Regatta on Sunday, July 26 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The 15th annual event sponsored by the Columbia Slough Watershed Council will launch into the safe slack water of the Columbia Slough from the St Johns Launch Site,

9363 N. Columbia Blvd. Participants will enjoy a free t-shirt and hands-on nature activities. Special tours of the unique meadow habitat of the former St Johns Landfill will be offered on a first-come, first-serve basis. Bring a canoe or kayak, or schedule a complimentary rental with a suggested \$7 donation at columbiaslough.org or 503-956-8558.

Zoo Concert -

Indie folk-pop chanteuse Jonatha Brooke brings her own songbook full of haunting, poignant melodies, as well as some collaborations with the late folk legend Woody Guthrie, to the Oregon Zoo, Wednesday, Aug. 12.



Battle to Vote -- The Clark County Historical Museum, 1511 Main St. in Vancouver, hosts a free women's suffrage exhibit through the end of the year. Washington was an early leader in giving women the right to vote.



Oregon Brewers Festival -- One of the nation's longest running and best loved craft beer festivals takes place Thursday, July 23 through Sunday, July 26 at Tom McCall Waterfront Park.

Northeast Farmers Market -- The new Portland Farmers Market in the King Neighborhood at King School Park take place each Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. through Sept. 27.

Filmmaker exhibit -- An exhibit featuring works by New York-based African-American filmmaker and award-winning photographer Deborah Marcano runs through Saturday, July 25 at the Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center, 5340 N. Interstate Ave.

Dance Party and Fashion Show -- DJ Risk One will unleash his dance floor arsenal of classic hip hop, bass heavy house, and world beat funk at the Crown Room, 205 N.W. Fourth Ave., as part of Massive 9: La Dolce Vita, a fashion show that will benefit the Oregon Food Bank. Starts at 9 p.m. on Saturday, July 25.



Sketch comedy group Define Naked is celebrating 25 years.

Comedy Group Anniversary

The sketch comedy group Define Naked will celebrate its 25th anniversary with performances for mature audiences on Friday and Saturday nights from July 31 through Aug. 15 at the Shoebox, 2110 S.E. 10th Ave. and Lincoln Street.

For the first time in over 11 years, the original members of

this internationally acclaimed troupe will be reunited on the stage for six shows only.

Favorite sketches from the 80's, 90's and the new millennium are planned.

Tickets are \$10 with a two for one offer during opening weekend. Reservations can be made by calling 503-734-5649.

Outrageous Laughs

Todd Tschida (from left), Sara Catherine Wheatley and Jay Pevney star in *The Producers* at the Lake-wood Theatre Company in Lake Oswego. *The Mel Brooks comedy, with all its outrageous and crazy characters, runs through Aug. 23.*



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Koi and Goldfish Show -- Saturday, July 25 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, July 26 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the World Forestry Center. Free admission.

TriMet Summer Shuttles -- TriMet runs summer shuttle service to OMSI and between popular Washington Park destinations like the Oregon Zoo and Japanese Gardens. The OMSI shuttle runs daily between the Oregon Convention Center MAX Station and OMSI from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. The Washington Park shuttle runs between 10 a.m. and

person.
Food and Entertainment -- Sliders Grill, 3011 N. Lombard, features an eclectic assortment of performers on the main stage, accompanied by delicious food. Call 503-459-4488 for more information.

Get Intimate with Storm Large -- Storm Large brings here in-your-face sexuality, raw musical talent and breathtaking emotional honesty to Portland Center Stage in the autobiographical world premier musical *Crazy Enough*, now playing through Aug. 16 in the Ellyn



Bye Studio at the Armory, downtown.

Kirk Green Jam Session -- Come enjoy the smooth and soulful sounds of the Kirk Green Band every Sunday, 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. at Club 720, 720 S.E. Hawthorne. The jam session and open mic is from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m. All professional musicians are welcome. For more information, call 503-234-7738.



OMSI After Dark -- OMSI After Dark is a night at the museum for the 21 and over crowd filled with food, drink and science fun; \$10 fee. For more information, call 503-797-4000 or visit omsi.edu.

Totally Gospel II -- Peninsula Open Bible Church, 8225 N. Peninsula, hosts all styles of gospel, country, and contemporary music with host Riny Horst each Friday night from, 7:30 p.m. -- 9:30 p.m. For more information, call 503-335-3132.