Week in Review



Airlifts to Flood Victims

National Guard helicopters rushed food and water Tuesday to a dozen cut-off Vermont towns after up to 11 inches of rain from the remnants of Hurricane Irene washed out roads and bridges in a deluge that took many people by surprise.

Weather Channel History

In the Weather Channel's 29-year history, Hurricane Irene's presence on Saturday marked the highest rate of viewers. The channel had more than 4 million viewers watching as Irene hit the Outer Banks of North Carolina, surpassing its previous peak of 3.9 million during Hurricane Katrina.

Oregon Ducks Ranked No. 3

The Oregon Ducks, ranked 3rd in the preseason polls after last season's lastsecond loss to Auburn in the National Championship, begins its fall schedule this



Labor Day weekend with a game on Saturday against fourth-ranked Louisiana State at Cowboys Stadium in Arlington, Texas, at 5 p.m. The Ducks feature rising quarterback Darron Thomas and running back LaMichael James.

University Gives Back

The University of Portland is top in the nation among similar colleges and universities for promoting community service. The Washington, D.C.-based Washington Monthly magazine ranked UP out of 553 colleges and universities with graduate programs.

Rebels Demand Surrender

Libya's rebels gave the loyalists of Col. Muammar el-Qaddafi, whose

whereabouts remain unknown, a four-day deadline Tuesday to surrender. The mood in the capitol city of Tripoli lightened significantly after rebel forces

seized Qaddafi's compound.

Chocolate Helps Heart

High levels of chocolate consumption were associated with a significant reduction in the risk of certain cardiovascular disorders, according to a new study.

The report published in the British Medical Journal found chocolate was correlated with lower rates of stroke, coronary heart disease, blood pressure and other cardiovascular conditions. Lead author Dr. Oscar H. Franco, however, warned that this finding was not an invitation to indulge.

Astronauts May Leave Station

Three Russian, two American and a Japanese astronaut living on the International Space Station might have to abandon the installation in mid-November if rocket engine problems that destroyed a Russian cargo ship are not diagnosed and fixed, officials said Tuesday.

Zupan Founder in Critical Condition

The 66-year-old owner and by Edy Porfirio Reynosofounder of Zupan Markets was in Ramires, 32. critical condition Tuesday after the motorcycle he was driving on for driving of the influence of Northeast Marine Drive was hit intoxicants, speeding, reckless by car Monday night that crossed the center line of traffic east of duties of a motorist. He was ac-138th Avenue.

Zupan's motorcycle was struck by officers responding to the head-on by a Honda Civic driven crash.

Reynoso-Ramires was arrested driving and failing to perform the cused of fleeing the accident scene Police said John James on foot but was quickly captured

Police Kill Pit Bull at Bus Stop

A pit bull was killed on rican-American resident, atto a bus stop at North Interstate police said. and Lombard, where civilians said the animal attempted to attack a person.

The dog, which belonged to Richard Cook, a 61-year-old Af-

Wednesday, Aug. 24, after Port- tempted to bite the officer and land Police officers responded exhibited aggressive behavior,

> According to Police Bureau policy, an officer may use a firearm against an animal if the animal represents an immediate danger to the life or personal safety of the officer or other persons.

> Some witnesses said, however, said the dog was not attacking anyone and they were horrified by what they saw, and children who witnessed the shots were crying.

Although neighborhood residents said the dog's name is Sir, and he was known throughout the area, the Police Bureau said this is the fourth incident in which the pit-bull exhibited aggressive behavior.

Cook, whom the bus driver said was too drunk to ride that day, was charged with reckless endangerment, interfering with police, menacing, and disorderly conduct and was placed in jail on \$9,000 bail.

Share the Road or Get a Ticket

The City of Portland Bureau of Transportation conducted a crosswalk enforcement action on Tuesday, Aug. 23, at North Williams and Northeast Morris, where they issued 22 violations to individuals who weren't sharing the road.

The vehicles stopped during the enforcement, included 13 motor vehicles, 8 bicycles and one pedestrian. Those who received violations were given the option to attend a \$35 Share the Road Safety class or pay the ticket.

