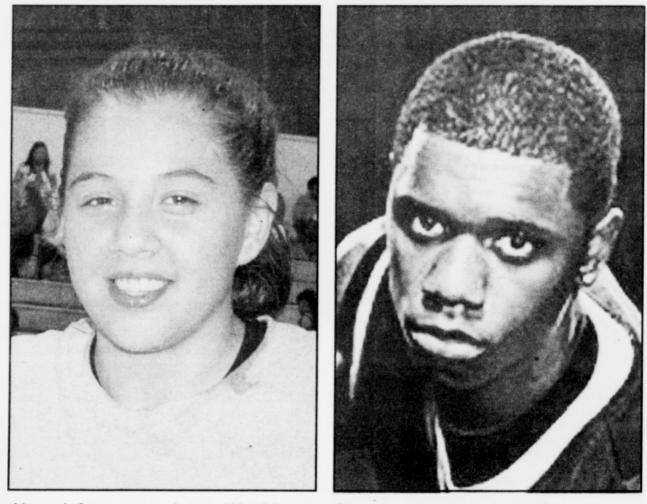
# Portland High School Hoopers unite for 12th Annual Joyce Washington Memorial Game





Alumni from past Joyce Washington Classic games include Shoni Schimmel, now at Louisville (left) and Terrance Jones at Kentucky.

The 12th Annual Joyce Washington Memorial Basketball Game is set to tip off this Saturday, May 5 with the Girls game at 2 p.m. followed by the Boys game at 4 p.m. Team rosters are filled with players from primarily north and northeast Portland for a game that honors Joyce and Cory Washington and assists in raising funds for scholarships in their names.

Joyce Washington Memorial Game Alumni include NCAA basketball standouts Terrance Jones (Kentucky), Mike Moser (UNLV), Terrance Ross (Washington), Juanita Badon (Utah), Krystal Forthan (LSU), Jude Schimmel (Louisville), and Shoni Schimmel (Louisville).

This years' game has 15 Oregon high schools represented by seniors and underclassman. Bryce White (Benson) headlines a boys roster that includes 9 All-City team players along with Mt. Hood Conference 1st team All-Leaguer, Jeremiah Harris (David Douglas) and Bryan Archie (Roosevelt) 2011 Co-Player of the Year. The girls' game brings two of the nations top prep players together with 6A and 5A Oregon State Player of the Year, Jordyn Reynolds (Central Catholic) and Mercedes Russell (Springfield) squaring off.

Games are played at Self Enhancement, Inc., 3920 N. Kerby Ave., Portland. Tickets prices are \$3 for adults and \$2 for students. Children 9 years old and younger are free. Tickets can be purchased at the door on game day.

### 2012 GIRLS ROSTERS

#### TEAMNAVY

Cha'Quinn Cook: Benson 2015 (1st Team All-City) Amantha Hood: Central Catholic 2013 (1st Team MHC)

#### **2012 BOYS ROSTERS**

**TEAMBLACK** Jamarte Brown: Jefferson 2013 Juwan Feliciano: Roosevelt 2012

Martina McCowan: SMA 2015 Esichang McGautha: Catlin Gabel 2012 (1st Team Lewis & Clark) Jaime Nared: Westview 2014 (Metro League POTY) Caylee Newsome Grant 2013 Mercedes Russell: Springfield 2013 (5A State POTY) Zoie Sheng: SMA 2012 (6A 1st Team All-State Tournament) Sha'Nice Storey: SMA 2012 (1st Team MHC) Eleanor Van Buren: Riverdale 2014 (3A 3rd Team All-State)

### TEAMWHITE

Tyschal Blake: SMA 2015 Audrey Frison: Parkrose 2014 (3rd Team NW Oregon) Jean Le: Madison 2012 (1st Team All-City) Mariah Morton: Catlin Gabel 2012 (1st Team Lewis & Clark) Jordyn Reynolds: Central Catholic 2013 (6A State POTY) Emily Rommel: Cleveland 2014 (All-City POTY) Taelor Ross: SMA 2012 (1st Team MHC) Abby Scott: Madras 2012 (1st Team Tri-Valley) Nae Torregano: SMA 2013 (2nd Team MHC) Milan Woods: Grant 2014 Theo Friedman: Grant 2013 (Honorable Mention All-City) Austin May: Cleveland 2012 (1st Team All-City) Antonio McCowan: Roosevelt 2012 (2nd Team All-City) Kendall Thompson: Benson 2012 (Honorable Mention All-City) JD Warren: Grant 2012 Bryce White: Benson 2012 (All-City POTY)

### TEAMWHITE

Bryan Archie: Roosevelt 2012 (2011 Co-POTY Greater Oregon) Alex Arnold: Parkrose 2013 Jordan Ewell: Benson 2013 (Honorable Mention All-City) Jeremiah Harris: David Douglas 2012 (1st Team MHC) Joe Morales: Roosevelt 2012 (2nd Team All-City) Alex Sattley: Lincoln 2012 (2nd Team All-City) Chris Wells: Grant 2012 (2nd Team All-City)



## he About the Portland Observer:

In 1989, Joyce Washington purchased the Portland Observer, a northeast Portland weekly newspaper. The paper's corporate name, Cory Publishing, commemorates Cory Washington's contributions to the paper. Cory (*right*) was one of the first, most involved staff members of the paper. He was shot to death following a basketball-game dispute in Peninsula Park in 1991. Joyce Washington studied sociology at Portland Community College and Portland State University. She passed in March of 1996 but her legacy lives on through the newspaper. Her sons, Mark and Charles Washington oversee the daily operations and editing of the paper and are heavily involved in supporting the youth of Portland, as their mother always had.

