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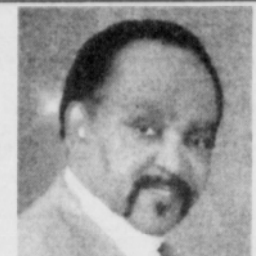
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Sweet Attractions

Portland Community College hosts annual Art Beat

Portland Community College's Art Beat is getting sweeter with age.

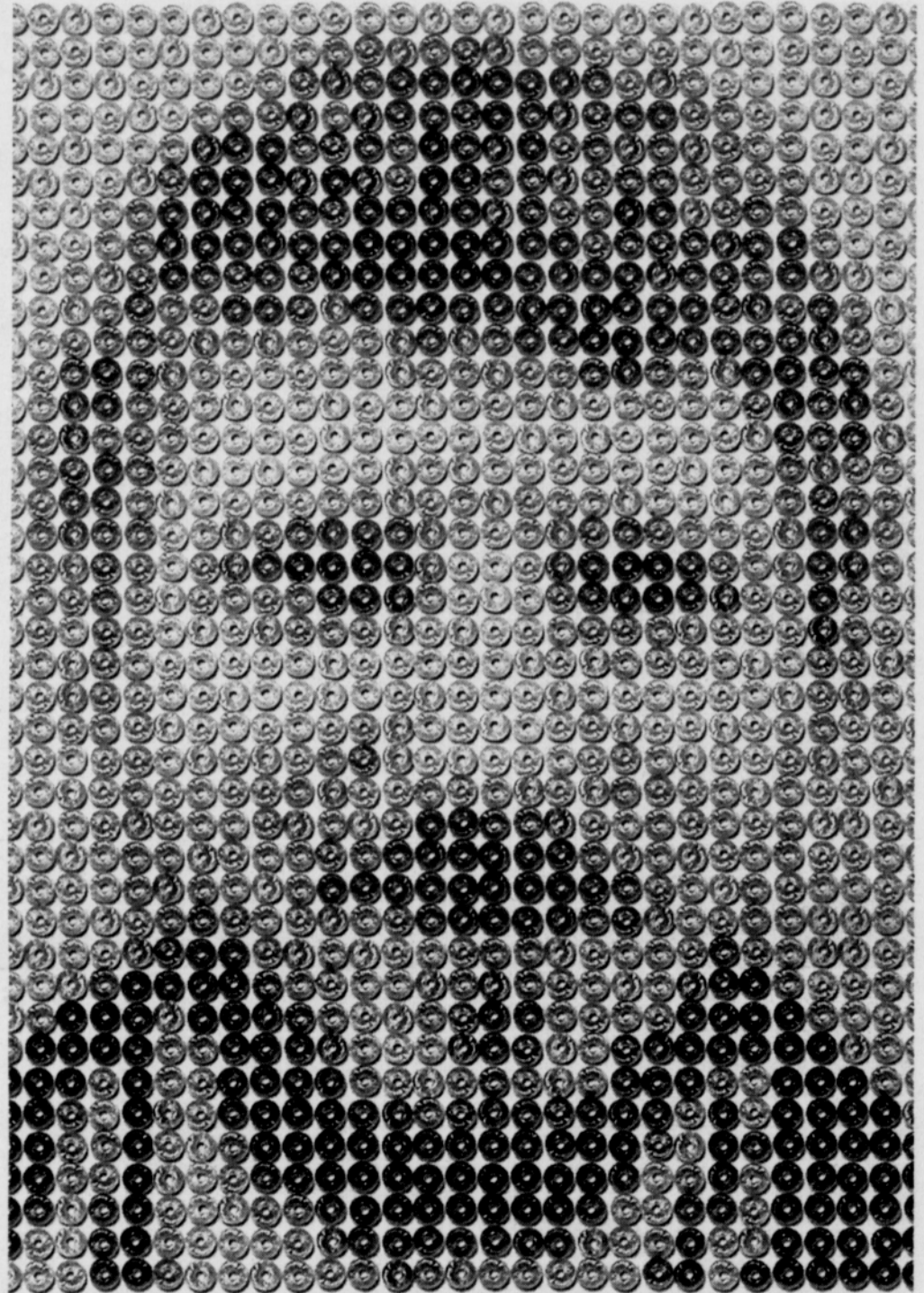
This year's featured artwork titled "Aja, Jeremy and Jessie," by Horatio Hung-Yan Law involves three 32x40-inch photographs constructed out of images of candy.

The 26th annual Art Beat celebration runs from Monday, May 6 through May 10 on all of four main PCC campuses, showcasing more than 60 presentations, performances, demonstrations and workshops in music, literature, sculpture, and painting.

All events, which spotlight more than 100 artists, are free and open to the public.

This year, the chance for the public to participate and engage with the art or artists is greater than ever before. Thanks to visual arts fairs being held across the district during Art Beat, attendees will have a chance to get hands-on as well as chat with artists during demos and lectures.

"You can sit for a portrait drawing, try your hand a stone carving and talk to artists one-on-one," said Jeremy Buswell, sculpture instructor



A photograph made from images of candy by Horatio Hung-Yan Law is one of the showcase pieces during Art Beat, May 6-10 on the campuses of Portland Community College.

and Art Beat coordinator at the Rock Creek Campus. "Our goal is to encourage visitors to engage with the artists. We want you to look, ask questions and participate in these public events." For a full schedule of events, visit pcc.edu/artbeat.



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