

PCC Introduces Answer Center

Portland Community College students at the Southeast Center on 82nd and Division can now get all of their questions answered in one place.

The college's first Answer Center, a one-stop kiosk where any student can access and navigate college resources with the help of staff and volunteers—opened inside the brand new Student Commons Building earlier this year.

Students will no longer have to shuttle from department to department to access key services with the center's opening.

The kiosk includes assistance on issues related to the Enrollment Services, Financial Aid and Student Accounts departments.

Southeast Center/Extended Learning Campus president Jessica Howard says "To be able to offer this model to the PCC community first at the Southeast Center is

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The Week in Review

Deadly News Helicopter Crash

A helicopter jointly used by Seattle news outlets KOMO and King 5 crashed near the Space Needle the morning of March 18. Fire officials say they found two people dead in the wreckage.



Portland's AFL Team Loses Opener

The Arena Football League's newest team, The Portland Thunder, lost its season opener and franchise debut at the Moda Center on March 17 against the San Jose Saber Cats. The final score tallied at 64-34.

Oregon Wolf Killed

March 14 a wolf from Oregon was killed by a hunter in Idaho. The wolf was collared with GPS tracking and part of a pack that had been introduced to Oregon in the 1990s.



Under Idaho law, the canine was legally shot by the man; a coyote hunter.

Teen Tanning Ban

A bill that will ban people under the age of 18 from using tanning devices was passed on March 12 in Washington state. After the Governor signs it into law, it will take effect in mid-June.

Crimea Joins Russia

A signing ceremony between Russian President Vladimir Putin, the Prime Minister of Crimea and the mayor of the city of Sevastopol reportedly took place on March 18 making the Crimea officially a part of the Russian Federation.

Wal-Mart Game Trade-Ins

It was announced on March 18 that Wal-Mart plans to begin letting video game owners trade in used games online and in stores. The value for each trade-in video game will vary by the title, console and age of the game.

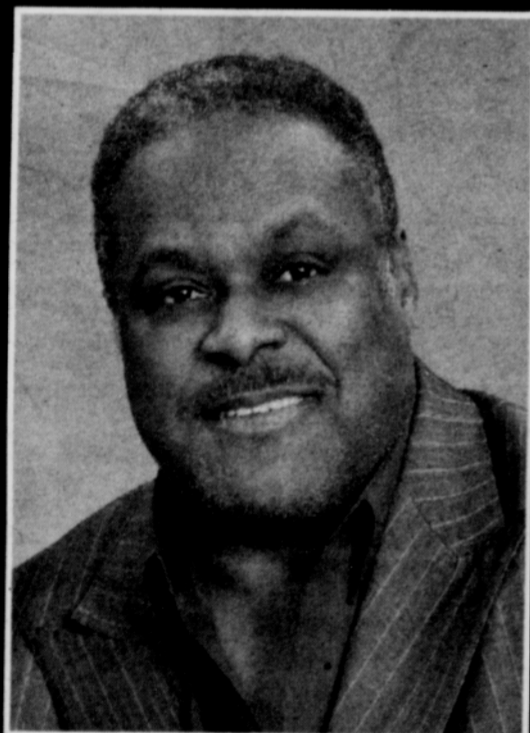
Minority Veterans Honored

24 soldiers received the Medal of Honor from President Obama on Tuesday after their heroism was ignored during their time of service because of their ethnicity. Of the 24 being honored, only three are alive to receive the recognition.

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