

The Week in Review



Event Creates River Jam

On Saturday, Red Bull hosted its annual Flugtag competition on the Willamette, drawing thousands of spectators onshore and in the water. The contest, which invites competitors to attempt to fly their own homemade flying devices on the river, was shut down because boats would not respect regular river traffic and refused to budge to let the Portland Spirit tour ship, pass through.

Mayor Joins Obama on Limiting Climate Change

Portland Mayor Charlie Hales took the message from the protesters hanging on the St. Johns Bridge last week to the White House on Monday. He went to Washington, D.C. to support President Obama's new effort to limit climate change. The mayor says it's time to transition from civil disobedience to changing the law.

Merkley Marches in Selma

Oregon Sen. Jeff Merkley participated in the start of a NAACP march for justice that began this past weekend in Selma, Ala., and will go 860 miles to Washington, D.C., advancing an agenda on fairness and equality. "Let's balance the scales of justice and opportunity; let's roll back poverty and the roadblocks to opportunity; and let's extend the

full promise of America to every American," Merkley said.

Northeast Prison Escape

An inmate escaped from the Columbia River Correctional Institution in northeast Portland Sunday morning. Authorities said Danny Spillers broke a window in the minimum-security prison's kitchen area and was discovered missing at 5:30 a.m. Spillers is a white male, around 6 feet tall and 185 pounds.

Indictment in Mall Shooting

On Monday, a Multnomah County Grand Jury indicted four men for rioting in connection with a shooting that occurred outside the Lloyd Center Mall in July. The worst charges were made against Romel Jahlil Yarborough, 27, who faces multiple counts of attempted aggravated assault and attempted murder with a firearm.

Celebrity Divorce Rumors



Will Smith took to Facebook Monday to dispel rumors that he and his wife of almost 20 years Jada Pinkett Smith were divorcing.

The rapper and action-star denied that the couple were working on a settlement to divide their \$240 million fortune while preparing their children, Jaden and Willow, for their impending divorce.

Oregon Fires Rage On

Despite the efforts of over 800 firefighters, the 8,500-acre Stouts Fire east of Roseburg, was still growing Tuesday forcing residents from rural homes. Firefighters were also fighting another fire approximately 40 miles north of the Stouts blaze, which is being called the Cable Crossing fire.



The Black United Fund of Oregon will host a Saturday, Aug. 8 celebration to unveil a new mural on its building at 2828 N.E. Alberta St.

Mural Debut Celebration

Honoring women of color, past and present

The Black United Fund of Oregon invites the community to a Saturday celebration and opening of its new mural project on Northeast Alberta Street.

The organization worked with Vox Siren, a creative change agency that focuses on promoting gender equality, to create a mural that

depicts civil right leader Coretta Scott King and other distinguished women of color.

The mural was supported through the Public Arts Murals Program, administered by the Regional Arts and Culture Council.

Powerful women leaders including Kimberlee Sheng, the executive director of the Black United Fund of Oregon; Tiffani Penson, Portland's minority evaluator program and supplier diversity officer and a Black United Fund of Oregon board member; and Zoe Pili-

afas, co-founder of Vox Siren; will be speaking about the impact of the Black United Fund; the importance of collaboration to make progress; and the influence of women in the past and going into the future.

Local DJ Deena Bee will provide live entertainment while activities will be offered for children of all ages. Mural artists Eatcho and Jeremy Nichols will also be available to discuss their work. The family friendly celebration takes place from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and is free and open to the public.

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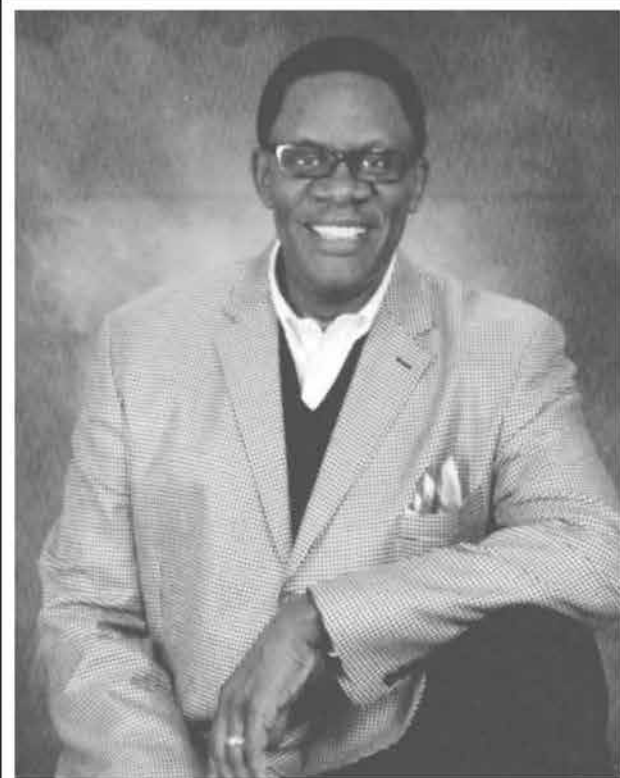
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