

SPORTS

Hall of Famer Visit Saturday

NFL Hall of Famer Ronnie Lott will be welcomed to Beaverton for an athletic leadership clinic for foster youth and students from the St. Mary's Home for Boys on Saturday, Aug. 15.

The clinic, sponsored by The Other Side of Basketball and All Stars Helping Kids, will offer youth a chance to learn about how athletics, academics, and good citizenship can play a role in furthering their futures.

In addition to the clinic, Lott will

conduct a 90-minute social session emceed by Beaverton Mayor Denny Doyle. Lott will share stories, meet guests, sign autographs, and take pictures. This will be limited to 50 people. A barbecue lunch will be provided by Cook Security Group during the social session. Sponsor tickets to the social session are \$250. Participating youth will attend for free. For more information, visit TheOtherSideOfBasketball.org.



NFL Great Ronnie Lott

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Forging a Path on the Court

Mike Holton Jr. signs contract

Mike Holton Jr. of Portland, has signed a professional contract to play basketball in Europe after turning in an extraordinary career at Saint Michael's College in Vermont.

The son of former Portland Trail Blazer Michael Holton Sr.

and a former basketball standout at Sunset High School in Beaverton, he forged his own path to become the 5th highest scorer at St. Michael's. The 6-foot-1 guard was the only player in school history with four 400-point seasons. He was named Northeast-10 Conference All-Conference three times.

Holton Jr. signed his first professional contract on July 23 to

play with the Kapfenberg Bulls, one of the most successful teams of recent in the Austrian Basketball League, according to school officials. Kapfenberg is located southwest of the Austrian capital city of Vienna.

Holton was scheduled to join the team this month in advance of a season that begins in September and runs until April.



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