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The Week in Review

Jobless Rate Best Since '07

Oregon's unemployment rate dropped to 5.1 percent in January, from 5.5 percent, as revised, in December 2015. The last time Oregon's unemployment rate was this low was in June 2007, when the rate was also 5.1 percent. A year ago, in January 2015, Oregon's unemployment rate was 5.9 percent.



Massive Boat Storage Fire

A boat storage warehouse containing up to 350 boats went up in flames in a massive 4-alarm fire on Hayden Island in north Portland Sunday night. Portland Fire & Rescue crews were still on the scene at Sundance Marina on Tuesday. The preliminary loss estimate is approximately \$24 million dollars.

Oscars Diversity Crisis Looms

The diversity crisis in Hollywood loomed over Sunday's Academy Awards, but host Chris Rock's incisive insight and parody gave the ceremony purpose and meaning. A wide array of causes, from global warming to sexual abuse in church and on campus was a subtle plea from the film community that the movies and artists honored did have purpose and meaning -- even in this second year of #OscarsSoWhite.



Justice Breaks Silence

Justice Clarence Thomas stunned lawyers, reporters and others at the Supreme Court on Monday when he posed questions during an oral argument for the first time in 10 years. It came in case in which the court is considering placing new limits on the reach of a federal law that bans people convicted of domestic violence from owning guns.



Cannabis Café to Close

New indoor clean air rules adding marijuana to a law that initially targeted only tobacco has doomed Portland's World Famous Cannabis Café. The owner of the establishment announced Monday that she will close her doors after another warning by public health officials. The café will host its final Stoner Bingo session on Sunday.

NBA Honors Blazers Coach

Portland Trail Blazers head coach Terry Stotts has been named the Western Conference Coach of the Month for February, it was announced Tuesday by the NBA. Stotts led Portland to a 9-2 record in the month of February, the third best mark in the NBA.



Princess Selection Begins

Emily Jayne of St. Mary's Academy was named the first of 15 Rose Festival Court Princesses Tuesday. The court will be filled over the next three weeks from participating schools across the Portland metro area. Each member receives a \$3,500 scholarship and serves as a community ambassador.

Lewis & Clark



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March 4-5, 10-12
7:30 p.m.
Fir Acres Theatre

THEATRE

Love and Information

Love and Information engages with the changing landscape of human relationships in the age of social media and rapid-fire communication. Tickets cost \$5-15 and can be purchased at the box office or online at www.lclark.edu.

March 5
11 a.m.-4 p.m.
Templeton Campus Center

FAIR

51st Annual International Fair

Join students, alumni, parents, faculty, and staff and learn of the many cultures and nationalities that are represented at Lewis & Clark College. Enjoy an array of mouthwatering dishes and fun-filled performances from across the world. \$8 for adults, \$4 for children.

March 9-11
Times and locations vary

35TH ANNUAL GENDER STUDIES SYMPOSIUM

Game On! Gender and Sexuality in Play

The multiday event brings together students, scholars, gamers, comedians, activists, artists, and visionaries for a dynamic series of lectures, panels, interactive workshops, and student-curated art on concepts of fun and play in relation to gender and sexuality.

March 11
1-5 p.m.
Law Campus

ANIMAL LAW REVIEW'S FIFTH ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM

Crossing Borders: Animals and Business

Participate in an afternoon of discussion on the intersection between animals and trade. Cost and registration details are available online at law.lclark.edu.

March 12
7:30 p.m.
Agnes Flanagan Chapel

CONCERT

Khyal: The Art of Raga Singing

Lewis & Clark's music department offers an evening of North Indian classical vocal music. \$5 for seniors, \$15 general admission.

March 14
7 p.m.
Agnes Flanagan Chapel

POETRY SHOW

#ItGetsBitter

Darkmatter is a trans South Asian performance art duo based in New York City. #ItGetsBitter is a remix of spoken word, stand up comedy, fashion, and nursery rhymes. General admission tickets are on a sliding scale of \$5-20.

All events are free unless otherwise noted.
Parking is free after 7 p.m. and all day on weekends.

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