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The Week in Review

Interim Portland Public School Superintendent Hired

Portland Public Schools named Bob McKean Tuesday as its interim superintendent to replace Carole Smith who recently resigned. A nationwide search for a permanent superintendent will follow. McKean has worked in public education for 37 years, most recently as superintendent for the Centennial School District.

Porta-POTty Seizure Largest Marijuana Haul

An unidentified man strolling through a Rogue River park last week

discovered a porta-potty filled to the brim with deserted marijuana plants. Officials said a public works employee inspected the potty three hours prior to the discovery to find it empty. This is the largest pot seizure the Department has ever made, and it is unknown how the weed got there in the first place.

Ocobock Mansion Saved

Neighbors have banded together to save the iconic Ocobock Mansion on North-east Rodney Avenue from being demolished by developers by forming their own limited liability corporation to purchase the 1913 home. Most recently the property served as a foster home, serving members of Portland's African American community. The \$1.1 million sale was scheduled to close Tuesday.



Outlandish Trump Claims on ISIS in Presidential Race

Donald Trump tried very hard during a speech in Florida last week to convince everyone that President Obama is the founder of ISIS and that presidential candidate Hillary Clinton is the militant terrorist organization's cofounder. Trump stuck by his word, later referring to Obama as the organization's "most valuable player."

Louisiana Hit by Massive Floods; Deaths and Evacuations

President Obama declared Sunday that Louisiana is in a federal emergency due to the massive flood that has since taken the lives of 11 people and destroyed nearly 40,000 homes in southern Louisiana since Friday. Governor John Bell Edwards told CNN he expects around half of Louisiana's 64 parishes to be declared as disaster areas.

Multiple Portland Drugstore Robberies

The historic Fairley's Pharmacy on 72nd and Sandy is the second drugstore to get robbed in the last two weeks. Two armed suspects ran into the pharmacy on Saturday morning, demanding money and prescription pills. Both suspects are said to be African American men in their 20's. They only got away some prescriptions.

Lead Found in Beaverton Schools Faucets

Initial lead test results from faucets in Beaverton School District buildings were released Monday and show that 100 faucets from 14 of the city's schools have lead levels that exceed EPA standards. According to KATU, all 64 of the district's schools were tested but only one-third of those results have been released.

Police Look for Work Crew Inmate Escapee

Jasson Lewis Ray was part of a prison work crew working out near Pittock Mansion in southwest Portland Friday morning when he managed to escape. Serving time for weapons and robbery charges, Ray was last seen at Good Samaritan Hospital on Northwest 22nd Friday. Police ask for anyone who sees him or knows his whereabouts to call 911 immediately.

Support & Network Meetings for Women Who Served

Hosted by Oregon Tradeswomen, Inc.

Women with military experience, Active Reserve or National Guard service and all who support women veterans are welcome to attend.

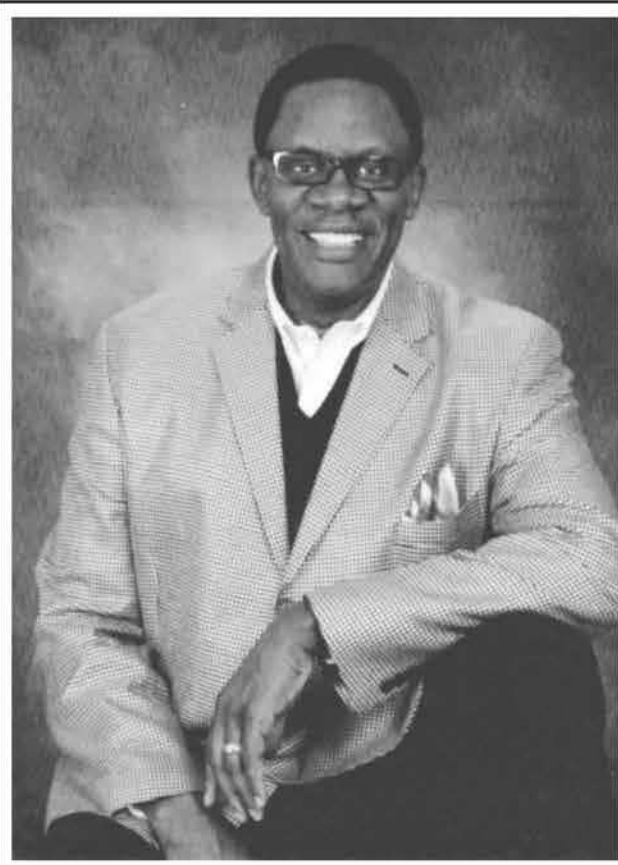
Two Options to Attend:

Wednesday, August 31, 2016 at 6pm
 Wednesday, November 30, 2016 at 6pm

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