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Tradeswomen Host Career Fair



A career in the trades is an opportunity for a lifetime of employment. Oregon Tradeswomen invite you to learn more when it hosts its annual Career Fair on Saturday, May 18.

A hands-on career fair introducing the high-wage, high-skill careers of the trades will be hosted by Oregon Tradeswomen on Saturday, May 18 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the NECA-IBEW Electrical Training Center, 16021 N.E. Airport Way.

The event hopes to inspire a new generation of tradeswomen to pursue the many apprenticeships and job openings in the construction industry from local companies and organizations.

Participants in the career fair have the opportunity to learn skills in hands-on workshops, try out tools, meet employers, meet successful tradeswomen, make things to take home, and find out about career training opportunities.

Oregon Tradeswomen, a Portland nonprofit organization, produces the annual career fair. Contact them for more information at 503-335-8200, extension 121 or visit tradeswomen.net

Trial in Max Murders Delayed

The trial date for Jeremy Christian, charged in the 2017 attack a Max train, was delayed last week until early 2020. The judge is allowing the state to evaluate Christian, who stands accused of killing two people and wounding another man.



The Week in Review

Bureau's Muslim Council, Slavic Advisory Council and Refugee Integration Program.

Trump Lawyer Enters Prison

Michael Cohen, President Trump's former personal attorney reported to a federal prison in Otisville, N.Y. Monday to serve out a three-year sentence. Cohen, 52, pleaded guilty to charges of lying to Congress about a prospective Trump Tower-Moscow project, campaign finance violations related to payments he made to two women at Trump's behest, and a slew of financial crimes.



Water Main Flood Claims Denied

The city of Portland has denied claims filed by homeowners after a massive water main break last March in the Alberta District of Northeast Portland. At least two homeowners shared the contents of a denial letter with KATU that read, in part, "The main break was not caused by any negligent actions by the city or its employees... we conclude that the city is not liable for that damage."

ACLU Blasts Trump Pardon

The American Civil Liberties Union on Tuesday blasted President Trump's decision to pardon a former Army first lieutenant convicted of killing an Iraqi prisoner, saying the move amounted to a "presidential endorsement of a murder." Trump granted the pardon late Monday to Michael Behenna, sentenced to 15 years in 2009 for killing a suspected al Qaeda operative who was stripped naked for questioning before being shot.

Bar Sues Far-right Protesters

The owner of Cider Riot, a bar on Northeast Eighth Avenue and Couch Street, filed a \$1 million lawsuit Friday against Joey Gibson, the leader of the far-right protest group Patriot Prayer, for instigating a brawl outside the bar last Wednesday, May Day. The suit also names Ian Kramer, who is accused of striking a woman with a baton to the back of her head hard enough to knock her unconscious.

Outlaw Names New Assistant

Police Chief Danielle Outlaw has promoted Jami Resch to Assistant Chief of the Investigations Branch. She had been serving as the Acting Commander of North Precinct. A police officer in Portland since 1993, she has also been an active member in the Police

Street Racing Scare on I-84

It was a scary and wild scene on Interstate 84 late Sunday night between 162nd and 181st avenues. A bunch of cars were doing donuts in the middle of the westbound lanes as shown in video on KGW TV. "Real obnoxious," Brent Klausner said. "It was obnoxious."



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