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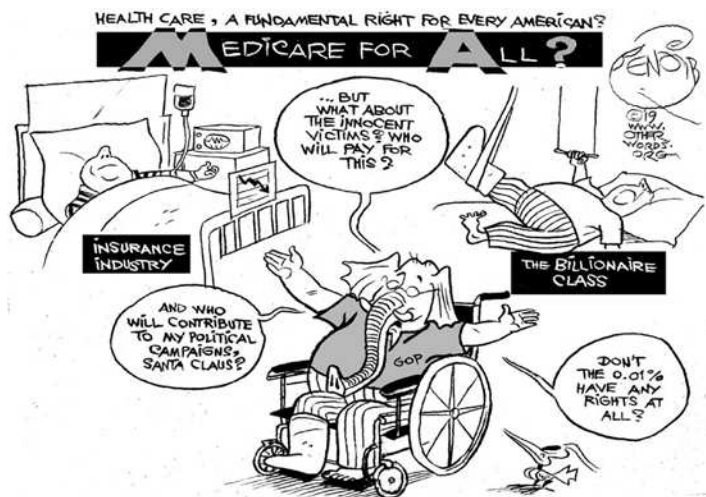
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VIDEO FRAME FROM KGW FRIDAY NIGHT FLIGHTS

Parkrose High School Head Football Coach Keaton Lowe instructs his players during a 59-20 win against Lebanon Friday night, Parkrose's first football playoff victory in school history. The Broncos now advance to face Crater High School on Friday night in Central Point, the No. 2 ranked team.

First Playoff Win Ever

Parkrose advances with their hero coach

The headlines keep coming for Parkrose High School and their hero head football coach Keaton Lowe.

The Parkrose football team made school history Friday with its first playoff game victory ever by defeating Lebanon, 59 to 20. In

just his second season at Parkrose, Lowe has taken a team with a 0-9 winless record before his arrival to making the playoffs for the second year in a row.

Lowe is the hero coach and school security guard who made national news last May when he stopped a student from discharging a gun at the northeast Portland school. A Portland resident and former University of Oregon football player, he was able to peacefully disarm the 19-year-old and

then embrace the student, putting the emphasis on the humanity of the situation, a student later determined to have only wanted to harm himself.

Parkrose was playing only its third football playoff game at home in school history against Lebanon. Next up, the team goes on the road to play on Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Central Point against Crater High School, the No. 2 ranked 5A team in the state.

Public Airing on Police Contract

Mayor, commissioner to host two meetings

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Public meetings on a new police union contract will be held Nov. 18 and Dec. 16 to encourage community input about contract negotiations, hosted by Mayor Ted Wheeler and City Commissioner Jo Ann Hardesty.

The goal of the events is to educate the public about the collective bargaining process and to document people's concerns about the new contract, according to Wheeler's office.

The Nov. 18 meeting will be from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Portland



Ted Wheeler



Jo Ann Hardesty

Community College Cascade Campus Student Union, located at 5575 N. Albina Ave. The location for the December meeting will be announced at a later date.

Civil right advocates, including the Portland NAACP and Albi-

na Ministerial Alliance Coalition for Justice and Police Reform, have been clamoring to become more involved in the collective bargaining process in hopes of

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