

Times reporters tweet news of Trump meeting as it happens

NEW YORK (AP) — Reporters at The New York Times tweeted details from a meeting with President-elect Donald Trump as it happened on Tuesday, contrasting it with an off-the-record session Trump held a day earlier with leaders at the top television networks.



Kellyanne Conway, from left, President-elect Donald Trump, New York Times Publisher Arthur Sulzberger Jr., and vice chairman of The New York Times Company Michael Golden appear during a meeting with editors and reporters at The New York Times building, Tuesday.

The off-again, on-again Times meeting came as questions swirled about how forthright Trump will be with the media and, by extension, his soon-to-be constituents. He hasn't held a news conference since his election and on Tuesday sent out a video news release about some of his plans upon taking office.

His meeting with television executives and anchors Monday triggered reports that he criticized them about campaign coverage.

Trump's meeting at the Times headquarters, announced Monday, was briefly canceled early Tuesday as the president-elect tweeted that the "terms and conditions" had been changed at the last minute. "Not nice," tweeted Trump.

The Times said Trump's

singling out CNN's campaign coverage. Besides news executives like CNN's Jeff Zucker, Fox News' Bill Shine and MSNBC's Phil Griffin, the meeting included on-air personalities like ABC's David Muir, CBS' Charlie

Rose and NBC's Lester Holt. Even though Trump aide Kellyanne Conway briefly talked to reporters about the meeting afterward, media participants were constrained from talking publicly about it. "The symbolism was powerful and all wrong for them," said Frank Sesno, a former CNN Washington bureau chief and a journalism professor at George Washington University. "For these powerful people to be marched to the tower of Trump to get their heads cut off — figuratively speaking — is not the positive imagery they could have hoped for."

There can be reasons for holding off-the-record meetings, which are hardly unprecedented in Washington. In Monday's meeting, media executives collectively could have delivered privately a powerful message to the incoming president about the

importance of transparency and accessibility in a democracy, he said. But, he said, "under no circumstances would you let this become habit-forming." The networks would not say Tuesday whether they had requested an on-the-record session. Individual networks likely had less leverage than a single organization like the Times; if a network refused to attend an off-the-record session, for example, their leaders had to worry that their competitors would be there. "Trump is trying to intimidate the networks into giving him less critical coverage," Feldstein said. "The question is how are the media going to respond to him and (the network meeting) is not an auspicious beginning."

Journalists are trying to encourage Trump to hold an open news conference, which has been traditional for presi-

dents-elect shortly after their victories. Trump's release of a video late Tuesday talking about his early priorities was alarming to many news organizations.

The Associated Press reported on the content of Trump's message but did not send the video to members of the news cooperative. Kathleen Carroll, senior vice president and executive editor of The Associated Press, likened it to the AP's refusal to take handout pictures of President Obama signing bills into law, saying journalists should be able to document the action themselves.

"We believe we ought to cover the president of the United States, and the president-elect, when they are doing the people's business," she said. "Setting out policies and how you are going to govern is the people's business."

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COMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 23 ADULT OPEN GYM, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Half-court basketball. Adults only. (541-276-8100)

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100) BABY BOOGIE & TAPPIN' TODDLERS, 10-10:45 a.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-2882)

STORY TIME, 11:15 a.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston. (541-567-2882)

STANFIELD SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Stanfield Community Center, 225 W. Roosevelt, Stanfield. Cost is \$3.50 for seniors, \$6 for others. (541-449-1332)

PENDLETON SENIOR MEAL SERVICE, 12 p.m., Pendleton Senior Center, 510 S.W. 10th St., Pendleton. Costs \$3.50 or \$6 for those under 60. Pool, puzzles, crafts, snacks, Second Time Around thrift store 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For Meals on Wheels, call 541-276-1926. (541-276-7101)

COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP DINNER SET-UP PARTY, 1-4 p.m., Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Volunteers needed with preparations. (541-303-5886)

ADULT BEGINNERS' COMPUTERS, 3-4 p.m., Pendleton Public Library meeting room, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Registration is required. Classes tailored to the needs of the attendees. (541-966-0380)

SID THE SCIENCE KID, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. For ages 6 and under. Science-themed crafts and activities. Free, but registration required. (541-966-0380)

FREE MEALS, 5:30 p.m., Hermiston Church of the Nazarene, 1520 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Free weekly meals. Everyone welcome. (541-567-3677)

VEGAN/SUSTAINABLE LIVING POTLUCK SUPPER, 7 p.m., location varies, location varies, Pendleton. Bring a veggie dish and recipe. Gluten-free friendly group. Call to RSVP and for driving directions. (541-969-3057)

THURSDAY, NOV. 24 CLUB 24 TURKEY TROT, 7-10 a.m., Sno Road Winery, 111 W. Main St., Echo. 7 a.m. check-in and race-day registration begins, 9 a.m. races begin, Sno Road Winery, 111 W. Main St., Echo. Fun 1-mile kids' run or 5K run/walk for all ages. Costumes are highly encouraged. Cost is \$15 for adults, \$10 for ages 6-16, free for 5 and under (unless they want a T-shirt, then must register as youth), includes T-shirt if registered by Nov. 16. Proceeds benefit warming stations in Pendleton and Hermiston.

COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP DINNER, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Hermiston Senior Center, 435 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Free traditional Thanksgiving meal features turkey and all the fixings. Delivery service and to-go meals can be arranged. For meal service delivery or a ride call 541-567-3013 through Wednesday, Nov. 23. On Thanksgiving Day, call the senior center at 541-567-3582. (541-303-5886)

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING MEAL, 12-2 p.m., Salvation Army, 150 S.E. Emigrant Ave., Pendleton. Free meal for everyone. Delivery available for seniors and the disabled; call 541-276-3369 by Tuesday, Nov. 22. (Susan Lamb 541-276-3369) COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER, 1 p.m., All Saints Episcopal Church, 460 N. Gale St., Heppner. Free meal for the community. People may bring a favorite dish to share, but it's not required. (Rev. Tony Long-Drew 541-676-5581)

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION, 1:30-4

p.m., Boardman Senior Center, 100 Tatone St., Boardman. Praise service at 1:30 p.m. will be followed by a free traditional turkey dinner from 2-4 p.m. Everyone welcome. (Jane Akers, Teresa Parsons or Boardman Senior Center 541-481-5511, 503-724-8823 or 541-481-3257)

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER, 4-6 p.m., First Christian Church, 518 S. Main St., Milton-Freewater. Traditional Thanksgiving meal featuring turkey and the fixings. Free. (541-938-3854)

FIDDLED NIGHT, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Brookedale Assisted Living, 980 W. Highland Ave., Hermiston. Enjoy light refreshments, listen to some favorite oldies or join in the jam session. All ages welcome. (541-567-3141)

FRIDAY, NOV. 25 ADULT OPEN GYM, 6-7 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Half-court basketball. Adults only. (541-276-8100)

WALKING FOR WELLNESS, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-276-8100) TODDLER STORY TIME, 10:15-11 a.m., Pendleton Public Library, 502 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. (541-966-0380)

FREE MEALS, 11 a.m., Hermiston Church of the Nazarene, 1520 W. Orchard Ave., Hermiston. Free weekly meals. Everyone welcome. (541-567-3677)

STORY AND CRAFT TIME, 2 p.m., Echo Public Library, 20 S. Bonanza, Echo. (541-376-8411) VFW BINGO, 6 p.m., Hermiston VFW, 45 W. Cherry St., Hermiston. Doors open at 6 p.m., games begin at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome. (541-567-6219)

SATURDAY, NOV. 26 IMAC FUNDRAISER BREAKFAST, 7:30-10:30 a.m., Stokes Landing Senior Center, 195 N.W. Opal Place, Irrigon. Cost is \$4.50 per person. Proceeds benefit the Irrigon Multicultural Arts Center project. (Peggy Price 541-567-3806)

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA, 8-10 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. Pancake breakfast, crafts, helium balloon, Santa's mailbox and photos with Santa. Cost is \$3 per person, all ages. (541-276-8100)

LIL BUCKS OPEN GYM, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Pendleton Recreation Center, 510 S.W. Dorion Ave., Pendleton. For students in first-third grades. (541-276-8100)

FREE FOR ALL, 9:30-10:15 a.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Free art classes for children up to age 12. Children under 8 should be accompanied by an adult. (Roberta Lavadour 541-278-9201)

FAMILY HISTORY WORKSHOPS, 10 a.m., Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 850 S.W. 11th St., Hermiston. Workshops, photo scanning and more. (Stephanie Blackburn 541-567-6251)

WILDHORSE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Wildhorse Resort and Casino, 46510 Wildhorse Blvd., Pendleton. Free admission.

HIP & HANDMADE, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., Pendleton Center for the Arts, 214 N. Main St., Pendleton. Free drop-in project class for adults. (Roberta Lavadour 541-278-9201)

SATURDAY CRAFT TIME, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Hermiston Public Library, 235 E. Gladys Ave., Hermiston. Free craft projects for children in 5th grade and younger. (541-567-2882)

THANKFUL FOR BRIDGES COMMUNITY CELEBRATION, 1-5 p.m., McKenzie Park, 320 S. First St., Hermiston. Community diversity celebration featuring a food drive, live music from Dallin Puzey and Los Corallillos, resources for families and more. Tamales and beverages will be provided. (Alex Hobbs 541-571-7503)