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Is it a bird? Is It Superman?, no it's a plane



Watchers and listeners at today's noon concert in Esther Short Park got occasional interruptions from the air lanes from both commercial and military flights out of Portland International Airport.

Despite the outside interference hundreds of concert goers saw, listened to and applauded Portland singer **Stephanie Schneiderman** as she belted out a range of songs from blues to jazz from the park's main stage.

And, Wednesday for the first time for a park concert, the public parking space beneath Vancouvercenter was open. Rates are 50 cents an hour.

The parking structure will be open from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily except weekends until the first apartment units in the center are occupied in August. Public parking will then be offered on weekends as well.

Raina Beavers keynotes YWCA's Social Justice Forum, "Women and Diversity"

Social advocate Raina Beavers, manager of VolunteerWorks, former talk-show host and former Portland Rose Festival queen, is the keynote speaker at the 11:30 a.m. Thursday, July 17, YWCA of Clark County Social Justice Forum, "Women and Diversity."

The sack-lunch forum is in the community room at the YWCA building, 3609 Main Street. Sack lunches are available for \$5. For reservations, call Nicole Hagerty, 906-9153.

Eric Fuller's mid-year commercial real estate update offered at 7 a.m. Friday at the Quay

One of a series of Network Breakfasts sponsored by the Greater Vancouver Chamber of Commerce, **Eric Fuller**'s Mid-Year Commercial Real Estate Update is from 7 to 9 a.m. Friday, July 18, in the Red Lion Hotel at the Quay.

Fuller and his associates will discuss southern Washington commercial and industrial real estate trends.

The breakfast session, open to the public, is \$25. Reservations are recommended. Call **Rhonda Carey**, **694-2588**.

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WEDNESDAY

C-TRAN probing peoples' minds on mass transit

C-TRAN, developing a plan to carry the transit agency through the next 20 years, convenes an open house at 5 p.m. Thursday, July 17, to ask probing questions.

The session in the James Parsley Center, 2901 Falk Road, will seek answers from the point of view of the citizen.

Questions being asked include the following:

Why is public transportation important to you?

What value does public transportation bring to the community?

Were should service be located?

What types of service, how much, and how often?

For further information, call Scott Patterson, 696-4494.

People

Cari Thompson, associate principal at Wy'east Middle School, has been named associate principal at Cascade Middle School, succeeding **June Newton**, who has retired. **Tony VanderMass**, who has been an assistant principal in the Bellevue School District and a former Evergreen School District teacher, succeeds Thompson at Wy'east Middle School associate principal.

News brief

All burning permits in Clark County have been canceled effective today, reports Clark County fire marshal **David Lynham**. A similar ban is in effect in Wahkiakum, Cowlitz and Skamania Counties.

Wednesday on the air Clark County Focus—4 p.m. CVTV Clark County Close 130 Up—4:30 p.m. CVTV City Minutes—5 p.m. CVTV Leadership Clark County Graduation—5:30 p.m. CVTV					
Stocks of local interest at 4 p.m. EDT Wednesday, July 16, 2003					
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Acapulco Lisa Gibert reporting on Athens Chicago homecoming. KEE Brian Lesher Dallas and **Onyx** getting accolades ranging Hong Kong Los Angeles from stupendous to fantastic. KER London **Nancy Wolf** differentiating the colors New Orleans of gold. ESE Frank Schwarz New York Orlando winning door prize. ESE Tom and Paris Alice Cain earning accolades. SES Phoenix Rome Wednesday, sunshine but some dark Seattle clouds, 78. Thursday, sun ready to Sydney Tokvo blaze, 84. Friday, hot sunshine, 88. Washington