

### **Vancouver police investigating early morning shooting**

Vancouver police are investigating a shooting at 3:02 a.m. this morning outside the Canyon Court Apartments, 2615 Neals Lane, that left **Juan Manuel Barbosa**, 23, in critical condition at Southwest Washington Medical Center with a gunshot in the abdomen, and slightly injured **Jennifer Ann O'Neil**, 21, who was treated and released from the hospital.

A stray shot that hit an adjacent apartment where three children under the age of 5 were sleeping, injured a pet parakeet.

### **CREDC sets Lean Manufacturing Workshop**

A workshop to help manufacturers achieve maximum production is being sponsored by the Columbia River Economic Development Council Friday, Sept. 24, reports **Deb Wallace**, CREDC director of Business Expansion.

The Lean Manufacturing Workshop will aid manufacturers in reducing cycle time, improving productivity, improving cash flow, reducing inventory and increasing response time, according to Wallace.

The fee, which includes lunch and course materials, is \$149 per person for employees of companies located in Clark County, and \$224 for employees of companies located outside the county.

For further information, call Wallace at **567-1061**.

### **County Mental Health Advisory Board seeking members**

Members are being sought for the Clark County Mental Health Advisory Board, according to spokesperson **Midge Burmaster**.

The requirements are that prospective board members have either a working knowledge of, or a strong interest in learning about issues related to mental health.

Deadline for submitting letters of interest is Monday, Sept. 20. For further information, call Burmaster at **397-2130**.

### **Maps showing proposed changes in county growth plan on view**

Maps showing changes being proposed for the Clark County Growth Management Plan will be on view from 4 to 7 p.m. today in the lobby of the Public Service Center, 1300 Franklin Street. The maps will also be on display between 8:30 and 10 a.m. tomorrow, Aug. 17, in the sixth floor lobby of the Public Service Center, prior to a hearing on the issue by county commissioners that begins at 10 a.m.

### **YWCA collecting back-to-school-supplies for children in their shelters**

School supplies for school-age children in YWCA of Clark County shelters are being sought, according to spokesperson **Kathy Deschner**. In particular need are backpacks, college rule notebook paper, colored pencils, glue sticks, scissors, school boxes, three-ring binders, protractors, and cash donations.

Donations will be accepted at the YWCA office, 3609 Main Street the Homestreet Bank, 2100 SE 164th Avenue, Suite F104, and at 4 to 9 p.m. at the Wednesday, Aug. 18, Pearson Air Museum Cruz-In at Pearson Field.

### **Clark College alumni getting additional Seahawks tickets**

Additional tickets for the Seattle Seahawks 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 26, game with the San Francisco 49ers at Qwest Field, Seattle, are available, reports director of Clark College Alumni Relations **Cheri Cole**. The alumni association provides transportation from Clark College to the game and back, plus game tickets for \$70 per alumni member; \$75, non-alumni member.

Cole says tickets must be reserved by Thursday, Aug. 19. For further information, call **992-2301**.

### **Red Cross seeks volunteers, offers orientation meetings**

A series of orientation meetings for prospective volunteers for the Southwest Washington Chapter of the American Red Cross includes a noon-to-1 p.m. session Tuesday, Aug. 17, in the Red Cross office, 3114 Fourth Plain Boulevard. Additional orientation sessions are at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 25, Thursday, Sept. 9, and Monday, Sept. 20. A noon session is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 15.

Volunteer opportunities include Disaster Action Teams, First Aid and CPR instructors, and volunteer positions for assisting at blood drives. For further information, call **Shauna Burkholder**, **693-5821**.

### **News briefs**

The Vancouver City council meets in workshop session at 4 p.m. today. At 7 p.m. meeting in regular session, the council will consider appeals of two hearings examiner hearings, the first regarding the 136th Avenue Place Subdivision, and the second, the Parkside Retail Subdivision. 🚗🚗 Clark Public Utilities commissioners meet in regular session at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17. 🚗🚗 Clark County commissioners, meeting in regular session at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17, will consider approval of a Tourism Promotion Area and a \$2-per room hotel tax, which would be used to promote tourism and conventions in Clark County. The commissioners will also hear testimony from the public regarding proposed changes in the 20-year Comprehensive Growth Management Plan. 🎬🎬 Free family movies, sponsored by First Independent Bank at the Regal Cinema 99 in Hazel Dell, continue this week. *Jonah: A Veggie Tale Movie*, will be shown at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17, followed by *Dr. Seuss' The Cat in the Hat*, at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18.

[192nd Avenue, a work-in-progress, an achievement of home grown cooperation--Oregonian, Allan Brettman](#)  
[Highway 500 overpass crossing NE 112th Avenue and Gher Road opens to motorists--Columbian](#)  
[Three U.S. troops die as U.S. presses attack at Najaf; Iraqis call on rebel cleric to give up--USA TODAY, AP](#)  
[Thousands of Hurricane Charlie still in shelters, USA TODAY, AP](#)

### Monday on the air

Vancouver City Council Workshop (live)—4 p.m. CTV  
Seattle Seahawks at Green Bay (live)—5 p.m. ESPN, KXL  
Vancouver City Council (live)—7 p.m. CTV

### Town tabloids and the weather

Stan and Kathy Prager observing geriatric set. ☞☞ Flossie Wager, Billie Jo Campbell, Shirlee June Campbell, Kitty O'Neill and Ruthie Beedle putting class in reunion. ☞☞ Louis LaDucer defying glassification. ☞☞ Timothy Buckley speaking up for AIAs. ☞☞ Judi Bailey and Kerry Peck getting concert kudos. **Monday**, lots of sunshine, 86. **Tuesday**, mostly sunny, 86. **Wednesday**, sunny and warmer, 90.