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Statesman Journal - August 8, 2022

The Salem-Keizer Public Schools governing board will next meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 9 at Miller Elementary School, 1650 46th Place SE. The board will consider a resolution to further prohibit weapons on district property. The proposed policy expands existing restrictions to include all concealed firearms carried by campus visitors

Reach: 320k

[Meet the High School Journalism Institute class of 2022](#)

Oregon Live - August 7, 2022

Salem-Keizer high school students Madi Lietz from McNary High School, and Courtnie Wilson and Kalia Yee from Early College High School are participating in the High School Journalism institute with the Oregonian.

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Proposed Salem-Keizer concealed carry ban could impact visitors

Statesman Journal - August 3, 2022

The Salem-Keizer school board is expected to vote Aug. 9 on a resolution that would further prohibit weapons on district property.

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Student Voices: Slightly terrifying

Oregon Live - August 2, 2022

As part of the High School Journalism Institute, an annual collaboration among The Oregonian/OregonLive, Oregon State University and other Oregon media organizations Courtnie Wilson from Salem-Keizer Early College High School serves as a reporter.

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Two seniors hope to tackle mental health, bullying as student school board advisors - Salem Reporter

Salem Reporter - August 2, 2022

Raylin Brennan and Isaac McDonald have spent their high school years advocating for classmates, taking suggestions to their principals about how to improve student experiences and involvement. Now, the two seniors will have a chance to do so at the district level.

Reach: 26k

Student voices: Journalism camp environment is really cool

Oregon Live - August 1, 2022

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SKPS tackles improving public communications

Polk County Itemizer-Observer - July 27, 2022

More communication with more people involved in Salem-Keizer Public Schools was the concern of a board work session July 19.

Reach: 18k

Christy Perry announces she'll retire at end of school year - Salem Reporter

Salem Reporter - July 27, 2022

Superintendent Christy Perry says her ninth year leading the Salem-Keizer School District will be her last.

Reach: 26k



Salem-Keizer Superintendent Christy Perry announces plan to retire after 2022-23 school year

Statesman Journal - July 27, 2022

Salem-Keizer Public Schools Superintendent Christy Perry plans to retire after the 2022-23 school year.

Reach: 300k



Free summer lunch program still on in Salem

Salem Reporter - July 20, 2022

Children ages one-18 are eligible for a free meal through the federal Summer Break Meal Program despite mixed messages about the program's federal funding and local logistics.

Reach: 26k



Salem-Keizer School Board discusses guns on campus

Polk County Itemizer-Observer - July 20, 2022

Firearms on school grounds were among the topics debated at the meeting. Many of the comments came from the audience.

Reach: 18k

A future doctor from Salem wins top National Merit honors

Salem Reporter - July 19, 2022

When Arnav Mohindra got a letter in the mail from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, he assumed it was to clarify his college plans for the fall. Instead, the letter — sent to his Salem home in late May — told him he was a finalist for the organization's top \$2,500 scholarship.

Reach: 26k

West Salem students take gold in medical, robotics competitions - Salem Reporter

Salem Reporter - July 18, 2022

Local students are shining a little brighter this summer after taking home gold medals in a national competition. West Salem High School's emergency services program and robotics team competed in the SkillsUSA national competition, held in Atlanta Georgia June 20-24, each winning one event.

Reach: 26k



Salem-Keizer rejects second book ban request, keeps 'Gender Queer' in local high schools

Statesman Journal - July 18, 2022

A second request to have a book removed from Salem-Keizer Public Schools libraries has been denied.

Reach: 300k



Salem high schools will keep "Gender Queer" on shelves following grandparent challenge

Salem Reporter - July 15, 2022

Three Salem high schools will keep copies of the graphic novel "Gender Queer" in their libraries after a district committee voted unanimously against a parent's request to remove the book.

Reach: 26k



Salem-Keizer board discusses banning concealed weapons on school grounds - Salem Reporter

Salem Reporter - June 29, 2022

The Salem Keizer School Board is considering prohibiting concealed weapons on school grounds after a recent change in state law, with an initial discussion showing a political divide on the topic.

Reach: 26k

Broadcast News Coverage

Salem-Keizer Public Schools eye stricter gun control measures

KOIN-TV - August 9, 2022

Salem-Keizer Public Schools will meet Tuesday night to consider a resolution to limit weapons on district property. According to the agenda, the resolution will prohibit weapons, including concealed weapons.

Reach: 938k

Summer program connects Salem special needs students with their peers

KGW-TV - July 20, 2022

Athletics

Astley tapped to lead Celtics football

Keizertimes - July 20, 2022

North Salem's Josiah Davis ready to show colleges what he can do

Statesman Journal - July 22, 2022

Josiah Davis had a strong season last year for North Salem, but the running back still has something to prove his senior season.

Reach: 300k

PHOTOS: Hoopla brings 3x3 basketball to downtown Salem

statesmanjournal.com - August 5, 2022

Former SKPS graduates, Salem-Keizer Unified students participate at Hoopla.

Reach: 300k

Social Media Mentions

RT @OPB: Salem-Keizer Public Schools superintendent Christy Perry has announced plans to retire at the end of the 2022-2023 school year.

Elizabeth Miller - July 28, 2022

@SalemReporter: Meet Raylin Brennan and Isaac McDonald, the new student advisors for the @salemkeizer school board
<https://t.co/OGTBootp1F>

OSBA - August 3, 2022

the Hallman Neighborhood Council at their Friday Fun event! A great evening connecting with community. @salemkeizer

Superintendent Perry - August 2, 2022

RT @salemkeizer : This summer, nearly 800 students are participating in cultural enrichment summer programming! One program is "Defining

Kevin Walker - August 2, 2022

RT @salemkeizer : If you've started to wonder about Back to School next month, here's a post to help get you in the know. <https://t.co/>

Natalie Pate - August 1, 2022

On the agenda: @salemkeizer to vote on gun resolution Tuesday <https://t.co/gj83MltOSX> via @Salem_Statesman

Natalie Pate - August 8, 2022

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