



helping you find your way home

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Quote of the Month

"Peace cannot be achieved through violence, it can only be attained through understanding."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

Congratulations to Karina for being the first to correctly answer the May Trivia Contest. The answer was "Jimmy Carter".

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Real Estate Facts

The Portland Metropolitan Association of Realtors recently introduced www.hownw.com, an online resource for homebuyers.

The new Web site provides a variety of homeownership resources, including a searchable database of home buying programs in the metro area, a real estate glossary, and information about consumer issues such as credit, predatory lending and how to find a healthy home.

Buyers can also enter information about their household size, income and desired neighborhood to get a list of financial programs and resources available to them. A translation feature allows users to view the Web site in several languages.

Trivia Contest

What is the official bird of Portland, Oregon?

Real Estate Tips

When you are considering selling, make sure that you stand in a buyer's shoes....on your front porch. Look around. The buyer will have several seconds to look around while the realtor is opening the house. If your door isn't perfect, make a change. Painting a door can make a huge difference. Good color choices are black, deep gray, and red. Also consider changing out the hardware if yours is dated. What a nice change for a small amount of money and effort. While you are at it, knock down any cobwebs and really clean the whole porch. First impressions are especially important in real estate.

Client Circle

Congratulations to the Wilson family for selling their home in Hillsboro. Congratulations on the Flint family for selling their home in SW Portland

RJ Team Updates

Congratulations to Shana Nyhus and family on the arrival of their daughter Melia!

Congratulations to Jessica on becoming a Principal Broker.

