



# helping you find your way home

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### Quote of the Month

*"Life should NOT be a journey to the grave with the intention of arriving safely in an attractive and well preserved body, but rather to skid in sideways, chocolate in one hand, wine in the other, body thoroughly used up, totally worn out and screaming "WOO HOO what a ride!""* Unknown Author

**Congratulations** to Brianna for being the first to correctly answer the May Trivia Contest. The answer was "227 Eggs".

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### Real Estate Fact

According to the National Association of Realtor® the typical first-home buyer is 32, and has a median income of \$57,200.

Additionally, the most popular reasons for buying a home is the desire to own a home of your own, a need for more space/larger home, new job/relocation for a job, desire to be closer to a job, school, relatives, or transit, need for less space, retirement, and desire for a vacation home/investment.

### Trivia Contest

Once upon a time in downtown Portland, a strange shrine harbored machines that dispensed tacky trinkets. This establishment displayed relics of the '70s, and offered "cheap, not legal" weddings to any and all. Who was this "24 Hour Church" dedicated?

### Upcoming Event

**Portland Pirate Festival - September 20th & 21st, 2008**  
Cathedral Park Under the St. Johns Bridge  
[www.portlandpiratefestival.com](http://www.portlandpiratefestival.com)

This is fun for everyone from music to cannon battles, from live parrots to puppetry, the Portland Pirate Festival has something for everyone. You'll be immersed in the best of pirate culture as Cathedral Park transforms into a bustling dock-side village full of wandering buccaneers, redcoats, clowns, jugglers, and balladeers.

### Client Circle

Congratulations to Barclay on the Sale of his home in Aloha.  
Congratulations to Kelly & Kevin on the Sale of their home in SW Portland.  
Congratulations to The Wilson Family on their New home in Hillsboro.