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Portland, OR – Les Schwab Invitational presented by Express Employment Professionals tickets are available for purchase exclusively at www.LesSchwabInvitational.com. Fans have the option of buying individual session tickets – both Reserved and General Admission that are good for all games of that respective session– or 4-Day Tournament Passes that are good for all 32 games of the 2017 LSI. Fans that purchase Tournament Passes will also receive free entry to the **Express Employment Professionals Slam Dunk Contest** that takes place on Friday, December 29th at 3pm.

Reserved seating is available during each evening session of the tournament. The tournament will be divided into nine sessions – two sessions Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and three on Saturday. Friday's schedule has been adjusted to accommodate the Slam Dunk Contest which starts at 3:00pm and is free with a session 6 ticket or Tournament Pass. Saturday's evening session will begin at 7:00pm and feature the 3rd Place and Championship Games. All games will be played at Liberty High School; the complete tournament schedule is listed below:

2017 LES SCHWAB INVITATIONAL presented by Express Employment Professionals COMPLETE SCHEDULE

Session 1: <u>Wednesday, December 27</u> Game 1...9:00 am Game 2...10:30 am Game 3...Noon Game 4...1:30 pm	Session 5: Game 17...8:30 am Game 18...10:00 am Game 19...11:30 am Game 20...1:00 pm	Friday, December 29 (Different Schedule) Game 17...8:30 am Game 18...10:00 am Game 19...11:30 am Game 20...1:00 pm
Session 2: Game 5...4:00pm Game 6...5:30pm Game 7...7:00pm Game 8...8:30pm	Session 6: Express Employment Professional's Slam Dunk Contest...3:00PM Game 21...4:30 pm Game 22...6:00 pm Game 23...7:30 pm (Semi-Finals) Game 24...9:00 pm (Semi-Finals)	
Session 3: <u>Thursday, December 28</u> Game 9...9:00 am Game 10...10:30 am Game 11...Noon Game 12...1:30pm	Session 7: <u>Saturday, December 30</u> Game 25...8:30 am Game 26...10:00 am Game 27...11:30am	
Session 4: Game 13...4:00 pm (Quarter Final #1) Game 14...5:30 pm (Quarter Final #2) Game 15...7:00 pm (Quarter Final #3) Game 16...8:30 pm (Quarter Final #4)	Session 8: Game 28...1:30 pm Game 29...3:00 pm (Consolation Championship) Game 30...4:30 pm (5 th Place Game)	
	Session 9: Game 31...7:00 pm (3 rd Place Game) Game 32...8:30 pm (Championship)	

The LSI allows local basketball fans to see how well Oregon school's match-up against elite high school programs and players from all over the country. The tournament continually draws nationally ranked teams and future college and NBA stars to showcase their talent in Portland. The LSI is one of the most popular and well-attended high school basketball tournaments in the country. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the Liberty High School Box Office throughout the tournament. **Since the events inception in 1996 over \$1.4 million has been raised for Oregon schools.**



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