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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Wed, 16 May 2007 21:28:38 GMT

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Thu, 17 May 2007 01:12:46 GMT

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Thu, 17 May 2007 03:36:57 GMT

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Posted by [Sarah](#) on Fri, 18 May 2007 10:41:15 GMT
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Mark and Jeff . . . duh . . . it never even occurred to me there might be Portland Paris-ites here. I will definitely let you guys know. It may be awhile with new players to add and everybody working full time..

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"Mark McDermott" <nospam@stateofwail.com> wrote in message
news:464c94a5\$1@linux...

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> Hey Sarah & Jeff,
>
> Too bad Sarah missed our first (and only) Portland PARIS User Group
> meeting.
>
> I definitely want to come out to see you Sarah. Haven't heard the CD but
> from everyone's comments it sounds like I'll love it.
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> Aloha.
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Posted by [dc\[3\]](#) on Sat, 19 May 2007 04:52:38 GMT
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Subject: Re: Sarahtonin...

Posted by [Dale](#) on Sat, 19 May 2007 05:59:27 GMT

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Well at least if DJ moved here it would raise the average cool factor by a significant amount.....

Dale
(Uncool in Eugene :)

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Subject: Re: Sarahtonin...

Posted by [Sarah](#) on Sat, 19 May 2007 09:35:12 GMT

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Are you saying you're a hippie? You never struck me as a hippie. :) Nice little town, though. The former Captain Beefheart guitar player lives there, Zoot Horn Rollo AKA Bill Harkleroad, which in itself makes the place cool.

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Posted by [Deej \[4\]](#) on Sat, 19 May 2007 22:32:44 GMT
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Looks like I'd be living in and around the town of Mist, unless someone could guarantee me a gig engineering audio.

<http://www.oregongeology.com/sub/oil/MistMap2003.PDF>

This looks like the only area in Oregon where I would be able to bring my professional skills to bear.

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Posted by [Mark McDermott](#) on Sun, 20 May 2007 21:26:32 GMT
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