

Second Annual Museums in Bloom

Museums in Bloom, a special one-day event hosted by Eugene/Springfield museums and coordinated by Oregon Museum Park Commission, will take place on Sunday, April 28 from 12 to 5 pm. This event will give museum goers a chance to view the following exhibits at no cost:

- **Altared States: 100 Years of Wedding Clothes and Customs**, Lane County Historical Museum.
- **Stone and Bone Carving from the Columbia River**, U of O Museum of Natural History.
- **Jupiter and Its Moons**, an exhibit, WISTEC.
- **28 Years of Metalsmithing**, The Second Northwest Vision Exhibition, photos from the Northwest, and **Masters of Fine Arts**, U of O Museum of Art.
- **By Jove**, a planetarium show on Jupiter and its satellites, Lane Education Service District Planetarium.
- **Old Country Store**, History of Springfield and Collection of Collections, Springfield Museum.

Altared States depicts the changes and similarities in both men and women's wedding dress and customs. The exhibit features wedding clothing from the Lane County Historical Museum's special occasion collection.

Included in the display will be the sunbonnet and stockings worn by Mary Ann Westrope while she crossed the plains to Oregon in 1864, the 1913 gown of Lucia Wilkins Moore and Cal Young's 3-piece suit. Related undergarments and accessories such as slips, corset covers, shoes, ties and fans will also be displayed.



The wedding clothes pictured here are part of the Lane County Museum's new exhibit. As part of the **Museums in Bloom** celebration, admission to the museum is free on Sunday, April 28. Hours are noon-5 pm.

While carvings in stone and bone represent a very small proportion of the aboriginal art in the Columbia River area, they are the materials which have been best preserved. These sculptures offer the best advantage to appreciate the native artistry of this area. Included in the **Stone and Bone Carving** exhibit will be a range of objects from delicately carved tiny charms and fish lures, to massive sculptures of humans and animals. Decorated tools and utensils will also be on display, including elaborately shaped pestles, clubs, bowls and mortars. The exhibit includes 13 exquisite pieces from collections at the Maryhill

Museum of Fine Arts in Goldendale, WA; the rest comes from the Oregon State Museum of Anthropology at the U of O.

Late in the summer of 1977, two spacecraft were launched from earth and directed toward close encounters with Jupiter and its fourteen moons. Eighteen months later, Voyager 1 passed Jupiter and Voyager 2 followed in July of that same year. **Jupiter and Its Moons** consists of 60 color and black-and-white photographs donated by the Jet Propulsion Laboratory/NASA in Pasadena, CA, where the transmissions from the spacecrafts are received. There will also be a narrated slide show entitled *Voyagers Encounter Jupiter*. The exhibition was organized by the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service.

Discover the Jovian planet for yourself at the Lane E.S.D. Planetarium. This new multi-media show will be shown free at 1, 2, 3 and 4 pm on Sunday, April 28 in celebration of Museums in Bloom. Seating is limited to 125 people per showing and is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Over the past 28 years, Max Nixon has been teaching metalsmithing at the University of Oregon. His outstanding teaching abilities and his creative successes as a working artist in metalsmithing have inspired hundreds of students over a long period of time. Representational works of 47 former students from throughout the U.S. are included in the University Art Museum exhibit as well as selected works created by Max.

In the photographic exhibit, a wide range of photographic imagery and processes is evident in this exciting competition. Always fresh, diversified and innovative, the Master of Fine Arts exhibition provides the viewing public an opportunity to see the candidates' progress and potential.

Old Country Store at the Springfield Museum is a recreation of the old country store of 60 years ago, complete with pot belly stove, cracker barrel, yarn goods, staples, medicines, kitchenware and candy.

History of Springfield features the Springfield Centennial quilt, early logging and lumbering, the development of the millrace, historic homes and Springfield's economic and cultural past.

Collection of Collections is a spotlight on local collectors and is an annual event where local collectors are invited to "show their stuff." This year's exhibit will feature collections of oriental hair ornaments, depression glass, porcelain, jello molds and more.



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BUSINESS BRIEFS

Avant Garde

Fitness Fashion

A beauty and fitness fashion show extravaganza is taking place this Saturday and Sunday in the courtyard of the 5th St. Public Market. The show is being presented by Fitness Fashion and Avant Garde to promote their grand openings at the 5th St. Public Market. Both shops have been established in Eugene but have recently moved to their new 5th St. locations. Fitness Fashion relocated to the fountain level while Avant Garde took a balcony location. Their combined effort will produce an interesting display of the latest exercise and sporting wear with the latest fashions in hair design.

The Avant Garde is not just another beauty salon. They are, as their name implies, leading a movement towards a more progressive way of hair design. The "big city look" is available by way of the technical know-how that David Fletcher brings with him from his salon in Las Vegas.

Along with Avant Garde's progressive hair designs will be Patty King of Fitness Fashion showing a full range of fashions including swimwear, aerobic dance wear, running clothes and sweat suits. Patty, who has a degree in Recreation and Park Management from the U of O, was a professional model and worked in the garment industry before opening her store. Patty is interested in knowing her shoppers' specific needs and will match it with the proper clothing. She keeps up on all the latest exercise classes in the community with brochures and flyers in the shop. She can help you find a class suited for personalized needs as well as helping to select the proper clothing to wear.

The fashion show begins Saturday with three shows at 11, 1 and 3 pm. Sunday's shows will be at the same times.

Both businesses will be offering refreshments and free drawings inside their separate locations and welcome the public to visit them in informal meetings.

Heaven's Gate

The new owners of Heaven's Gate, formerly The Lost Dutchman, in Springfield, recently reopened their restaurant and bar under new management. Country rock music, revised menus and a changed decor reflect the new entertainment directions Heaven's Gate presents the Springfield/Eugene area.

First in the spotlight, Michael John & Kimberly will bring their well-known style of country rock music to the Heaven's Gate stage through April 27th. Appearing with Michael John & Kimberly will be Special Delivery.

BBQ dinners (the best this side of heaven) highlight the new menu offered in the restaurant, with an "all you can eat" salad bar also featured. Beef, ribs, chicken and ham are available from the BBQ.

The decor in the Heaven's Gate dining room is brighter now from added windows, while the new redwood paneling also brings a deep richness to the interior. Accompanied by the large ceiling fans recently installed, the effect is one of cool tranquility for evenings of hot country rock music and enlivening meals.

Lane Regional Arts Council's

Second Annual Artist's Studio Tour

May 11-12 1-5 p.m.

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Dorothy Marshall, David Redetzke
and Vernon Witham

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