

Benefit auction supports the Grande Ronde Symphony

LA GRANDE — The 14th annual benefit auction of the Grande Ronde Symphony Association will be celebrated with a "Taste of Excellence" event Sept. 28, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Presbyterian Friendship Center, 1204 Spring St., La Grande.

Tickets, which are \$25 each, must be purchased by Sept. 20. They are on sale at the La Grande Farmers Market on Saturdays; Betty's Books in Baker City; Direct Music Source in La Grande; in person from any of the GRSA Board of Directors; and at www.granderondesymphony.org.

The event will include hors d'oeuvres and locally sourced beer, wine and chocolates. Patrons will be treated to the sounds of the symphony's own music director, Zachary Banks, on the cello and violinist Viet Block.

The evening's culinary offerings will include appetizers by Urban Vine, desserts, chocolates from Joseph's Arrowhead Chocolates, wines by Echo Ridge Cellars of Echo and brews by Barley Brown's of Baker City.

"We are excited to offer an evening for local patrons to not only come out to support the arts, but to enjoy our Oregon bounty through tasty bites and local libations — and who can resist local chocolate?" said Alice Trindle, GRSA president.

The silent auction will begin at 6 p.m. and continue until 6:50 p.m. The oral auction, led by auctioneer Heidi Hill, will start at 7 p.m.

"We have many wonderful items and experiences donated by attractions and individuals, ranging from art work to dinner with the director and a weekend golfing, bike riding and fishing at Silvies Valley Ranch valued at over \$1,000," said Janice Cowan, auction co-chair.

"The Grande Ronde Symphony Association is so appreciative of the strong support over the past 14 years by the greater northeast Oregon community for this

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6 pm - 9 pm

Presbyterian Friendship Center
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event," Trindle said.

For further information, visit www.granderondesymphony.org or contact the group via email at GRsymphony2@gmail.com.

EOff throws Friday disco party

LA GRANDE — A disco party at hq, 112 Depot St., La Grande, on Sept. 13 will benefit the annual operations of the Eastern Oregon Film Festival. The event is for ages 21 and older and themed after Studio 54, the iconic disco club of the 1970s. Period clothing is encouraged.

Specialty drinks and food by Ten Depot Street will be served at 7 p.m. After an 8 p.m. welcome, the disco balls light up for live music and dancing.

A variety of raffle prizes will be featured, including a three-day getaway to New York City with \$50 toward airfare, a four-day beach house stay in Yachats and an art glass sculpture from Kevin Boylan. Ticket holders must be



present to win at the 9:15 p.m. drawing.

Hustle now and get tickets, which are required, available at www.eofilmfest.com/studio54/. Cost is \$30 single, \$54 couple, \$54 VIP single, \$100 VIP couple.

Each ticket comes with a beer/wine token and a raffle ticket. VIP tickets include priority entrance, a special room with private bartender, VIP games, a specialty drink token and two raffle tickets.

Special entertainment for the night will be provided by Auntie Glitter & D-Sandwich with The Disco Infernos (formerly known as Biscuits).



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