

1 p.m., leading a women's workshop entitled *Our Own Stories: Creating our own stories and weaving them into meaningful celebratory ritual*. \$9. A SisterSpirit event for women of all traditions and none.

The Lesbian Community Project is delighted to present *Purple Passion*, an evening of love stories of older women for all women to enjoy.

Jay Goldspinner, a remarkable teller of tales, brings us stories and poems of romance and eroticism from Sappho to Sister Gin.

Tonight at 7 p.m. at the Primary Domain. \$5.00.

14 • TUESDAY

All Women Drawing Sessions at Percy's Liveable Art Studio, 3764 SE Hawthorne, today from 6-8 p.m. and Thursday, April 18, 10 am-noon. Drawing from live models. All skill levels welcome. This is not a class. Register now, \$6. 235-0654.

Ms. Joan Binninger, Director of Community Services for Planned Parenthood of the Columbia/Willamette, will be the featured speaker at the Tuesday, April 14 meeting of the **Portland Chapter of American Atheists**. Ms. Binninger will be speaking on the diverse programs of Planned Parenthood in support of reproductive choices for women. In addition, she will document the tactics employed by the religious right, the Roman Catholic Church and other groups to oppose and disrupt the legitimate activities of Planned Parenthood in providing information, and education on reproductive choices.

Tonight's meeting of American Atheists begins at 7 p.m. in meeting room A of the Multnomah County Central Library at the corner of S.W. 10th and Yamhill. The meeting is wheelchair accessible and is open free of charge to the general public.

15 • WEDNESDAY

Lesbian and Gay Pride invites all interested individuals and members of area organizations to a Community Forum, an update on what's been planned for Lesbian and Gay Pride '87 and what needs to be done to get there. Those interested in being task workers are encouraged to attend... we can't do it without you! Multnomah County Library, 801 S.W. 10th, 7:00 to 8:45 p.m. Room E.

16 • THURSDAY

A workshop: **Sexual Harassment: An Evening of Role Playing**, sponsored by the Portland Chapter of the National Organization for Women will be held tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett.

This workshop on sexual harassment will provide the opportunity for participating in a number of role-playing situations. Live actors will set up various scenarios of harassment, and then the audience will be asked to provide appropriate endings.

17 • FRIDAY

Poetry Reading: Sharon Doubiago, a poet who has published the book **Hard Country** as well as appeared in print in

the Clinton St. Quarterly, and other publications, will read at 8 p.m. tonight at Laughing Horse Books, 1322 NW 23rd. 227-5440.

Veronica's Room will open tonight with a gala affair following the performance at the Columbia Theater Company, 2021 SE Hawthorne Blvd. Ira Levin, also the author of **Deathtrap** and the screenplay for **Rosemary's Baby**, has created a totally absorbing spider's web entwining fantasy and reality. The Village Voice calls the play a '... neat, elegant thriller...'; and one New York critic said of the recent Broadway revivals, '... like being trapped in someone else's nightmare... jarring and surprising climax.'

Tickets for the opening are \$15.00. The play will continue Thursday-Saturday through May 23. Tickets are \$7.00 Thursday and \$8.00 Friday and Saturday. Curtain is 8:00 p.m. May 9th will be the actors benefit. For further information and/or reservations, call the theater at 232-7005 during business hours (10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays).

The **IFC Theatre's** 1986-87 season concludes with the Oregon premiere of David Henry Hwang's **FOB**, ("fresh off the boat"), opening tonight and continuing Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m., through May 17. 5340 N. Interstate Ave.

18 • SATURDAY

SisterSpirit invites women of all spiritual traditions to join them at the Seder, tonight at 6:30 p.m. at the Southeast Senior Service Center, 4707 SE Hawthorne. It's a potluck, so call Shulamit at 232-8038 to find out what to bring.

19 • SUNDAY

Tonight, **Desert Hearts** airs at **The Primary Domain**, 7:30-9:30, \$1, 1033 NW 16th, 224-4135.

Celebrate Easter/Ostara with **SisterSpirit** at a 6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Meadow Park if sunny, Echo Theater if rainy. Call 282-8615 by 9 p.m. Saturday, April 18, for location confirmation and directions to location. All women welcome.

21 • TUESDAY

Possession: The Legal Ramifications of Being in a Lesbian Relationship is the topic of the **Lesbian Forum** at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1624 NE Hancock, 7:30 p.m.

The Lesbian Forum is a women-only event. They offer supervised childcare, interpreting for the hearing impaired and deaf and wheelchair access (the 16th Street entrance is attended from 7:00 to 7:25). The suggested \$2 donation helps defray costs (more or less is okay). Call 253-1714 for more information.

22 • WEDNESDAY

Lesbian and Gay Pride '87 Steering Committee. See listing on April 8 for details.

23 • THURSDAY

Does Male Chauvinism Exist?, a video showing of Oprah Winfrey's January 14th talk show where feminists, including New York City Radical Women member and actress Emily Woo Yamasaki, battled rightwing male sexists. Join Portland Radical Women in viewing and discussion. Meeting tonight, 6:30 p.m., Multnomah County Central Library, 801 S.W. 10th Avenue. Everyone is welcome. For more information call 249-8067. Wheelchair accessible.

Tonight, Sue Fink returns to **The Primary Domain**, 8 p.m. \$5. Keyboard, guitarist and vocalist from san francisco celebrating her new album **Big Promise!!**

25 • SATURDAY

New Attitudes training schedule, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. today at Portland State University, Smith Center, Room 229. For additional information and scheduling of workshops, please contact the Cascade AIDS Project office at: 223-5907.

One day workshop for women on the process of creative writing: Blocks, how to tap into the imagination, etc. All kinds of

writing, all levels welcome. Saturday April 25th, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. \$40. To register call 236-9862. Flight of the Mind.

26 • SUNDAY

Beltane celebration with **SisterSpirit** will be tonight at Meadow Park, 6 p.m. Beltane traditionally celebrated life and love and the coming of summer with huge bonfires and much dancing, and singing! Call 282-8615 for location in case of rain. Bring goodies and lots of energy to share. Especially for women.

Special Country/Western Night at the Primary Domain tonight from 7:30 to 11 p.m. Country/Western dance music will be played. Don't be shy about how you dance to the music! Wear anything you like. Western wear can come out of the closet! Brought to you by the Primary Domain and Just Country Girls at Heart. For More Information: Call 626-5114.

28 • TUESDAY

Awaiting by Rene Rappaport, directed by Deborah Davis, Ph.D., and **Acapulco Holiday** by Phyllis Green, directed by A. Nanette Taylor, two plays that look at the emerging role of women tonight through May 26, Tuesday evenings at 8:00 P.M. Tickets are \$4.00, Columbia Theater Company, 2021 SE Hawthorne Boulevard. Reservations/Information: 232-7005 (10 a.m.-5 p.m. Weekdays).

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30 • THURSDAY

Casselberry-DuPree, afro-reggae musicians, will appear in concert tonight at the Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are based on a sliding scale of ability to pay at \$6, \$7 or \$8. The concert is being presented by WiseTree Productions, a non-profit organization dedicated to women in the arts, and the Portland State University Lesbian Alliance. The Northwest Service Center is wheelchair accessible. Child care will be provided on the site. Children 12 and under who wish to attend the concert will be admitted free. Tickets can be purchased in advance at A Woman's Place Bookstore or the Primary Domain. There will also be tickets at the door.

Richard Hilburn of the Los Angeles TIMES says: "This female duo deals in a rich inviting blend of gospel, country reggae and African chants on the topics that range from Apartheid to Feminism."

Casselberry-DuPree are high-powered, moving musicians, who have charmed audiences everywhere they've gone. Audiences are always moving in their seats, dancing in the aisles, and generally, loving every minute of this reggae-pop duo.

Flight of the Mind presents a class and writing support group for women, Thursdays for six weeks, beginning April 30th. Register for complete course: \$75. 236-9862.



The Nylons at Starry Night.