

out about town

17 • MONDAY

Today opens **AIDS Quilt Week** sponsored nationwide by The NAMES Project, P.O. Box 14573, San Francisco, CA 94114. 415/863-0767 or 415/626-5725.

Organizers of the NAMES Project are requesting the assistance of local activists and organizations in building the national "AIDS Quilt" memorial. Fabric panels bearing the names of people lost to the AIDS epidemic are being sewn into a massive quilt for display in Washington, DC on Sunday, October 11, 1987. Creators of the fabric tribute are asking local organizations and individuals to sponsor panel-making workshops or quilting bees during the week of August 17-24. Calling their effort **AIDS Quilt Week**, organizers hope to encourage participation in the NAMES Project throughout the United States in time for the October 11 display on the Capitol Mall, part of the National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights.

18 • TUESDAY

A Picnic In The Park — **The Lesbian Forum's potluck picnic** will be held in Section A of Laurelhurst Park which is in the SW corner off of Oak Street. (Follow the signs.) Bring musical instruments and food for sharing as well as your own beverage, plate and utensils. The event starts at 7 p.m. Call 230-2737 for more information.

20 • THURSDAY

Women's Rights Day Celebration. The Role of Black Women in the Fight for Women's Suffrage will be discussed by guest speaker, Black feminist educator, Milly Harmon. Join us in honoring Black women leaders of the struggle for women's right to vote who broke ground in the women's and Black movements, fighting racism in one and sexism in the other, connecting and strengthening both. Radical Women meeting is tonight, 6:30 p.m. at Multnomah County Central Library, 801 S.W. 10th Avenue. Everyone is welcome. For more information call 249-8067. Wheelchair accessible.

22 • SATURDAY

The **Hawthorne Street Festival** is today. Art Down The Alley Gallery will have special treats in store for those who venture by on that date. Among other things, the gallery is planning an artist's street booth, refreshments, and a kiddie art corner. Come see us! 3764 SE Hawthorne Blvd.

Today and tomorrow **The Lesbian Community Project**, Portland's only multi-issue, multi-cultural lesbian organization, is hosting its second annual **Lesbian Softball Tournament**. Last year six teams from the Portland area participated in a one-day event. This year tournament organizers are expanding the tournament to include teams from across the state and as far away as Seattle, for two days of fun and softball. All lesbian teams are invited to participate. All games will be played at Lents Park in Portland and start at 9 a.m.

This is an event that should not be missed. Once again the LCP will provide the complimentary watermelon, and there will be food available from local lesbian vendors. Social activities will include a post-tournament picnic, and everything the Portland night life has to offer. Entry fees for the tournament are \$60.00 per team, and they will try and arrange housing for out-of-town teams. Deadline to register is August 10. The LCP is looking forward to an even more successful tournament this year, and we hope that you will join us. For more information, or if you would like to register, contact Dianne Hrubec, Tournament Organizer, at (503) 232-5139, or write c/o LCP, P.O. Box 5931, Portland, OR 97228.

Summertime and the livin' is easy... but at **Echo Theatre** the bills need to be paid, so what else is there to do but have a **Rent Party** and dance?

That's right, Echo Theatre will be sponsoring an all-ages Dance Party on Saturday, August 22nd, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Sliding scale admission is \$2-4 and refreshments will be available. So, slip into those dancing shoes! Dance to the best of rock, soul, reggae and oldies! Help Echo! For more information call 231-1232.

Today and tomorrow at 3 p.m. **Shakespeare-in-the-Park** presents **Measure for Measure** at South Park Blocks. See August 1 for details.

Lesbians Enjoying the Sciences are making a field trip to Mt. St. Helens today and tomorrow. Call Pat at 235-9553 for more info.

27 • THURSDAY

The **A.I.D.S. Show (Artists Involved with Death and Survival)** tonight at the Media Project, 716 SW 16th at Morrison, two showings at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Benefits Cascade AIDS Project and the Media Project, admission \$3. The showings will be followed by panel discussions.

A gallery talk with Dianne Kornberg, tonight, from 7-9 p.m. at the Photographic Image Gallery. Dianne Kornberg will give a talk on her show **Crustaceans in Bondage and Other Images** and have other works on hand to speak about. Refreshments will be served, the public is invited, cost is \$5 per person with advance reservation necessary. 208 SW First Ave.

29 • SATURDAY

The **Italian Garden Party** is planned to take place at the home of artist Dianna C. Long. The party is being planned by the newly formed **Friends of the Gallery Auxiliary** and promises wonderful Italian food, decorations, entertainment and merriment. This is a fundraiser for the gallery and everyone is encouraged to support local artists by supporting this alternative space. For tickets and more information call Art Down the Alley at 235-0654 or Nancy at 255-5654.

Today and tomorrow at 3 p.m. **Shakespeare-in-the-Park** presents **Measure for Measure** at Washington Park. See August 1 for details.

The Northwest Examiner presents **Northwest Folk Festival** at the NW Service Center, 1819 NW Everett. Featuring Obo Addy and Kukurudu, The Reggae All Stars, Tih Mahoney, Brian Dunning and Tommy Hayes' Puck Fair w/ Gordon Lee, Curtis Salgado, Lloyd Jones - Fritz Richman Trio, Jackie Miller, Gwion, Norman Sylvester with the Johnnie Ward Blues Band, Ruck Uselston. Tickets available at GI Joe's, Music Millennium, Artichoke Music and Jean Machine. For more info, call 241-2353.

PUBLIC INTEREST

Dr. Elizabeth Kubler-Ross, noted author, teacher and pioneer in the field of Death & Dying will be in Roseburg, September 11, 1987. Dr. Kubler-Ross will give a public address that evening in Douglas Hall at the Douglas County Fairgrounds. Cost is \$10.00 per person or \$15.00 at the door. Tickets are available in

blocks of 25 or more to those facilities or organizations who wish to make this opportunity available in their area. Dr. Kubler-Ross and her staff will also be offering a Life, Death & Transition Workshop Sept. 9-13th. For further information on either of these presentations write to Friends of Elizabeth Kubler-Ross, P.O. Box 1273, Roseburg, OR 97470.

Women's Meditation every Sunday at 8 p.m. Open to all women, meets at 1405 NE Broadway, Crone MAGIC. For info call Jules Pearl at 233-2468.

ASA Inc., a non-profit Organization. **Pagan spiritual group** offering regular ritual and networking and open to individuals regardless of sexual orientation. For more information, please write: ASA, P.O. Box 13072, Portland, OR 97213.

Storefront Theatre announces open auditions for its first production in the Portland Center for the Performing Arts, **The Rocky Horror Show** written by Richard O'Brien (who plays Riff Raff in the film).

Auditions are by appointment only, August 10, 11 and 12 (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday) at Storefront Theatre, 6 SW Third at Burnside. Auditioners will be asked to provide a **resume and photo** when they arrive, and **be prepared to sing one song from the show**. An accompanist will be provided who knows the entire score of the play.

Rehearsals will begin September 8, and performances are October 23 - December 5 (in rep with **The Stick Wife**). All performers will be paid. To make an audition appointment, please call Gary O'Brien at 224-9598.

You're invited to a series of **free seminars on safety, fitness, and self-defense** sponsored by the **Dacascos Academy of Kung Fu and Karate Fitness**. The free classes include street self-defense, women's assault awareness and prevention, child safety, CPR, and relaxation. Most seminars are an hour long, but you're welcome to stay to talk with instructors about your questions and concerns. We offer and repeat classes at convenient times on different days so that you can fit the class you're interested in into your schedule.

You'll want to wear a sweatsuit, T-shirt or something comfortable because the classes include practical hands-on experience. And along with the quality instruction, we'll provide tea, coffee, and refreshments. For a schedule of classes that run through August and September, call Tara at 626-0889, 5-9 p.m.

The Phoenix Rising Adventure Program presents a **Challenge Course**, Saturday, August 29th. It's fun, physical, safe and challenging — both emotionally and physically! A risk-taking challenge course

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