

# out about town



Barb Glenn (left) and Susan Nivert, the Derivative Duo, perform Saturday, Sept. 24, at the Northwest Service Center.

## 16 FRIDAY

"Family, Friends, and Neighbors," a unique collection of photos and personal stories focusing on 50 gay and lesbian Oregonians, is on exhibit at the Salem Public Library through Sept. 30. (10 am-6 pm Monday, Friday and Saturday; 10 am-9 pm Tuesday-Thursday, 585 Liberty St. SE, Salem, free, 588-6052.)

The Rexall Rose presents Day 2 of its "Three Day Event" in conjunction with the ACLU's Uncensored Celebration. The topic: "Is limiting reading material and media access beneficial to students?" This panel discussion will be taped by KBOO 90.7 FM for future broadcast. (6:30 pm, 2403 NE Alberta, free, a light supper is available before the show, reservations: 282-9781.)

The Odalisque Lounge opens its weekly cabaret shows, featuring some very unusual acts, at the City Nightclub. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$5, 224-CITY.)

## 17 SATURDAY

Raphael House presents free noon screenings of the Academy Award-winning documentary on domestic violence *Defending Our Lives*, showing simultaneously at CineMagic (2021 SE Hawthorne Blvd., 231-7919) and Cinema 21 (616 NW 21st Ave., 223-4515).

Day 3 of the Rexall Rose's contribution to the ACLU's Uncensored Celebration: "Incendiary Manifesto," an evening of performances based on historical speeches. (7:30 pm, 2403 NE Alberta, \$5, 282-9781.)

Berkshire Snow presents Ani DiFranco in concert at the Melody Ballroom. Northwest act Artis the Spoonman will open the show. All ages. (8 pm, 615 SE Alder St., \$10 advance [tickets: Fastix outlets, Music Millennium]; \$12 door.)

Oregon Peace Institute presents an "Urban Peace Jamm," a dance to benefit its Youth-at-Risk programs. Includes a model search, street dance contest, performances and door prizes. (6-9 pm, first floor, Galleria, 921 SW Morrison St., \$2 suggested donation, 228-8563.)

## 18 SUNDAY

Nationally syndicated columnist Norman Solomon joins Washington state journalist Sandy Nelson at a panel discussion on "Why Reporters Need Political Rights: The Momentous Sandy Nelson Case." Wheelchair accessible. (1 pm buffet; 2:30 pm panel, Musicians Union Hall, 325 NE 20th Ave., \$7 buffet; \$3 donation at door for panel, 228-3090 or 735-9208.)

"Maintaining Hope Under Siege," a workshop with Holly Near, who has over 25 years experience working for social change. Through music and the sharing of her own experiences, Holly will teach you how to avoid burn-out, how to stay effective, and how to keep hope alive. (2-4 pm, \$20; \$15 for out of town participants, call to register: 281-4635.)

Holly Near performs, with John Bucchino on piano, at the Northwest Service Center. Wheelchair accessible; ASL interpreted. (8 pm, 1819 NW Everett St., \$16 advance [tickets: It's My Pleasure or charge by phone: 244-8499]; \$35 Golden Circle seating and preshow reception [tickets: It's My Pleasure or call 281-4635].)

## 19 MONDAY

The Sexual Minorities Roundtable meets in the Justice Center. The agenda will be set at the beginning of the meeting. (Noon-1:30 pm, 14th floor, conference room C, 823-0283.)

Monqui presents Dooo-Lite, as Queer Night takes over La Luna with live music. The New York City-based trio performs its "zippie future music" for all ages. (8 pm doors; 9 pm show, 215 SE Ninth Ave., \$10 advance [tickets: Ticketmaster 224-4400]; \$12 day of show and door, 241-LUNA.)

## 21 WEDNESDAY

Meet photographer Jim Folts and some of the people depicted in the photo exhibit "Family, Friends, and Neighbors" (see Friday, Sept. 16) at a reception in the Salem Public Library's Anderson Auditorium. (5-7 pm, 585 Liberty St. SE, Salem, free, 588-6052.)

Cascade AIDS Project's Speak to Your Brothers Project presents Dr. Mark Loveless of Oregon Health Sciences University, who will discuss the latest information on HIV/AIDS treatment. The presentation will be specifically geared towards people living with HIV/AIDS. Friends and support people welcome. (7-9 pm, CAP offices, Suite 300, 620 SW Fifth, 223-5907.)

## 22 THURSDAY

The Speak to Your Brothers Project offers drop-in MenTalks: evenings to join other gay and bisexual men to talk and strategize about issues that are important in the '90s. (7-10 pm, Esspress It, 1026 SW Stark St., 223-5907.)

Fear No Music 20th Century Ensemble presents "The Personal is Political," a concert of politically motivated works, as part of the ACLU's Uncensored Celebration. (8 pm, Elliot Chapel, Reed College, 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd.; and 8 pm Friday, Sept. 23, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 1432 SW 13th, \$12 general; \$6 students and seniors, 335-3386.)

## 23 FRIDAY

### Fall Equinox

"Censorship and the Far Right's Hidden Agenda:" Join Steve Gardner of the Coalition for Human Dignity as he discusses the implications of the far right's agenda and how it impacts our civil liberties. Who censors whom, and why? (7 pm, Laughing Horse Books, 3652 SE Division, 236-2893.)

The province of the queer "home movie" is explored in three films at the Northwest Film Center. Deborah Hoffman, editor of *The Times of Harvey Milk*, takes a poignant yet humorous look at the trials, frustrations and contradictions of being the daughter of a mother with Alzheimer's disease in *Complaints of a Dutiful Daughter* (1994). Shows with *Tomboychick* (1994) by Sandi Dubowski, and *Me and Rubyfruit* (1989) and *If Every Girl Had a Diary* (1990) by lesbian Wunderkind Sadie Benning. (7:30 pm, Berg Swann Auditorium, 1219 SW Park Ave., \$5.50 general; \$4.50 members, 221-1156.)

Country Western dancing for women. (7:30 pm lesson; 8:30-10 pm dancing, St. David's Community Hall, 2800 SE Harrison, \$3, 233-2047.)

Falsettos, the story of a how an 11-year-old boy deals with the fact of his father leaving his mother for another man, plays Thursdays-Saturdays through Oct. 15. Part of the ACLU's Uncensored Celebration. (8 pm, Portland Repertory Stage II, \$17.50, 246-8967.)

## 24 SATURDAY

The United Negro College Fund is sponsoring its annual "Walk-a-Mile-to-Save-a-Mind" walkathon. Police Chief Moose and Matthew Prophet will lead the way as the event's honorary co-chairs. (7:30 am registration; 9 am walk, Grant Park, corner of Northeast 33rd Avenue and Brazee Street, 223-8890.)

Come join the Laughing Horse Collective at its Last Saturday of Every Month Community-Building Potluck! All welcome. Bring musical instruments. (7 pm, 3652 SE Division, 236-2893.)

The Derivative Duo performs at the Northwest Service Center. The duo's music is full of beautiful melodies and unflinching lesbian feminist lyrics, and their opera parodies illuminate the pressing social issues of today. Wheelchair accessible; ASL interpreted. (8 pm, 1819 NW Everett, \$10 advance [tickets: Fastix outlets]; \$12 door.)

Ashland singer-songwriter Alice DiMiceli returns to Portland for a concert and record release celebration. Nonsmoking show; over 21 only. (9 pm, Melody Ballroom, 615 SE Alder St., \$8 advance [tickets: Fastix, Think Good Thoughts, It's My Pleasure]; \$10 door.)

"The Last Temptation" plays at the City Nightclub. Gothic costumes, music and dance with a very queer twist. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6, 224-CITY.)

## 25 SUNDAY

Equal Rights Political Action Committee meets to discuss Ballot Measure 13 and election candidates. (4 pm, Sneakers, 300 Liberty St. SE, Salem, Ore., voice mail: 370-3935.)

Alice DiMiceli, contemporary singer, songwriter and recording artist from Ashland, entertains as part of the "Illuminating Intolerance" series in Central Oregon. (7:30 pm, Bend, call for location, 503-593-8718.)

Come to a candlelight march, vigil and rally held in Brian in memory of Hattie Mae Cohens and Brian Mock, murdered two years ago by Skinheads. Sponsored by the Lesbian Avengers, the march begins at the Capitol Building and ends at the firebombed building where the pair died. (6:30 pm, meet at Holladay Park Hospital in Portland to carpool to Salem, 452-5408.)

Join Darcelle and friends for an Introduction of Candidates for the positions of Emperor and Empress of the Imperial Sovereign Rose Court. (7 pm doors; 8 pm show, 208 NW Third Ave., \$5, 222-5338.)

"Directing the Self: Making the Personal Diary" is a workshop led by video diarist Lynn Hershman. (3-5 pm, Northwest Film Center, 1219 SW Park, \$25, 221-1156.)

## 26 MONDAY

The Rosetown Ramblers, Portland's gay and lesbian square dance club, hosts an evening of fun at Oaks Park Roller Skating Rink. This is a private party. Donations of canned food for local AIDS service organizations are encouraged. (7:30-10 pm, Oaks Amusement Park, foot of Southeast Spokane Street, \$5.)

## 27 TUESDAY

Oregon Housing NOW Coalition presents a bilingual housing community forum for tenants. Presented in Spanish and English. (6 pm light meal; 7 pm forum, Piedmont Friends Church, 5736 N Albina, free, for child care or accommodation for disabilities: 288-0317.)

## 29 THURSDAY

"Dynamic Differences" is a volunteer community-based diversity training program offered through the Metropolitan Human Rights Commission. Each workshop is presented by a biracial team of trainers. Tonight's workshop, held at Luther Memorial Church, focuses on understanding oppression and the importance of building allies and networks. (6:30-8:45 pm, 4800 NE 72nd Ave., free, call to register: 823-5136 voice and TTD.)

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## 1 SATURDAY

The Rosetown Ramblers present Country Western dancing till 1:30 am, at the Portland Metro Police Club. (9:30 pm bar opens; 10 pm dance lessons; 10:30 pm open dancing, 618 SE Alder, \$5, info: 206-423-8295.)

Shop, Dine and Boogie Against 13! The No on 13 Campaign is recruiting 200 merchants and restaurants who will give a portion of today's profits to the campaign against Measure 13. Participating businesses will be listed in local publications. In the evening, the group plans 100 house parties to raise funds to "fight the right tonight." The capper is a big boogie bash at the Melody Ballroom, including live music, a DJ, and refreshments. Volunteers are needed! (9 pm-2 am dance, 615 SE Alder, \$6-\$10 sliding scale, No on 13 Campaign 222-6151.)

## 2 SUNDAY

The No on 13 Campaign presents "Breakfast at Zefiro's," a '60s-style event to raise money for the fight against Measure 13. One hundred tickets will be sold to this event. (11 am, 500 NW 21st Ave., \$100, call for tickets: 222-6151.)

## 4 TUESDAY

First Tuesday Women's Coffeehouse features music and performances by various artists and musicians. ASL interpreted. (7:30 pm, Bijou Cafe, 132 SW Third Ave., \$3, 233-2047.)

## 7 FRIDAY

The No on 13 Campaign presents a Panorama Auction. Fantasy and art items will be offered in both silent and oral auctions. Food and drink will be available. Volunteers needed! Proceeds go to the campaign to fight Measure 13. (5 pm patron preview; 6-10 pm auction, Portland Art Museum North Wing, 1119 SW Park Ave., \$50 patron; \$25 general, 221-6151.)

(See the Theater and Gallery listings in Out About Town.)