

Whether you walk your dog or it walks you, your efforts will be especially worthwhile at the Best Friends Walk for Friends, a benefit dog walk held Saturday, July 29, at Laurelhurst Park. Proceeds go to the Friends of People With AIDS Foundation (see article on page 14).



21 FRIDAY

Play LezBingo with the **Lesbian Community Project**. Nonsmoking; child care available. (7-11 pm, Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett St., LCP 223-0071.)

Village Spirit Marimba Band performs at a **community dance**. Alcohol- and smoke-free. (9 pm, Zorba's Dance Cafe, Northwest Glisan Street at 11th Avenue, \$6 at door; 12 and under free, information: 287-5644.)

Candy J/Sweet Pussy Pauline performs live and in person. Catch the **West Coast premiere performance** of her new recording "The Search...for the Big Dick Man." (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$5 cover, 224-CITY.)

22 SATURDAY

Thomas Mapfumo, the "Lion of Zimbabwean Music," performs and celebrates his **50th birthday in Portland**. (2-5 pm reception [reservation only]; 9 pm performance, Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett St., \$14 concert; \$19 concert and reception [tickets: Music Millennium, Fastix 224-8499], 331-8195.)

Raven at Midnight, a two-spirit performer, appears at **City Nightclub**. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6 cover, 224-CITY.)

23 SUNDAY

Attend "**Flesh and Fantasy**," the 1995-1996 **Mr. and Ms. Eugene Leather Show and Contest**, an evening of leather and Levis. Contestants are sought; applications are available at the Club Arena bar. (7 pm doors; 8 pm show, Club Arena, 959 Pearl St., Eugene, \$5 cover [application fee of \$5 includes cover], 345-1969.)

29 SATURDAY

The Friends of People With AIDS Foundation holds its second **Best Friends Walk for Friends**, a benefit dog walk at Laurelhurst Park. Darcelle XV will host the event. Pledge sheets are available in Portland at Pet Set, 1411 SW 14th Ave.; Jelly Bean, 721 SW 10th Ave.; and Man's Best Friend, 3445 SW Hawthorne Blvd. (9 am registration; 10 am walk, for pledge sheets and information: Corey Baker 245-7428.)

See the theater and gallery listings in **Out About Town**.

14 FRIDAY

It's **Nightscene**, (a queer American Bandstand) and the audience is the star at tonight's **live videotaping at City Nightclub**. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$5 cover, 224-CITY.)

15 SATURDAY

Cascade AIDS Project hosts "**Heat Rave**," an ultimate beach and dance party to benefit the Men's HIV Prevention Program. Enjoy a DJ, no-host bar and complimentary hors d'oeuvres. A raffle will be held for a trip for two to Puerto Vallarta. (4-7 pm, Bybee Farm, Sauvie Island, \$15 general; \$50 patron ticket includes one raffle ticket; \$100 patron ticket includes two raffle tickets and a bottle of champagne, David Strah 223-5907, ext. 187.)

The Portland-Area **Radical Faeries** presents "**Passion Dancing Naked**," a guided, interactive tribal dance celebration for men. Featuring San Francisco's Matthew Simmons, a "Sacred DJ" and ecstatic-dance-ritual guide. All men are welcome; smoke- and substance-free. Proceeds to provide scholarship money for the August Faerie Gathering at Breitenbush. (7:30 pm-midnight

doors close at 8 pm), **Body Moves Studio**, 918 SW Yamhill St., \$20 advance [tickets: Jelly Bean or call 233-9156]; \$25 door.)

Stockton, Calif., singer-songwriter **Fiona Lehn** performs at **Cafe Lena**. (8 pm, 2239 SE Hawthorne Blvd., donations accepted, 238-7087.)

City Nightclub hosts the **Tiara Desmonde Show**, a drag show with elegance and sophistication. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6 cover, 224-CITY.)

16 SUNDAY

Watch the **Rose City Softball Association** swing the bat at **Alberta Park**. (Games at 10 am, 11:20 am, 12:40 pm, 2 pm and 3:20 pm, NE Twenty-second Avenue and Ainsworth Street, field no. 2, 244-8520 or 281-7637.)

SisterSpirit holds an "Animal Spirits" ritual for women celebrating **Goddess**. Open to all women; wheelchair accessible. (6 pm, Forest Park, information and directions: 294-0645.)

The **Rosetown Ramblers** presents "**A Taste of Square Dance**," a sampler class for people interested in checking out square dancing. (7:30-

9:30 pm, Trinity United Methodist Church, Southeast 39th Avenue and Steele Street, free.)

17 MONDAY

The **Hora Ashkelon Folk Dance Troupe**, from Portland's Israeli sister city, performs at the **Mittleman Jewish Community Center**. This group has represented Israel in Folk Dance Festivals around the world. Co-sponsored by the Portland-Ashkelon Sister City Association and MJCC's Israel Program Center. (7:30 pm, 6651 SW Capitol Highway, \$12.50 general; \$10 PASCAs members; \$5 students and seniors; \$25 patron includes reception with dancers, reserved seat, one-year PASCAs membership), tickets available in advance at MJCC front desk, information: Rhonda Fox 452-3429.)

19 WEDNESDAY

SisterSpirit's Wiccan discussion group meets. All women welcome. Tonight's topic: "Divination." (7-9 pm, 408 SW Second Ave., Suite 426, 294-0645.)

Dykes To Watch Out For

