

out about town

august

18 FRIDAY

It's Queer 2 Year: **Queer Night's 2nd Anniversary Party** at LaLuna. Catch live acts by **Michael Stirling**, **Solid**, **The Dandy Warhols** with visuals by **Gus Van Sant**, and **wicked DJ Markie Mark** (from San Francisco). All ages welcome. Profits will benefit the William Jamison Scholarship Fund at Pacific Northwest College of Art. (9 pm, 215 SE Ninth Ave., \$6 advance [tickets: TicketMaster 224-4400], 241-LUNA.)

The Portland Art Museum's **Northwest Film Center** premieres **The Devil Never Sleeps**, a new film by Oscar-nominated director Lourdes Portillo. Beginning with a phone call from Mexico with the news that her uncle Oscar has been shot to death, Portillo's film is a "documystery" that travels a road between humor, poignancy, familial and ancestral bonds, police procedures and melodrama. (Friday and Saturday, Aug. 18-19, 7 pm and 8:45 pm both nights, 1219 SW Park Ave., \$6 general; \$5 members and seniors, 221-1156.)

Portland Bisexual Women hosts a **barbecue** at Kelly Point Park. Bring food, nonalcoholic beverages, and a grill if you have one. (6:30 pm, last parking lot, Deborah 283-6433.)

Kathleen Fallon and **Nan Collie**, of **Motherlode**, perform as a duo at a benefit concert for **Amnesty International**. (8 pm, First Unitarian Church, Southwest 12th Avenue and Salmon Street, \$8-\$15 sliding scale in advance [tickets: It's My Pleasure, Artichoke Music, Catalyst Booksellers]; \$10-\$15 sliding scale at door.)

Hear **Doris Daze** at the **East Avenue Tavern**. The Willies open. (9:30 pm, 727 E Burnside St., \$4, 236-6900.)

City Nightclub hosts a **hula hoop party**: Bring your hoop and get in for half price, enter the contest and win cash and prizes. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$5 cover, 224-CITY.)

Play **Pride Bingo!** Nonsmoking; child care provided. Same bingo, new name. Sponsored by the **Lesbian Community Project**. (7-11 pm, Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett St., 223-0071.)

19 SATURDAY

Join **Gentle Giants of Oregon** and G&M of Seattle for **Midsummer's Madness Part III**. (Chub Line: 283-5650.)

The Portland Hemp Festival features speakers, legal-hemp products and lots of music: Sage, King Black Acid, Star Chile and Dandy Warhols are just a sampling. (10 am-10 pm, Ankeny Stage, Waterfront Park, Southwest Front Avenue at the Burnside Bridge, free, 224-9575.)

The merchants on Hawthorne and the Hawthorne Boulevard Business Association present **Hawthorne's World Fair**, a two-day festival of music, food, crafts and information. (Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 19-20, Southeast Hawthorne Boulevard between 14th and 50th avenues.)

Talkapella poet **Zoa Smith** and musical guests Dave McShane and Jon McDaid perform at **David Morrison Books**. A Hawthorne's World Fair event. (2 pm, 1420 SE 37th Ave., free, 233-5868.)

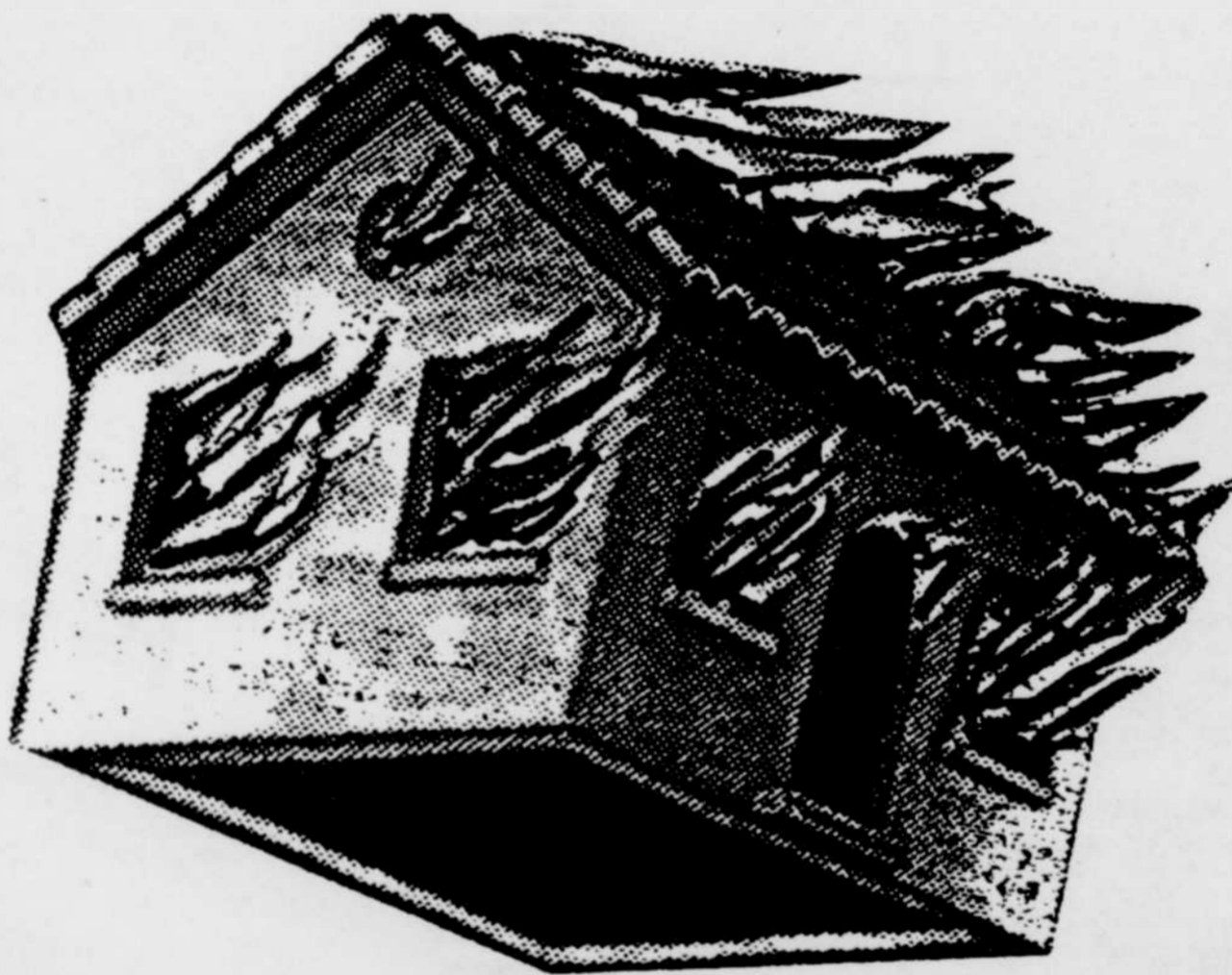
Rosetown Ramblers host a **potluck and tape dance**. (Potluck 6 pm; dance 7-9:30 pm,

Trinity United Methodist Church, Southeast 39th Avenue and Steele Street, Seth 253-8964.)

Galloway and Luckett perform jazz, blues and country at the White Moon Cow in Pacific City. (8-10 pm, 35490 Brooten Road, Pacific City, \$5, 965-5101.)

Tribe Productions presents "A Midsummer Night Fling," a **women's dance with DJ Mel** of East Avenue Out. (9 pm, Melody Ballroom, 615 SE Alder St., \$6 advance [tickets: It's My Pleasure 4526 SE Hawthorne Blvd.], \$7 at door, 238-2551.)

The Kristie Kramer Show comes to the **City Nightclub**. See impersonations of Peggy Lee, Linda Ronstadt, Stevie Nicks and more! Proceeds will be donated to local AIDS service organizations; a representative of Cascade AIDS Project will give a short talk. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6 cover, 224-CITY.)



A detail from *Remember Me*, an installation by Eugene artist Mike E. Walsh that examines mortality, loss of innocence and temporality in the era of AIDS. The work is part of the Oregon Biennial at the Portland Art Museum through Oct. 1.

20 SUNDAY

The **Third Sunday Brunch** group invites all lesbians to a monthly potluck. Meet warm, friendly and interesting women. (11 am, location: 281-4638.)

Southwest Washington Lesbians have a **barbecue and day of river fun** at River Oak's RV Park. Fishing, boating, swimming and munching. Sponsored by the Lesbian Community Project. (1 pm, Toledo, Wash., Janelle 360-694-3740.)

SisterSpirit membership class is open to all women interested in SisterSpirit. (1-4 pm class; 4:30-6 pm potluck dinner, ritual follows, 294-0645.)

SisterSpirit celebration: "Lammas," a ritual for women celebrating Goddess. All women welcome. Wheelchair accessible. (6 pm, 294-0645.)

21 MONDAY

Author **Craig Lesley** reads from his new book **The Sky Fisherman** at Powell's City of Books. (7:30 pm, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

Cascade AIDS Project's **HIV University** holds a class on "Long-term Survival." A panel of long-term survivors talk about getting there. (6:30-9 pm, for reservation and location: 223-6339, ext. 111.)

22 TUESDAY

The **Speakers Bureau** of the **Lesbian Community Project** meets. (7-9 pm, Sharon 774-3995.)

Douglas Unger reads from his new novel **Voices from Silence** at Powell's City of Books. (7:30 pm, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

23 WEDNESDAY

Club dancing with the **Rosetown Ramblers**. (7-9:30 pm, Trinity United Methodist Church, Southeast 39th Avenue and Steele Street, \$3, Seth 253-8964.)

24 THURSDAY

Progressive Queers meet to discuss the politics of queer marriage in a broad progressive context. (6:30-8 pm, location: Katharine 287-6082.)

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