

# out about town

september

## 1 FRIDAY

Catch **Doris Daze plus Richmond Fontaine and Sidecar** at LaLuna. Must be 21 or over. (8 pm doors; 9 pm show, Balcony, 215 SE Ninth Ave., \$5, 241-LUNA.)

Play **The Gay Dating Game** at **City Nightclub**. Meet your perfect match and win a night out on the town. The evening is part of the City Nightclub's 12th anniversary celebrations nightly through Sept. 3. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$5 cover, 224-CITY.)

## 2 SATURDAY

**Forest Group hikes on Chinidera Mountain** above Whatum Lake. A 4.1-mile loop with an 1,100-foot elevation gain takes you past huckleberry bushes and a splendid view. Stop at a Hood River restaurant on the way back. Women only, please. (293-1358.)

**SportsFest '95 comes to town:** Rose City Open V, a tennis tournament for gay and lesbian athletes at open to "D" levels, runs through Monday, Sept. 4. Men's and women's singles, doubles and mixed doubles matches take place on courts at the Portland Tennis Center (324 NE 12th Ave.), Gabriel Park (Southwest 45th Avenue), and Portland State University (Southwest Broadway and Hall Street). **A one-day swim meet** will be held Sunday, Sept. 3, at the YWCA; it's open to all swimmers 19 and above. Day-of-race entries will be accepted. Social events sponsored by SportsFest hosts Team Portland Tennis Association and Team Portland Aquatic Club are planned, call group contacts for details. (Tennis event information: Bill 232-5557; swimming event: 1 pm warm-ups; 2 pm meet, 1111 SW 10th Ave., information: Jill 228-1596.)

Come to a tape **dance with the Rosetown Ramblers**. Afterwards, enjoy the Rambler's monthly country western dance with a live DJ. (7-10 pm square dance; 10 pm-1 am C/W dance, Portland Police Athletic Association, 618

SE Alder St., \$5 for one dance; \$7.50 for both, Seth 253-8964.)

See **The Daphne DeVille All-Star Revue**, featuring Rosebud XIX Cherry Jubilee Deluxe, Thom XIX Edward, The Prince of Darkness Danny Diess and more, at **City Nightclub**. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6 cover, 224-CITY.)

## 3 SUNDAY

Ooh la la, it's the 14th annual **La Femme Magnifique International Pageant** at the Atrium at Montgomery Park. The most glamorous female impersonator in the known universe will be chosen. This year's theme is *Erté of the '20s and '30s*. (7 pm doors; 8 pm show, 2701 NW Vaughn St., \$18 tickets: Darcelle XV 222-5338.)

**City Nightclub hosts the Drag Star Search.** The winner receives a spot on the TV show

**Nightscene** and \$100 cash. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$3 cover, 224-CITY.)

## 4 MONDAY

**Labor Day**

**Queer Night at LaLuna** presents Labor Daze with DJ Dazy. All ages welcome. (9 pm, 215 SE Ninth Ave., \$3.)

## 5 TUESDAY

**Candace Gingrich**, sister of Speaker Newt Gingrich, visits Portland to talk about **the National Coming Out Project**. (7 pm, the Great Hall, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1624 NE Hancock St., free.)

## 6 WEDNESDAY

**First Tuesday Coffee House** features Terri Grayum, Willow and Bluegrass music. (7:30 pm, Bijou Cafe, 132 SW Third Ave., \$3, 283-7651.)

**Flooney, of Flooney's Theater Company**, reads the Langston Hughes poem "Good Morning Revolution" at Powell's City of Books as part of the **ACLU's Uncensored Celebration**. The poem, written during Hughes' travels in Russia, is a parody of Carl Sandburg's poem "Good Morning, America." (7:30 pm, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

## 7 THURSDAY

Talkapella poet **Zoa Smith** and her "spoken word band" **3rd Uncle** appear in the collaborative performance "In the Land of Subtitles," as part of the ACLU's Uncensored Celebration. (6:30 pm, Acanthus Gallery, 120 NW Ninth Ave., Suite 210, free, 224-5475.)

Author **Shawn Wong** (editor of *Aiiieeeee!*, an anthology of Asian American literature) reads from his new novel, *American Knees*, at **Powell's City of Books**. (7:30 pm, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

Rock 'n' Roll Hall of Famer **Elton John** performs at the Memorial Coliseum. (7:30 pm, \$45 and \$29.50 tickets: Fred Meyer Fastixx 224-8499.)

## 8 FRIDAY

**Forest Group** hosts a **potluck** and planning meeting for women only. (6:30 pm potluck; 7:30 pm meeting, 239-9082.)

Attend the Lesbian Community Project's **Over 35 Potluck**. Bring your favorite dish to share. (7 pm, for details and to RSVP: Sandy 254-2979.)

**Linnea Due** reads from her book *Joining the Tribe: Growing Up Gay and Lesbian in the '90s* at **In Other Words**. (7 pm, 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd., 232-6003.)

**Women's country western dancing**. (7:30 pm lesson; 8:30-10 pm dance, St. David's Hall, 2800 SE Harrison St., \$3, 283-7651.)

Gay solo performer **Paul Bonin-Rodriguez** performs the second part of his Texas trilogy, **The Bible Belt and Other Accessories**. Wheelchair accessible. (8 pm Friday-Saturday, Sept. 8-9, Echo



Experience a harmonica convergence and plenty more at the Northwest Women's Music Celebration, with Motherlode, which begins Sept. 15

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