

out about town

march

1 FRIDAY

Sanctuary: A Spirit House, a dance performance choreographed by **Keith V. Goodman**, opens at **Conduit**. (8 pm, March 1-2; 8-9; 14-15, 918 SW Yamhill St., Suite 401, \$10 and \$12, reservations: 221-5857.)

Join the **Forest Group** for a potluck and planning meeting. (Information and location: 255-3378.)

Portland Baroque Orchestra performs with **Trio Sonnerie** in a program of Bach, Handel and Telemann. (8 pm Friday, Marylhurst College; 8 pm Saturday, Trinity Episcopal Church, 147 NW 19th Ave.; 3 pm Sunday, Trinity Episcopal Church, tickets for all performances \$17-\$27, PBO ticket office: 222-6000.)

The **Dance Cartel** presents its third showcase concert featuring nine new works from Portland's dance community. (8 pm Friday-Saturday; 7 pm Sunday, Echo Theatre, 1515 SE 37th Ave., \$10 general; \$8 Dance Coalition of Oregon members; \$5 children under 6, tickets sold only at the door.)

2 SATURDAY

Potential consorts for Rosebud XX perform in the **Thorn Candidates Show** at City Nightclub. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6 cover, 224-CITY.)

Rosetown Ramblers hosts a **mainstream and plus square dance** with caller Kris Jensen. After the square dance enjoy a **country western dance** with a live DJ. (Square dance 7-10 pm; country western dance 9:30 pm-1:30 am, \$5, Portland Police Athletic Association, 618 SE Alder St., information: Rob 360-423-8295; Karin 503-232-7643; Michael 503-297-6416.)

The Lesbian Community Project's Anti-Violence Project presents **WomenStrength Personal Safety Training**. Space is limited. Must RSVP. (9 am-4 pm, free, RSVP and information: LaVerne 223-0071.)

The East Avenue Tavern hosts **"Girls' Nite Out,"** with performances by Dutch, In Cahoots, Jo Bronstein and Diana Henegerer. (9:30 pm, 727 E Burnside St., \$5, 236-6900.)

The **Portland Lesbian Choir** hosts a **women's dance** on the first Saturday of every month. A smoke-free, alcohol-free and wheelchair-accessible

event. DJ Lauren Sylvis. A benefit for PLC. (8 pm, 2800 SE Harrison St., \$5, Amy 254-5109.)

The Miracle Theatre Group premieres **Tierra Del Fuego**, the newest work by the group's resident playwright, Vicente Guzman-Orozco. This special fund-raising event includes a silent auction. (2pm, 525 SE Stark St., information: 236-7253.)

3 SUNDAY

The **Northwest Afrikan American Ballet** performs original choreography inspired by dances from Senegal, Gambia, Mali and Guinea. (3 pm, Evans Auditorium, Lewis & Clark College, 0615 SW Palatine Hill Road, \$7 general; \$5 non-Lewis & Clark students, seniors and Lewis & Clark alumni, tickets and information: 768-7964.)

Local poet **Jason Reynolds** reads his work about AIDS, the Holocaust, alcoholism and spirituality. (4 pm, Cafe Renaissance, 2088 NW Glisan St.)

Positive Presence, a lesbian and bisexual women's spiritual discussion group, meets. Tonight's topic: What does it mean to me to be a powerful woman? (4 pm, Loyola Retreat Center, 3220 SE 43rd Ave., information: 299-0104.)

4 MONDAY

HIV University meets. Tonight's topic: Medical Basics—HIV and You, Stuff to Know About Living Positively. (6:30-9 pm, information and location: HIV U. Infoline: 223-6339, ext. 111.)

It's Queer Night at LaLuna with DJ Gravy. DJ Ryan Bolen opens. All ages welcome. (9 pm, 215 SE Ninth Ave., 241-LUNA.)

5 TUESDAY

Join **Gentle Giants of Oregon** for dinner and conversation. (7:30 pm, Canton Grill, SE 82nd Avenue and Division Street, information: 241-4535.)

First Tuesday Coffeehouse for women celebrates its eighth anniversary. Featuring **Connie Cohen, Barb Galloway, Mary Rose** and more. Emcee is **Carol Steinel**. (7 pm doors open, Bijou Cafe, 132 SW Third Ave., \$3, information: 283-7651.)

6 WEDNESDAY

The Lesbian Community Project's **Lesbians with Breast Cancer Support Group** meets. (6 pm, information and location: Michelle 236-8770.)

Doris Kearns Goodwin, historian and Pulitzer Prize-winning biographer, speaks at the Portland Arts and Lectures Series. (7:30 pm, Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall, \$18 in advance; \$19 at the door, 227-2583.)

Sexualities, Power and Politics, the 15th annual Lewis & Clark College Gender Studies Symposium, begins. Runs through Saturday. (Information: 768-7381, 768-7613.)

7 THURSDAY

HIV University meets. Tonight's topic: Alternative Treatments—Acupuncture, Chinese Herbs and Others. (6:30-9 pm, information and location: HIV U. Infoline: 223-6339, ext. 111.)

Concord Choir performs music by featured guest artist **Malcolm Dalglish**. (8 pm; 9 pm, Portland Art Museum, North Wing, \$6 [tickets: Artichoke Music, choir members, at the door, or call 721-0262].)

9 SATURDAY

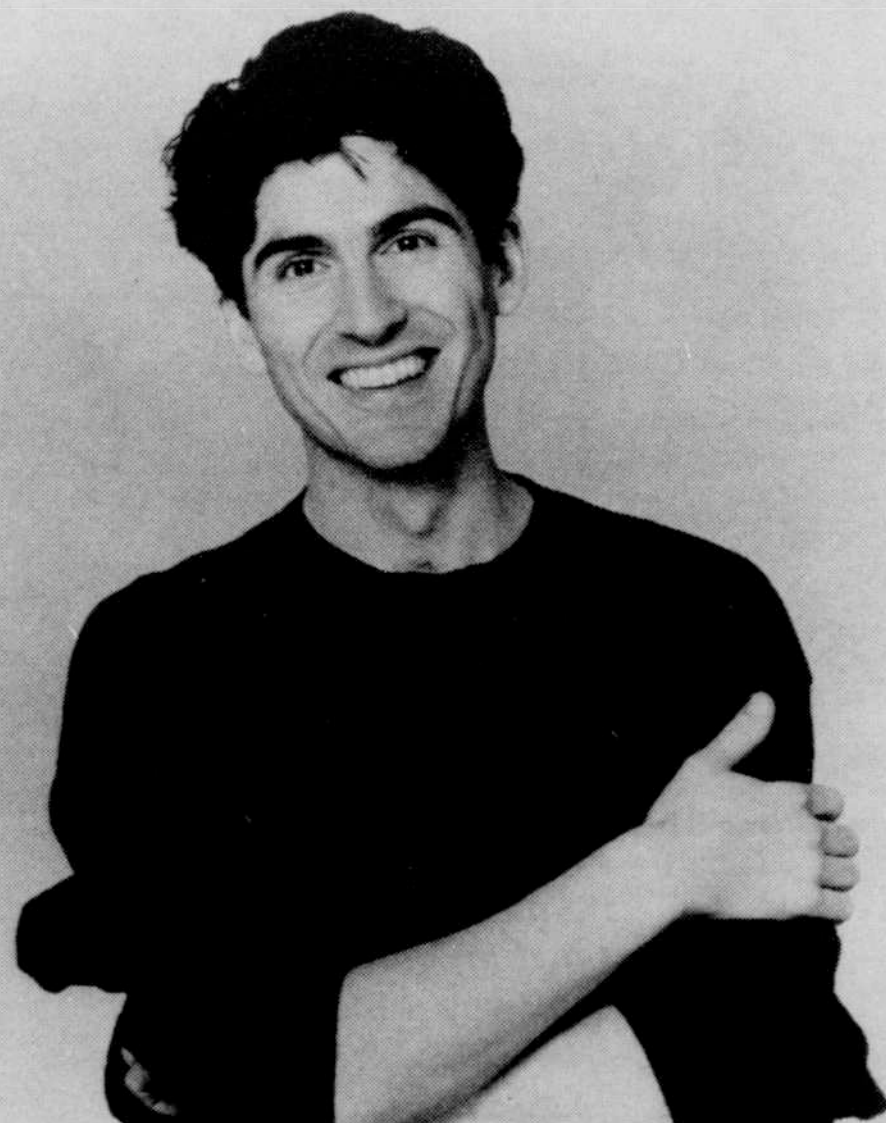
Take a waterfall hike with the **Forest Group**. (236-2248.)

The **Portland Bisexual Alliance** hosts a Planning and Pictionary Potluck. (3-6 pm, 232-9275.)

Stain, Ritsu Atomic Violin Explosion and Dewey Surbey perform at the East Avenue Tavern. (9:30 pm, 727 E Burnside St., \$5, 236-6900.)

Positive Presence, a lesbian and bisexual women's spiritual discussion group, **hosts a dance**. Children are welcome. No child care provided. (8 pm-midnight, St. David's Episcopal Church, 2800 SE Harrison St., \$3, 299-0104.)

Teen-age female impersonators compete for the title of **Rosebud XX** at the **Rosebud Candidates**



Actor-writer **James Lecosne** brings his multicharacter, one-man show **Word of Mouth to Portland**. The show runs March 8-10 and 14-17 at the Echo Theatre, 1515 SE 37th Ave. (See preview on page 28.)

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