

out about town

july

19 FRIDAY

The **Adventure Group** holds its monthly potluck. (7 pm, 452-5680.)

Christal Methodists combine performance art with a slide show at **Rexall Rose Cafe and Theater**. (9 pm, 2403 NE Alberta St., \$3-\$5, 282-9781.)

Portland Women's Theatre Co. presents **Monica Grant** in her one-woman show **Women Who Run with Swine**. Through Aug. 3. (10:30 pm Thursday-Saturday, 1807 NE 39th Ave., \$10 general; \$8 students and seniors, reservations: 287-7707.)

The **Portland International Performance Festival** opens with a **South American harp concert** performed by **Alfredo Rolando Ortiz**. (8 pm, Lincoln Hall Auditorium, Portland State University, 1620 SW Park Ave., \$8-\$14 IPSU ticket office 725-3307; TicketMaster 224-4400.)

20 SATURDAY

The **Forest Group** hikes at McNeil Point. (236-2248.)

Mountain bike on the Pioneer Bridle Trail with the **Adventure Group**. Meet in front of Lloyd Center Cinemas. (9 am, 452-5680.)

Rexall Rose Cafe and Theater hosts a benefit for **I-5 Roadhouse Cabaret**, a performance and artist space for women. Enjoy live music, theater, film and video. Must be 21 and older. Beer served. (8-10 pm, 2403 NE Alberta St., \$3-\$20 sliding scale, 282-9781.)

The **Campaign for Peace with Cuba** hosts a **potluck** at the Multnomah Friends Meeting House. Meet the delegates returning from the National Network on Cuba meeting held in Havana. (6-10 pm, 4312 SE Stark St., 526-9570.)

The **Portland International Performance Festival** presents **"The Mighty Chalkdust: Calypso King,"** a concert by **Hollis Liverpool**. (8 pm, Lincoln Hall Auditorium, Portland State University, 1620 SW Park St., \$8-\$14 IPSU ticket office 725-3307; TicketMaster 224-4400.)

The **Tiarra Desmond Show** delights at **The City Nightclub**. (10 pm doors, 13 NW 13th Ave., \$6, 224-CITY.)



The **Jess Hawk Oakenstar Band** (left to right: Gillian DeLear, Oakenstar and Beth Johnson) performs with Barb Galloway (right) on Friday, June 26, at **brew Sisters Pub**; on Saturday, June 27, at the **South County Gay and Lesbian Dance Party** in **Seal Rock**; and on Friday, Aug. 2, at **Boones Treasury** in **Salem**

21 SUNDAY

The **Adventure Group** hikes to Olallie Butte. Meet in front of Lloyd Center Cinemas. (8 am, 452-5680.)

Batter up with the **Rose City Softball Association** at **Alberta Park**. (1 pm games begin, fields 1 and 2, Northeast 22nd Avenue and Ainsworth Street, 244-8520; 736-9733; 281-7637.)

Attend a **SisterSpirit Celebration**—tonight's theme: **Animals**. (6 pm, Michelle's Meadow, Forest Park, call for directions: 294-0645.)

If it's July, it must be time for **Christmas in July**, the annual auction benefitting **Esther's Pantry**. Esther's Pantry provides food, nutritional supplements and personal health care products for people with AIDS. (4 pm silent auction; 6 pm oral auction, The Embers/Avenue, 110 NW Broadway, \$5 donation, to donate auction items: 274-0711.)

Speak to Your Brothers Project, a Cascade AIDS Project program working to stop the spread of

HIV among gay and bisexual men, conducts **new volunteer training**. (10 am-5 pm, Suite 300, 620 SW Fifth Ave., Roger 223-5907, ext. 130.)

Tori Amos performs with special guests at the **Schnitzer Concert Hall**. All ages welcome. (9:30 pm, Southwest Broadway and Main Street, \$19.50-\$23.50, Fastixx 224-8499.)

22 MONDAY

Rosetown Ramblers hosts a **roller skating party** for Oregon's gay and lesbian community and its friends. Please bring canned food for local AIDS charities. (7:30-9:30 pm, Oaks Park, east end of Sellwood Bridge, \$5, 234-9944.)

23 TUESDAY

Janis Ian performs in concert at the **Aladdin Theater**. (8 pm, 3017 SE Milwaukie Ave., \$15 in advance; \$17 day of show, 234-9694.)

24 WEDNESDAY

Cascade AIDS Project presents **"Speaking of Sex,"** a **free safer-sex workshop** for gay and bisexual men. (6-9:30 pm, Suite 300, 620 SW Fifth Ave., Brian 223-5907, ext. 131.)

Pioneer gay rights activist, author and teacher **Harry Hay** speaks and reads from his book **Radically Gay** at **Powell's City of Books**. (7:30 pm, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

Maria Bellavia plays folk music with a minor attitude at **brew Sisters Pub**. (7:30 pm, 53 NW First Ave., no cover, 233-3849.)

The **Lesbians with Breast Cancer support group** meets. (6 pm, call for location: Michelle 236-8770.)

25 THURSDAY

Learn more about the **Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation** at an open house. (4-6 pm, Oregon Room, Fourth Floor, Bank of California Tower, 707 SW Washington St., 224-5285.)

The **Women and Men: Visions of Justice** conference at **Lewis & Clark College** runs July 25-28 and features a one-day workshop, **"Freeing Ourselves of Internalized Homophobia,"** led by Charles Kreiner (9 am-5 pm Thursday, July 25, \$35). Other speakers, including Kathleen Saadat, Gail Shibley, George Eighmey, Beverly Stein, Kate Brown, and Charles and Sandra Moose, will discuss lesbian and gay issues and ending hate crime. (282-2108; jaybroller@aol.com.)

Celebrate **Cuba Solidarity Month** at a dance featuring **Virginia Lopez and The Mambo Queens**. (9 pm-midnight, LaLuna, 221 SE Ninth Ave., \$5-\$10 sliding scale, 526-9570.)

Swami B.V. Tripurari discusses Jiva Goswami's **Tattva-sandarbha**, a 400-year-old work of Eastern philosophy that analyzes the **Bhagavata Purana**, perhaps the most important volume of India's sacred literature. (7:30 pm, Powell's City of Books, 1005 W Burnside St., free, 228-4651.)

The **Adventure group** hikes to **Lacamus Lake** in **Camas**. Meet in the parking lot at the entrance to **Lacamus Park**. (6 pm, 452-5680.)

Dykes To Watch Out For by Alison Bechdel

