

# Just Out & about

**Just out** is published on the first and third Friday of every month. The deadline for submissions is 15 days prior to publication.

**Just out & about** is a free community service of **Just out**. Listing for events and announcements that are specifically relevant to sexual minorities in Oregon and southwest Washington is provided free of charge. The calendar features events up to three weeks beyond the date of publication. Bulletin Board listings run for up to two months from submission date.

**Outreach** listings of up to 25 words (not including contact information) are provided free of charge to organizations and groups specifically serving the sexual minorities community. All listings are subject to editing, and inclusion is subject to space limitations, relevance and receipt by deadline.

Listings expire twice a year (in May and November), and submissions run from the date received until the next scheduled expiration date. Listings are automatically deleted upon expiration. To ensure uninterrupted listing, please submit updated information at least a month prior to the expiration date.

Send listings to: **just out** (attn: Calendar)  
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Portland, OR 97293-0400

Fax submissions to (503) 236-1257 or e-mail to justout@justout.com.

Submissions cannot be accepted over the phone.

Please type your announcements and include full contact information.

**Miracle Theatre/Teatro Milagro** presents **El Paso Blue**, a sexually charged and passionate drama about vengeance, love, pain and loss of culture experienced by two generations of men, March 31-April 29. (Call for times. 525 SE Stark St. \$12. (503) 236-7253.)

**Paula Productions** presents **The Shadow Box**, the story of three families (one of them gay) confronting issues of hope and tragedy, through March 25 at the Jack Oakes Theatre. (8 pm. 2820 Sandy Blvd. \$10 at the door.)

**Portland Center Stage** presents **Blues for an Alabama Sky** through March 18 in the Newmark Theatre of the Portland Center for the Performing Arts. (Call for times. 1111 SW Broadway. \$10-\$39. (503) 274-6588.)

**Portland Opera** presents **The Cunning Little Vixen** March 25-April 1 at Civic Auditorium. (7:30 pm. 222 SW Clay St. Tickets start at \$25 from the box office or Ticketmaster. (503) 241-1802.)

**Profile Theatre Project** presents **Lips**, a new play about the first female president of the U.S. by Constance Congdon, at Theater! Theater! through March 26. (3430 SE Belmont St. \$10-\$19. (503) 242-0080.)

**Theatre Vertigo** presents **The King Has Gone To Tenebrae**, a new play by George Herman through April 1

**Submissions sought for anthology on lesbians kissing.** Write for guidelines first: A.D., PO Box 613, Salem, OR 97308 or e-mail Stone\_ally@hotmail.com. (5/5)

**What Makes A Gay Soul?** is the title of a support group for gay men, which will explore such topics as being exiled from religious communities. The group will meet Wednesdays in April and May at the Interfaith Spiritual Center located at 3910 SE 11th Ave. The cost for eight sessions is \$150 with sliding scale fees available. Call (503) 289-4103 to register. (3/17)

**Playshop for women with WYMPROV's Enid Lefton** begins a four-week session on April 3 at Buffalo Gals, located at 455 W. First in Eugene. The program uses improvisational comedy techniques to teach a new and fun-filled way to look at life. To register call (541) 345-2067 or e-mail enid@rio.com. (3/17)

The **Smart Choices** program of the YWCA is seeking volunteers to assist with after-school activities designed to promote the intellectual, social and personal development of 4th and 5th grade girls. Activities take place weekday afternoons in NE Portland. Women of color are strongly encouraged to apply. Contact Caroline Oakley at (503) 721-1754. (5/5)

Old Town. If you are interested in becoming a part of this team, please call (503) 295-9785 or contact Pam at (503) 940-5373. (4/7)

**Metropolitan Community Church of Portland** is seeking playwrights to submit their one-act plays for a showcase of new talent in a GLBT context. One play will be produced in the spring of 2000. The submissions are due by Mar. 15. Call MCC for more information (503) 281-8868. (3/17)

**Rose City Softball Association** is looking for players of all abilities and coaches who are interested in forming new teams. Like softball but don't play? Be a manager (it requires time and spirit). Contact us at (503) 203-9160. (3/17)

**Clark Co. YWCA Sexual Minority Services Project needs volunteers:** peer counselors, researchers, group facilitators, program development assistance, etc. Our focus is on women and youth; training is provided. Call Lynn Zephyr (360) 906-9142. (3/17)

**Write Around Portland**, a local non-profit, is recruiting participants for its Spring writing workshops. If you are affected by HIV, feeling isolated, or if you want to explore writing with a community, the WRAP workshops

## ON VIEW

## ONSTAGE

**Art on Alberta** holds a last Thursday gallery walk every month from 6-9 pm, so mark March 30 on your calendar and stroll along NE Alberta between 14th Ave. and 30th Ave. where you'll find 16 galleries full of art. Maps are available at the galleries. Be sure to check out the new lesbian-owned gallery **Plain Jane** at 2936 NE Alberta St., which is featuring paintings by Carrie Wright and furniture by Terry Boyl.

**In Her Image Gallery** presents a group show of artists from Zimbabwe through April 2. (3208 SE Hawthorne Blvd. (503) 231-3726.)

**Maryhill Museum of Art** presents its collection of Auguste Rodin bronzes through Nov. 15. At the same time they will also feature *Queen Marie and the Romanovs*. This fascinating museum has beautiful grounds and makes a great day trip up the Columbia Gorge. (35 Maryhill Museum Drive, Goldendale, Wa. 90591 773-3733.)

**Oregon College of Art & Craft** presents *9x9x3: An Exhibition of Textile Study Group of New York*, consisting of 52 unique art works each housed in a 9" x 9" x 3" box, through March 26. (daily 10 am-5 pm. 8245 NW Barnes Rd. (503) 297-5544.)

**Pacific Northwest College of Art (PNCA)** offers photographs by Mariella Poli through April 1. (1241 NW Johnson St., call for hours (503) 226-4391.)

**Portland Art Museum** presents *Stroganoff: the palace and collections of a Russian noble family* through May 31. (9 am-10 pm daily. 1219 SW Park Ave. \$13, \$11 seniors and students, \$6 children. (503) 226-2811, www.portlandartmuseum.org.)

**Portland Institute for Contemporary Art (PICA)** inaugurates its new facility with *Fictional Cities* an exhibition of contemporary work by French artists Mane Sester and Alain Bublex. (Noon-6 pm Wednesday through Sunday. 219 NW 12th Ave. \$3 non-members, members free. (503) 242-1419)

**American Heritage Theater Project** presents *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* at the Northwest Neighborhood Cultural Center through March 25. On the same stage later in the evening, they also present the original musical *Madwomen's Late Nite Cabaret* through March 25. (Cuckoo: 8 pm, Madwomen: 10:30 pm. 1819 NW Everett St. \$12 and \$8, reserve at (503) 245-3642.)

**Artists Repertory Theatre** presents Terrence McNally's *Master Class*, which explores the life and artistry of opera diva Maria Callas. The play runs through April 23. (Reiersgaard Theatre, 1516 SW Alder St. Tickets are \$15-25; call for times (503) 241-1278.)

**Brody Theater** presents *Out of Their Minds*, an improvisational take on communication, Saturdays through April 15. (8 pm. 1904 NW 27th Ave. \$8. (503) 224-0688.)

**Cloud 9 Productions** presents *Shear Madness*, a wacky whodunit where the audience gets to solve the crime. See the show that the Guinness Book of World Records says is the longest-running, non-musical play in American theater history. Through March 26. (8 pm Thursday and Friday, 5:30 and 8:30 pm Saturday, 2 and 7 pm Sunday at Portland Art Museum's Commandery Room, 1219 SW Park Ave. \$15-\$32.50 (Portland Art Museum, Ticketmaster). (503) 226-2811.)

**Late Nite Catechism** continues its one woman/every nun show where students are questioned and chastised in the best Catholic tradition. Through May 28. (8 pm Thursday-Saturday, 2 pm Sunday at Main Street Theater, 904 SW Main St. \$24.50-\$29.50 (Ticketmaster).)

**Liminal Performance Group** presents *The Hour We Knew Nothing of Each Other* which features 400 characters who pass by one another without speaking a single word! Plays through April 15 at the Metropolitan Art Studio. (8 pm. 2808 NE MLK Blvd. \$10. (503) 229-3979.)

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**Andrew Harris and Jami Chatalas get intimate in Triangle Productions' *The Blue Room* through April 9**

at the Russell Street Theater. (116 NE Russell St. For times and ticket information call (503) 306-0870.)

**Triangle Productions** presents *The Blue Room*, which explores the entanglements of love and sex between a daisy chain of characters through April 9 at Theater! Theater! (Call for times. 3430 SE Belmont. \$15-\$17 from (503) 239-5919.)

**White Bird** presents *Aero Betty aerial dance theater* at the Performing Arts Center at PCC Sylvania March 30-April 9. (Call for times. 12000 SW 49th Ave. \$18-\$20 Fastix (503) 224-8499.)

## BULLETIN BOARD

**Women wanting adventure:** if you're a single lesbian, 35-55, like to play and laugh, let's meet, start a new group, make new friends and plan a winter full of fun! The possibilities are endless. Join us at Touchstone Coffee House at 7631 NE Glisan St. on March 18 from 3-5 pm. For details call Patti at (503) 646-0490 or via e-mail: lkssh@uswest.net. (3/17)

**The Metro Breast Health Project** is seeking lesbians aged 35 or over to complete a brief written survey and then participate in a guided discussion with 8-10 other women. A \$50 stipend is offered. Call Debra at (503) 771-7728 for more information. (4/21)

Paddlers Wanted for **Amazon Dragons** dragon boat team. Races held June 10th and 11th. Practices three times a week, date and times to be determined. If interested please contact Christina at (503) 570-8521. (4/21)

**The Rose Court Presents a Spring Ball** "Sailing throughout time, A Ship of Fools" Cruise on the Portland Spirit April 9th. Tickets available March 1st at The Embers and The Egyptian Club, \$20 includes buffet dinner and dancing. (3/17)

Do you have a horse? Looking to get together with women and horses to start a **Lesbian Equestrian Group** for trail rides in the Pacific Northwest. Call Denise at (503) 654-3865 or Lynn at (503) 777-2339 or e-mail keirav@drop.com. (4/17)

Pam Monette and the Sexual Minorities Round Table are looking for volunteers for a **Citizens Foot Patrol** that will cover the downtown areas of Stark Street and

are for you. They will be held at Project Quest on Tuesdays from 7-9 pm. Call Ben or Liza to sign up (503) 232-2246. (3/17)

**Call for contributions:** Rainbow Pride Press is seeking inspirational gay and lesbian stories that motivate, inspire and uplift individuals. Submissions are open to anyone and should be no more than about 1400 words. The deadline for submissions is March 31, 2000. To submit please mail or e-mail material along with name, author biography, address and other contact information to: Rainbow Pride Press, "Journeys Across The Rainbow", 6525 Gunpark Drive, Suite 150-117, Boulder, CO 80301 or e-mail: EditorRPP@www.RainbowPridePress.com. (3/17)

**Old Lesbians Organizing for Change (OLOC)**, a national lesbian organization, now has a chapter in Portland for Lesbians 60 and older who are interested in changing the social disease of ageism. We meet on the second Wednesday of the month at 1 pm. It's a good time to meet, support each other and talk about the ageism in your life, in our community, our state, our country and in the world. Call (503) 286-3575 or (503) 331-0415 for more information.

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