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15 FRIDAY

Rainbow Youth presents *The Revue: Reflections on a Colorful Past*, a talent show benefiting the **No on 9 Campaign**. Open to all at the Metropolitan Community Church. (7:30-10 pm. 2400 NE Broadway. \$5-10 suggested donation, free to those younger than 23. 503-281-8868.)

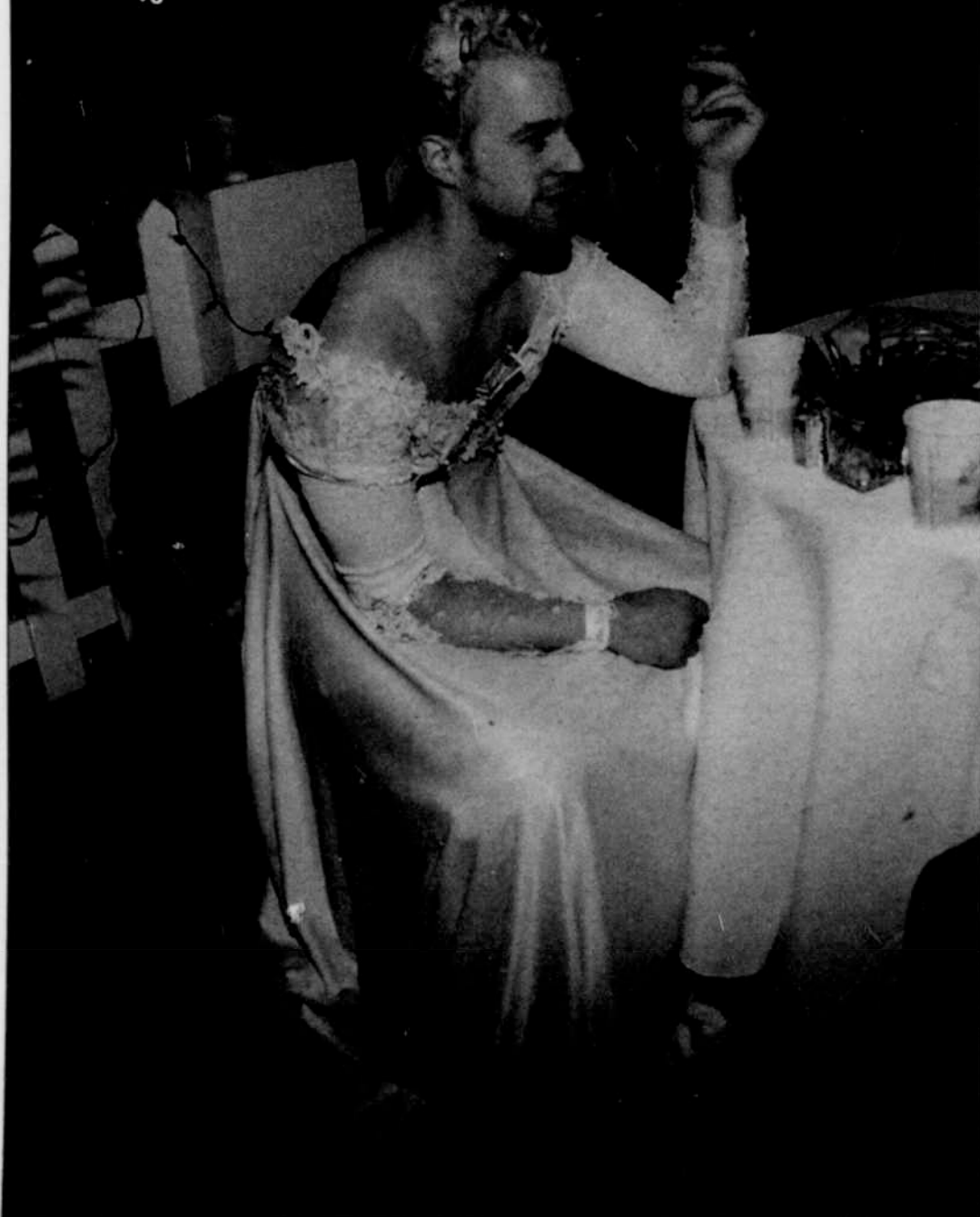
Judd Winick comes to Portland to read from his new memoir, **Pedro and Me**, about his experiences on MTV's *The Real World* as a straight man rooming with a gay man who was HIV+. (7:30 pm at Twenty-Third Avenue Books, 1015 NW 23rd Ave. Free. 503-224-6203.)

Pam and Maggie sing their hearts out at Touchstone Coffee House. (7 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. Donations. 503-262-7613.)

The **Portland Bisexual Alliance** throws itself a 5th birthday party at Laughing Horse Books. (7 pm. 3652 SE Division St. Bi-Line 503-775-9717.)

Out Dancing teaches swing classes to same-sex couples at Sally Mack's School of Dance. (7-8 pm every Friday during September. 532 SE Ankeny St. \$5. 503-236-5129.)

Anything goes at the **Dada Ball**, a benefit for PICA Sept. 16



16 SATURDAY

Portland PFLAG co-founder Ann Shepherd, her daughter Susie and Katie Chase play host to a good old-fashioned summer barbecue as part of the eighth annual **Dinner at My House for Our House**. Wake up your taste buds and make a reservation for one of these splendid dinners. (5-9 pm. \$60 a per-



Check out **Queer as Folk** Sept. 22-24 at the **Hollywood Theatre**, a benefit for the upcoming **Portland LGBT Film Festival**

son. Get a brochure listing all the dinners or make reservations at 503-736-9276.)

Bring your flashlight and enjoy an evening hike at Oak Island with **Lesbians Enjoying the Sciences**. (Meet at 5 pm. Call Susan at 503-232-6738 for directions.)

The **Marionberry Salon** meets in Salem for a potluck and to discuss Jewelle Gomez's *The Gilda Stories*, a novel about an African American lesbian. (6:30 pm. Cary 503-363-6036.)

Friends of the Shelter Foundation holds a **rummage sale** through Sept. 17 at Petco to benefit the animals at the **Multnomah County Animal Shelter**. (9:30 am-5 pm. 14410 SE Division St. 503-795-9201.)

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Get outta town with the **Adventure Group** as members go hiking at Mount St. Helens. (503-452-5680.)

17 SUNDAY

Lace up your Reeboks and join the **Race for the Cure**, a 5K walk/run to increase breast cancer awareness and raise money for research. (If you want to keep pace with the Forest Group, call Robyn at 503-286-5382.)

Have a great meal for a great cause: On behalf of Basic Rights Oregon's **No on 9 campaign**, Black Dog Furniture designs is teaming up with **Mother's Bistro** for a delicious benefit. The chefs, who just swept the food categories at The Bite, will serve up their prize-winning dishes in a buffet followed by a silent auction of art and handmade furniture. In addition, the bar will have tables for playing 21 and shooting craps. (7-9:30 pm. 409 SW Second Ave. Tickets start at \$50. Call Mother's for reservations 503-464-1122.)

Love Makes a Family holds a **speakers workshop** to train those who want to go into the community and speak about the dangers and deceptions of Measure 9. Another training will be held Oct. 7. (503-228-3892 or e-mail LMFamil@teleport.com.)

Suck up some grand scenery as the **Adventure Group** hikes at Gnarl Ridge. (8 am. 503-452-5680.)

It's time again to appreciate the country's only nonprofit women's bookstore during the annual fund-raiser for **In Other Words** at the Kennedy School. "Women of Note" will feature Portland musicians Janice Scroggins, Mary Kadderly and Brenda Phillips followed by a silent auction. (6-10 pm. 5736 NE 33rd Ave. \$12 advance, \$15 door. 503-232-6003.)

Women are invited to Michelle's Meadow in Portland for **SisterSpirit's Fall Equinox ritual**. (6 pm. Call 503-736-3297 for directions.)

18 MONDAY

Join **MenTalk of Vancouver** for a discussion from 7 to 9 pm. (Peter 360-576-6595, MenTalkofVancWA@webtv.net.)

19 TUESDAY

As part of its **No on 9** efforts, Basic Rights Oregon holds its second **Lane County general community campaign meeting** at the Central Presbyterian Church in Eugene. (6:30 pm. 15th Avenue at Ferry Street. 541-687-2773.)

Barnes & Noble Jantzen Beach presents **Educators Night** featuring children's author and teacher Will C. Howell and the **Close the Book on Hate Program**. Teachers will receive free materials for the classroom, special discounts, resources and refreshments. (7 pm. 1720 N Jantzen Beach. 503-283-2800.)

The **Adventure Group** gets together every Tuesday for a Fun Run/Walk at Duniway Park. (6:30 pm. Don 503-224-6747.)



Put your finger on this: Peggy Shaw brings her solo show *Menopausal Gentleman* to the Echo Theatre Oct. 6 and 7

20 WEDNESDAY

Portland musicians band together for the **No on 9 Campaign** during **Songwriters in the Round**, featuring Lara Mitchell, Ashleigh Flynn, Leilo Chieko and Thais Perkins at the Mount Tabor Theatre Pub. (9 pm. 4811 SE Hawthorne Blvd. \$5. 503-238-1646.)

21 THURSDAY

Is she or isn't she? Find out during the **Gender Bender Variety Show** at the Egyptian Club, featuring drag kings and queens, dancers, live music and more. (8:30 pm. 3701 SE Division St. \$5. 503-236-8689.)

FilmTalk, a discussion group for gay, bisexual and transsexual men, watches episodes of **Queer as Folk** at a private residence. (7-9 pm. Call for address 503-247-8180.)

The delightful lesbian singer **Lynn Frances Anderson** graces Touchstone Coffee House. (7 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. Donations. 503-262-7613.)

First United Methodist Church in Corvallis invites people from Salem, Corvallis, Eugene and surrounding areas to a **Youth Conference Against Ballot Measure 9**. This will be an opportunity to learn more, develop support networks and plan future actions. (6-8 pm. 1165 NW Monroe Ave. 541-752-2491 or outnabout@gay.com.)

22 FRIDAY

Basic Rights Oregon's annual **Hart Dinner** benefits the No on 9 Campaign. The shindig takes place this year at the Oregon Zoo in Portland. (6-9 pm. \$100 a person from Katie at 503-280-1094.)

Portland lesbian author **Amy Schutler** reads from her first novel, *Undertow*, at In Other Words. Forget Nurse Betty—check out

this love story about a woman who falls for Nurse Macy. (7:30 pm. 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd. Free. 503-232-6003.)

Will & Grace too tame for you? Try the British television series **Queer as Folk**, presented totally uncensored and uncut exclusively by Sensory Perceptions as a benefit for the upcoming **Portland LGBT Film Festival**. This full version features male nudity and graphic sex—see the whole first year over three nights through Sept. 24 at the Hollywood Theatre. (www.sensoryperceptions.org)

Bring a picnic and enjoy watching **Vaux's Swifts** go down the chimney at Chapman School with **Lesbians Enjoying the Sciences**. (6:30 pm. Terri 503-844-7846.)

The **Literary Triangle** presents Portland author **Rodger Larson** at Barnes & Noble Lloyd Center. He'll read from his groundbreaking young readers novel *What I Know Now* and offer a sneak peek at his new gay novel for adults. (7 pm. 1231 NE Broadway. 503-331-1307.)

All women are welcome at a **Fall Equinox Ritual** in the Full Circle Temple. (7 pm. 3125 E. Burnside St. 503-238-0675.)

Gay singer/songwriter **Mark Weigle** performs in concert at Ashland's Unitarian Fellowship. (8 pm. Fourth and C streets. \$12 advance, \$14 door. 541-482-4154.)

