

(7 pm. 110 NW Broadway.
www.rosecourt.org.)

The **Sexual Minorities Roundtable** holds its monthly meeting in Room 1526 at the Justice Center. (Noon. 1111 SW Second Ave. 503-823-0546.)

Giddyap! See the **Jackie 60** performance based on the theme **The Jackie Rodeo: My Pretty Pony**. The next night **Jackie 60** performs the **Lumberjackie**. Both performances at Dante's, with a distinctly underground tone, also include **Joey Arias** channeling Billie Holiday in **Strange Fruit**. (8:30 pm. 1 SW Third Ave. \$10-\$15. Fastix. 21 and older.)

5 TUESDAY

Celebrate summer! Join the **Adventure Group** for a **Fun Run/Walk** every Tuesday at Duniway Park. (6:30 pm. Don 503-224-6747. www.adventuregroup.org.)

For live music, go to Touchstone Coffee House and hear **Ajay** and **Jean Mann** of **Blue Flower Friday**. (7-9 pm. \$2. 7631 NE Glisan St. 503-262-7613. www.touchstonecoffeehouse.com.)

6 WEDNESDAY

They're young, gay and a lot of fun. **Young Men's Coffee Talk** happens every Wednesday at 3 Friends Coffeehouse. (7-9 pm. 201 SE 12th Ave. 503-223-5907, ext. 233.)

Appreciate the undulation. Join the **Lesbian Social Club** for **Middle Eastern Music and Dance Night** featuring **Arabesque** at the Egyptian Club. (8-11 pm. 3701 SE Division St. \$4. Mary 503-788-6305, ext. 2.)

If you missed her the last time or want to see her one more time, here's your chance. Videos of powerful and inspiring speaker **Leslie Feinberg** will be shown at Mother Kali's Books in Eugene. A discussion will follow. (7 pm. 720 13th Ave. 541-343-4864.)

7 THURSDAY

For a dazzling evening of dance, puppetry and theatrical illusion from the award-winning co-designer of Broadway's *The Lion King*, see the world premiere of **Spirits**, presented by White Bird through June 9 at Keller Auditorium. (7:30 pm. 222 SW Clay St. \$18-\$39. www.whitebird.org or Fastix.)

This weekend has barely started. Those huggable **Portland Bears** jump-start **Beards & Roses 2001 Weekend** at the Fox & Hounds. (8-11 pm. 217 NW Second Ave. Register at www.oregonbears.org.)

It's summer—get off the couch and onto an island. Join the **Adventure Group** for an evening hike around **Oak Island**. (6:30 pm. www.adventuregroup.org.)

Play music, recite poetry, and sip a latte at Touchstone Coffee House during **open mike** every Thursday. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. 503-262-7613. www.touchstonecoffeehouse.com.)

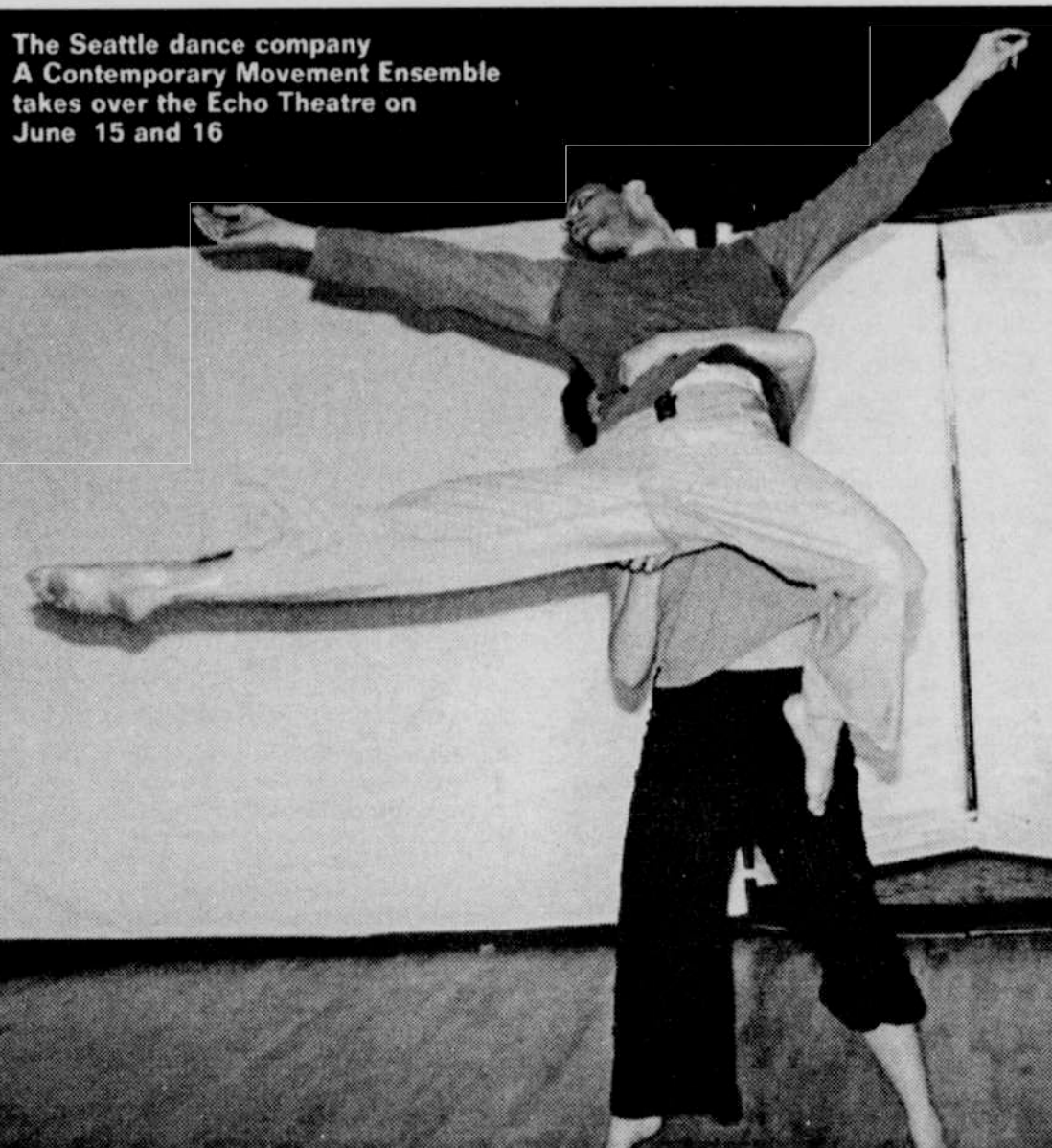
8 FRIDAY

Get that warm and fuzzy feeling when the **Oregon Bears** take over the Dirty Duck during their **UnderBear Party**. (9 pm-midnight. 429 NW Third Ave. \$10.)

9 SATURDAY

The country's only drag parade commentator! Watch **Empress Misha's** live coverage of the 94th annual **Rose Festival Grand Floral Parade** on KOIN-TV. Join thousands of white-glove-wearing queers in what is a Portland tradition. This free event includes an 11 am show by the **Imperial Sovereign**

The Seattle dance company **A Contemporary Movement Ensemble** takes over the Echo Theatre on **June 15 and 16**



Rose Court on the Panorama roof. Let's hope the weather's bearable, because the **Portland Bears** will be there, too. (10 am-1 pm. 341 SW 10th Ave.)

Furry royalty will be crowned during the **Mr. Oregon Bear/Cub** contest at the Red Lion Coliseum. (Cocktails 6 pm, dinner 7 pm, contest 8 pm, dance 10 pm. \$40.)

Go clubbing! Guest **DJ Deena** takes the stage at Club Sappho. (9 pm. 7958 SW Barbur Blvd. 503-309-6246.)

The **Portland Gay Men's Chorus** teams up with the **Denver Gay Men's Chorus** to present the upbeat and celebratory concert **Men With Altitude!** through June 10 at the Scottish Rite Temple. (8 pm Saturday, 2 pm

Sunday. 1512 SW Morrison St. \$12-\$20. Get tickets from any chorus member or Fastix. www.pdxgmc.org.)

Hear **Motherlode** in concert at the Hollywood Theater. (8pm. 4036 NE Sandy Blvd. \$18 at the door or \$15 in advance from It's My Pleasure or Fastix. www.motherlode-music.com.)

The **Forest Group** does the Rose Festival and Saturday Market. (11 am. 503-491-5147.)

10 SUNDAY

If you like exercise and awesome scenery, hike up **Mount Defiance** with the

Adventure Group. (8 am. www.adventuregroup.com.)

Take a gander at the **Mr. and Ms. Gay Pride Pageant** featuring hostess **Misha** at the Brigg. Watch all the hottest gay boys and lesbian girls compete in Formal Wear, Creative Club Attire, and ooh la la Swimwear. All proceeds benefit Pride 2001. (7 pm. 1035 SW Stark St. \$5.)

Vegetarians are welcome, but there probably will be some delicious fresh meat at Hobo's. Ask for seconds when you indulge at the **Oregon Bears Brunch**. (10 am-noon. 120 NW Third Ave. \$12.)

Then, if you can bear to have more, join the **Oregon Bears** on their **Sauvie Island excursion**. (Noon. www.oregonbears.org.)

In preparation for the upcoming **Dyke March**, the **Lesbian Avengers** offer **marshal training**. (Call 503-246-4331 for time and location.)

Lesbians Enjoying the Sciences hold a monthly planning potluck and social hour. (6:45 pm. Ann 360-699-3014.)

Find movies, food and gay men when **Men's FilmTalk** meets at Old Wives' Tales restaurant to discuss the June Pride Series at the Hollywood Theater. (7 pm. 1300 E Burnside St. 503-220-0618. mensfilmtalk@home.com.)

15 FRIDAY

Kick off pride weekend with **Gay and Lesbian Outreach** at St. Philip Neri Catholic Church. A special **Mass on the theme of bridges** welcomes people of all denominations. (7:30 pm. 2408 SE 16th Ave. 503-231-4955.)

They're hot! **Swamp Mama Johnson** takes over Mount Tabor Theatre and Pub, with



Portland Opera presents **Aida**, the new musical by **Tim Rice** and **Elton John**, through **June 3** at **Keller Auditorium**

Work out those legs! Join the **Forest Group** for a bicycle ride through the **Columbia Gorge**. It'll be a leisurely paced, beginner-level, 10- to 15-mile ride. (11 am. 503-491-5147.)

Oak Island is teeming with chirping birds and viewing opportunities. Join **Lesbians Enjoying the Sciences** for an early morning stroll (7:30 am. Susan 503-232-6738.)

its funky, bluesy sound. (9:30 pm. 4811 SE Hawthorne Blvd. 503-238-1646.)

How do we give meaning to a moment? Go to Echo Theatre and find out when the Seattle dance company **A Contemporary Movement Ensemble** gives performances guided by this theme through June 16. (8 pm. \$8-\$12. 1515 SE 37th Ave. 503-256-5654.)

Pick out your summer reading, then hear **Pam & Maggie's** performance at Border's in Beaverton. The duo play in styles ranging from folk to rock. (7 pm. 2605 SW Cedar Hills Blvd. 503-644-6164.)

Shine those dance shoes, and boogie through the decades. The **Portland Gay Men's Chorus** plays host to the second annual **Rainbow Ball**, the kickoff dance for Pride 2001 at Crystal Ballroom. (8 pm. 1332 W Burnside St. \$10 at the door, \$12 in advance from www.mcmenamens.com or any chorus member. 21 and older.)

16 SATURDAY

You'd better not miss the **Pride Festival** through June 17 at Waterfront Park. Activities and entertainment galore! (Noon-5 pm Saturday, 1-6 pm Sunday.)

Don your boots and head for **Crystal's Queer Country Jam** at Portland Metro Club. (8-9 pm lessons, 9 pm-1 am dancing. 618 SE Alder St. \$5, \$8 with lessons.)

17 SUNDAY

The **Pride Parade** steps off from Lincoln High School, 1600 SW Salmon St. See the June 15 edition of *Just Out* for a map of the new route. (Noon.)

See On View and Onstage listings on Page 34.



Photos by **Bradley Thurber** are on view **June 8 to 30** at **Brian Marki Fine Art**

11 MONDAY

Help improve the world by eating good food! Indulge at **Oritalia**, and the total proceeds go to the **Human Rights Campaign**. (750 SW Alder St. 415-896-5553 for reservations. www.bv-wine.com/humanrights.)

13 WEDNESDAY

Beam me up! **Voyager** might have just ended, but the books continue. For **Star Trek** fans, the new next generation novel **Section 31: Rogue** by **Just Out** writer **Andy Mangels** has a homosexual officer who plays a pivotal role. Come to the **book signing** at Gai-Pied. (6:30 pm. 2544 NE Broadway. 503-331-1125.)

Should sexual minorities strive to fit into mainstream society? Join **Radical Women** for a **discussion** and a hearty **Scandinavian buffet**. (Buffet 6:30 pm, discussion 7 pm. 819 N Killingsworth St. \$6 donation. Jennifer 503-240-4462.)

14 THURSDAY

The **Adventure Group** wants you to come along for a hike on the **Alder Trail** in **Forest Park**. (6 pm. www.adventuregroup.org.)