

# 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.

**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)  
P.O. Box 14400  
Portland, OR 97293-0400

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

Submissions cannot be accepted over the phone.

Please type your announcements and include full contact information.

Portland Community College's Sylvania Campus. (Call for times. 12000 SW 49th Ave. \$12.50-\$16 from 503-846-0958 or Fasttix.)

**Butterfly Productions** presents **4 N 1**, four new 20-minute shows by Portland writers in one night, through Sept. 1. (Call for times. 6401 SE Foster Road. \$3-\$8. 503-493-4203. www.butterflyproductions.org.)

**Hand 2 Mouth Theatre Company** presents **The Posture Queen**, the life story of a drag queen turned Zen Buddhist master, through Sept. 2 at Rose City Ballroom. (Call for times. 700 NE Dekum St. \$8-\$10. 503-283-3311.)

**Portland Opera** presents two musicals as part of its Best of Broadway series: **Beauty and the Beast** plays through Aug. 26, and **Contact** runs Sept. 4 to 9 at Keller Auditorium. (Call for times. 222 SW Clay St. Best: \$22-\$60; Contact: \$21-\$58 from box office. 503-241-1802, or Ticketmaster.)

**triangle productions!** presents two simultaneous shows. **Stupid Kids**, part of the Sexual Minority Youth Internship Program, through Aug. 18. Also playing is **I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change**, a musical revue that follows the ups and downs of romance from youth through old age, through Nov. 10. Opening Aug. 31 is **As Bees in Honey Drown**, starring radio personality Daria O'Neil. (Call for times. Stupid and Bees play at 3430 SE Belmont St.; I Love You plays at 121 SW Salmon St. Tickets from Fasttix or the box office. 503-239-5919.)



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**The Rosetown Ramblers offer three free nights of dancing Sept. 5, 12 and 19 for hoofers interested in joining**

more information call 503-226-2588 or e-mail pgmc@teleport.com. (10/5)

The **Portland Lesbian Choir** is welcoming singers, a production coordinator and a piano accompanist for its 15th season beginning Sept. 9. Rehearsals are on Sunday evenings. For more info call 503-241-8994 or e-mail membership@plchoir.org. (10/5)

**Pink Flamingo Bingo** is returning to Portland. The host, Ms. Chocha Fresca, Salsa Queen of the Universe, promises campy comedy, music, outrageous drag, munchies, fun and, oh yeah, BINGO! Now is the time to get involved if you would like to help plan the event or if your group would like to be a beneficiary. People of all types and abilities are needed to help find sponsors, gather prizes, publicize the event and make it fun for everyone. More information is available at the Internet site xjs.com/pf or by calling Thomas at 503-761-7480. (9/7)

**Looking for lesbians of color** who are interested in forming a group focusing on relevant issues such as career, community, health, networking, resource development, social events and travel. This would be a working group with the aim of recognition of self and representation within the larger gay and lesbian community. If interested call 503-777-4557 or send e-mail to annie@aol.com. (8/17)

**Volunteers sought for queer film festival.** Sensory Perceptions needs people to distribute programs, work security and take tickets Sept. 21 to 29 at Cinema 21. Volunteers can see festival programs for free. Contact volunteer coordinator Steve for complete details at www.sensoryperceptions.org. (8/17)

**Gay but not happy?** Depression? Relationship problems? You're not alone. Join an ongoing evening support group for gay men led by an experienced gay therapist. Groups meet in a peaceful, rustic setting for a nominal fee. Schedule a free initial interview by calling William Douglas at 503-222-7671 or sending e-mail to lamdou@aol.com. (8/17)

Want a better job? Want info about cool and accepting places to work? Get résumé and application tips, practice job interviews and find great internships by calling Nerissa at 503-478-7347 or sending e-mail to nediza@worksystems.org. (8/17)

**Lesbians sought** to participate in the forthcoming anthology *She Kissed Me*. Need text or photo submissions or subjects who would be willing to model. Photos can be black-and-white or color but must be in focus and not sexually explicit; erotic photos of lesbians kissing are fine. Text is limited to 100 words and should be written from the perspective of what kissing means to a lesbian or to the lesbian community. There is no compensation for submissions other than bylines and/or credits for photos/subjects. Inquire and/or send photos to A. Dubois, P.O. Box 613, Salem, OR 97308, or stone\_ally@hotmail.com. Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with all submissions. (8/17)

**Queer Crips**, an anthology of performance texts, poetry, essays, personal narratives and cultural critiques by gay men who are disabled, is being compiled by John R. Killacky. Submissions, suggestions and inquiries should be sent by mid-August to jasonwc@earthlink.net. All accepted material will be paid a small fee if published. Killacky lectures widely and is published in a variety of periodicals on disability and other issues. He recently completed the 17-minute video *Crip Shots* featuring Judy Smith, Greg Walloch, Chris Hewitt, Bill Shannon and Terry Galloway. (8/17)

They meet weekly at Project Quest. (6-8 pm Thursday, 15 N Morris St. Linda 503-493-0288.) (11/01)

**Our House** is a residential care facility for those living with and dying from AIDS. (2727 SE Alder St., Portland, OR 97214. 503-234-0175.) (11/01)

**Partnership Project** provides social work and nursing case management to people living with HIV/AIDS. Get help coordinating all aspects of health care as well as financial management, food and housing assistance, and emotional support. (8:30 am-5 pm Monday-Friday, 503-230-1202.) (11/01)

**Plus Club House Party** provides an open social gathering for people living with HIV and AIDS to mingle and network. The group meets in private homes at 2 pm on the third Sunday of the month. (Brian 503-249-7030.) (11/01)

**Project Quest** offers health appointments, nutritional information, support groups and sports activities for people living with HIV and AIDS. (15 N Morris St. 503-493-0288. pquest@teleport.com.) (11/01)

## BULLETIN BOARD

Are you a serious writer hoping to make a breakthrough or a writer seeking constructive feedback? Gay author **Rodger Larson** is leading the workshop "Words, Words, Words" during Labor Day weekend. The small group will meet Friday evening, all day Saturday and Sunday morning and engage in lively writing exercises. Emphasis is on fiction and creative nonfiction. Call Larson at 503-232-3403 for details. (8/17)

**Lesbians with multiple sclerosis** are invited to a meeting to gauge interest in starting a self-help group. Come share your experiences. Meet 7 to 8:30 pm Sept. 11 in Suite 190 at the MS Society of Oregon, 1650 NW Naito Parkway. Call Astrida at 503-223-9511 to RSVP and for more info. (9/7)

Add your voice to the 22nd season of the **Portland Gay Men's Chorus**. This 85-plus-member performing arts organization is committed to "promoting harmony among all people and a positive attitude toward the gay community." You are invited to join them in their mission as a singing or a support member. Check them out at www.pdxgmc.org. To schedule a simple audition or for

by **Guruhans Singh Kroessen** through Aug. 28.

**Mark Woolley Gallery**, 120 NW Ninth Ave., is showing *Equus*, collaborative work in various media by **Tom Hardy** and **David Inkpen** celebrating horses, through Sept. 1.

**Scandals Other Side Cafe Bar**, 1035 SW Stark St., is featuring a show of watercolors by **Jim Kohler** through Aug. 31.

## ONSTAGE

**Broadway Rose Theatre Company** presents *The Taffetas*, a revue of '50s music, through Aug. 19 at the Deb Fennell Auditorium. (Call for times and prices. 9000 SW Durham Road, Tigard. Tickets from the box office. 503-620-5262.)

**Brody Theater** presents *Harold and Game Piece* through Sept. 1. (9 pm. 1904 NW 27th Ave. \$8. 503-224-0688.)

Steven Augustine presents *Little Shop of Horrors* through Aug. 19 in the Performing Arts Center at

## ON VIEW

**Art on Alberta** holds a last Thursday gallery walk every month from 6 to 9 pm, so mark Aug. 30 on your calendar and stroll along Northeast Alberta Street between 14th and 30th avenues, where you'll find 21 galleries full of art. Maps are available at the galleries. Be sure to check out the lesbian-owned gallery **Plain Jane** at 2936 NE Alberta St. and the gay-owned **Alberta Arts Pavilion/Our Dream Gallery** at 2315 NE Alberta St., celebrating the merging of the two spaces with *Juxtaposition 2001*, a national juried show featuring work in a wide array of media. And finally, yet another spot, **ONDA Studio and Gallery** at 2215 NE Alberta St., also is now wholly gay-owned and exhibiting *A Weaving Odyssey*, a group show of tapestries, Aug. 30 to Sept. 25.

**Corvallis Arts Center** is featuring work by gay artist **Mike E. Walsh** through Aug. 19 at 700 SW Madison St.

**Guardino Gallery**, 2939 NE Alberta St., is showing photographs by **Tamara Lischka** and steel sculpture

# outreach

## AIDS & HIV

### Metro: AIDS & HIV

**AIDS Prevention Team** offers educational materials, free condoms and lends out HIV books and videos for residents of Columbia County. (503-397-4651.) (11/01)

**CAREassist** (formerly known as ADAP/CHIP) pays for health insurance premiums, prescription drugs and insurance plan co-payments and deductibles for eligible people with HIV/AIDS. Programs of the Oregon Health Division and Ryan White CARE Act Titles I and II. (8 am-5 pm Monday-Friday.

503-731-4029. Outside Portland 800-805-2313.) (11/01)

**Cascade AIDS Project** provides nonmedical services to people whose lives are affected by HIV and AIDS in Oregon and southwest Washington. Spanish-language assistance available. Young Men's Coffee Talk meets from 7 to 9 pm every Wednesday at 3 Friends Coffeehouse, 201 SE 12th Ave. Lavender Lounge meets from 7 to 9 pm every Friday at the same location. (Portland: Suite 310, 620 SW Fifth Ave. 503-223-5907. Washington County: 503-693-3234. Clark County: 360-735-9170.) (11/01)

**Clackamas County AIDS Relief Effort** is a community-based organization providing HIV/AIDS prevention education and support services. (3300 SE Dwyer Drive,

Suite 306, Milwaukie, OR 97222. 503-653-8738.) (11/01)

**Clackamas County Public Health Division** offers anonymous and confidential HIV testing and counseling to anyone. Se habla español. Interpretation services available. Call for scheduled and walk-in testing times. (Oregon City: 503-655-8471. Milwaukie: 503-655-8735. Sandy: 503-722-6660.) (11/01)

**Friends of People with AIDS Foundation** offers assistance to those with HIV. Services include 72-hour food boxes, emergency travel and lodging, entertainment, pet care, clothing, household goods and cremations. (503-283-8535.) (11/01)

**Health, Education, AIDS Liaison (HEAL)** offers information about alternative views of AIDS causation and HIV testing. For information and a free packet, leave your name and address. (503-227-2339.) (11/01)

**HIV Day Center**, a program of Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon, offers social activities, support groups, peer support, professional counseling, massage, haircuts and home meal deliveries. Hot meals are available at the

center at 9:30 am and 12:30 pm Monday through Friday. (Drop in: 9 am-3 pm Monday-Friday, 2941 NE Ainsworth St. 503-460-3822.) (11/01)

Multnomah County Health Department's **HIV Health Services Center** has specialized in the treatment of HIV since 1990. It offers a full-service medical clinic, including on-site pharmacist and nutritionist, medication management, mental health services, wellness program and case management. Se habla español. ASL and foreign language interpretation available. (8 am-5 pm Monday-Friday, Fourth Floor, 426 SW Stark St. 503-988-5020.) (11/01)

**International Foundation for Alternative Research in AIDS (IFARA)** provides education through the Treatment Information Exchange (TIE) program. Weekly meetings are led by professionals in a specialized area of treatment. (Tuesday nights. 503-736-0194.) (11/01)

**Metropolitan African American Support Connection (MAASC)** is a support group for African American men and women infected or affected by HIV.

## Dykes To Watch Out For by Alison Bechdel

