

# out & about

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**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.

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Submissions cannot be accepted over the phone.

Please type your announcements and include full contact information.

## ON VIEW

**Anne Frank: A History for Today** shows through May 5 at Lloyd Center. Portland is the only West Coast city featuring this international exhibition created by the Anne Frank House in Amsterdam.

**Art on Alberta's** last Thursday walk is 6 to 9 pm April 25. Stroll along Northeast Alberta Street between 14th Place and 30th Avenue and be sure to check out the gay-owned **Alberta Arts Pavilion/Our Dream Gallery** at 2315 NE Alberta St. **ONDA Studio and Gallery**, 2215 NE Alberta St., also gay-owned, features a beautiful array of art quilts by June Underwood through April 23 and a ceramic group show April 25-May 28. Cheryl Tall will give a talk about her ceramic sculpture pieces 2 pm April 27. The artist-owned cooperative **Talisman Gallery** at 1476 NE Alberta St. features painters Buck Braden and Dean Shapiro through April 21.

Gay-owned **Art Home Gallery**, 438 SE Sixth Ave., exhibits the mixed-media work of Bob Nadeau and Portland Cuban artist Efrain Gonzalez through May 5.

Gay-owned **Brian Marki Gallery**, 2236 NE Broadway, displays Jeff Seis' photographic series *Do You Believe in Dog?* through April 30.

**Douglas F. Cooley Memorial Art Gallery** at Reed College, 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd., explores the male

image with *What Is a Man? Changing Images of Masculinity in Late Antique Art*. The exhibition, which includes objects on loan from the Metropolitan Museum of Art, contains varying male images from the third to sixth centuries and explores recent thought and research on gender in antiquity. Showing through June 17.

**Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center**, 5340 N Interstate Ave., offers two exhibitions through April 27. The Main Gallery features a retrospective of the work of painter Hector Hugo Hernandez, which outlines a cultural path from Mexico City to Tokyo and to his home in the Willamette Valley. In the Entry Gallery is *El Mundo Latino*, paintings, drawings and prints honoring the Latino culture by Portland artist Sher Davidson.

The **Lenore Donin Leibrecht Art Gallery** in the **Mittleman Jewish Community Center**, 6651 SW Capitol Highway, offers Portland artist P. Marc Tetreault's *Windows into Kristallnacht* through April 30. This display of sandblasted glass, mirrors and black paint is an homage to Kristallnacht, the night Nazis unleashed destruction upon the Jews of Germany and Austria.

The gay-owned **Mark Woolley Gallery** at 120 NW Ninth Ave. #210 exhibits Brigitte Dortmund's oil paintings through April 27.

**SK Josefsberg Studio**, 403 NW 11th Ave., presents the late gay artist **Tseng Kwong Chi's** renowned photographic *Expeditionary Series* through June 1.

Eugene gay artist **Mike Walsh's** work exploring AIDS

deaths of Oregon artists is part of **A.N. Bush Gallery's** *Northwest Documenta I*, a biennial exhibition of contemporary art through May 12 at 600 Mission St. SE in Salem. His site-specific *Bridges: Fragile Circle* installation is also on view through May 10 at Eugene's **Maude Kerns Art Center**, 1910 E 15th Ave. You can find his single-copy handmade book *Structuring Fear* about Oregon AIDS deaths through May 14 in the Collins Gallery at Multnomah County Central Library, 801 SW 10th Ave.

## ONSTAGE

Portland's **Bodyvox** presents *ZAPPED*, a collaboration with Dark Horse Comics and Dweezil Zappa. Performed through April 21 at Newmark Theatre, the work blends the world of comics and animation with contemporary dance. (8 pm Friday and Saturday, 2 pm Sunday, 1111 SW Broadway, \$22.50-\$31.50 from Portland Center for the Performing Arts box office, Ticket Central, Music Millennium or [www.bodyvox.com](http://www.bodyvox.com).)

**Chocolate Confessions** is a one-woman musical comedy by Joan Freed that follows the exploits of chocolate shop owner Coco Bliss and her array of amusing customers. Playing through April 20 at the Old Church and followed by *A Springtime Chocolate Celebration* with fine chocolates and wines for sale. (8 pm, 1422 SW 11th Ave. \$15 from Fastixx.)

**CoHo Theatre** plays host to David Schmdar's **Straight**, a work about one man's experience with sexual conversion therapy, April 25-27 and May 2-4. (8 pm, 2257 NW Raleigh St. \$12 from 503-274-1373.)

**Cygnat Theatre** presents *Vitrol & Violets: Tales from the Algonquin Round Table* April 25-May 18 at Russell Street Theatre. An evening of 1920s wicked wisecracks, urbane attitudes and sexual innuendo. (8 pm Thursday-Saturday, 7 pm Sunday, 116 NE Russell St. \$15 from 503-493-4077.)

The **Dance Cartel** offers a 2002 Choreographers' Showcase May 3-5 at Echo Theatre. (8 pm Friday and Saturday, 7 pm Sunday, 1515 SE 37th Ave. \$10-\$12 from Ticket Central.)

**Imago Theatre** runs *FROGZ* through April 21. Known worldwide for its inventive illusions, acrobatics and mischievous fun. (Call for times, 17 SE Eighth Ave. \$13-\$23 from 503-231-9581 or Fastixx.)

**Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center** plays host to **Living with HIV**, the third edition of the Well Arts Institute's "Performing Wellness" series, through April 22. Five actors perform theatrical productions around the experiences of five HIV-positive writers. (Call for times, 5340 N Interstate Ave. \$8 at the door.)

**Miracle Theatre Group** concludes its season with Nilo Cruz's *A Bicycle Country* through May 11. (7:30 pm Thursday, 8 pm Friday and Saturday, 525 SE Stark St. \$15 from 503-236-7253.)

**Oslund + Company Dance** presents *Fifty Infants*, a performance series featuring new and repertory work by choreographer Mary Oslund, through April 28 at Conduit Dance Studio. (8:30 pm Friday-Sunday, 918 SW Yamhill St. #401, \$12-\$13 from 503-221-5857.

ext. 3, or [econduit@earthlink.net](mailto:econduit@earthlink.net).)

**Profile Theatre** concludes its Harold Pinter season with *The Birthday Party* through May 26 at Theater! Theatre! Free tickets available for April 19-21 and April 25 performances if your birthday is in April or May. (8 pm Thursday-Saturday, 2 pm Sunday, 3430 SE Belmont St. \$12-\$20 from 503-242-0080.)

**Sowelu Theater** presents gay playwright Mark Ravenhill's **Some Explicit Polaroids** through April 20 at Backdoor Theater. (8 pm Thursday-Saturday, 4 pm Sunday, 4319 SE Hawthorne Blvd. \$7-\$15 from 503-230-2090.)

**Triangle productions!** presents *What the Butler Saw*, a comedy about a more-nutty-than-usual asylum, through May 25 at Theater! Theatre! (Call for times, 3430 SE Belmont St. \$15-\$19 from 503-239-5919.)

## BULLETIN BOARD

**Our House of Portland**, a residential care facility for those living with and dying from AIDS, is recruiting dinner hosts for its annual fund-raiser **Dinner at My House for Our House**, which is entering its 10th



The Aurora Chorus comes Full Circle with its 10th anniversary vocal celebration May 4

year. For more information call Amanda at 503-234-0175. (5/3)

**Portland Women's Crisis Line** is seeking volunteers to staff its 24-hour domestic violence hot line and provide legal and sexual assault advocacy. The next training period is April 23-May 18. Call 503-419-4352. (4/19)

The **One in Ten Screenplay Contest** is dedicated to the positive portrayal of gay men and lesbians in film. Open to any writer with a script in which at least one primary character is lesbian or gay. Deadline for entries is Sept. 1. Entry fee is \$40. Winners receive cash prizes and studio submission. Visit [www.screenplaycontests.com](http://www.screenplaycontests.com) for an application, or send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Cherub Productions, One in Ten Screenplay Contest, P.O. Box 540, Boulder, CO 80306. (5/3)

The **Lesbian Community Project** seeks community members to join four upcoming **Conversations Projects**: seniors older and younger than 60 for an eight- to 10-week discussion about challenges and blessings of aging; deaf and hearing folks to explore the barriers between deaf and hearing people in the queer community (interpreters also needed); butch lesbians and female-to-male trans people; Latinas and lesbians of other cultural backgrounds. For more information or to register for a group, call 503-227-0605. (4/19)

If you want to learn more about the **Gay Women's Golf Group** that is forming, attend an informal networking and planning meeting 10 am April 20 at the Eastmoreland Golf Course restaurant, 2425 SE Bybee Blvd. E-mail [pgwgg@yahoo.com](mailto:pgwgg@yahoo.com) for further information. (4/19)

Diverse volunteers are needed to make a difference for children with the **Citizen Review Board**. Work to safeguard a child's need to grow up in a secure, permanent home and advocate for effective policy and practice in the child welfare and juvenile justice systems. For more information contact Kelly Merrick at 503-731-4578 or [kelly.m.merrick@state.or.us](mailto:kelly.m.merrick@state.or.us). (4/19)

The **Bi Men's Weekend Conference**, which takes place Oct. 18-20 in San Diego, seeks proposals for papers, presentations, panel discussion, performances and work-

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## AIDS & HIV

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**African American Health Coalition (AAHC)** offers support to black men living with HIV and AIDS.

Tell us your needs; we're here for you. (Duane 503-413-1850.) (11/02)

**AIDS Prevention Team** offers educational materials, free condoms and lends out HIV books and videos for residents of Columbia County. (503-397-4651.) (5/02)

**CAREAssist** 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.) (5/02)

**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. (Portland: Suite 310, 620 SW Fifth Ave. 503-223-5907. Washington County: 503-693-3234. Clark County: 360-735-9170.) (5/02)

**Clackamas County Public Health** offers anonymous and confidential HIV testing and counseling to

anyone. Se habla español. No needles! Call for scheduled and walk-in testing times. (Oregon City: 503-655-8471. Sandy: 503-722-6660.) (5/02)

**For Us Northwest (FUN)** provides emotional and social support activities for children infected or affected by HIV/AIDS. Call for information and volunteer opportunities. (503-777-4903.) (5/02)

**Friends of People with AIDS Foundation** offers assistance to those with HIV, including 72-hour food boxes, emergency travel and lodging, entertainment, pet care, clothing, household goods and cremations. (503-283-8535.) (5/02)

**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.) (5/02)

**HIV Day Center** offers hot meals, counseling, laundry facilities, clothing, computers with Internet access, phones, mail drop, recreational activities, massage and haircuts. Se habla español. (9 am-3 pm Monday-Friday, 2941 NE Ainsworth St. 503-460-3822.) (5/02)

**Daily Bread Express** provides home delivery of high quality meals to HIV-positive individuals in need. Fresh meals delivered weekdays, frozen meals for weekends. (Mara 503-460-3822.) (5/02)

Multnomah County Health Department's **HIV Health**

## Dykes To Watch Out For by Alison Bechdel

[www.dykestowatchoutfor.net](http://www.dykestowatchoutfor.net)

