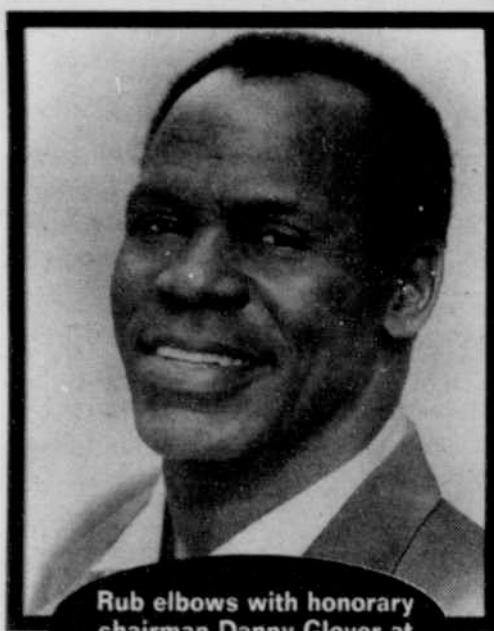




Rub elbows with honorary chairman Danny Glover at AIDS Walk 02 on Sept. 21

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20 FRIDAY

The **Eugene Celebration** begins with the popular Celebration Parade and continues with entertainment, cycling races, a pet parade and booths galore through Sept. 22. Don't miss **Soromundi Lesbian Chorus of Eugene** at 12 pm Sept. 21 on the Saturday Market Stage. (Visit www.eugenecelebration.com for complete details.)

Make your way into the Room at the Egyptian Club to find the **Bad Girls Discussion Group**, open to self-identified women with an interest in B/D/S/M. (7-9 pm. 3701 SE Division St. www.pdxbadgirls.net.)

White Bird kicks off its fifth dance series season with **Ronald K. Brown/Evidence** at Portland State University's Lincoln Hall. Gay dancer Ronald K. Brown's acclaimed "**Walking Out the Dark**" makes its West Coast premiere. (8 pm. 1620 SW Park Ave. \$12-\$24 from Ticketmaster. www.whitebird.org.)

Sensory Perceptions presents the sixth annual **Portland Lesbian Gay Bi Trans Film Festival** through Sept. 29 at Cinema 21. Pick up a schedule around town for this 10-day event featuring more than 30 films and filmmaker appearances. (www.sensoryperceptions.org.)

Increasingly reclusive trollop of accordion mayhem **Miss Murgatroid** is getting together with the kids of **Ripe** to offer **The Night of the Living Accordion** at the Gotham Building Coffee Shop. You'll also get the Decemberists and Steven Ianu, the fire-breathing akkordeonist. Plus a spit roast beast for a midnight feast. (9 pm. 2240 N Interstate Ave. \$5. 503-493-2646.)

Skervy—Queer to the Bone presents A Mob Scene! Guzzle down the bootleg liquor dressed in your Mafioso best at Billy Ray's. DJs Zanne, Puppet and Bang will take you for a ride with hip-hop, ska and buttrock. (10 pm-2 am. 2216 NE Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. www.dejanvier.org/skervy.)

21 SATURDAY

The **Friends of People with AIDS Foundation** sponsors the first-ever **Friends Ride**, a bicycle tour from Hood River to The Dalles along the historic Columbia River Highway. Register at the Sen. Mark O. Hatfield West Trailhead. (8-10 am. \$40 minimum pledges. 503-283-8535.)

If you'd rather walk than bike, join honorary chairman **Danny Glover** and Cascade AIDS Project for **AIDS Walk 02**, starting at Pioneer Courthouse Square. You'll wind around downtown for this 16th annual five-kilometer walk,

which ends with entertainment by the percussion ensemble Lions of Batucada and the Rainbow Dance Theatre. (8:30 am registration, 10 am walk. 503-223-9255. www.cascadeaids.org.)

Bella Casa Realty sponsors the second annual **Women's Indian Summer Scramble** at Colwood Golf Course. Eighteen holes followed by lunch in the clubhouse. Trophies, drawings, contests. Proceeds to benefit Portland's Raphael House, which works to end domestic violence. (Noon. 5729 SE Carlton St. robinetteslr@aol.com.)

Howl at the moon with the **Adventure Group** on a **Full Moon Hike** up Silver Star Mountain north of Washougal, Wash. Meet at Starbucks in the Hollywood Fred Meyer store. (4 pm. 3030 NE Weidler St. 503-452-5680. www.adventuregroup.org.)

Say goodbye to summer in good company with the **Deaf & Hearing Out Reach** at a potluck in Laurelhurst Park. Bring something to share, and look for the rainbow balloons. (4-7 pm. Southeast 39th Avenue and Stark Street. 503-231-0923 TTY. dhord@deafvision.net.)

Salem's **Marionberry Salon** will discuss the book *At Swim, Two Boys* over a potluck meal. (6:30 pm. Cary 503-363-6036. marionberrysalon@aol.com.)

Hear a variety of folk and rock by **Pam and Maggie** at Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. 503-262-7613. www.touchstonecoffeehouse.com.)

Bootscoot on over to **Crystal's Country Jam** at Portland Metro Club. (8-9 pm lessons, 9 pm-1 am dancing. 618 SE Alder St. \$5, \$8 with lessons.)

The Raintree Empire of Southwest Washington presents **Empress Shelia's**

Party Weekend through Sept. 22. Join her for a Party Time Show at Northbank Tavern. (8 pm. 106 W Sixth Ave. \$7 donation. 360-694-8656.)

The Rogue Valley chapter of **Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbian and Gays** presents the **Black and White Ball** featuring the dance music of Leslie Kendall and the Jump Daddies. Wear your black and white best to this fund-raiser at the Ashland Armory. (8-11:30 pm. 208 Oak St. \$15 donation. 541-488-1142.)

Klub Z presents the dance show **Addictive** featuring hostess **Miss Rosebud 26 Divyne Shawnte Duv**. Comedy, music, pyros, lights and action, action, action. (Midnight. 333 SW Park Ave. \$6 before 10:30 pm, \$10 after.)

22 SUNDAY

Be prepared for a 10-mile hike with the hardy women of the **Forest Group** at Opal Creek southeast of Salem. (503-460-9165.)

Lesbians Enjoying Nature and Science are going hiking on Lookout Mountain in the East Mount Hood area. Meet at the Glisan Fred Meyer store. (9 am. 6615 NE Glisan St. Judy 360-833-2545.)

Bring the whole family to **Gay Day at the Zoo**. Carpools available from Stark Street until 2 pm. (Noon-6 pm. 4001 SW Canyon Road. \$4.50-\$7.50. www.themisha.com.)

The **Portland Gay and Lesbian Bowling Association** celebrates its 25th anniversary season every Sunday at Hollywood Lanes. Show up to join a team, regardless of your skill level. (2:30 pm registration, 3:30-6 pm games. 4030 NE Halsey St. \$10 a week. 503-293-0438. www.pdxbowling.com.)

Those big dyke sweethearts of improv comedy **WYMPROV!** return to the Hult Center in Eugene, and, not only that, they're preceded by a brief concert by **Soromundi Lesbian Chorus of Eugene**. Wow! (4 pm. 1 Eugene Center. Free with Eugene Celebration pin. www.eugenecelebration.com.)

Raintree Empire Empress Sheila continues her party weekend with a **Garden Tea Party** in Vancouver, Wash. (5-8 pm. 3309 E 11th St. \$10. 360-694-8656.)

Drop by Hobo's any Sunday for a gay and gay-friendly **Pinochle Group**. (6 pm. 120 NW Third Ave. George 503-760-1248.)

Jewish Family & Child Service plays host to a **Shabbat potluck**. Bring kosher/vegetarian dishes to share, and help build a Sukkah! (6 pm. Call 503-226-7079, ext. 14, for location.)

Sensory Perceptions, sponsor of your queer film festival, is turning 6 and throwing itself an **Anniversary Gala** at the Fez Ballroom. Food, drink specials, dancing, entertainment and prizes. Join them, won't you! (8 pm-midnight. 316 SW 11th Ave. \$7 from www.sensoryperceptions.org or at the door.)

Patti O'Dora presents **Divas 2002—A Tribute** at Darcelle XV. Portland's divas of drag pay tribute to those after whom they've modeled themselves all these years. Proceeds benefit the Audria M. Edwards Scholarship Fund. (8:30 pm. 208 NW Third Ave. \$10. 503-222-5338.)

The Egyptian Club plays host to **BurlyQ and the Gun Street Girls** in **Dangerous Curves Ahead: The Road to Tease-O-Rama**. It's burlesque at its best as these Northwest sultry sirens and voluptuous vixens shimmer, dance and strip their way into your ribald heart. (9 pm. 3701 SE Division St. \$10. 503-236-8689.)

23 MONDAY

Women's Recreational Basketball Night every Monday at James John School. Bring light and dark T-shirts. Newcomers welcome! (7:15-8:30 pm. 7439 N Charleston St. \$2.)

24 TUESDAY

Senior Housing and Retirement Enterprises—SHARE—invites you to come discuss and plan future gay and lesbian housing options in Portland. (6-8 pm. 1737 NW 26th Ave. 503-286-3575.)

Don't sit home alone with your diary...come read it during **The Last Word** open mike night at In Other Words. (7-9 pm. 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd. 503-232-6003.)

25 WEDNESDAY

A bunch of gays rock out the Church House, including **Dear Nora**, **Family Outing** with Allen & Jody Bleye and **Shemo**. (7 pm. 4815 NE 30th Ave. \$3 donation. dearmora@hotmail.com.)

Pull out your chart for SisterSpirit's Women's Magical Study Group topic **Astrology Aspects**. (7 pm. 3430 SE Belmont St. #102. \$3-\$5 donation. 503-736-3297.)



The raucous House of Cunt is The Late Night Replacement Special at Stark Raving Theatre

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