

The **Lesbian and Gay Immigration Rights Task Force** welcomes out-of-town members to Creating Change during its monthly social at Hobo's. (8 pm. 120 NW Third Ave. 503-471-1568. [lgirtfpx@hotmail.com](mailto:lgirtfpx@hotmail.com).)

**Oslund + Company Dance** presents its fall concert *In Performance* through Nov. 10 at Imago Theatre. Original dance and musical compositions in four separate pieces from this distinguished Portland troupe. (8 pm. 17 SE Eighth Ave. \$13-\$15 from 503-221-5857, ext. 3, or [conduit@earthlink.net](mailto:conduit@earthlink.net).)

**Pepe & the Bottle Blondes** present their fourth annual Exotic Masquerade Ball at the Crystal Ballroom. The lively Latin ensemble headlines a full evening of escapades for the 21-and-over set, including the Sabor Latino Dance Co., 69 á Go-Go and DJ Gregarious. Don't come in the door unless you're willing to look wild. (9 pm-1:30 am. 1332 W Burnside St. \$20 in advance from box office or Ticketmaster, \$30 day of show.)



The cellist of a new generation: **Bonfire Madigan's** punk-rock take on the classical will leave your mouth agape Nov. 16 at the Meow Meow

## 10 SUNDAY

Spend the afternoon knocking down some pins with the **Portland Gay and Lesbian Bowling Association**. Now in its 25th year, the group spends every Sunday at Hollywood Lanes. (2:30 pm registration, 3:30-6 pm games. 4030 NE Halsey St. \$10. 503-293-0438. [www.pdxbowling.com](http://www.pdxbowling.com).)

Portland's newest lesbian-owned hangout presents **Queer Night at The Dive**. Every Sunday features contests, bar games, food and dykes. (6-11 pm. 3145 SE Hawthorne Blvd. 503-232-8713.)

The **Eugene Pride 2003 Committee** meets at the Eugene Water and Electric Board Community Room. (1-3 pm. 500 E Fourth Ave.)

## 11 MONDAY

Lesbian jazz great **Patricia Barber** plays two shows at the Crystal Ballroom. 21 and over. (6 and 8:30 pm. 1332 W Burnside St. \$20 from box office or Ticketmaster.)

Every Monday is **Dyke Night** at Touchstone Coffee House. (6-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. 503-262-7613. [www.touchstonecoffeehouse.com](http://www.touchstonecoffeehouse.com).)

## 12 TUESDAY

Join the **Sexual Minorities Roundtable** at Outside In to discuss law enforcement's relationship with queer street youth. Other topics include the Crisis Response Team and bias crimes. (Noon-1:30 pm. 1135 SW 13th Ave.)

Bad Girls plays host to a **Kinky Women's Welcoming Munch** at Dingo's. Beginners are welcome to this social on the second Tuesday of every month where kinky or questioning women of all orientations can connect and ask questions. Over 18 only, please. (7-9 pm. 4612 SE Hawthorne Blvd. 503-972-2233. [www.pdxbadgirls.net](http://www.pdxbadgirls.net).)

It's **sex and gender open mike** night at the Back to Back Cafe. (7-9 pm. 614 E Burnside St. [emi@eminism.org](mailto:emi@eminism.org).)

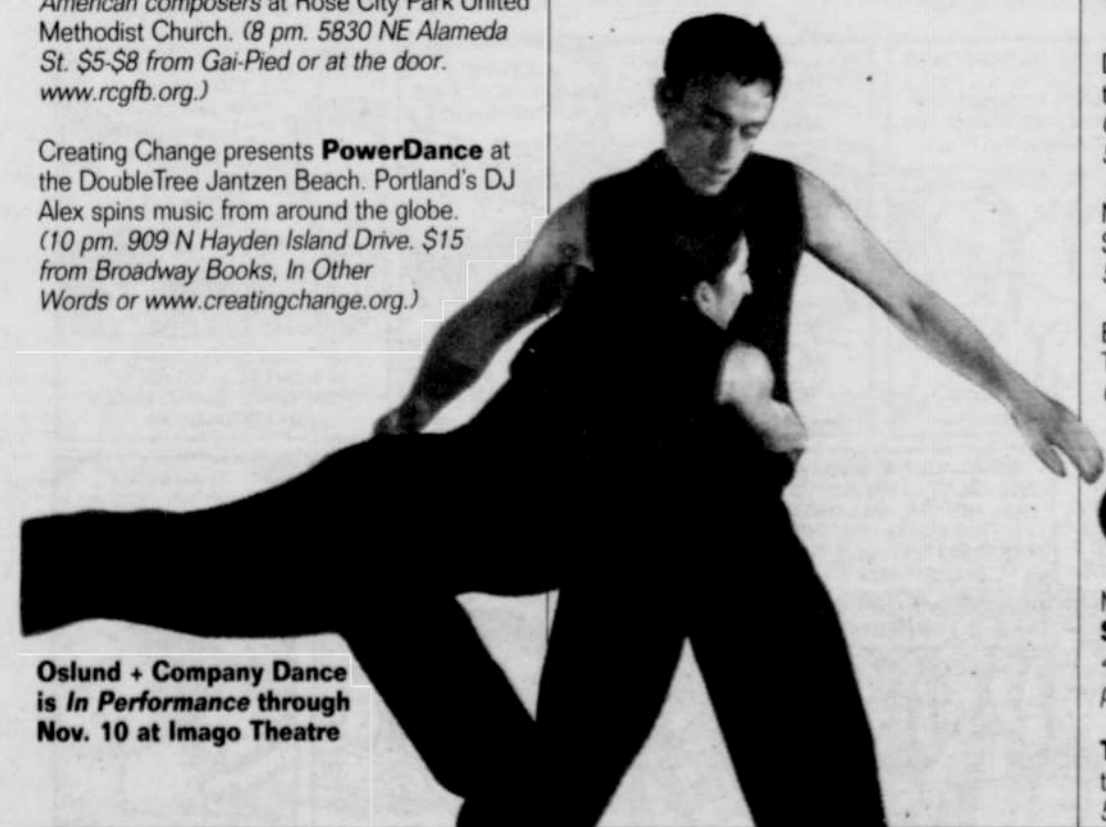
**Susannah Mars and Bill Wells** present **XXX Extreme Cabaret** at Wilf's Restaurant & Piano Bar. A fun evening of songs and stories featuring work by Dave Frishberg, Stephen Sondheim and John Bucchino. (7:30 pm. 800 NW Sixth Ave. \$10. Reservations at 503-223-0070.)

## 9 SATURDAY

CityWalk with the **Adventure Group** and follow it up with brunch. (9 am. 503-452-5680. [www.adventuregroup.org](http://www.adventuregroup.org).)

It's the time of year for the **Rose City Gay Freedom Band Fall Concert**. This year's event is *Voices of America: a salute to American composers* at Rose City Park United Methodist Church. (8 pm. 5830 NE Alameda St. \$5-\$8 from Gai-Pied or at the door. [www.rcgfb.org](http://www.rcgfb.org).)

Creating Change presents **PowerDance** at the DoubleTree Jantzen Beach. Portland's DJ Alex spins music from around the globe. (10 pm. 909 N Hayden Island Drive. \$15 from Broadway Books, In Other Words or [www.creatingchange.org](http://www.creatingchange.org).)



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The much-anticipated fall concert is finally here! The Rose City Gay Freedom Band presents *Voices of America: a salute to American composers* Nov. 9

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## 13 WEDNESDAY

The **Portland Area Business Association** holds its **monthly luncheon** in the Minoan Room of the Greek Cusina. **Monthly dinner** today, too, same place. Featured speaker is Melinda Jetté, Burnside Triangle Advisory Group co-chairwoman. (11:30 am-1 pm lunch, 5:30-7 pm dinner. 404 SW Washington St. For prices and reservations, call 503-241-2222 or visit [www.paba.com](http://www.paba.com).)

The **Every Wednesday Munch** at McMenamens Tavern is a chance to socialize with other kinky B/D/S/M folks. (5-8 pm. 1716 NW 23rd Ave. [dykedadi@aracnet.com](mailto:dykedadi@aracnet.com).)

Serena Blossom Appel plays host to **Savium Open Circle** at Coffee Time. A weekly event open to poets, rappers, acoustic musicians, storytellers and enthusiastic audience members. (8-10 pm. 712 NW 21st Ave. 503-497-1090.)

Every Wednesday is **gay night at Heaven**. DJ Tronic spins. (9-11 pm. 421 SW 10th Ave. 503-757-6984.)

## 14 THURSDAY

Don't go into the weekend without attending the **Strap-on Class** at It's My Pleasure. (7 pm. 3106 NE 64th Ave. \$10. Register at 503-280-8080.)

Meesha plays host to **Latino Night** at Silverado. (1217 SW Stark St. 503-224-4493.)

Enter the goth/industrial **Unterzone** any Thursday night at Panorama. No cover. (9:30 pm-2:30 am. 341 SW 10th Ave. 503-221-7262.)

## 15 FRIDAY

Men's **Leather Night and Red Hanky Social** at Gail's Dirty Duck. (9 pm-midnight. 439 NW Third Ave. 503-224-8446. [pdxsaltydg@aol.com](mailto:pdxsaltydg@aol.com).)

The **Lesbian Connection** meets every third Friday for dinner in Eugene. (Bonnie 541-683-2793.)

## 16 SATURDAY

SisterSpirit plays host to a **Croneing Celebration**. All women welcome. To be "croned," give the sisters a call. (6 pm. \$3-\$5 donation. Call 503-736-3297 for location.)

Portland's soulful dyke **Ajay** plays Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. \$3 donation.)

Political material as fresh as the daily news: Uproarious lesbian writer and comedian **Kate Clinton** is on stage at Aladdin Theater. (8 pm. 3017 SE Milwaukie Ave. \$25 from box office or Ticketmaster.)

Bad Girls plays host to a **B/D/S/M Play Party** for self-identified women 18 and over. (8 pm. Call 503-972-2233 or e-mail [contact@pdxbadgirls.net](mailto:contact@pdxbadgirls.net) for location. [www.pdxbadgirls.net](http://www.pdxbadgirls.net).)

It's a **Bear Bust** when the Oregon Bears take over Gail's Dirty Duck. (8-11 pm. 429 NW Third Ave. \$7-\$9. 503-224-8446.)

Queer San Francisco-based band **Bonfire Madigan** brings its soul-art-string sounds to the Meow Meow. (9 pm. 527 SE Pine St. \$7. [www.bonfiremadigan.com](http://www.bonfiremadigan.com).)

## 17 SUNDAY

**Lesbians Enjoying Nature and Science** hook up for breakfast and a nature walk at Sellwood Riverfront Park. (Deni 503-238-3877.)

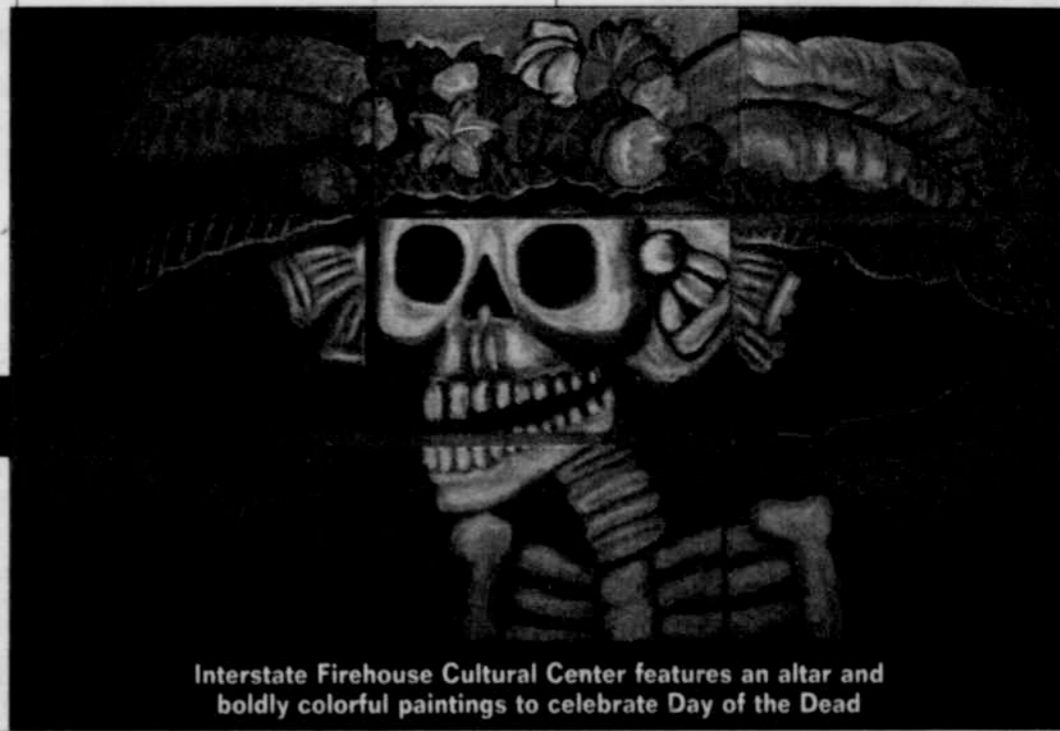
The Coastal AIDS Network presents **Evening in the Garden Gala & Fundraiser** at the Connie Hansen Garden in Lincoln City. Hors d'oeuvres, wine, live music and silent auction. (6 pm. 1931 NW 33rd St. Call 541-994-5597 for cost.)

# Looking Ahead

The Imperial Sovereign Rose Court and Miss Gay Oregon XXVIII Alycia Day invite one and all to **Sash Bash 2002** Nov. 20 at Darcelle XV. Proceeds benefit Our House of Portland. (8 pm. 208 NW Third Ave. \$5. 503-222-5338.)

See On View and Onstage listings on Page 30.

Check out more listings at [www.justout.com](http://www.justout.com)



Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center features an altar and boldly colorful paintings to celebrate Day of the Dead