



out & about

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17 FRIDAY

Turn out the lights because Sensory Perceptions' seventh annual **Portland Lesbian & Gay Film Festival** continues through Oct. 19. (For complete schedule visit www.sensoryperceptions.org.)

Join gay Jewish group **Keshet** for a social potluck dinner and short Shabbat service. (6:30 pm. For location call 503-226-7079, ext. 14. www.gayjewishportland.com.)

Lesbian novelist **Carla Trujillo** visits Powell's to read from *What Night Brings*. (7:30 pm. 1005 W Burnside St.)

Seattle singer/songwriter **Brandi Carlile** plays the Egyptian Club. (8 pm. 3701 SE Division St. \$5. www.brandicarlile.com.)

For brazen bellows, bizarre performance and tasty beast, join **Miss Murgatroid** for *Revenge of the Night of the Living Accordion* at the Gotham Building multiplex. Tons of guest performers, including the premiere of the Fabulous Polka Hoop Boys. (9 pm. 2240 N Interstate Ave. \$7, 21 and over.)

Right or left pocket? Men's **Leather Night and Red Hanky Social** at Gail's Dirty Duck. (9 pm-midnight. 439 NW Third Ave. pdksaltydg@aol.com.)

Go for a late-night cruise with **Storm Large & the Balls** on the Portland Spirit. (11 pm-1:30 am. \$15-\$23 from 503-224-3900.)

18 SATURDAY

Rainbow Recovery Al-Anon Group hosts **Bridges in Recovery**, a roundup for queers in 12-step recovery programs, at Trinity United Methodist Church. Potluck lunch. (8:30 am-4:30 pm. 3915 SE Steele St. \$15 from 360-694-4163.)

Bid sad farewell to Soundvision on the last day of its last show when the gallery presents a live remixing of the newly released **Tribyard Installation Soundtracks** using samples from the gay gallery owner/artist's solo exhibition *Genometrics*. (7:30-9:30 pm. 625 NW Everett St. #108. www.tjnorris.net.)

Guitarist **Allyn Roberts** serves up dirty blues at Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St.)

Queer Deaf and Hearing Coffee Night at Haven. (7-9 pm. 3551 SE Division St. www.deafvision.net/dhor.)

Emergence Transgender Social Group meets in Eugene the third Saturday of every month. (7:30-11 pm. bce@efn.org or emg977@yahoo.com.)

Witness the crowning of **Ms. Gay Poder Latino de Oregon** followed by a Latin celebration at the Polish Hall. (8 pm. 3832 N Interstate Ave. \$10 from 503-407-6034. www.pldo.org.)

Better than the gay ol' opy is **Crystal's Country Jam** at Portland Metro Club. Lessons, dancing and plenty of boot-scootin'. (8-9 pm lessons, 9 pm-1 am dancing. 618 SE Alder St. \$5, \$8 with lessons.)

Bridging the gap between burlesque and bad taste is the **Portland Gay Men's Chorus** adults-only cabaret *Last of the Bathhouse Beauties*, an evening of low-level humor and raunchy song at Reed College's Kaul Auditorium. Master of cere-



DK PDX is back Oct. 26 at Holocene

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monies is **Just Out** columnist **Marc Acito**. (8 pm. 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd. \$20-\$25 from 503-226-2588 or www.pdxgmc.org.)

C'mon...give 'em a big ol' hug during the Oregon Bears' monthly **Bear Bust** at Gail's Dirty Duck. (8-11 pm. 429 NW Third Ave. \$8-\$10.)

Or-A-Trix—an all-chick collective of slam performers, fiction aficionados and queer poet freaks from Seattle—rabble-rouse at the Red and Black Café. (8 pm. 2138 SE Division St. \$5-\$8 sliding scale.)

19 SUNDAY

Learn to communicate more effectively with co-workers, friends and partners at **Metropolitan Community Church of Portland Toastmasters'** one-hour meeting for potential new members. (12:30 pm. 2400 NE Broadway. 503-330-2706. www.mccportland.com.)

Aurora Chorus performs at First Congregational Church with Sonrisa Flamenca and **Trio Pan Dulce** in

"An Afternoon to Remember," a performance and candlelight vigil to increase awareness of domestic violence. Proceeds benefit Bradley-Angle House. (4 pm. 1126 SW Park Ave. Donations.)

Join the Lesbian Community Project for a **Deaf/Hearing Social Night** at Haven. Find out about LCP's Deaf Awareness Program and share ideas for future events. (5-7 pm. 3551 SE Division St. 503-227-0605. lcp@xprt.net.)

Meet up with queer Mormon group **Affirmation** for Queens at the Beach (see below). (6:45 pm. Call 503-672-7787 or e-mail alyson@saw.net for details.)

Get ready, girls: Scream at the Beach—Portland's award-winning haunted house attraction—turns into **Queens at the Beach**, a special gay night for Halloween fairies. (7-10 pm. Jantzen Beach. \$3-\$7 per attraction. www.screamatthebeach.com/queens.htm.)

Bad Girls presents **Dyke Night** at the Eagle PDX with charity auction, raffles, live entertainment and free food. Proceeds benefit the Sexual Minority Youth Resource Center. (8 pm. 1300 W Burnside St. \$2 members, \$4 non-members. www.pdxbadgirls.net.)

Lesbian indie rocker **Melissa Ferrick** brings her acoustic passion to Berbat's Pan. Anne McCue joins her. (10 pm. 231 SW Ankeny St. \$12.50 from TicketsWest.)

20 MONDAY

You. And you. And oh, yes, you, too... **Portland Polyamory Circle** welcomes all sexual orientations to this monthly discussion group. (7 pm. Call Laury at 503-285-4848 for location.)

Spin your wheels every third Monday during Rosetown Ramblers' **Gay Skate Night** at Oaks Park. (7:30-9:30 pm. 1 SE Spokane St. \$5.)

23 THURSDAY

The one, the only, the original Hedwig! **John Cameron Mitchell** visits Jackpot Records to sign the new release *Wig in a Box: Songs from and Inspired by Hedwig and the Angry Inch*. All album proceeds benefit New York's Harvey Milk School for queer students. (5:30 pm. 203 SW Ninth Ave.)

Get down to business during the Portland Area Business Association's **After Hours** at Chameleon. (5:30-7:30 pm. 2000 NE 40th Ave. www.paba.com.)

Portland State University's Continuing Education program brings down-to-earth, in-your-face writer

and documentary **Michael Moore** to Memorial Coliseum for a fresh and funny look at pissed-up politics and oversaturated society. (7 pm. 300 N Winning Way. \$15-\$29 from PSU box office or Ticketmaster.)

State of Denial, a film by Elaine Epstein that looks at AIDS in South Africa as told through six intimate portraits, screens at the Guild. (7 pm. 1219 SW Park Ave. \$6-\$7.)

Through Oct. 25, White Bird presents the Asian fusion dance of **Minh Tran & Company** with special guests **Portland Taiko** and **David York Ensemble** at Portland State University's Lincoln Hall. (8 pm. 1620 SW Park Ave. \$12-\$24 from PSU box office or Ticketmaster.)



Listen Hard to lesbian indie rocker Melissa Ferrick on Oct. 19 at Berbat's Pan

24 FRIDAY

"Our Big Fat Gay Wedding" is the theme of **Basic Rights Oregon's 2003 Dinner Gala fundraiser** at the Oregon Convention Center. Lainie Kazan (from *My Big Fat Greek Wedding*) hosts the 22nd annual event honoring leaders who have worked to advance equality. (6 pm. 777 NE Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. \$100 from 503-222-6151.)

The Queer Resource Center of Ashland's Southern Oregon University sponsors the lecture **Shakespeare's Homoerotics** in Room 124 of the Art Building. (7 pm. 1250 Siskiyou Blvd.)

Portland Bisexual Women meet to discuss "Coming to Terms with Coming Out" at the Broadway Coffee Trader Living Room. (7-9 pm. 2130 NE Broadway. \$3 donation. portlandbiwomen@comcast.net.)

DanceEpiphany presents *Six Duets: A Contact Improvisational Dance Performance*, exploring the "Unknown" when two people make contact, at Performance Works NorthWest. (8 pm. 4625 SE 67th Ave. \$10.)

You're invited to a social thrown by the **Lesbian and Gay Immigration Rights Task Force**. (8 pm. Call 503-471-1568 or e-mail lgirtfpx@hotmail.com for location.)

Designed for people of larger stature, the Oregon Bears present the **XX Dance** at C.C.* Slaughter. (9 pm-midnight. 219 NW Davis St.)

25 SATURDAY

Pick up the pace and join the **Adventure Group** for a brisk morning CityWalk. (9 am. 503-452-5680. www.adventuregroup.org.)

The glitz! The glamour! The royalty! Join Rose Emperor XXIX Josef A. Foxx and Rose Empress XLV Chloe Stone for the crowning of the new titleholders during **Coronation 2003: On the Town** at the Crystal Ballroom. (6 pm. 1332 W Burnside St. \$35-\$38 from www.rosecourt.org or Ticketmaster.)

Salem's **Marionberry Salon** holds a potluck discussion of *Lost Prophet: The Life and Times of Bayard Rustin*. (6:30 pm. Cary 503-363-6036. marionberrysalon@aol.com.)

Get moving to Out Dancing's monthly **Dance Social** at Ankeny Street Studio. Lessons included. (7-10 pm. Corner of Southeast Ninth Avenue and Ankeny Street. \$8. 503-236-5129.)

DinnerGrrls-PDX hosts its second **Women's Networking Potluck** for career gals. (6:30-7 pm introduction, 7-9 pm potluck. www.evite.com/portland@dinnergrrls.org/oct.)

The largely lesbo (but everybody-friendly) **Blue Lightning** plays a queer **Halloween Dance** at the Ashland Community Center in Lithia Park. (8 pm. 59 Winburn Way. \$10-\$20 sliding scale.)

Bluesy-folksy-jazzy **Theresa Demarest and Good Company** make music at Mississippi Pizza Pub. (8 pm. 3552 N Mississippi Ave. \$5.)



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Deaf & Hearing OUT Reach invites you to sip a cup during Queer Deaf and Hearing Coffee Night on Oct. 18 at Haven

DanceEpiphany presents *Six Duets* Oct. 24 at Performance Works NorthWest