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21 FRIDAY

Acoustic dyke duo **Terra** return to Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St.)

Renowned gay author **Edmund White** reads from his new tome, *Fanny: A Fiction*, the quirky tale of how Mrs. Frances Trollope writes the biography of her dear friend and radical feminist Fanny Wright, at Powell's. (7:30 pm. 1005 W Burnside St.)

2 Gyrz Performative Arts continues the **Interactive Language Festival** with *Language of Paradox* starring the original gender outlaw **Kate Bornstein**, joined by San Francisco performance artist **Katastrophe** and members of Portland's Sexual Minority Youth Resource Center, through Nov. 22 at Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center. (7:30 pm. 5340 N Interstate Ave. \$7 from *In Other Words*. For complete festival schedule visit www.2gyrz.org.)

The acoustic roots blues of **Aric Riley** makes Haven heaven. (8 pm. 3551 SE Division St.)

Grab an espresso and get wired for **Queer Night** at Out of the Fog Coffee House in Eugene. (8:30 pm. 450 Willamette St. 541-687-0709.)

22 SATURDAY

For chicks who dig flicks, **Film Fatales** meet monthly for single lesbians older than 30 who enjoy watching movies. (Call 360-694-4163 for time and location.)

"Walk in a Wiccan Wonderland" at Sister-Spirit's Pagan celebration **Yulefest** through Nov. 23 at Washington County Fairground's Main Exhibit Hall in Hillsboro. Musician **Heather Alexander** plus merchants, entertainers, healers, readers, food, raffle and more. (10 am-6 pm Saturday, 11 am-5 pm Sunday. 873 NE 34th Ave. \$5-\$10 donation. www.paganfaire.com.)

Make it a green holiday without going into the red with ecological, socially responsible and health-oriented gifts found at **Give Green! Holiday Gift Fair** at the DoubleTree Hotel Convention Hall. (10 am-6 pm. 1000 NE Multnomah St. \$3 or three nonperishable food items.)

The **Lesbian Community Project** holds its annual membership meeting in the U.S. Bank Meeting Room of Central Library. Find out what's been going down all year and what's coming up. Snacks and entertainment even. (2 pm. 801 SW 10th Ave.)

If you play your cards right, you'll have a good deal of fun during the **Gay Pinochle Tournament** at Hobo's. (4:30-10 pm. 120 NW Third Ave. \$10-\$15. Mike 503-203-8426.)



Well, your holidays won't get gayer than this: The HollyTones jazz up Wilf's Restaurant & Piano Bar with a cabaret Dec. 2, 9 and 16

Modern-day renaissance woman and bi-musician **Rachel Sage** brings her earthy, colorful and emotional folk to Music Millennium. (5 pm. 801 NW 23rd Ave.)



Pianist, singer, poet, dancer, songwriter, visual artist and all-around modern-day renaissance woman **Rachel Sage** plays Nov. 22 at Music Millennium

The University of Oregon Queer Film Festival hosts a screening of **Dildo Diaries**, a documentary exploring Texas obscenity and (former) sodomy laws, in Room 180 of Prince Lucien Campbell Hall on the Eugene campus. Panel discussion follows. (6 pm. East 14th Avenue and Kincaid Street. \$3-\$5.)

Women of the **Forest Group** partake of an old-fashioned dessert social. Bring that special sweet or sipper; coffee provided. (6:30 pm. Call 503-460-9165 at least 24 hours ahead.)

Shake what your mama gave you during Out Dancing's monthly **Dance Social** at Ankeny Street Studio. Lessons included. (7-10 pm. Southeast Ninth Avenue and Ankeny Street. \$5. 503-236-5129.)

Bad Girls presents a workshop on caning with Melissa Nancy followed by a **women's play party**. For self-identified women older than 18. (7-9 pm workshop, 9 pm-midnight party. \$8 nonmembers workshop, \$15 party. For location call 503-972-2233 or e-mail contact@pdxbadgirls.net.)

Portland musician **Tamara J. Brown** unpacks modern folk rhythms at 3 Friends Coffeehouse. See Nov. 23 for her Eugene gig. (7:30 pm. 201 SE 12th Ave. \$5.)

Sir, yes sir! I will be at the **Uniform & Buzz-Cuts** party at the Eagle PDX, sir! (9 pm-2 am. 1300 W Burnside St. \$4 donation.)

23 SUNDAY

Rain or shine, the women of the **Forest Group** visit several galleries on the Brooklyn Neighborhood Art Walk. (Noon-6 pm. For meeting place, call 503-659-2782 at least 24 hours ahead.)

Bring a vegetarian dish to **Keshet's** social potluck dinner. Sponsored by Jewish Family & Child Service. (5 pm. 503-226-7079, ext. 14. www.gayjewishportland.com.)

Turn 20 with **Just Out!** Everyone is welcome to the **Just Out 20th Anniversary Party** at Hollywood Theatre. Birthday cake reception with art show and community organizations precedes comedy performances by Karen Williams and Bob Smith. Special musical guest **Pink Martini**. (5:30 pm reception, 7 pm performances. 4122 NE Sandy Blvd. \$20 from *It's My Pleasure*, Touchstone Coffee, Gai-Pied or www.justout.com.)

Portland musician **Tamara J. Brown** performs at Mother Kali's in Eugene. See Nov. 22 for her Portland date. (6 pm. 720 E 13th Ave. \$5.)

Queer Night every Sunday at Level. (8 pm. 13 NW Sixth Ave. \$3.)

24 MONDAY

It's **karaoke** at queer bar Tennessee Red's every Monday and Tuesday. (9 pm. 2133 SE 11th Ave.)

28 FRIDAY

The day after Thanksgiving means buy, buy, buy—then bi, bi, bi as **Portland Bisexual Women** gather for a leftovers potluck with significant others, friends and allies at the Broadway Coffee Trader Living Room. (7-9 pm. 2130 NE Broadway. \$3 donation. portlandbiwomen@comcast.net.)

For a gay old time, roll on down to see **Theresa Demarest and Good Company** at Jimmy Mak's. (9 pm-midnight. 300 NW 10th Ave. \$10.)

Dos Equis is beer; XX is queer—as in the **Oregon Bears' monthly dance** at C.C. Slaughters. (9 pm-midnight. 219 NW Davis St.)

2 Gyrz Performative Arts continues the **Interactive Language Festival** with *Language of ConSumption* at Liminal featuring the controversial, digitally manipulated work of gay Asian American artist **Horatio Hung-Yan Law** along with Adbusters, ConSumption Junction, a capitalist confessional bar and Santa's Workshop with the Cacophony Society. (9:30 pm. 403 NW Fifth Ave. Free, of course. www.2gyrz.org.)

29 SATURDAY

Galloway and Luckett blend acoustic blues, jazz and pop at Hotel Oregon in McMinnville. (7-10 pm. 310 NE Evans St. 503-472-8427.)

2 Gyrz Performative Arts closes the **Interactive Language Festival** with *Language of the Bawdy* at The Hall Gallery featuring gay performance artist **David Eckard** with guests Faun Fables, Nequaquam Vacuum, Seattle's P.A.N. and the dark ritual theater of Human Sculpture. (7:30 pm. 630 SE Third Ave. \$7. www.2gyrz.org.)

Taste some queer orchestral excess from Toronto's exquisitely naughty **The Hidden Cameras**, to be joined at Nocturnal by queer-fronted Portland rock 'n' roll quartet **The Divided**. (8 pm. 1800 E Burnside St. \$7. www.nocturnalpdx.com.)

Get in the Zone when Dingo's takes over the smoke-free Scarlett Ballroom for a 21-and-over **Last Saturday** dance. (8 pm. 700 NE Dekum St. \$10. www.scarletballroom.com.)

Kick off the holidays by kicking up your heels during **Rose City Swing's** fabulous 21-and-over **A Holiday Affair** party and dance at Portland Metro Club. (8 pm. 618 SE Alder St. \$10 from Gai-Pied or 503-790-2170.)



Kate Bornstein joins San Francisco hip-hop poet **Katastrophe** on Nov. 21 and 22 for *Language of Paradox* at Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center

