

out & about

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20 FRIDAY

Whale lovers everywhere are invited to the Oregon Coast Aquarium's Keiko remembrance event, featuring singer/songwriter **Theresa Demarest and the Keiko's Legacy Tour**. (6:30 pm. 2820 SE Ferry Slip Road, Newport. www.theresacd.com.)

Kick off the 12th annual **University of Oregon Queer Film Festival** with a screening of the Argentine lesbian film *Suddenly* in Prince Lucien Campbell Hall followed by an opening night reception. (7 pm. 14th Avenue and Kincaid Street. \$5 festival pass. Get a full schedule at www.uoregon.edu/~qff.)

Dyke duo **Terra** bring harmonies and acoustics to Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St.)

21 SATURDAY

Get ready for spring with the women at OWL Farm in Days Creek during a daylong workshop on **fruit tree pruning**. (9:30 am-2 pm. Cory 541-643-2565 or Renee 541-955-4636.)

The Broadway Rose Theatre Company kicks off a cabaret series with **Jennifer Ackerman** performing *Back Home Again*, stories and songs about life in New York City, at Tigard Community Friends Church. (3 and 7 pm. 15800 SW Hall Blvd. \$12 from 503-620-5262.)

The Freedom Socialist Party presents a showing of **A. Philip Randolph: For Jobs**

and **Freedom** in celebration of Black History Month. Preceded by a Southern buffet, followed by a discussion. (6 pm buffet \$57, 7 pm program. 819 N Killingsworth St. 503-240-4462.)

It's all about the Oregon when the Imperial Sovereign Rose Court does **The "O" Show** at Embers featuring Mr., Miss and Ms. Gay Oregon. Proceeds benefit the Pride of the Rose Scholarship Fund. (7 pm. 110 NW Broadway. \$5.)

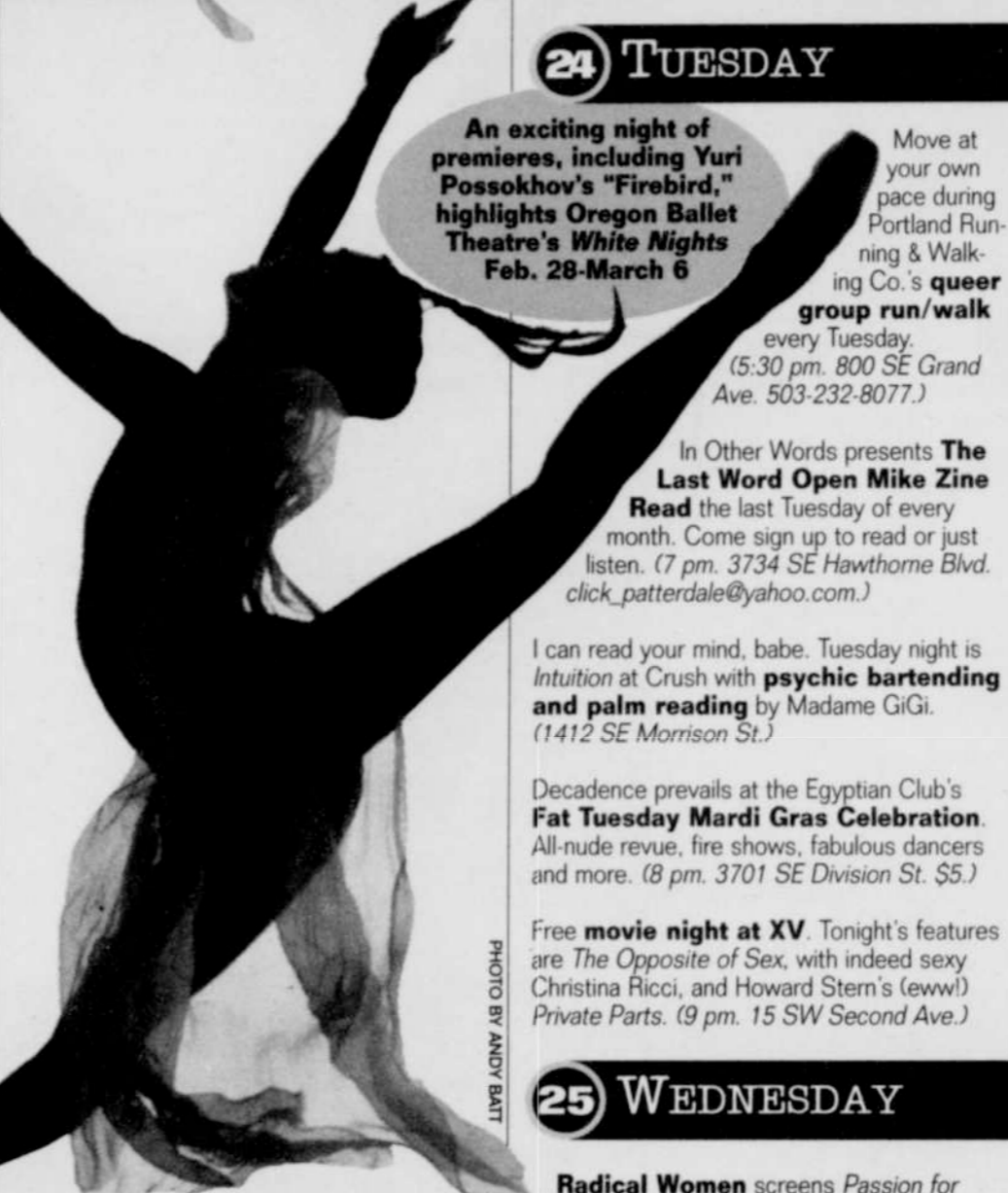
Queer Deaf & Hearing Coffee Night at 3 Friends Coffeehouse. (7-10 pm. 201 SE 12th Ave. 503-235-0840 voice. dhord@deafvision.net.)

Warm up during the hot and spicy Oregon Bears' annual all-you-can-eat **Chili Feed** at Gail's Dirty Duck. (6-8 pm Feed \$5, 8-11 pm Bear Bust \$8 members, \$10 nonmembers). 429 NW Third Ave.)

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

Shake it up, baby, and join the Mardi Gras Bacchanal Cajun feast by Donald Falk and Harold Rains as part of **Dinner at My House for Our House**, a fund-raiser series for Our House of Portland. (6:30 pm. \$100. For reservations or a brochure listing all dinners, call 503-736-9276.)

Nationally celebrated queer performance artist **Tim Miller** presents his new one-man show *Us* at Echo Theatre. Post-show reception benefits the Lesbian and Gay Immigration Rights Task Force. (8 pm. 1515 SE 37th Ave. \$16 from Gai-Pied, Gold Door, Music Millennium or TicketsWest. \$5 reception.)



24 TUESDAY

An exciting night of premieres, including Yuri Possokhov's "Firebird," highlights Oregon Ballet Theatre's **White Nights** Feb. 28-March 6

Move at your own pace during Portland Running & Walking Co.'s **queer group run/walk** every Tuesday. (5:30 pm. 800 SE Grand Ave. 503-232-8077.)

In Other Words presents **The Last Word Open Mike Zine** Read the last Tuesday of every month. Come sign up to read or just listen. (7 pm. 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd. click_patterdale@yahoo.com.)

I can read your mind, babe. Tuesday night is **Intuition at Crush** with **psychic bartending and palm reading** by Madame GiGi. (1412 SE Morrison St.)

Decadence prevails at the Egyptian Club's **Fat Tuesday Mardi Gras Celebration**. All-nude revue, fire shows, fabulous dancers and more. (8 pm. 3701 SE Division St. \$5.)

Free **movie night at XV**. Tonight's features are *The Opposite of Sex*, with indeed sexy Christina Ricci, and Howard Stern's (eww!) *Private Parts*. (9 pm. 15 SW Second Ave.)

25 WEDNESDAY

Radical Women screens *Passion for Justice*, a film portrait of Ida Wells, a black feminist investigative journalist of the post-Civil War era, at the Bread and Roses Center. (6:30 pm snacks \$3, 7 pm program. 819 N Killingsworth St. 503-240-4462.)

SisterSpirit's **Magickal Study Group** for women discusses Animal Magick and Shamanism I. (7 pm. 3430 SE Belmont St. #102. \$3-\$5 donation. 503-736-3297.)

Back to Back collective cafe serves up **Open Mike Night** every Wednesday. (7-9 pm. 614 E Burnside St.)

It's **ladies performance night** at the Meow Meow, with The Blow, The Badger King, T-Rexa, Dr. Claw and Pash. (8 pm. 20 SE Second Ave. \$5.)

26 THURSDAY

Feasting on Forbidden Fruit: Censorship in Action examines challenged and banned books and music at Woodstock Library. (7-8:30 pm. 6008 SE 49th Ave. 503-988-5399.)

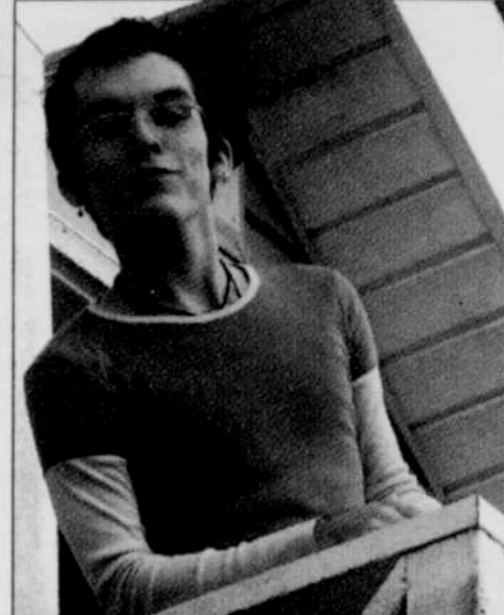
Let it out! Step up to the **open mike** at 3 Friends Coffeehouse, hosted by queer musician Tamara J. Brown. (7 pm. 201 SE 12th Ave.)

The indefinably bizarre cabaret act **House of Cunt** takes over Wild Abandon & The Red Velvet Lounge through Feb. 27. Dining, drinking, debauchery! (8:30 pm Thursday, 10:30 pm Friday. 2411 SE Belmont St. \$10 from 503-232-4458.)

Cracklin' bluesy folk musician **Myshkin** plays most Thursdays at Produce Row Cafe. (9 pm. 201 SE Oak St. \$2.)

27 FRIDAY

Join **Keshet** (Hebrew for rainbow) for a potluck and short Shabbat service, sponsored by Jewish Family & Child Service. (6:30 pm. David 503-226-7079. www.gayjewishportland.com.)



It's tough to be this cute when you're so talented, but **Rory Stitt** will muddle through his concert somehow March 5 at Nocturnal

You want to put what where? An introductory **anal sex class** explains all at It's My Pleasure. (7 pm. 3106 NE 64th Ave. \$10. 503-280-8080.)

The newest **queer bowling league** in Portland, PDX Pride, meets every Friday at Hollywood Lanes. (7-9 pm. 4030 NE Halsey St. Kathy 503-774-3042.)

Portland Bisexual Women meets every second and fourth Friday at Broadway Coffee Trader Living Room. All bi and questioning women are welcome to this social, open forum. (7-9 pm. 2130 NE Broadway. \$3 donation. portlandbiwomen@comcast.net.)

Third Angle New Music Ensemble presents *Tango Junkie*, an evening of tango and dance-inspired music featuring bandoneon master Coco Trivisonno, at Reed College's Kaul Auditorium. Tango Dance Gala follows! (7 pm preconcert talk, 7:30 pm performance. 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd. \$15-\$20 from TicketsWest. Gala tickets \$30 from 503-331-0301.)



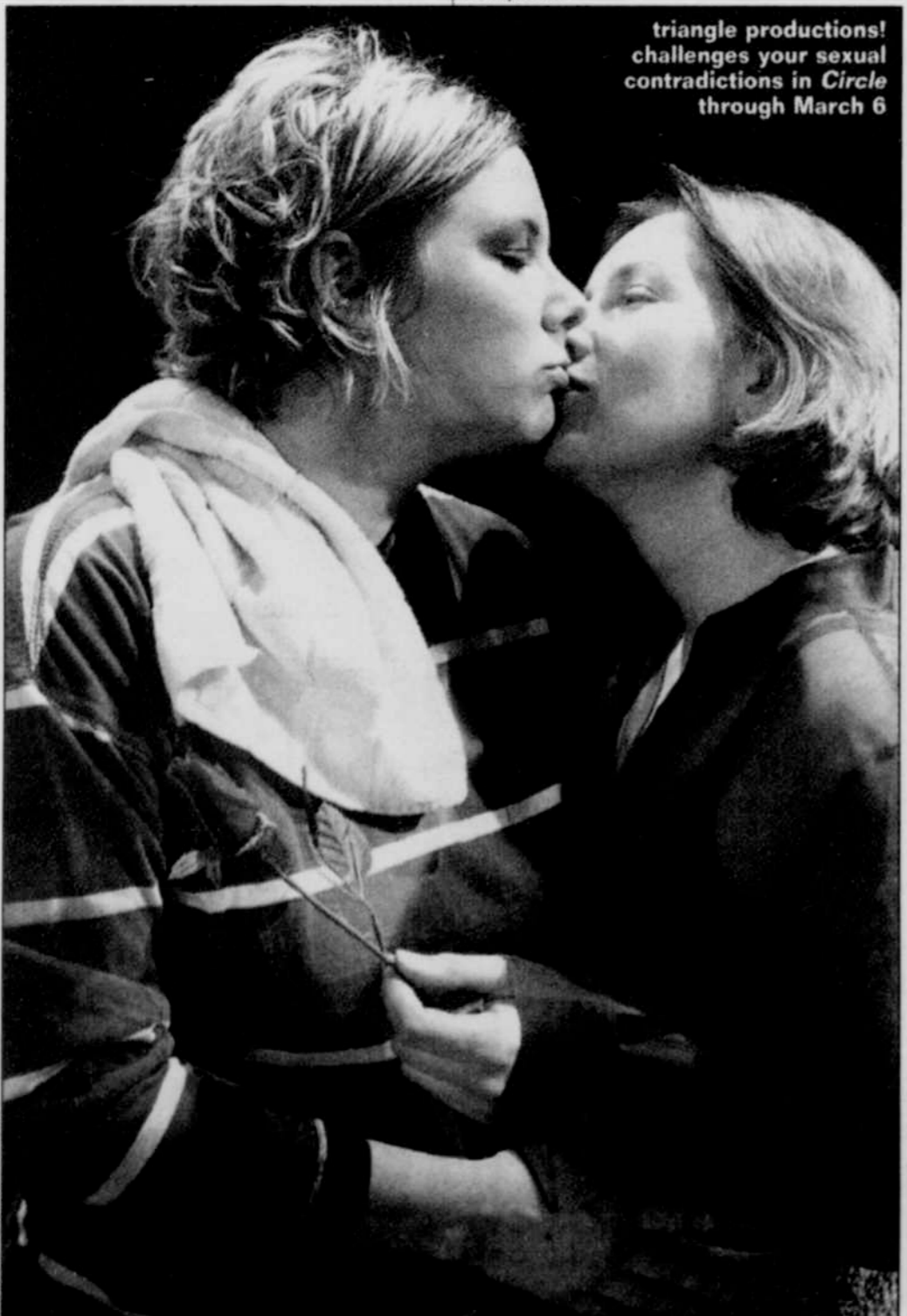
The human is in fine form Feb. 26-March 23 at Guardino Gallery

Get down, get down during the Oregon Bears' **XX Dance** at C.C. Slaughters. (9 pm-midnight. 219 NW Davis St.)

28 SATURDAY

Those active gals from the **Forest Group** are headed to the Oregon Museum of Natural History at University of Oregon. Kids welcome. (\$2 donation. 503-659-2782.)

Portland Radical Faeries gather every Saturday at 3 Friends Coffeehouse. (9:30 am. 201 SE 12th Ave. otter@pcez.com.)



triangle productions! challenges your sexual contradictions in **Circle** through March 6

22 SUNDAY

Join the women of the Forest Group on a **snowshoe hike** in Mount Hood's Barlow Pass. Dogs welcome. (503-659-2782.)

Meet Nicki of the **Lesbian Garden Club** just inside the ticket booth for a guided tour of the Japanese Gardens. (1 pm. 611 SW Kingston Ave. \$6.50.)

Always a good time, **Church of the Poison Mind** Sundays at Silverado. (4-9 pm. 1217 SW Stark St.)

Missed last week's episode of **The L Word**? Don't despair, you can catch it at the Egyptian, followed by the current episode. (6 and 10 pm. 3701 SE Division St. 503-236-8689.)

The **gay pinochle group** meets every Sunday at Hobo's. Come play cards and meet the gang. (6 pm. 120 NW Third Ave. Mike 503-203-8426.)

TechnoDyke.com's fourth birthday bash takes the form of a Studio 54 tribute party at Holocene. Featuring DK PDX, raffle prizes, TheatErotica Red Hot Book Revue and dancing with an actual DJ from the real, live Studio 54. What a hoot. (7 pm. 1001 SE Morrison St. \$3 with disco garb, \$5 without.)

23 MONDAY

Take a bite out of **Feasting on Forbidden Fruit: Censorship in Action**, a program that examines challenged and banned books and music, at Hollywood Library. (6:30-8 pm. 4040 NE Tillamook St. 503-988-5391.)

You will go to the **Eugene Monday Munch** for kinksters at McMenamins North Bank, and you'll like it. (6-9 pm. 22 Club Road. conradh@efn.org.)

Photographer and writer **Mariette Pathy Allen** gives a slide presentation and reads from her new book on the U.S. trans movement, *The Gender Frontier*, at Borders. (7 pm. 708 SW Third Ave.)



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