

# out & about

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appears next to events especially recommended by the *Just Out* arts staff.

## november

### 19 FRIDAY

Portland's beloved ensemble performance troupe, **House of Cunt**, presents two weekends of music, performance art, hilarity and dance through Nov. 27 at Nocturnal. The Friday show is called "Solo Projects," followed by "Sell Ron's Package" on Saturday. (8 pm. 1800 E Burnside St. \$10 each, \$18 for both.)

**just go out!** Come pin the Christ on the cross, drink Bloody Marys and have a rockin' good time during **Cabaret Passionata**, an evening of provocative performers—including the all-girl queer band **t-reXXXa**—through Nov. 20. Proceeds benefit Radiant Theatre's May 2005 production of *Jesus Christ Superstar*. (8 pm. Friday: The Tribe Theatre, 403 NE Fifth Ave. Saturday: It's a Beautiful Pizza, 3341 SE Belmont St. \$5-\$15 donation. [www.radianttheatre.org](http://www.radianttheatre.org).)

**Patrick Califia**, the most outspoken and intelligent commentator on sexual politics writing today, joins queer spoken word artists damali ayo and John G. Boehme for "Language of Identity" at Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center as part of the third annual Interactive Language Festival. (8 pm. 5340 N Interstate Ave. \$7 from *In Other Words*. For a complete schedule visit [www.2gyrlz.org](http://www.2gyrlz.org).)

**Myshkin's Ruby Warblers** draw on a world of influences—from gypsy to punk to jazz—with James Low at Mississippi Studios. (8 pm. 3939 N Mississippi Ave. \$8.)

**Leather Night and Red Hanky Social** at Gail's Dirty Duck every first and third Friday. (9 pm-midnight. 439 NW Third Ave. [dustin@pacifier.com](mailto:dustin@pacifier.com).)

Go on a **Manhunt Party** at Scandals with Q-LAND. Win prizes, meet interesting men and get a free HIV/STD test. (9 pm-midnight. 1038 SW Stark St. [www.qland.org](http://www.qland.org).)

### 20 SATURDAY

Eugene's **Outdoor Group** meets at The Beaney for a hike at Sweet Creek and Beaver Creek Falls. (9 am. 152 W Fifth Ave. Ron 541-683-5084.)

Acclaimed trans writer **Patrick Califia** presents a free informal reading and Q & A session at *In Other Words*. (3 pm. 3734 SE Hawthorne Blvd.)

Come to the third annual **Gay Pinochle Tournament** at Hobo's. (4 pm. \$15 at the door, \$10 in advance from 503-641-7224.)

Lesbian social club **Rainbow River Women** meets first and third Saturdays at



Hooray for Bollywood! DJs Anjali and The Incredible Kid celebrate the second anniversary of Andaz on Nov. 27.

McMenamins North Bank in Eugene. (5 pm. 22 Country Club Road. Sue 541-741-1210.)

Connect the Dots Theatre Company debuts a documentary about the discrimination experienced in bringing *The Laramie Project* to southern Oregon earlier this year during **Dinner with the Dots** at Wild River Public House in Grants Pass. (6 pm. 533 NE E St. \$35 from 866-904-DOTS.)

Song-and-dance team **Lyndin & Warren** perform with the Gateway Showtime Revue at Zion United Church of Christ in Gresham. (7 pm. 2025 NE 23rd Ave. \$5-\$10.)

Acoustic dyke duo **Terra** perform at Touchstone Coffee House. (7-9 pm. 7631 NE Glisan St. \$3-\$5 suggested tip.)

**Language of Silence (= death)** honors International Transgender Day of Remembrance for victims of anti-trans violence at Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center as part of the third annual Interactive Language Festival. (7-10 pm. 5340 N Interstate Ave. For a complete schedule visit [www.2gyrlz.org](http://www.2gyrlz.org).)

**The Gossip** opens for Blues Explosion at Crystal Ballroom. (9 pm. 1332 W Burnside St. \$15 at the door, \$13 in advance from Ticketmaster.)

**just go out!** The all-new nightclub C.C. Slaughters presents the **Blue Ball**. (9 pm. 219 NW Davis St. \$5.)

### 21 SUNDAY

Join **Lesbians Enjoying Nature and Science** for a morning of bird watching at Jackson Bottom Wetlands. (10 am. Terri 503-626-4623.)

Joy Asherah Misra offers a **queer meditation group** for people to engage in self-guided healing with others Sundays at Prananda Yoga and Arts Center. (2 pm. 4812 N Interstate Ave. \$5-\$7 sliding scale.)

**Snatch: A Dyke Knight** presents a singles snatch-up and hot homo dance party with Portland's best queer DJs first and third Sundays at the Doug Fir Lounge. (6-11 pm. 830 E Burnside St. \$5.)

Trans writer/performer extraordinaire **Kate Bornstein** shares the stage with the LOPers—a troupe of 16- to 24-year-old trans people who, under Bornstein's tutelage during a weeklong workshop, will present the next installment in their semi-autobiographical, semi-theater, semi-performance art group show—during "Language of Paradox" at the Meow Meow. (8 pm. 320 SE Second Ave. \$5-\$15. [www.2gyrlz.org](http://www.2gyrlz.org).)

Take flight to **Metamorphose** queer night at Madame Butterfly. (8 pm. 403 SW Stark St.)

Drag king Johnny Mozzarella and DJ Tool host **Twisted Sundays** at the Brig with Portland's largest Twister board. Drink

specials, prizes and more fun than you can stand. (9 pm. 1035 SW Stark St.)

### 22 MONDAY

You don't have to like touchdowns to score with **Monday Night Football** at the Egyptian Club. Enter to win a digital home theater system, play board games, and enjoy free spaghetti with any purchase. (6 pm kickoff, 7-9 pm dinner. 3701 SE Division St. 503-236-8689.)

Lesbian laughter leader Gail Hand teaches **laughter classes** at CoHo Theater to help lift your spirits, lower your blood pressure and bring about amazing changes in your life. (7-8 pm. 2257 NW Raleigh St. \$5.)

**Queer Night** every Monday at Le Happy. (9 pm-1 am. 1011 NW 16th Ave.)

### 23 TUESDAY

**just go out!** It's **Girls' Night Out!** Portland Center Stage invites groups of women to enjoy appetizers, nonalcoholic drinks and dessert at Southpark before heading to Newmark Theatre for Nilo Cruz's Pulitzer-winning *Anna in the Tropics*. (5:30 pm dinner party, 901 SW Salmon St. 7 pm performance, 1111 SW Broadway. \$45 from 503-274-6589.)

**just go out!** Dueling divas Diane Syrcle and Susannah Mars join music director Carol Lucas for an exciting evening of power ballads, burlesque, opera and tunes from *Avenue Q* and the Berlin Forbidden Cabaret in **Everybody Says Don't** Tuesdays through Nov. 30 at Wilf's Restaurant & Piano Bar. (7:30 pm. 800 NW Sixth Ave. \$15 from 503-223-0070.)

When the weather outside is frightful, the **Nude Review** inside is delightful at the Egyptian Club. (9 pm. 3701 SE Division St.)

Tuesdays are **Venus** night at No Fish! Go Fish! for women who love women. Featuring

special guest drink The Venus of Willendorf! (10 pm-1 am. 3962 SE Hawthorne Blvd.)

### 24 WEDNESDAY

\*Start feeling the holiday spirit with **turkey bowling** at the Egyptian Club. (3701 SE Division St. 503-236-8689.)

### 25 THURSDAY

Once you've overeaten, bring your leftovers to **Booty** with the debut of guest DJ, MoRocca at Porky's Pub. (9 pm-2 am. 835 N Lombard St. \$3 after 10 pm. [www.bootypdx.com](http://www.bootypdx.com).)

### 26 FRIDAY

Enjoy \$1 draft beers at the Gemini Pub in Lake Oswego while helping **Jennifer Collier and Stephanie Corey** raise money to run in an AIDS charity marathon in February 2005 in New Orleans. Proceeds benefit the Whitman-Walker Clinic. (5-8 pm. 456 N State St. Donations.)

Famed fashion photographer **Bruce Weber** offers a paean to pooches in *A Letter to True* through Nov. 29 at Guild Theatre. (7 and 8-45 pm Friday; 4, 6 and 8 pm Saturday; 5 and 7 pm Sunday; 7 pm Monday. 829 SW Ninth Ave. \$6-\$7.)

**Portland Bisexual Women** go zydeco dancing at Norse Hall. (7 pm-midnight. 111 NE 11th Ave. [mtroy1973@msn.com](mailto:mtroy1973@msn.com).)

White Eagle Saloon presents **Dazzling Duos** with Gypsy Moths, Acoustic Minds and Portland queers Terra. (9:30 pm. 836 N Russell St. \$6-\$10 sliding scale.)



Ms. Gay Poder Latino de Oregon 2003 Alicia Casanova will crown her successor Nov. 28

### 27 SATURDAY

The Oregon Bears cross the border for their annual **Turkey Potluck Feast** at Northbank Tavern in Vancouver, Wash. They supply the bird, you supply the trimmings. (5-9 pm. 106 W Sixth Ave.)

**just go out!** Jingle into the holiday season with **Rose City Swing** during *Holiday Affair IV: Let It Swing! Let It Swing! Let It Swing!* at the Metro Police Club. They'll have you hopping on the dance floor while they play a selection of standards and holiday



You'll have to wait until next May to see DeLonde Bell (left) as gay *Jesus Christ Superstar*, but you can set the stage at Radiant Theatre's Cabaret Passionata featuring t-reXXXa (right) Nov. 19 and 20