

Papaya Vietnamese Bistro. (9 pm-midnight, 1135 SW Morrison St.)

DJs Puppet, Stormy and Heewee spin during **Booty: Queer as Ye Be**, a weekly queer night at Porky's Pub. (9 pm-2 am, 835 N Lombard St. \$3 after 10 pm. www.bootypdx.com.)

## 8 FRIDAY

Lesbian laughter leader **Gail Hand** performs an hour of interactive comedy and storytelling at Sueña. (8 pm, 3930 NE Hancock St. \$10 from 503-284-2342.)

**GO OUT** DJ Corban Lester takes **Soda**, a monthly exotic electro celebration at Noir, to another plane with Portland General Electro, Strength and DJs Evan Alexander, Mr. Romo and 31 Avas. (8 pm-2 am, 203 SE Grand Ave. \$5.)

## 9 SATURDAY

Show your Pride during **Saturday in the Park** at Esther Short Park in Vancouver, Wash. (Noon-5 pm, West Columbia and Eighth streets.)

**Candy from Strangers** rocks Music Millennium. (5 pm, 801 NW 23rd Ave.)

The women of **The Forest Group** meet for their monthly potluck and planning session. Even if you don't want to lead an event, bring a dish to share and come join this open discussion. (5:30 pm potluck, 6:30 pm planning, 503-238-3877.)

Gypsy torch punks **Myshkin's Ruby Warblers** perform with Nick Jaina at Mississippi Studios. (8 pm, 3939 N Mississippi Ave. \$10 at the door, \$8 in advance from 503-288-3895.)

Out Dancing's monthly **Dance Social** is every second Saturday at Ankeny Street Studio. Lesson and refreshments included. (8-11 pm, 975 SE Sandy Blvd. \$5, 503-236-5129.)

**Mandonna** pays tribute to the Material Girl with host Poison Waters and DJ Gregarious at Crystal Ballroom. (9 pm, 1332 W Burnside St. \$25 at the door, \$20 in advance from Ticketmaster or 503-241-3336.)

DJs Anjali, E3 and The Incredible Kid expose electronic sounds emerging from South Asia, the Middle East, Africa, Latin America, Jamaica and the United Kingdom during the monthly dance party **Atlas** at Holocene. (9:30 pm-2:30 am, 1001 SE Morrison St. \$5 after 10 pm.)

**GO OUT** Back from its East Coast tour, **Übergay Cabaret** presents its acclaimed pop drag opera *Jack's Off the Beanstalk* at Bossanova Ballroom. Flava Kelly opens, and DJ Puppet spins. (9:30 pm, 722 E Burnside St. \$5.)

## 10 SUNDAY

**Candy from Strangers** perform during Warped Tour '05 at Columbia Meadows in St. Helens. (11 am, 63701 Columbia River Highway. \$30.25 from TicketsWest.)

Mabel's Cafe & Knittery welcomes all crafts and levels of experience for **Queer Knitting** every other Sunday. Free basic knitting lessons. (4-6 pm, 3041 SE Division St.)

Come to Holocene for **Tart**—a monthly party where the girls go to get more weekend in their weekend. You will be sad you missed it. (4-9 pm, 1001 SE Morrison St.)



Genuine Imitation Gallery introduces French artist Fanélie Rosier's postmodern take on the feminist canon July 7-29.

Darcelle XV Showplace crowns the most beautiful female impersonator in the city during the **Portland Regional La Femme Magnifique Pageant** featuring talent, formal wear, theme and showgirl presentations. (8 pm, 208 NW Third Ave.)

## 11 MONDAY

Take a gamble on the **Texas Hold 'Em Tournament** Mondays and Wednesdays at the Egyptian Club. The top point earners will win bumper stickers, a Vegas getaway and a Carnival Cruise and will be invited to compete for a seat in the World Series of Poker 2006! (7 and 10 pm, 3701 SE Division St.)

## 12 TUESDAY

Gay actor/author **Martin Moran** discusses his book and one-man show *The Tricky Part: One Boy's Fall from Trespass into Grace* at Jantzen Beach Barnes & Noble. (7 pm, 1720 N Jantzen Beach.)

Big Mama's Church and In Other Words Women's Books and Resources present an evening with visionary activist astrologer **Caroline W. Casey** featuring Afro-Cuban percussion and song by the Mambo Queens at the Old Church. (7 pm, 1422 SW 11th Ave. \$8 donation from www.bigmamaschurch.org.)

Recent San Francisco transplant **Holcombe Waller**—described by *Spin* magazine as possessing "the crazy-beautiful, four-octave voice of an androgynous seraph"—opens for Feist at the Doug Fir Lounge. (9 pm, 830 E Burnside St. \$10 at the door, \$8 in advance from TicketsWest.)

## 13 WEDNESDAY

The **Portland Area Business Association** holds its monthly meeting at the Governor Hotel. (11:30 am-1 pm, 614 SW 11th Ave. \$19-\$24 from 503-241-2222.)

Holocene follows the **Party Line** every second and fourth Wednesday with DJs Automaton, Amber and Freddie. This dancetastic crazy queer night is one of the city's best bootie-shaking opportunities. (9 pm, 1001 SE Morrison St. \$3.)

## 14 THURSDAY

**Elder Resource Alliance** invites older members of the sexual minorities community to meet each other, share common interests and enjoy fun conversation every second Thursday at Old Wives' Tales. Two door prize winners will get a free bowl of the restaurant's famous Hungarian mushroom soup! (2-4 pm, 1300 E Burnside St. Kevin 503-224-2640.)

**Oregon Tradeswomen** present an information session about paid on-the-job training and high-wage career opportunities in carpentry, electrical and other construction-related fields at Portland Community College's Workforce Training Center. (2-4 pm, 5600 NE 42nd Ave. Register at 503-335-8200, ext. 21.)

**GO OUT** **The B-52's** perform at the Britt Pavilion in Jacksonville. (7:30 pm, \$23-\$57 from www.brittfest.org.)

## 15 FRIDAY

Southern Oregon queers gather for the **Big Gay Campout** through July 17 at gay-owned Camp Telequa near Tiller. Featuring a Saturday drag show and a "best campsite" competition! (\$10 a night from 541-582-2894.)

Every third Friday is **Lesbian Monthly Movie Night** for women 35 and older. (Vote at www.skandthepunkassbitches.com/ShannonSite.)

The Portland Gay Men's Chorus raises money during its **Garage Sale Extravaganza** through July 16 at Trinity United Methodist Church. Donations welcome. (9 am-3 pm, 3915 SE 39th Ave. Contact Gary Coleman at 503-240-9777 or resultsnow@comcast.net to arrange dropoff or pickup.)

The indomitable **Indigo Girls** perform songs of environmentalism, idealism and, of course, heartbreak at Secret House Vineyard in Veneta. (6 pm, 88324 Vineyard Lane. \$33 from Ticketmaster.)

## 16 SATURDAY

**DinnerGrrls** connects ambitious, interesting and passionate women during a potluck at Sellwood Park. (3-6 pm, Southeast Seventh Avenue and Miller Street. RSVP to portland@dinnergrrls.org.)

**GO OUT** Party 'til dawn during the fifth annual **Big Ass Field Party** in Eugene featuring live band K-Pop and the Coalition of the Willing, performance artists, go-go boys and DJs Tronic, Jisaan, Robb N, Jason Phillips, Jade Bassix and DQ. If you're queer in the Northwest, you need to be here! (6 pm gates, 9 pm entertainment, \$10. For map visit www.bigassfieldparty.com.)

Lesbian singer, songwriter and comedian **Lisa Koch** performs at Metropolitan Community Church of Portland. Proceeds benefit the Hambleton Project, which provides support for lesbians with cancer and other life-threatening conditions. (7:30 pm, 2400 NE Broadway. \$25 at the door, \$20 in advance from In Other Words and It's My Pleasure.)

Punk, politics and performance art collide in the playful samples, eclectic pop and lo-fi electronics of **Le Tigre**, playing with Beck and McRorie at Memorial Coliseum. (7:30 pm, 300 N Winning Way. \$37.50 from Ticketmaster.)

House of Cunt entertainer **Amber Martin** presents a cabaret like no other at Wonder Ballroom featuring dancers Linda Austin and Mike Barber, the soulful Lloyd Allen, the

twisted drag troupe Sissyboy and the funkacious DJ Andrew Ox. Her final Portland show prior to her New York City run in September! (8 pm, 128 NE Russell St. \$15 at the door, \$12 in advance from Ticketmaster.)

**Bear Bust** at Gail's Dirty Duck. (8-11 pm, 429 NW Third Ave. \$8 members, \$10 nonmembers.)



Ward Sutton discusses his irreverent social commentary July 6 at Powell's.

Kaosmosis and Abstract Earth Project present the long-awaited return of **Dubtribe Sound System** for the San Francisco-based superstars' final show ever at Bossanova Ballroom. (9 pm-4 am, 722 E Burnside St. \$25 at the door, \$20 in advance from TicketsWest.)

## 17 SUNDAY

**GO OUT** Joq's presents the summer sizzler **BBQ & Softball Social**. (4 pm, 2512 NE Broadway.)

**Girlyman** opens for the **Indigo Girls** at the Oregon Zoo. (7 pm, 4001 SW Canyon Road. \$22 from www.oregonzoo.org or TicketsWest.)

## Looking Ahead

Portland's radical drag troupe celebrates its first anniversary July 20 by switching venues to the fabulous new Wonder Ballroom for part two of its summer trilogy, **Sissyboy Is Offensive and Wrong!** Featuring House of Cunt entertainer Amber Martin, singer/songwriters Sarah King and Holcombe Waller, Seattle drag punk pioneers Jackie Hell and Ursula Android, electronic drag duo Caught in Candy and DJs Stormy and Jimme Jamma. (9 pm, 128 NE Russell St. \$7 at the door, \$5 in advance from Madame Bouffant, Bridges Café or Le Rouge.)

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



Broadway Rose Theatre Company presents *Chicago*, a timeless satire on the U.S. justice system, through July 17.