

out & about



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

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19 FRIDAY

Columbia-Eggewater Country Club hosts the **2005 Safeway Classic**, the second-oldest tournament on the Ladies Professional Golf Association Tour, through Aug. 21. (2220 NE Marine Drive. www.safewaygolf.com.)

Queer parents and their children hike, sing by the campfire, create craft treasures, wade in the ocean, go for trail rides, paddle canoes and enjoy the beauty of nature during **Family CampOut** through Aug. 22 at Camp Westwind near Lincoln City. (503-294-7400. aurorao@ywca-pdx.org.)

GO OUT Come to PGE Park for the first-ever **Portland Beavers LGBT Night** vs. the Salt Lake Stingers! (6 pm. 1844 SW Morrison St. \$5.50-\$9.50 from Jason Weatherley 503-553-5427. jweatherley@pgepark.com.)

Pride Northwest meets in Room 323 at Portland State University's Smith Memorial Center. The board welcomes community participation in the planning of Pride 2006! (6:30 pm. 1825 SW Broadway. www.pridenw.org.)

The **Portland Avalanche** rugby studs invite interested players and fans to meet the team at Scandals. (7-9 pm. 1038 SW Stark St. www.avalancherugby.org.)

Queer musician Joan Meyer performs with her folk-rock band **Jessie Rae** through Aug. 20 at Hayden's Lakefront Grill in Tualatin. (7-11 pm. 8187 SW Tualatin-Sherwood Road.)

C.C. Slaughters throws a **Farewell Party** for Rainbow Room bartender Kevin. (8 pm. 219 NW Davis St. \$2.)

WOW NOW: 30 Years Later reunites the dancers, musicians, comedians (including lesbian Sally Sheklow) and other artists who popularized the Eugene venue in the 1970s. Repeats Aug. 20. (8:30 pm. 291 W Eighth Ave. \$10-\$15 sliding scale per night.)

Punk rock accordionist Nomy Lamm lends her famous multi-octave voice to **Tricrotic**, performing with **The Gossip**, **Grizzly Bear** and **The Lovers** at Holocene. (9 pm. 1001 SE Morrison St. \$10.)

GO OUT Noir presents the monthly **Queer Fetish** night featuring Splendor of Sissyboy and her new act, Splendor & the Gender Fluids; electro duo the Cancer Fags; DJs Chaotique, Stormy, Puppet and Nancy Bear; and Spittles the Clown spanking for Camp Starlight, an annual adventure for kids whose lives have been affected by HIV/AIDS. Dress code will be enforced. (10 pm. 203 NE Grand Ave. \$5 freaky, \$10 vanilla. www.queerfetish-r.us.)

20 SATURDAY

Enjoy wine tastings, bands, kids games and sidewalk sales during the **Hawthorne Boulevard Midsummer Celebration**. (www.thinkhawthorne.com.)

Asian & Pacific Islander Lesbians and Gays raft down the Deschutes River at Maupin. (\$19 from Mike 503-957-5915 or mjonez@comcast.net by Aug. 12.)

The women of **The Forest Group** take a moderate 6-mile hike up Larch Mountain. Dogs OK. (503-659-2782.)

The Adventure Group takes a moderate 7.2-mile hike to Red Lake and Potato Butte near Mount Jefferson. Meet at Starbucks inside the Hollywood Fred Meyer store.

(8 am. 3030 NE Weidler St. Peter 503-314-6792. pfallow@yahoo.com.)

Lesbians Enjoying Nature and Science take a moderate 7.1-mile hike at Ramona Falls. Meet at the Northeast Glisan Fred Meyer. (8 am. 6615 NE Glisan St. RSVP to Leigh 503-774-0247.)

Portland Frontrunners take a 2.7- to 6.5-mile run along the Willamette River, followed by brunch. Meet at the intersection of Southeast Main Street and the Eastbank Esplanade. (9 am. www.portlandfrontrunners.org.)

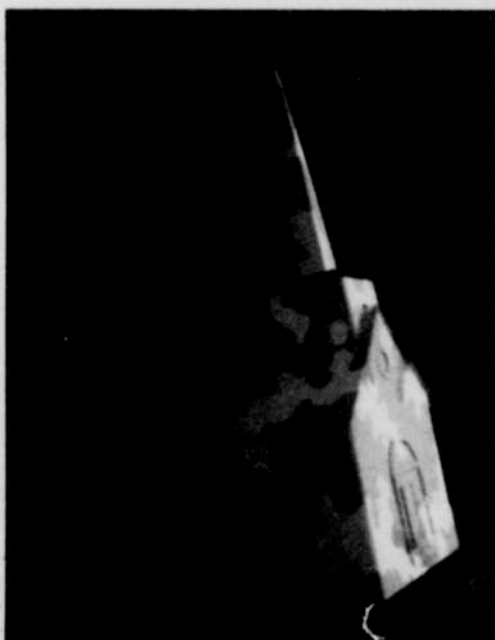
Homowo African Arts presents **Homowo African Storytelling**, a daylong celebration of folk stories told around the glowing embers of a fire, at Jamison Square. (2-8 pm. 810 NW 11th Ave.)

GO OUT The modern world meets old-time vaudeville in the punky pop sounds of **Erin McKeown** at Music Millennium and Roseland Grill. (3 pm, 801 NW 23rd Ave., free. 8 pm, 8 NW Sixth Ave., \$14 at the door, \$12 in advance from TicketsWest.)

Celebrate love and a life less ordinary during **Darklady's Summer of Love Birthday Party** featuring B/D/S/M fantasies, body painting, a drum circle and an outdoor hot tub in Battleground, Wash. (7 pm-2 am. \$15 festive garb, \$20 street clothes. RSVP to darklady@darklady.com.)

C.C. Slaughters welcomes legendary drag diva **RuPaul** for its fourth annual Block Party. Proceeds benefit **Street Roots**. (7 pm-2:30 am. 219 NW Davis St. \$15.)

Portland SummerFest and Astoria Performing Arts present Gaetano Donizetti's comic opera masterpiece **The Elixir of Love** in Astoria's newly restored Liberty Theater. (8 pm.)



Painter Kenny Higdon asks **Questions for the Christian** through Sept. 30 at Artreach Gallery.

1203 Commercial St. \$12.50-\$25 from TicketsWest.)

Get your mind, body and spirit hummin' during **CoZ Tribe Boogie**, a barefoot and smoke- and alcohol-free dance featuring free spa treatments at Caravan Studios. (8-11 pm. 4050 NE Broadway. \$10 sliding scale. 503-253-3348.)

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

This is *not* your grandma's bingo. Tough Titties Productions presents **Burlesque Bingo** hosted by Portland hotties Glam Star Burlesque and featuring MC Marie Fleischman, DJ Harmony and queer punk rock trio T-reXXa at Mississippi Pizza Pub. Sign interpreted and wheelchair accessible. Proceeds benefit In Other Words. (9:30 pm. 3552 N Mississippi Ave. \$5-\$10 sliding scale plus \$1 a game.)



Let the cool Pink Martini chill you out Sept. 3.

Lesbian-owned restaurant/bar Vitis Enoteca stays open late every first and third Saturday for **After Hours**, a fabulous party for women. (10 pm-2 am. 535 NW 16th Ave. \$5.)

21 SUNDAY

The Adventure Group floats down the Clackamas River in Estacada. Meet at Starbucks inside the Hollywood Fred Meyer store. (9 am. 3030 NE Weidler St. Catherine 503-452-9184. sneakyp@pceez.com.)

Elder Resource Alliance, serving sexual minority senior citizens, holds a volunteer orientation at Data Systems Plaza. Your energy and ideas are valued! (Noon-2 pm. 975 SE Sandy Blvd. www.elderresourcealliance.org.)

The queer-infused **Sweet Thunder** jazz trio performs as part of Tryon Creek State Park's free concert series. (2-3 pm. 11321 SW Terwilliger Blvd. 503-636-4398.)

GO OUT Channel your innermost Annette, Frankie or Moon Doggie during **Beach Blanket Bingo** hosted by Poison Waters at Vitis Enoteca. Proceeds benefit the Portland Lesbian & Gay Film Festival. (4 pm. 535 NW 16th Ave. \$12 at the door, \$10 in advance from Vitis Enoteca, Balloons on Broadway and Haven. 503-241-0355.)

Fife restaurant hosts the second annual benefit for the **Rock 'n' Roll Camp for Girls** featuring a three-course dinner, wine, a silent auction and a live performance from The Ready. (5:30 pm. 4440 NE Fremont St. \$65 from 971-222-3433.)

22 MONDAY

Take a 2.7- to 6.5-mile run/walk along the Willamette River during the **Portland Frontrunners** Ladies Night every Monday. Meet at the intersection of Southeast Main Street and the Eastbank Esplanade. (6 pm. Kamm 503-804-6159. wsuvet@yahoo.com.)

23 TUESDAY

GO OUT Critically acclaimed multi-instrumentalist, song/noise composer Lauren K. Newman aka LKN performs

during **Hog**, a new rock 'n' roll queer night every second and fourth Tuesday at Kelly's Olympian. DJs Hot Dog and Stormy spin. (9 pm. 426 SW Washington St. \$3.)

Local designers (including Just Out Art Director Bonnie Barrett) transform Holocene into a fully functioning course during the second annual **Mini-Golf Art Invitational** through Aug. 24. Putting attire encouraged! (9 pm-2 am Tuesday, 2 pm-2 am Wednesday. 1001 SE Morrison St. \$5.)

24 WEDNESDAY

Radical Women throw a work party to help spruce up the Bread and Roses Center. (6:30 pm. 819 N Killingsworth St. 503-240-4462.)

Q-LAND and LoveTribes present a free **men's yoga class** to treat back pain, excess weight, allergies, depression, HIV, digestive problems and other chronic challenges. (6:30-8:30 pm. 503-223-8822, ext. 3.)



Seers Network reveals a new-and-improved **Pure Gold Baby** Aug. 26-Sept. 17.

yoga@qland.org. Register at www.lovetribes.org.)

Pittsburgh singer/songwriter **Eric Himan** performs pop, folk, funk and even a little country music at Mississippi Pizza Pub.

(7:30 pm. 3552 N Mississippi Ave.)

The Doug Fir Lounge presents a lovely evening of whip-smart balladeering with **Holcombe Waller**, Trespassers William and Rachel Taylor Brown. (9 pm. 830 E Burnside St. \$7 from TicketsWest.)

25 THURSDAY

The Adventure Group takes an easy 3.75-mile hike/walk through Sellwood, one of the older neighborhoods in Portland. Meet in the parking lot at Sellwood Riverfront Park. (6 pm. Evan 503-701-7922. chair@adventuregroup.org.)

Lesbian-owned taco bar Dingo's presents **Girls Night Out** every Thursday. (7 pm. 4612 SE Hawthorne Blvd. 503-233-3996.)

DJs Anjali and The Incredible Kid expose electronic sounds emerging from around the world during **Rocket Rickshaw**, a new weekly dance night at Berbat's. No cover!

(9 pm-midnight. 19 SW Second Ave.)

Bring an attitude: Guest DJ Fucking Asshole spins with Puppet, Stormy and Heewee during **Booty: Queer as Ye Be**, a weekly queer night at Porky's Pub. (9 pm-2 am. 835 N