

out & about

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Blackout Leather Productions presents **Oregon Leather Pride Week 2008** through Aug. 10. (For a complete schedule visit www.oregonleatherpride.org.)

The Portland Airport Sheraton hosts the 39th **Willamette Writers Conference** through Aug. 3. The awards banquet Saturday evening features keynote speaker Marc Acito, former *Just Out* columnist and award-winning author of *How I Paid for College*. (8235 NE Airport Way. Register at www.willamettewriters.com.)

In Other Words presents **Literary Feast 2008** at North Star Ballroom featuring cocktails; hors d'oeuvres; a silent auction; performers Nicole Sangsoree, Felina's Arrow, Good Sista/Bad Sista and Dirty Queer; and the premiere of a new film about the bookstore's "doers and shakers." (6 pm. 635 N Killingsworth Court. \$25-\$75 sliding scale from 503-232-6003.)

Out Dancing's **intermediate cha-cha** class starts tonight and continues every Friday in August at Ankeny Street Studio. **Beginning swing** class follows. (6:15-7:15 pm *cha-cha* [\$50 for month], 7:15-8:15 pm *swing* [\$40 for month], 975 SE Sandy Blvd. 503-236-5129. www.outdancing.info.)

Dance band **Atole** throws a party at Holocene to welcome acclaimed experimental musician **Alexis Gideon** to Portland. Also on the bill are **Future Islands, Flaspur, EAR PWR** and **DJ Linoleum**. (9 pm. 1001 SE Morrison St. \$6.)

GO OUT Portland's popular queer night returns for one night only during **Booty Reunion** at the Eagle PDX featuring DJs Stormy, Puppet, Jimme Jamma, Kinetic, Dark Cloud, MoRocca, Chelsea Starr and a special Janet Jackson set by Design of a Decade. (9 pm. 27 NW Sixth Ave. \$5.)



Katy Perry, singer/songwriter of the No. 1 hit "I Kissed a Girl," performs Aug. 10 during the Warped Tour in St. Helens.

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Salem celebrates the 30th annual **Capitol Pride** at Riverfront Park. (11 am-7 pm. 116 Marion St. SE. www.capitolpride.org.)

Jasmine Paul and **Amber LaParne** read from *The Ghosts of Anne and Sylvia*, a unique book that offers poetry as "story," at In Other Words. (2 pm. 8 NE Killingsworth St.)

The South Waterfront Artist-in-Residence Program presents **Ten Tiny Dances: A Performance Walkabout**, collaborated by gay choreographer Mike Barber. A total of 10 pieces—each contained within a 4-by-4 foot space in 10 different locations around the neighborhood—will repeat in 10 timed intervals. (4-7 pm. Performance maps available at Southwest Moody Avenue and Curry Street.)

Hip Chicks Do Wine's Seventh Anniversary Party features wine, tasty appetizers, dessert by Cupcake Jones and live music by Jesse Meade. (6-9 pm. 4510 SE 23rd Ave. \$10.)

GO OUT The Imperial Sovereign Court of the Raintree Empire presents **Casino Night at the Mustang Ranch** at the Eagles Lodge in Vancouver, Wash. Proceeds benefit Special Olympics of Clark County, Martha's Pantry and the Audria M. Edwards and Pride of the Rose scholarship funds. (7 pm. 107 E Seventh St. \$5 for \$100 in *Funny Money*.)

Rosetown Ramblers, Portland's gay and lesbian square dance club, dances every first Saturday at Milwaukee Grange. (7:30-10 pm. 12015 SE 22nd Ave. \$5-\$11.)

Bear Run, a documentary examining the lives of three "big, hairy, friendly and affectionate guys," premieres on Logo. (8 pm.)

Q Center presents **College Movie Night**. Tonight's film is *Clueless*. (8-10 pm. 69 SE Taylor St.)

C.C. Slaughters presents a CD promotion giveaway for *See the World* by **Houston Bernard**. (9 pm. 219 NW Davis St.)

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

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