

If it's not in *Just Out*,

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it's not happening.

FRI JULY 15

Men's Morning Yoga & Meditation. (6:30 a.m., manifestpdx.org)

Oregon Bears Happy Hour. (5-7:00 p.m., Fox & Hounds, 217 NW 2nd, 21+, No cover!)

OUT Dancing Country 2-Step intermediate/advanced lessons. (6:30 p.m., Ankeny Street Studio, 975 SE Sandy, \$10, outdancing.info)

The Feminist Film Society meets to watch and discuss films from a feminist perspective. (7:00 p.m., In Other Words, 14 NE Killingsworth)

Film Fridays at Pivot! This week's film: *Waiting for Superman* (2010). (7:00 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, pivotpdx.org)

Dining with the Divas! Dinner and drag, a match made in heaven. (7:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+ after 9:30 p.m.)

Join Portland Story Theater for an evening of captivating stories. **Urban Tellers: No script, no notes, no safety net.** (8:00 p.m., Hipbone Studio, 1847 E Burnside, \$10, portlandstorytheater.com)

GO Ring My Bella: A '70s Gay Disco Inferno. Dress in your best polyester and dance to the hottest disco with DJ Peter Calandra from the original Studio 54! All proceeds goes to the Bella Boys RCSA softball team! (9:00 p.m., CC Slaughters, 219 NW Davis, 21+, No cover!)

Friday Night Dancing with DJ Brandon. (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+)

GO Jelly Roll—the dance party for fat folks and allies—is back, with DJs and Go-Gos and performances (Oh, my!) (9:00 p.m., Crush Bar, 1312 SE Morrison, 21+, \$3 cover)

Nick Dean spins as you dance it out. (9:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

Fuego Fridays, with DJ Marco and PSODJ. (10:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

SAT JULY 16

Paddle for Life Dragon Boat Festival. (Vancouver Lake Park, Vancouver, WA, paddleforlife.org)

Yoshida's Sand in the City. (All day, Pioneer Courthouse Square, sandinthecitypdx.com)

Market Q farmers market. (9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

Mr. & Ms. Oregon State Leather host a **Yard Sale to benefit Bradley Angle and Q Center.** (10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., 645 N Russet)

Daddies and Papas is a social group for GLBT men raising young children. (10:00 a.m.-Noon, Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

GO Portland Latino Gay Pride kicks off a full day of events celebrating the ladies with **Chicas Who Brunch.** (11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, \$10-\$15 sliding scale, latinogaypridepdx.com)

Netrippers FC Weekly Practice & Scrimmage. Open to all! (11:00 a.m., Duniway Park, SW 6th and Sheridan, netrippers.org)

Multnomah County Animal Services presents **Petlandia**, the 4th annual adoption party. (11:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m., 1700 W Columbia River Hwy, Troutdale, multcopets.org)

Chick-A Boom Boom: Afternoon Patio Party Weenie Roast, featuring records by women of the golden era of rock, soul, & pop dance music. With guest DJ Magic Beans, along with DJs Actions Slacks and Pukes In Vans. A fundraiser for Raphael House. (3-8:00 p.m., Tonic Lounge, 3100 NE Sandy, 21+, No cover!)

Free Rapid HIV Testing for guys into guys. (5-8:30 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, pivotpdx.org)

GO Portland Latino Gay Pride Chicas Dance Party. Chicas and Chocolate City join forces for one big party for the ladies. (6:00 p.m. social, 9:00 p.m. dance, Crush, 1400 SE Morrison, 21+, \$5 cover, latinogaypridepdx.com)

Spunk at the Monk, night of dance licks with chix, featuring Poena Suddarth & The Mighty Linder Man, Stellah, and Project Talent. (8:00 p.m., The Blue Monk, 3341 SE Belmont, 21+, \$5)

Alder Street Hoedown, way fabulous country western dancing for our community. (8:00 p.m. two-step lesson, 9:00 p.m. dancing, PPA, 618 SE Alder, 21+, \$3)



DJ Action Slacks spins it out at Chick-A-Boom-Boom July 16, and at Sugartown July 28.

GO Lady Rizo, the grammy award winning "caburlesque" act, brings her show from NYC back to her Oregon roots. (9:00 p.m., Ted's, 231 SW Ankeny, 21+, \$12 adv/\$15 dos, ladyrizo.com)

Sometimes we all need a **Gaycation**. What is it? Oh, just an all-inclusive homo dance party featuring the always charming Mr. Charming (9:00 p.m., Holocene, 1001 SE Morrison, 21+, \$3)

Bear Bust! (9:00 p.m., Eagle Portland, 835 N Lombard, 21+, oregonbears.org)

DANGER ZONE! '80s Cover Night benefit for Electrogals. (9:00 p.m., Mississippi Pizza, 3552 N Mississippi, 21+, \$5-15 sliding scale, electrogals.org)

Slower Saturday Night Jam with DJ Sammy. (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+)

Boxxes '90s Remix Night. (9:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

GO Just Out presents Ecstasy Inferno's **CANDY SHOP** for a sticky, sweet night of bumping and grinding. \$2.50 well drinks from open to close. (10:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

Maricon @ Matador, a night for homos and their homeys. (10:00 p.m., Matador, 1967 W Burnside, 21+)

GO Booty Reunion 2011: SAVAGE in the BlackLite Jungle. Get nostalgic with six of your favorite DJs of yore and a \$100 Bounce contest. (10:00 p.m., Branx, 315 SE 3rd, 21+)

SUN JULY 17

GO Portland Latino Gay Pride 2011: CelebrAcción. All day at the Eastbank Esplanade. Visit latinogaypridepdx.com for a full schedule of events.

Yoshida's Sand in the City. (All day, Pioneer Courthouse Square, sandinthecitypdx.com)

The Adventure Group goes on a difficult hike on Hunchback Mountain. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (9:00 a.m., 3030 NE Weidler, RSVP to Tamara at 503-893-0796)

Mr. & Ms. Oregon State Leather host a **Yard Sale to benefit Bradley Angle and Q Center.** (10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., 645 N Russet)

Wanna paddle? Come to the **Amazon Dragons Interest Paddle** and get a taste! RSVP to mrwgrizsoccer@hotmail.com. (10:15 a.m., Meet at Riverplace Hotel by the flagpoles, 1510 SW Harbor Way, amazondragons.org)

Dyke Appreciation Day! (2-5:00 p.m., It's My Pleasure, 3106 NE 64th, 18+, itsmypleasurepdx.com, 503-280-8080)



The Happening relaxes in their natural environment.

It's All Happening

New lady- and queer-operated tape label celebrates first release

If you didn't think something like "grunge folk" could happen, you'd be wrong. It is so Happening, in fact. That's the name of the latest sonic venture from Em Brownlowe (former Swallows frontwoman) and Adrienne Sharrock (Sick Sick Sister), who've joined forces with Shannon Wade (The I's/Litter Meet) for a "bluesy, sometimes boozy" mashup of pop hooks, power chords and post-Riot Grrrl attitude.

The Happening also happens to be the first effort from new Portland-based, lady- and queer-operated tape label Cassingle and Loving It Records (aka C.A.L.I.). The Record Room plays host to a July 23 release party and performance, an evening destined to flash back to the indie glory of the early '90s. Hell, what's more early '90s than the use of the word "cassingle"?

For a taste of The Happening's grrr-ific mix, YouTube the clip for "Two Becomes One," a lo-fi, high-energy romp through gender roles and rock 'n' roll—on roller skates. The trio's hooky brew of flannel, fuzz and fierceness feels just as timely today as it did 20 years ago. And for those who weren't around when it first Happened, here's your chance. Fist pumping, commence.

Sat., July 23, 8 p.m.; Record Room, 8 NE Killingsworth; \$5 includes tape with digital download; 21+; calirecordstbehappening.bandcamp.com. For more queer girl power at the Record Room, Berkeley-based electronica band Violent Vickie performs with DJ Gutter Glamour; Tues., July 26; time and cover TBA; reverbnation.com/violentvickie.

—AMANDA SCHURR

Femmes Unite! social group. Please bring food you can eat and a bit more to share. (2-4:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

The Church of the Poison Mind welcomes all sinners with free food, \$1 shots, and a healthy dose of your favorite Silverado dancers. (4-9:00 p.m., Silverado, 308 SW 3rd, 21+, No cover!)

GO Free BBQ + Cheap Beer Sunday. (4:00 p.m., The Eagle Portland, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

OUT Kayaking hosts a BBQ Social and meeting for the upcoming Waldo Lake trip. Bring food, drink, and a lawn chair and meet other paddlers! (4:00 p.m., Please RSVP to kyle@outkayaking.org or 503-989-6333 for location)

Men's Wanderlust Fitness Cycling Group. Meet at the Whole Foods at NE 15th and Fremont. (4:30 p.m., to RSVP or for more information, call 503-223-8822 x1, or visit manifestpdx.org)

Tranz Guyz discussion group. (6-8:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

Gino's Restaurant & Bar
Where friends meet for good food and wine in a relaxed atmosphere.
"Life is Good"
Sunday - Thursday 4-10 pm, Friday - Saturday 4-11 pm
8051 SE 13th Ave. at Spokane in Sellwood
503-233-4613

GAY SKATE
Monday, July 18th, 7-9pm
Oaks Park Roller Rink
All Ages
\$6 + Donation of Food or Sundry Items

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