

If it's not in *Just Out*,OUT
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it's not happening.

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Gaay Aalto Sundays. (10:00 p.m., Aalto Lounge, 3356 SE Belmont, 21+, No cover!)

MON JULY 25

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

Burger night at Starky's! (6-9:00 p.m., Starky's 2913 SE Stark, 21+)

Men's Qi Gong. (6:15 p.m., manifestpdx.org)

Coming Out support group. (6:30-7:30 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

LGBT affirming Pentecostals: express your charismatic style of prayer and worship in a safe, nonjudgmental environment. (7:00 p.m., Caldwell's Colonial Chapel, 20 NE 14th, please enter from the parking lot doors)

OUT Dancing Country 2-Step beginners lessons. (7:30 p.m., Ankeny Street Studio, 975 SE Sandy, \$10, outdancing.info)

Mary-oke! (8:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+ after 9:30 p.m., No cover!)

TUES JULY 26

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

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

Vintage Connection Fundraiser for Martha's Pantry. 25% of all sales proceeds will go to Martha's Pantry, in addition to a silent auction. (5-9:00 p.m., Vintage Connection, 808 Main St., Vancouver, WA)

Men's Naked Yoga. (6:15 p.m., manifestpdx.org)

Cabaret Karaoke. It's karaoke with live piano accompaniment! (6:30-9:00 p.m., Wilfs, 800 NW 6th, 21+, stumptownstages.com)

Violent Vickie, a Berkeley-based queer electronica band (think Glass Candy or Le Tigre), performs live with DJ Gutter Glamour. (8:00 p.m., The Record Room, 8 NE Killingsworth, 21+)

GO GIRLTOPIA, a special night for "girls who love girls." (9:00 p.m., CC Slaughters, 219 NW Davis, 21+, No cover!)

Timeless Tuesdays. (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+)

Eagle Theater Presents: Movie Night at The Eagle! (9:30 p.m., The Eagle Portland, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

Versus. (10:00 p.m., Boxxes, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

WED JULY 27

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

LBGTQI Seniors Lunch, free to seniors age 60 and over. (Noon-1:00 p.m., Metropolitan Community Church, 2400 NE Broadway, 503-367-2220, mcpdxfood@gmail.com)

Free Rapid HIV testing & STD screening for guys into guys. (1-3:30 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, pivotpdx.org)

GO HRC presents Q=Mob! Come, socialize for change and meet other like-minded social activists. (6-8:00 p.m., Chameleon Restaurant & Bar, 2000 NE 40th, 21+)

Faith & Sexuality. A support group for men who struggle with their sexuality in relation to their religious beliefs. (6:00 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, pivotpdx.org)

Pivotal Reads gay men's book club. (6:00 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, pivotpdx.org)

Inter-Personal Violence Support Group. (6-8:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Anawim Christian Fellowship. (6:30-8:30 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Quizzyl! (7:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+ after 9:30 p.m., No cover!)

GO Brief Encounter. Strip down to your skivvies for hour prices all night! (9:00 p.m., The Eagle Portland, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

Karaoke with Theo. (10:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

THURS JULY 28

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

Write Around Portland Writing Workshop. (5-7:00 p.m., Pivot, 209 SW 4th, 18+, pre-registration required by calling 503-796-9224 or visiting writearound.org)

GO Just Out presents the 2011 Amateur Photo Contest Reception. Nom on wine and cheese while seeing all of the entries and mingling with the photographers. (6:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Manifest Men's Community presents a Last Thursday Community Potluck. Men and their allies are invited to make Manifest their home base for Last Thursday and enjoy a potluck dinner. (6-8:30 p.m., To RSVP or for more information, visit manifestpdx.org)



Friends of The Living Room Summer Fundraiser, an evening to benefit The Living Room, a safe haven for LGBTQ youth in Clackamas County. (7:00 p.m., The Ainsworth House, 19130 Lot Whitcomb Dr. Oregon City, \$35 per ticket or \$250 for a table of 8, thelivingroomyouth.org)

Trans Empowerment Training. (7-9:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

Mary-oke! (8:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+ after 9:30 p.m., No cover!)

GO Sugar Town! You got soul? Wanna dance it out? Sugar Town is Portland's newest, queerest SOUL dance night featuring all-vinyl cuts from the '50s to the '70s. DJ Action Slacks loves you and wants to see you shimmy. (9:00 p.m., Saratoga, 6910 N Interstate, 21+, No cover!)

Bearly Naked Billiards. (9:00 p.m., The Eagle Portland, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

Portland Idol. (9:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

FRI JULY 29

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

Autry! CD Release Party. (4:30-9:00 p.m., In Other Words, 14 NE Killingsworth)

GO Planned Parenthood Summer Block Party. With performances from Lookbook and the Sprockettes bike dance troupe, and fire dancers, games, tarot card readings and more, can you think of a better way to support this valuable community resource? (5-8:00 p.m., Planned Parenthood, 3727 NE MLK, \$10 adv/\$15 dos, ppcw.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)

Willie Nelson & Family come to town! (6:30 p.m., McMenamins Edgefield, 2126 SW Halsey, Troutdale, \$63, edgefieldconcerts.com)

Film Fridays at Pivot! This week's film: *Black Swan* (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.)

The Original pairs up with Fort George Brewery for a **Hot Dog Beer Dinner** in celebration of Oregon Craft Beer Month. (7:00 p.m., The Original, 300 SW 6th, \$50 for four courses with beer, originaldinerant.com)

Local Lounge hosts a **Benefit for the Rock 'N Roll Camp for Girls**, featuring live music, DJs, a raffle, and a few surprises... (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, \$3)

GATOR-AID 2011, a fundraiser for the RCSA Gators. (9:00 p.m., CC Slaughters, 219 NW Davis, 21+, No cover!)

GO All the way from New York City Lady Bunny is taking over Red Cap Garage for a "One Night Stand". (10:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, \$3 cover)

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

Burlescape! A tantalizing taste of the burlesque and boylesque world! (11:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)

SAT JULY 30

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

The Adventure Group offers a choice of 2 hikes: a very difficult hike on the Defiance-Starvation Loop, or a moderate hike along the rim of Coyote Wall. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (3030 NE Weidler, 8:00 a.m. for Defiance-Starvation Loop, call Aaron at 971-221-0937; 8:30 a.m. for Coyote Wall, RSVP to Jill at jrmstelter@yahoo.com)

The Adventure Group joins the Portland Front-runners on an Esplanade walk with optional brunch afterwards. Meet by Vera Katz' statue (9:00 a.m., 1 SE Main, adventuregroup.org)

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

Turning of the Wheel: Summer and Lammas Community Festival. (Noon-3:00 p.m., 4659 NE Ainsworth, \$5-7 sliding scale donation, turning-of-the-wheel.net)

GO Portland Free Music Project and Red Cap Garage present the **First Annual Portland Queer Music Festival.** This all day festi-



Season's Eatings

Pickles or brunch? We'll have both, *thankyouverymuch*

There's something about summer, be it the balmy temps, shedding of clothes or sheer variety of offerings, that whets our appetites. Case in point: not one but two culinary fêtes sure to get your hankering on—and for a good cause.

For **Kenny & Zuke's First Annual Pickle Throwdown**, the renowned delicatessen dudes are going all out for a benefit for the Oregon Food Bank. The all-day tasting event includes People's Choice Awards and a celebrity judging panel including Storm Large. Local eateries the likes of Biwa, Gruner, Metrovino and Toro Bravo will submit their finest pickles in four categories: "Classic Cucumber," "Sweet Pickles," "Not Involving a Cucumber" and "Portland Weird." Curious as to what a "Portland Weird" pickle entails? So are we.

Speaking of green, organizers for the **2011 Brunch on the Bridge** festival promise a bigger, greener and better event than ever. The open-air "extreme food" picnic experience doubles in size this year to 28,000 square feet, covering all six spans of the Hawthorne Bridge in fresh grass. Folks are encouraged to bring canned goods for this year's beneficiary, B-Shares, a local bike delivery program serving hungry populations in need. From Voodoo Doughnut's unveiling of "the World's Largest Box of Doughnuts" to family-friendly games and a picnic-table art auction, brunch has never sounded so fun.

And being green, never so easy.

Pickle Throwdown, Sat., July 23, noon-6 p.m.; **Kenny & Zuke's Sandwichworks**, 2376 NW Thurman St.; \$5; kzsandwichworks.com/events2/; **"PDX Bridge Festival's Brunch on the Bridge,"** Sat., Aug. 6, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; **Hawthorne Bridge;** \$25 regular entry, \$10 for ages 6-11, \$75 VIP entry; pdxbridgefestival.org/brunch-2011.

—AMANDA SCHURR

val features two stages and over thirty local acts, including Sistafist, CJ & The Dolls, Kiss Kill, Mattachine Social, Autry!, and many, many more. (3:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, \$3)

Camp Oregon Bears presents a **Wine Social and Beer Bash.** Bring a bottle of wine or a sixer of beer to show that there are two sides to every bear. (4:00 p.m. wine social, 5:30 p.m. beer social, 1504 SE 113th Ct., Vancouver, WA, 21+, \$5 donation, oregonbears.org)

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

Our House Dinner Series: Bali at Tabor Falls. (6:00 p.m., \$100, reserve your seat online at ourhouseofportland.org)

Entertainment and prizes await you at the **Second Annual BroadArts Theatre Auction.** (6-9:00 p.m., Urban Grind, 2214 NE Oregon, broadarts.org)

GO Mary's Show Tunes Showdown, hosted by Zora Phoenix and the Fried Kitchen Cabaret! (9:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+)

SUN JULY 31

The Adventure Group goes on a hike to Dickey and Pansy Lakes / Bull of the Woods. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (8:00 a.m., 3030 NE Weidler, call Evan at 503-701-7922)

GO Positive Force NW presents the **Second Annual Positive Picnic**, an opportunity to meet and network with other people living with HIV. (Noon, Peninsula Park, Near N Albina and N Rosa Parks, RSVP to dduncan@cascadeaids.org)

Slutwalk Portland: a rally and march with the intention to end rape, sexualized violence, victim blaming, and to reclaim the word "slut." (1:00 p.m., Terry Schunk Plaza, slutwalkportland.org)

Queer Feminist Theory Reading Group. (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!)

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

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)

GO The Stark Raving Queens present **Stars & Stripes: A USO Canteen Show!** (5:30 p.m. dinner, 6:45 p.m. show, Starky's, 2913 SE Stark, 21+, dinner reservations suggested 503-230-7980)

Queer indie folk band **Eli Conley and Hip for Squares** goes on tour this summer to support their new EP *All the Livelong Day*. (7:00 p.m., In Other Words, 14 NE Killingsworth, eliconley.com)

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