

If it's not in *Just Out*,OUT
ABOUT

it's not happening.



Book of Dreams Productions presents *Mysterious Skin*, running Aug. 18-Sept. 24 at Back Door Theater. Visit bookofdreamsproductions.com for more information.

Christine Havrilla, live in concert! (7:30 p.m., Service Bay Bar, 2201 N Killingsworth, 21+, christinehavrilla.com)

Men's Erotic Energetics. (7:45 p.m., manifestpdx.org)

GO Sugar Town! You got soul? This month, DJ Action Slacks combines forces with DJs Brown Amy, Carnita, and Beyonda to create Portland's own Queer-Soul SUPERfriends... with Delectable sweet treats by Sugar Daddy Baking! (9:00 p.m., Saratoga, 6910 N Interstate, 21+, \$3-5 sliding scale)

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

Rocky Rhodes karaoke. (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, No cover!)

FRI AUG 19

Camp Oregon Bears 2011. For more information, visit camporegonbears.com

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

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

GO Crave presents GLOW 3rd Annual Black Light Party, a dance party for queer ladies (and friends). Wear white or neon and dance it out under the black lights with DJs Alicious and Wildfire. (8:00 p.m., Crush, 1400 SE Morrison, 21+, \$6 before 10 p.m./\$8 after, facebook.com/cravedanceparty)

GO Makin' It Better. The Portland Sisters give Portland's Young Adults the opportunity to work with professional performers for this one of a kind show! (8:00 p.m., The Fez Ballroom, 316 SW 11th, \$5 with donation of canned food, \$10 general admission, PortlandSisters.org)

ChiChi & Chonga host **PEEP SHOW**, a monthly queer cabaret variety show. Stick around to dance the night away with DJs Mr. Charming and Roy G Biv! (10:00 p.m., Red Cap Garage, 1035 SW Stark, 21+)

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

SAT AUG 20

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The Adventure Group goes on a one-night dog-friendly backpack trip along Quartz Creek. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (9:00 a.m., 3030 NE Weidler, RSVP to Alex at 240-888-1349)

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

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

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

GO A Tip of the Hat: PABA Scholarship Brunch with Governor Barbara Roberts. (10:30 a.m., Ecotrust, 721 NW 9th, \$50, paba.com)

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

PFLAG Portland Black Chapter Meetup. (Noon, SMYRC, 3024 NE MLK, facebook.com/pflag.portlandblackchapter)

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

Fire on the Columbia: ERUPTION. Your favorite end-of-summer party is back! (7:00 p.m., 22700 NW Gillihan Rd., Sauvie Island, \$45-50, fireonthecolumbia.com)

GAYCATION! DJ Mr. Charming and special guests invite you to Portland's premier all-inclusive homo dance party, featuring queer talent from across the nation. (9:00 p.m., Holocene, 1001 SE Morrison, 21+, \$3, groups.facebook.com/gaycation)

GO Nuns 'N Roses. The "Sisters" converge on Portland for Conclave 2011 with a Rock 'N Roll themed night. (9:00 p.m., CC Slaughters, 219 NW Davis, 21+, \$3 suggested donation, portlandsisters.net)

Burnination 3. (9:00 p.m., Local Lounge, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, No cover!)

LEZ STAND UP #4! It's the lezziest comedy night in town! (9:00 p.m., Mississippi Pizza, 3552 N Mississippi, \$5)



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

Mary's Show Tunes Showdown! (9:00 p.m., Hamburger Mary's, 19 NW 5th, 21+)

GO Just Out and Red Cap Garage present Portland's hottest '90s dance party, **Ecstasy Inferno's CANDY SHOP**, a sticky, sweet night of bumping and grinding. (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+)

SUN AUG 21

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Q Patrol Training. (Noon-2:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, pdxqcenter.org)

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)

GO Single Mingle for Dapper Dykes and Femme Fatales. (4-7:00 p.m., Bartini, 2108 NW Glisan, 21+)

Tranz Guyz discussion group. (6-8:00 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!)

H.I.M. Rose Empress XVII Elsa Daniels presents a FREE Birthday Celebration Show and Dance Party. (7:00 p.m., Embers, 110 NW Broadway, 21+, No cover!)

Dirty Porno Bingo, hosted by Chi Chi and Chonga. (8-10:00 p.m., Boxxes, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

Superstar Divas Mega Show! (8:00 p.m., CC Slaughters, 219 NW Davis, 21+, No cover!)

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

Loud Nine

Mister Heavenly brings "doom wop" to Branx

Out of the mashes—yes, we said that—of indie rock royalty comes **Mister Heavenly**, a moniker so divine we started thinking rainbows and butterflies and the all-you-can-eat buffet at Shoney's the moment we learned the band was playing at Branx.

And then we heard the trio's self-coined "doom wop."

Now we're just as swoony—albeit in a different, darker way.

United by a shared love of 1950s vocal-based R&B and that age-old lyrical impetus, ill-fated romance, Nick Thorburn (Islands, The Unicorns), Ryan Kattner (Man Man) and Joe Plummer (Modest Mouse) collaborated for what they call "a state of mind rather than a nitpicky micro genre." The result is their debut release, the fittingly titled *Out of Love*, due August 16 on Sub Pop.

Tunes like "Bronx Sniper"—an indignant kiss-off of militant drums, grungy guitars and love so dangerous it "la la la's along one moment, explodes in remorseless cries of "I shot you down" the next—bring the sonic "doom." Elsewhere, jaunty, summer-ready jams like "Pineapple Girls," with its power-chord riffs and singsong melody, will have listeners wop-ing and bopping their heads in moody glee. It's no wonder the supergroupers describe their music as "post-apocalyptic *Valley Girl* meets the *American Graffiti* soundtrack."

All that, and have we mentioned that the Mister Heavenly gents purport to love dogs? Or that adorkable actor Michael Cera (*Juno*, *Nick and Nora's Infinite Playlist*) has toured with them on bass?

Just sayin'—altogether swoony.

With **WATERS**, Anne; Thurs., Aug. 18, 8 p.m.; Branx, 320 SE Second Ave.; \$12 advance, \$14 door; all ages; brownpapertickets.com/event/182557.

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