

If it's not in *Just Out*,

OUT & ABOUT

it's not happening.

GO Party Zodiac: Libra. (9:00 p.m., *The Eagle Portland*, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

MANTRAP, with DJ Lunchlady. (9:00 p.m., *Red Cap Garage*, 1035 SW Stark, 21+)

Melissa Ferrick performs live with Kate Graves! (9:00 p.m., *Doug Fir*, 830 E Burnside, \$15)

GO Get BENT... DJs Jodi Bon Jodi and Roy G Biv invite you to join them for a hot, sweaty, queer-as-fun dance party. (9:00 p.m., *The Foggy Notion*, 3416 N Lombard, 21+, \$3 cover, facebook.com/bentpdx)

Cross Over: Da Takeover. Hit the dance floor with DJ Mike Morris where Hip/Hop & R&B are queen! (9:00 p.m., *Local Lounge*, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, \$5)

The ISRC presents the **Friends of Suzzane Show.** Join the Rose Court with an all-ages alcohol-free show. (10:00 p.m., *Escape*, 333 SW Park, rosecourt.org)

Drinking with the Divas! Join the Divas at Mary's for a night of drinking and debauchery! (10:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)

SAT OCT 15

The Adventure Group goes on a difficult, strenuous hike to Nesmith Point. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (9:00 a.m., 3030 NE Weidler, RSVP to Evan at 503-701-7922)

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

Women's 55+ Breakfast Club & Coffee Talk. (10:00 a.m., *Detour Cafe*, 3035 SE Division)

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

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)

GO The Imperial Sovereign Rose Court presents **A Journey Through Shakespeare: A Night of Elegant Re-creation.** Come celebrate the step-aside of Rose Emperor 37 Mr. Chad Hammer & Rose Empress 52 The Endearing Tsunami Fox as the ISRC crowns a new court. (6:00 p.m., *Crowne Plaze Hotel*, 1441 NE 2nd, \$50, rosecourt.org)

FIDO, Friends Involved in Dog Outreach, presents **Fall for FIDO Dinner Auction**, to help fund the FIDO dog food bank, AniMeals, and Clackamas County Dog Services. (6:00 p.m., *Pacific Crest Ballroom*, 610 SE McLoughlin, Oregon City, \$30, fido-clackamas.org)

Lincoln City's 13th Annual Glass Gala. (6:00 p.m., *The Inn at Spanish Head*, Lincoln City, \$75, oregoncoast.org)

Halloween Queer Horror Poetry Reading from *The Vampire Bridegroom*. Book signing to follow. (7-8:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Northwest Dance Project presents **NEW NOW WOW!** (8:00 p.m., *Lincoln Performance Hall*, 1620 SW Park, \$24-39, nwdanceproject.org)

GO Rebel GRRRL's First Anniversary! Shake it out, grrrl-style with Claw vs. Claw, Cochinos, Xxxplosionzzz, and DJs Slutshine and Brodeya. (9:00 p.m., *Sloan's*, 36 N Russell, 21+, No cover!)

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

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)

Hamburger Mary's presents **Get Lei'd**, a celebration of Ian's and Godiva's birthdays! (9:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)



The Salem Film Festival takes place Oct. 14-21. For more information, visit salemfilmfestival.com.

Burlescape! A tantalizing taste of the burlesque and boylesque world! (9:00 p.m., *Crush Bar*, 1400 SE Morrison, 21+, \$7 cover)

Deacon X's Fetish Night. (9:00 p.m., *Whiskey Bar*, 31 NW 1st, 21+, \$10 cover, deaconxfetish-night.com)

DJ Brad. (9:00 p.m., *Local Lounge*, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, No cover!)

Come on out to Ecstasy Inferno's **CANDY SHOP**, Portland's sticky and sweet '90s dance party. (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+)

XXXotica. (10:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)

SUN OCT 16

The Adventure Group goes on a moderate hike to Serene and Rock Lakes. Meet outside Starbucks at Hollywood Fred Meyer. (9:00 a.m., 3030 NE Weidler, call Jeff at 503-234-4800)

Bottomless Mimosa Brunch! Get ready for that hang-over medicine, Mary! (10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th)

The ISRC presents the **Victory Brunch.** Join the newly elected Rose Court Majesties for a celebratory brunch. (11:00 a.m., *Embers*, 110 NW Broadway, 21+, \$25 for an all-you-can-eat buffet, rosecourt.org)

Come on out to the **Barking Lot Sale** to benefit the Oregon Dog PAC. There's dog adoptions, "Ask the Pet Trainer", pet blessings, and a pet costume contest! (Noon-5:00 p.m., *Lucky Lab Brew Pub Patio*, 1945 NW Quimby)

GO Momma Baby Mama: Story of a Knocked Up Lesbian book signing and Q&A. (2-4:00 p.m., *In Other Words*, 14 NE Killingsworth)

Repent! **The Church of the Poison Mind** welcomes all sinners. (4-9:00 p.m., *Silverado*, 308 SW 3rd, 21+, Free)

Men's Faith & Sexuality Group. This safe, welcoming forum is for men who've experienced a challenging conflict between their faith and sexuality. (4-5:30 p.m., For more information or to RSVP, call 503-223-8822 x1 or visit manifestpdx.org)

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

GO A Rocky Horror Pastie Show. Come see Rocky Horror as you've never seen it before: burlesque style! (6:00 p.m. pre-show, 7:30 p.m. full production, *Kelly's Olympian*, 426 SW Washington, 21+, \$5 pre-show, \$10 full production, *PhoenixVarietyRevue.com*)

SASS Patrol! A sassy and fun cabaret of local dance, drag and song by ChiChi & Chonga, Cat-titude, The Julians, Feyonce, Fannie Mae Darling and more! (8:00 p.m., *Someday Lounge*, 125 NW 5th, 21+, \$7-15 sliding scale)

FAMILY FEUD! A special 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!)

MON OCT 17

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

GO Just Out presents a **Halloween Gay Skate!** This special edition of Gay Skate includes a costume contest and prizes galore! Proceeds benefit the Just Out Scholarship Fund. (7-9:00 p.m., 1 SE Spokane St., \$6 plus a food donation for Esther's Pantry)

Pub Quiz with Polly! (7-9:00 p.m., *CC Slaughters*, 219 NW 3rd, 21+, No cover!)

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

MaryOke! Hamburger Mary's has more songs than you can shake a high heel at (and a cash prize for the best performance). (9:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)

TUES OCT 18

Towel Tuesdays. Let the boys of CCs serve you in nothing but their towels. (5-7:00 p.m., *CC Slaughters*, 219 NW 3rd, 21+, No cover!)

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

Men's Fit Club: Free Intro! (6:30-8:00 p.m., For more information, or to RSVP, call 503-223-8822 x1 or visit manifestpdx.org)

Late Awakenings is a support group for women who question their orientation or who come out and identify as lesbian later in life. (7:00 p.m., *Q Center*, 4115 N Mississippi)

GO Mary's Charity Bingo. This is NOT your typical "church basement bingo." (7-9:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, All ages, \$20 buy-in)

Wide Pride: Fat Liberation 101. (7:00 p.m., *Fat Fancy*, 1013 SW Morrison)

Lord of the Rings In Concert. *The Fellowship of the Ring* will be projected while the combined forces of the Munich Symphony Orchestra, Pacific Chorale, and Phoenix Boys Choir bring the music of Middle-earth to life. (7:30 p.m., *Rose Quarter*, 1 Center Court, \$35-95)

Glee Night! (8:00 p.m., *The Eagle Portland*, 835 N Lombard, 21+, No cover!, facebook.com/theeagleportland)

GIRLTOPIA. (9:00 p.m., *CC Slaughters*, 219 NW 3rd, 21+, No cover!)

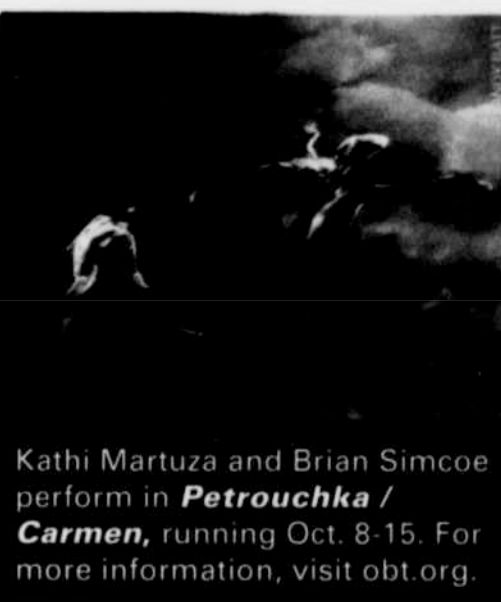
WED OCT 19

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

PABA Biz Builders Lunch. (Noon, Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi, paba.com)

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

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



Kathi Martuza and Brian Simcoe perform in *Petrouchka / Carmen*, running Oct. 8-15. For more information, visit obt.org.



A still from *We Were Here*

Here Now

Director David Weissman's latest doc is a must-see film

We Were Here, directed by David Weissman, centers around a small group of people living in San Francisco who survived HIV/AIDS during the epidemic's earliest years. Guided by the endearing, harrowing—and sometimes funny—narrative of a diverse cast of storytellers, *We Were Here* navigates sensitive waters while documenting some of our community's most devastating years.

In 1981, HIV/AIDS infected about half of San Francisco's gay male population, killing thousands of otherwise healthy young men. *We Were Here* provides a timeline—a chronology through the eyes of five people who lived through it while watching friends and lovers die. The group recounts enduring painful, deadly drug trials, unthinkable civil rights violations and discrimination, an apathetic government, and a dearth of information and support—all while facing the potential unraveling of the community they built and loved.

But that's what this movie is really about—love. As heartbreaking as it is to watch the ceaseless death and destruction, *We Were Here* offers inspiration and hope as we watch our community come together during tragedy to nurture one another—it's a community that turns into a family, the story of a sea of selflessness in the most horrific of times. Never mired in self-pity, Weissman's portrait gives audiences grace and love in spades.

The film also broaches a subject and era our community seems afraid to talk about, in what spotlights a very real generational gap. Above all else, *We Were Here* shows how we can and do take care of one another.

Starts Fri., Oct. 14, with Weissman on hand opening night for a Q&A, check theater for showtimes; Regal Fox Tower 10, 846 SW Park Ave.; \$8.50-\$10.50; 503-221-3280 or fandango.com.

—DANIEL BORGEN

The Feminist Queer Sci-Fi/Fantasy Reading Group discusses *Firebrand* by Marion Zimmer Bradley. (6:30 p.m., *In Other Words*, 14 NE Killingsworth)

Q Patrol Training. (7-9:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Beary-oke! (9:30 p.m., *Scandals*, 1225 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

Queens of the Night, hosted by Alexis Campbell Starr! (10:00 p.m., *Local Lounge*, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, \$3 cover)

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

THURS OCT 20

Darcelle hosts the second annual **Hullabaloo**, a hilarious and entertaining benefit show for JOIN: Connecting the Street to a Home. (6:30 p.m., *Miller Hall*, *World Forestry Center*, 4033 SW Canyon Rd, \$50, joinpdx.com)

The Moms Group, a support group for LGBTQ mothers. (6:30-8:00 p.m., Q Center, 4115 N Mississippi)

Adult Young Adult Book Club discusses *A Tale Dark and Grimm*, *The Graveyard Book*. (7-9:00 p.m., *In Other Words*, 14 NE Killingsworth)

Spinna DeVinyL early weekend dance party. (8:30 p.m., *Local Lounge*, 3536 NE MLK, 21+, No cover!)

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

Costume MaryOke! Arrive in costume or dig through our box of props (and win a cash prize for the best performance). (9:00 p.m., *Hamburger Mary's*, 19 NW 5th, 21+, No cover!)

Hip Hop Heaven. (9:00 p.m., *CC Slaughters*, 219 NW 3rd, 21+, No cover!)

Red Cap Garage presents **HOTT MESS**, a mash-up of Portland Drag Race and Miss Thing. Who's the hottest mess in town? (10:00 p.m., *Red Cap Garage*, 1035 SW Stark, 21+, No cover!)

FRI OCT 21

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

Poison Waters & Friends Happy Hour Show. (5:30-7:00 p.m., *Al's Den in the Crystal Hotel*, 303 SW 12th, 21+, No cover!)

SWAGGER all-inclusive dance class! (6:00 p.m., *Center Space Studio*, 420 SE 6th, \$8 drop-in, \$35 5 classes, theotherspacellc.com)