

Entertainment

Party on the holidays

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We're back again with more reasons to party and celebrate. Hopefully you used up all of last week's reasons. If you didn't, you may as well throw them out, they aren't any good anymore.

If some of these celebrations seem like pretty lame excuses, they are. It's February, nothing ever happens in February.

Wed. Feb. 18-

Today is Gambia's Independence day. It's also the very first day of the Oregon Shakespearean Festival in Ashland. A road trip south could be in order for this one. Don't be in too much of a hurry though, the Festival goes until October 26.

Thurs., Feb. 19

Look out, it's Mardi Gras! Time to put on your wildest costumes and act outrageous. This could very well be one of America's biggest parties of the year!

If you happen to be an astronomer and feel you need some reason to celebrate the , today is the B-day of Nicolaus Copernicus. Remember, he was the one who told us that we go around the sun and not visa versa.

Fri., Feb 20

If you were born between today and March 20, rate the sign of the fish. Today is the first day of the astrological sign of Pisces.

I don't know if any of you remember ol' Vic Atiyeh, but for what it's worth, today is his Birthday. Hey cut that yawning.

Sat., Feb 21

All right you guys and gals, are you ready for this one? That's right, it's the La Belle Swamp Cabbage Festival. This is the day that Florida residents let all hell break loose and pay tribute to their state tree, the cabbage palm.

Sun., Feb 22

Today is the first day of the Festival of Whales. From now until March 16, Californians at Dana Point Harbor will be celebrating the migration of the grey whales. Some people will use just about anything for an excuse to party.

On this great day way back in 1732, our first president was born. George Washington, born on Feb. 22, died 67 years later in 1799.

Mon., Feb 23

It's Guyana's National Holiday. Guyana became a republic on this day in 1970. I know you're excited, but remember that this is February.

Tues., Feb 24

Party up, because it's Estonia's Independence Day! If you know what and where Estonia is, you know a helluva lot more than me.

Flicks

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Once again Sylvester Stallone has hit the screen with muscles-a-flex. "Over The Top," his latest release, rates better than any of his previous macho roles following the early 'Rocky' films.

Taking a step away from his tough guy roles of Rambo and Cobra, Stallone has created a character that can not only beat the hell out of the next guy, but can also be a living and caring father.

When the film begins, Lincoln Hawk (Stallone) suddenly appears in his twelve year old son's life. Having left Mike's mother shortly after the birth of the child, Stallone and the boy (David Mendenhall) have never even seen each other.

Through out the rest of the movie Stallone strives to win the respect and love of his son. In the process of doing so they both teach each other a few lessons about life. These are the films good scenes.



"Over The Top" also has a cond plot. The plot in which Stallone struggles to be the world's best at something. He's been the world's best boxer, he's been the world's toughest soldier and he's been the world's bad cop. So, what's left? ARM WRESTLING! And why not? What better way to pit muscle against muscle than a world championship arm wrestling tournament! Gimme a break what's next, kick boxing or pro wrestling?

I think we're all just a little tired of seeing Stallone prove that he's still a man. He needs to prove his acting ability and play a role where he does something other than show dominance over the next guy.

"Over The Top" has both good points and bad points. The father/son relationship between Hawk and Mike shines through. The arm wrestling side of something we've seen Stallone do again and again. We all want to see something else.

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Ever since birth
I was told
people are things
A thing is a noun.

Such as people
places and things,
a person is a thing.
Am I a noun?

A verb is an action,
a movement and force.
Verbs move,
nouns don't

If I am a person
I am a noun.
When I move
I must be a verb.

Am I a noun?
Am I a verb?
Am I a thing,
or a movement?

Since birth
I have been in action,
thinking and moving,
unstopped.

Even in sleep
my heart beats,
my lungs breathe,
and my mind dreams

I am always moving,
always living,
always an action,
always a verb.

I think
when I am dead
I will cease
to be a verb,

And finally be
a thing
in a place
a person

a noun



On Campus

Wed., Feb 18
Here Comes Everybody
noon in C.C Mall

Thurs., Feb. 19
ASG meeting
noon in C.C. 101

Fri., Feb. 20
Christian Fellowship
noon in B-113

AA meeting
6:30 p.m. in B 151-153

Sat., Feb. 21
Basket Ball Playoffs
7:30 p.m. in gym

Homecoming dance
9 p.m.-1 a.m. C.C. mall

Sun., Feb. 22
Open recreation
1-5 p.m. in gym

Mon., Feb. 23
Ski Ball
5-10 p.m.
Mt. Hood Meadows



Downtown

February

18 Razorbacks at the Last Hurrah

Caryl Mack Band at Eli's

David Lindley at Key Largo

19 Dan Reed Network at Last Hurrah

Hypertension at Eli's

Rockin' Razorbacks at Key Largo

20 the Jackals at Pine Street

20 & 21 Cool'r at Last Hurrah

Hypertension and The Nerve at Eli's

Calvin Walker at Key Largo

22 Ritmo Tropical at Key Largo

Hypertension at Last Hurrah

23 Radio Silents at Last Hurrah

Terry Robb Band at Eli's

Ed and the Boats at Key Largo

24 Cool'r at Key Largo

Curtis Salgado and The Stiletos at Last Hurrah

Terry Robb Band at Eli's

25 Terry Robb Band at Eli's

Razorbacks t Last Hurrah

Radio Silents at Key Largo

