

COMMUNITY LIFE

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5 Pageturners Book Groups for Adults. Read *The Perfectionists: A Novel* by Tom Rachman. Engage in stimulating conversation about books, exchange perspectives about characters and plot, and get to know you neighbors. Thursday, January 5, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 10, 6:45 to 7:45 p.m. at Capitol Hill Library, 10723 SW Capitol Hwy, 503-988-5385.

7 Family Dance. Fun dancing for kids and families with live music and Maggie Lind calling will be held Saturday, January 7, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Fulton Park Community Center, 68 SW Miles St. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$5 for kids, \$20 per family max. For more information call 503-775-6537.

9 Multnomah Historical Association will have their monthly board meeting on Monday, January 9 at 7:00 p.m. at the Village Offices conference room, 2929 SW Multnomah Blvd. For agenda or for more information visit www.multnomahhistorical.com.

10 Legislative Town Hall. Residents of Southwest Portland, King City and Tigard are invited to join Sen. Ginny Burdick (D-Portland/Tigard) and Sen. Richard Devlin (D-Tualatin) to



Sen. Ginny Burdick

a town hall and open forum on Tuesday, January 10, at 7:00 p.m. at The Watershed at Hillsdale, 6388 SW Capitol Hwy.

Multnomah Neighborhood Association meets again on Tuesday, January 10, at 7:00 p.m. at the Multnomah Center, 7688 SW Capitol Hwy. Visit www.swni.org/multnomah or contact: Moses Ross, mnachair@gmail.com for more information.



One of Portland's biggest powwows is set for Jan. 21 at PCC Sylvania. (Photo by James Hill, courtesy Portland Community College)

21 Portland Community College's Annual Winter Traditional Powwow, showcasing hundreds of Native American dancers, drummers and vendors, takes place on Saturday, January 21, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the Health and Technology Building gymnasium, at PCC Sylvania, 12000 SW 49th Ave. Children's activities, a college fair, and a community dinner (at 5:30 p.m.) are among the festivities. Admission and parking are free. For more details, visit www.pcc.edu/powwow.

No-sew Recycled T-shirts. Turn an old T-shirt into a useful shopping bag, then use the leftover recycled fabric scraps to make necklaces, bracelets, headbands, wrist cuffs and hats. Make all these items (with no sewing required!) with the help of artist Lee Meredith of leethal.net. Bring an old T-shirt, for teens and adults. Saturday, January 21, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at Capitol Hill Library, 10723 SW Capitol Hwy, 503-988-5385.

Just how well do you know Multnomah Village? Find out at the Columbia River Orienteering Club's (CROC) first event of the new year, Saturday, January 21, at the Lucky Labrador Pub, 7675 SW Capitol Hwy. In this scavenger hunt kind of event, participants have their choice of 60 or 90 minutes to find as many controls as they can. Registration begins at 5:30 p.m. Maps will be handed out at 6:15 p.m. with a mass start at 6:30 p.m. Bring a bright flashlight, reflective clothing, compass and warm

clothes. Rain or shine. Cost is \$8 for individuals, \$12 for groups of two or more, compasses can be rented for \$1. For more information go to www.croc.org or contact Vanessa Blake at 503-803-7495 or vblakeor@yahoo.com.

24 The Human Resources Manager. It's Film Night on Tuesday, January 24 at 6:30 p.m., Garden Home Community Library, 7475 SW Oleson Rd, Portland, OR 97223. Gain a whole new perspective on HR from director Eran Riklis. Israel. In Hebrew, Romanian and English w/English subtitles. Official selection of the Palm Springs and Toronto film festivals! For more information call 503-245-9932 or visit www.wccls.org.

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