

23 THURSDAY

Sunrise 7:38 am; Sunset 6:16 pm
Av High 61; Av Low 39

ARTS/VISUAL Mel Chin speaks about his work, 7 pm, 180 PLC, UO. FREE.

DANCE *Fall Collage*, 8 pm tonight through Oct. 25, Performance Hall, LCC main campus. \$10, \$8 stu., sr.

FILM Warren Miller's *Journey*, 8 pm, McDonald Theatre. For information go to www.warrenmiller.com

GATHERINGS Meridian Farmers Market, noon to 5 pm Thursdays, 18th Ave. and Willamette St. FREE.

"Holiday Party Survival 101" features champagne tasting, 4 pm, Melange, 5th St. Public Market. FREE.

HIV counseling and testing, 9 to 11:15 am Thursdays, 135 E. 6th Ave. \$15.

KIDSTUFF "Thursdays at the Library" features Children's Book Club meeting, 3:30 pm, Downtown Library. FREE.

"Songwriting for Teens" with Jay Seeley, 4 pm, Bethel Branch Library.

LECTURES "Fracturing the Postcolonial: A Pacific Genealogy," Geoff White, 7 pm, 110 Willamette, UO. FREE.

"Old Time Radio Revisited," 1:30 pm, Willamalane Activity Center, Spfd. FREE.

Richard Meltzer speaks about rock 'n' roll, 7 pm, UO Bookstore. FREE.

LITERARY ARTS Lauren Kessler reads, 7 pm, Barnes and Noble. FREE.

Readings by finalists in the 2003 Oregon Book Awards features Jane Bailey, Chris Chester, Robert McDowell, Nicole Rubel and Carol Ann Bassett, 7:30 pm, Tsunami Books. FREE.

"Reflective Readers" book group discusses *Moviegoer*, 7 pm, Barnes and Noble. FREE.

Christie Stilson signs her books, noon to 6 pm, The Travel Store, 5th St. Market.

"Subjects and Objects" Comparative Literature Symposium features Richard Halpern, 4 pm, Knight Library Browsing Rm., UO. FREE.

MUSIC SHOcase performance of Roseburg High School Choir, 12:15 pm, Hult lobby. FREE.

Laura Kemp, Roy Brewer, 8:30 pm, Luna. \$5.

Shostakovich Violin Concerto No. 1, Eugene Symphony, 8 pm, Silva, Hult. \$15-\$38.

Mark Alan plays music, as well as a comedy performance by Stoney Burke, 7:30 pm, Cozmic Pizza @ The Strand. \$3-\$5 ss.

ON THE AIR "The Healing Connection," 7 pm Thursdays, CTV-22 & 29.

"New Dimensions" features "Heartful Business," Michael Kieschnick, 6:30 pm, KLCC, 897 FM.

"Jefferson Exchange" features "Producing Authentic Elders and the Poetics of Change," Michael Meade, 8 am and 8 pm, KRVM, 1280 AM.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION One-hour fast bike rides, noon Monday through Friday, Bike Friday, 687-0487. FREE.

Nearby Nature pumpkin carving event features snacks and fun, 6 to 8 pm, park host residence, Alton Baker Park. FREE.

PRESENTATIONS Slide show of canoe trip on Bowron Lakes, 6:30 pm, Oregon River Sports. FREE.

"The Fascinating World of Fungi," 7:30 pm, Bldg. 17, LCC Main Campus. FREE.

"Bicycling Cuba" slide presentation by Willie Weir, 7:30 pm, 100 Willamette, UO. \$2.

SPIRITUAL "The Buddhist View of Selfishness," Eliza Drummond, 7:30 pm Thursdays through Nov. 20, First Christian Church. 344-5693. don.

Eugene peace circle, noon Thursdays, Suite 306, 474 Willamette St. 684-3850. FREE.

Prayer for Peace circles, noon Monday through Friday, Unity of the Valley. FREE.

SYMPOSIUM Overwork and Time Poverty Symposium, 7 to 9 pm, UO Baker Center, 325 E. 10th Ave. FREE.

THEATER *Proof*, 8 pm tonight, tomorrow and Oct. 26, 30 and 31, and at 2 pm Oct. 25, Lord Leebrick Theatre. \$14 TH, \$16 F-SA, \$12 for Oct. 25.

Sylvia, 7:30 pm tonight through Oct. 25, South Eugene High School Little Theatre. \$5.

Our Town, 8 pm tonight through Oct. 25. \$9 tonight and \$12 tomorrow and Oct. 25.

24 FRIDAY

Sunrise 7:39 am; Sunset 6:14 pm
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ARTS/VISUAL An opening of paintings by Luigi Testa, 5:30 pm, Emerald Art Center. FREE.

An opening for *Mask Invitational*, masks by Bonnie Bartell, Mark Clarke, Harold How and others, and ceramics by Faye Nakamura, 5:30 pm, Karin Clarke Gallery. FREE.

An opening for *Dia de los Muertos* exhibit features puppet-theater and music, 6 to 9 pm, Maude Kerns Art Center. \$3 sugg. don.

BENEFIT "In the Mood" gala dinner and auction benefits Eugene Concert Choir and the Eugene Vocal Arts Ensemble, 6 pm, Eugene Hilton. 687-6865. \$40.

COMEDY ComedySportz, 8 pm today and tomorrow, ComedySportz Theatre, 1030 Oak St. 517-9996. \$8, \$7 with a can of food for FOOD for Lane Co.

DANCE *Fall Collage* continues. See Thursday, Oct. 23.

FILM *Dark Blue World*, 7 pm, International Lounge, EMU, UO. FREE.

Mood Area 52 plays their live original score to *Nosferatu*, 8 pm, Tsunami Books. \$5.

FORUM "Imagining Creative Oregon: A Collaborative Vision" with Tom Tresser, 7 to 9 pm, 206 Lawrence, UO. FREE.

"Massacre by Bombing" Pacifica Forum, noon, Wesley Cntr. FREE.

GATHERINGS Toastmasters meeting, 6:15 am Fridays, Mr. K's Restaurant, Coburg Rd. 683-9657. FREE.

Open house features free chair massages, live music, food, drink and demonstrations, 5 to 7 pm, Eugene Wellness Center, 1405 Mill St. FREE.

Meeting of the UUCE Singletarians, 7:30 pm, Unitarian Universalist Church of Eugene. \$2 sugg. don.

Ski swap, 6 to 9 pm today and from 9 am to 6 pm tomorrow, Lane Co. Fairgrounds. \$1 admission today.

Our Town continues. See Thursday, Oct. 23.

25 SATURDAY

Sunrise 7:40 am; Sunset 6:13 pm
Av High 61; Av Low 39

BENEFIT Eastside All-School Rummage Sale benefits homeless families, 9 am to 2 pm today and from 10 am to 1 pm tomorrow, Eastside Alternative School, 3875 Kincaid St. don.

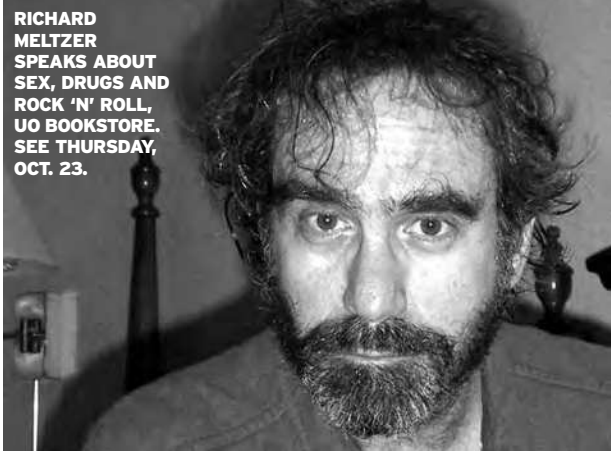
COMEDY ComedySportz continues. See Saturday.

DANCE "Bon Voyage Aziza!" bellydancing event features Aziza, Elena Villa, Innana, Magidah and Razia, 6:30 pm, Cozmic Pizza @ The Strand. \$10.

Eugene Singles Ministry costume dance, 7 pm, Coburg Grange. \$6.

Fall Collage continues. See Thursday, Oct. 23.

RICHARD MELTZER SPEAKS ABOUT SEX, DRUGS AND ROCK 'N' ROLL, UO BOOKSTORE. SEE THURSDAY, OCT. 23.



WILLIE WEIR'S SLIDE PRESENTATION, "BICYCLING CUBA," 100 WILLAMETTE, UO. SEE THURSDAY, OCT. 23.

KIDSTUFF Playgroup for moms and newborns to 2-year-olds, 10 am, Bambini. FREE.

Nearby Nature's 7th Annual Haunted Hike features costumes, crafts and treats, 5:30 to 9 pm, Alton Baker Park. \$5.

"Rip it Apart!", noon to 4 pm, The Science Factory. "Parents Night Out" children drop-off event features stargazing, inventions and games for children ages 6 to 12, 4 to 8 pm Fridays. \$4 includes exhibit admission for daytime activities; \$25 for "Night Out." www.sciencefactory.org

"Scream in the Dark" haunted house, 7 to 10 pm today and tomorrow, and from 7 to 11 pm Oct. 30 and 31, Lane Co. Fairgrounds. \$6.

LECTURE "Walking and Running in the Desert West," Mel Aikens, 5:30 pm, 175 Knight Law Center, UO. FREE.

MUSIC Homecoming concert features University Symphony, University Singers, Oregon Wind Ensemble and others, 7:30 pm, Beall, UO. FREE.

Floater, 8:30 pm, WOW Hall. \$10.

8 Track Liberators, 10 pm, Max's Tavern. \$2.

The Ovulators, Silverhawk, The Jackson County, 9 pm, Sam Bond's Garage. \$4.

Cindy Alexander, 9 pm, Café Paradiso. \$7-\$10 ss.

Randy Newman, 7:30 pm, The Shedd. \$15-\$45.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION One-hour fast bike rides continue. See Thursday, Oct. 23.

Prayer for Peace circles continue. See Thursday, Oct. 23.

PRESENTATION "Basic Alternatives to Violence," today through Oct. 26. For information and to register call 343-5826.

THEATER *Sealed For Freshness*, 8 pm tonight, tomorrow and Oct. 31, and Nov. 1, 6, 7, 8, 14 and 15, with a 2 pm matinee Nov. 2, ACE Annex Theater. \$12 F-SA, \$10 SU, \$5 TH, \$5 for reception on Oct. 24.

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GATHERINGS Saturday Market features more than 150 local artisans, international food court and live music, Park Blocks. Ken Silverman plays at 10 am; Vincent Sansone at 11; Ace Luxo at noon; Myshkin at 1 pm; Brian Cutean at 2 pm and Eagle Park Slim Band plays at 3:30 pm. FREE.

Holiday Faire features gifts and delicacies, 9 am to 2 pm, Willamalane Adult Center, Spfd. FREE.

Cascadia Forest Goods warehouse sale features figured maple, chinkapin, walnut, decking, siding, paneling, fencing and more from sustainably managed forests and recycled wood, 9 am to 3 pm Saturdays, 4446 Franklin Blvd., Glenwood. 485-4477. FREE.

Southtowne Shoppes Farmers Market, Saturdays 9 am to 3 pm, 28th Ave. and Oak St. FREE.

Sr. Professional Singles Breakfast, 9:30 am, Brail's Coffeeshop. \$5.

Sons of Norway Bazaar features prizes, food, bake sale and handicrafts, 9 am to 3 pm, Sons of Norway Lodge, 1836 Alder St. FREE.

"Havdalah and a Movie!" 7 pm, Temple Beth Israel. 485-7218. don.

Farmers Market features produce, plants and flowers from more than 40 local growers, 9 am to 4 pm Saturdays and from 10 am to 3 pm Tuesdays, 8th Ave. and Oak St. FREE.

"Educator's Day" features speakers, prizes and meetings between teachers, homeschoolers and librarians, 1 to 5 pm, Barnes and Noble. FREE.

Oakridge Mountain Market Faire features fresh produce and a costume contest, 2 pm, downtown Oakridge. FREE.

Growers Market features fresh grown local produce/fruit, artisans and crafters displaying wares, entertainment and more, main park, 9 am to 3 pm, Cottage Grove. FREE.

Veneta Saturday Market features produce, crafts and festivities, 10 am to 5 pm Saturdays, Veneta. 935-2268. FREE.

Ski swap continues. See Friday.

KIDSTUFF Children's storytime, 11 am, Borders Books. FREE.

Halloween costume party, noon to 2 pm, Bon-Macy's Court, Valley River Center. FREE.