

## 15 THURSDAY

Sunrise 7:45 am; Sunset 5:00 pm  
Av High 46; Av Low 33

**FILM** UO Sociology Winter Film Series runs Thursdays. *The Trials of Henry Kissinger*, 7 pm, 180 PLC, UO. FREE.

**GATHERINGS** HIV counseling and testing, 9 to 11:15 am Thursdays, 135 E. 6th Ave. \$5.

Vigorous yoga, 5:45 pm Thursdays, Friends Meeting House. \$7-\$10 ss.

Grief Support Group, McKenzie-Willamette Medical Center Willamette Room, 7 pm Thursdays. FREE.

**KIDSTUFF** Baby Storytime, 10:15 am, Harry Potter Club for ages 7 to 11, 3:30 pm, Downtown Library. FREE.

Pre-school Storytime, 10:30 am, Bethel and Sheldon Branch Libraries. FREE.

**LECTURES** "Benefits of Strength Training," lecture by clinical exercise specialist Doug DeWitt, 2 pm, Willamalane Adult Center. 736-4444. FREE.

Morse Chair Professor Neil Smith speaks on "America's Lost Geographies," 7:30 pm, Hilton Conference Center. 346-3700 for more information.

Architecture and Allied Arts Faculty Lecture Series: Lars Bleher speaks, 4 pm, Janice Rutherford speaks, 4:45 pm, 206 Lawrence, UO. FREE.

"Ballot Measure 30: How Could It Affect Our Criminal Justice System?," Lane County District Attorney Doug Harclerod speaks to the League of Women Voters, noon, Wild Duck, Madison Room. 343-7917. FREE.

**LITERARY ARTS** Women's Focus book group features *The Secret Life of Bees*, 1 pm, Barnes & Noble. FREE.

Johnston Lecture: Author Melissa Fay Greene speaks on her work and "A Writer Bearing Witness: AIDS Orphans in Africa," 4 pm, Knight Library Browsing Room, UO. FREE.

**MUSIC** SHOCcase presents: Shasta Middle School Jazz Band, 12:15 pm, Hult Center Lobby. FREE.

Hot Buttered Rum String Band, 9 pm, Sam Bond's. \$5.

Eugene Symphony Cutting Edge Concerti, featuring conductor Giancarlo Guerrero and special guest composer Jennifer Higdon, 8 pm, Hult Center Silva Concert Hall. 682-5000 for ticket prices.

Grasshopper, 8 pm, Luna. \$5.

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

"New Dimensions" features "The Soul of a Dolphin," Brenda Peterson, 6:30 pm, KLCC, 89.7 FM.

"The Jefferson Exchange" features "The Plan for Logging the Biscuit Fire Area in Southern Oregon and Other 'Healthy Forest' Restoration Issues," 8 am, 8 pm weekdays, KRVM, 1280 AM.

"Democracy Now!," Amy Goodman and Juan Gonzalez, 7 am weekdays, "Free Speech Radio News" 6 pm weekdays, KWVA, 88.1 FM.

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

**PRESENTATION** "Pruning: Tree Fruits and Ornamentals," 9 am to 11:30 am, meets at the Florence Events Center. Register 682-4243. FREE.

**SPIRITUAL** Eugene Peace Circle, noon Thursdays, Suite 306, 474 Willamette St. 684-3850. FREE.

**THEATER** *Far Away*, 8 pm tonight, tomorrow, Jan. 17 and Jan. 22, 2 pm Jan. 18, Lord Leebrick Theatre, 540 Charnelton. 465-1506. \$8-\$16.

*The Lion In Winter*, 8 pm tonight, tomorrow, Jan. 17 and Jan. 22, 2 pm Jan. 18, Very Little Theatre. 344-7751. \$9-\$12.

## 16 FRIDAY

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**ARTS/VISUAL** Artists reception for Meredith Griffin, Sybylla Lindert, M. Scott McGahan, Dr. Radius and Martha Steele, featuring performance by Acoustic Bat Girl and Emit, and refreshments, 6:33 pm, Museum of Unfine Art, 537 Willamette St.

Artists reception for Ed Vlieg, Kathleen Laraja McLaughlin and Mike Leckie, featuring music by Deco Moon Jazz with John Crider, 6 pm, Maude Kerns Art Center, 1910 E. 15th Ave. \$3 sugg. don.

Special gallery showing for *Camera, Computer & Imagination* exhibit, 6 pm to 10 pm, New Zone Gallery. 344-7682. FREE.

**COMEDY** ComedySportz features Tag Team Improv: the Glenwood Chucks take on the Hendricks Experience, 8 pm, 1030 Oak St. 517-9996. \$6-\$8, \$1 off with a can of food.

**FILM** "Truck Stop Sill Lifes" features a multimedia showcase of film, video, music and slideshows, 8 pm, WOW Hall. \$5.

**GATHERINGS** The Sex Worker's Art Show, cabaret-style event featuring music, spoken word, burlesque, video, poetry and other performance art, travelling art exhibit and more offering a wide range of perspectives on sex work, 10 pm, John Henry's. 342-3358. \$5-\$10 ss.

Springfield second public open house to discuss Stormwater Plan, 4 pm to 8 pm, Springfield City Hall, Library Meeting Room. 736-1023. FREE.

Oregon Ballroom Dance, dress-up or casual, 7:30 pm, 220 Gerlinger Hall, UO. 346-6025. \$4-\$5.

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

Progressive Coalition Happytime Friday, 5:30 pm Fridays, Café Paradiso. FREE.

**KIDSTUFF** The Science Factory Children's Museum and Planetarium features more than 50 hands-on exhibits, live reptiles, computer lab and free thematic activities (this week's activity: "Ben Franklin's B-day Celebration"), noon to 4 pm Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. \$4 exhibit hall or planetarium, \$7 exhibits and planetarium. www.sciencefactory.org. Mom and Baby Play Group, 10 am, Bambini. FREE.

Pre-school Storytime, for ages 3 to 6, 10:30 am, Bethel Branch Library. FREE.

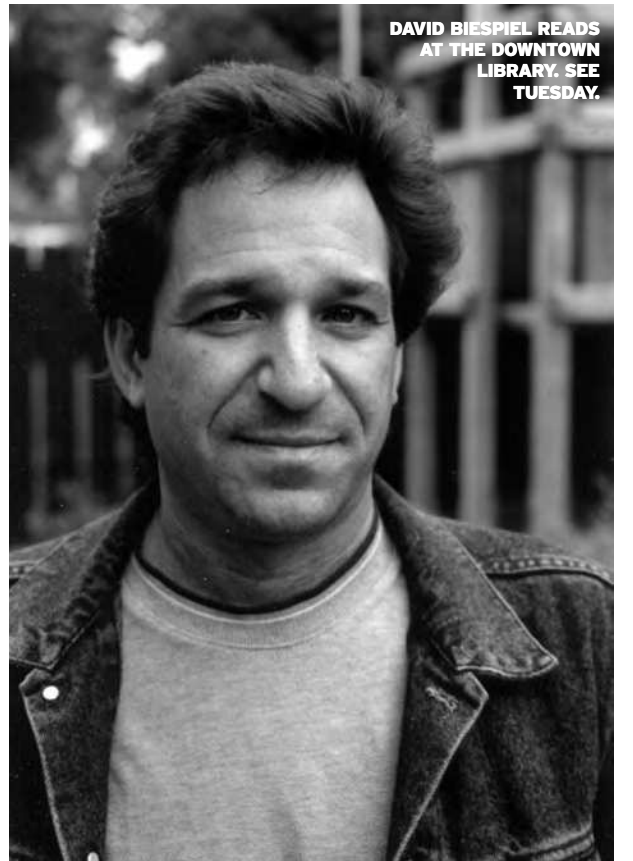
**THEATER** *The Lion In Winter* continues. See Thursday, Jan. 15.

*Guys and Dolls*, 7 pm tonight and tomorrow, Cottage Grove High School, Cottage Grove. 942-3391. \$5.

*The Fatal Fifties Affair*, 7 pm tonight and tomorrow, Springfield High School Auditorium. 517-9028. \$10.

*Fame*, 8 pm tonight, 2 pm and 8 pm tomorrow, Hult Center Silva Concert Hall. 682-5000. \$20-\$42.50.

*Far Away* continues. See Thursday, Jan. 15.



DAVID BIESPIEL READS AT THE DOWNTOWN LIBRARY. SEE TUESDAY.



GORGE ON SUMPTUOUS ART AND MUSIC AT THE MUSEUM OF UNFINE ART. PICTURED IS WORK BY M. SCOTT MCGAHAN. SEE FRIDAY.

**MUSIC** Marcus Eaton & The Lobby, Chris Arnold, Nicole Barrett, 7 pm (all ages) and 9:30 pm (21+), Café Paradiso. 349-8711. \$7 adv., \$9 dos.

Bin Daas, 6 pm, Golden Avatar Café, 2757 Friendly St. FREE.

**ON THE AIR** "The Jefferson Exchange" features "Humane Education and Critical Thinking: Instilling Virtues Like Compassion, Courage, Kindness and Respect In Our Children," 8 am, 8 pm weekdays, KRVM, 1280 AM.

"Democracy Now!," Amy Goodman and Juan Gonzalez, 7 am weekdays, "Free Speech Radio News" 6 pm weekdays, KWVA, 88.1 FM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** One-hour fast bike rides continue. See Thursday, Jan. 15.

Trip Initiator's Clinic for people interested in initiating trips through the Outdoor Program, 5:30 pm, OP Barn, 18th Avenue and University Street. 346-4365. FREE.

Introduction to Telemark Skiing, 5:30 pm, Outdoor Program, EMU, UO. Follow-up class Jan. 17 will be held at a local ski area, beginning 10 am. 346-4365 for schedule, location and cost.

**PRESENTATION** Pacifica Forum: "Precursors to the Montgomery Bus Boycott," features Orval Etter recounting constitutional developments prior to the boycott and personal reminiscences of travel in the South, 1946 to 1950. Call 344-0483 for location. FREE.

**SCIENCE** "Into the Woods" exhibit celebrates great explorer and plant collector David Douglas with tree and plant identification, kids' tent camping and wildlife study, noon to 4 pm Fridays and Saturdays, The Science Factory. \$4. www.sciencefactory.org.

**SPIRITUAL** Lecture, meditation, and dance into enlightenment, Trinity Healings, Energy Baptisms, 7 pm Fridays. Call 344-0458 for location. don.

## 17 SATURDAY

Sunrise 7:44 am; Sunset 5:03 pm  
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**ARTS/VISUAL** "Drawing Trees in Tonal Ink Washes," features technique lesson with natural science illustrator Kris Kirkeby, 1 pm to 4 pm, EPUD. Pre-register 747-1504. \$20.

**BENEFITS** Eugene musician, scholar and teacher Jennifer Kyker speaks on crisis in Zimbabwe, proceeds benefit education for orphaned, disenfranchised Zimbabwean women, 1 pm, Fool's Paradise Teahouse, 460 Willamette. \$5-\$15 sugg. don.

60th Birthday Party for Pat Frishkoff. Bring packaged toilet paper and donations to stuff Frishkoff's Honda Civic. Benefits ETC of Looking Glass Youth and Family Services, 1 pm to 2:20 pm, ETC parking lot, 550 River Road. FREE.

**COMEDY** ComedySportz features Tag Team Improv: the Springfield of Dreams faces the Cresswell that Endswell, 8 pm, 1030 Oak St. 517-996. \$6-\$8, \$1 off with a can of food.

**GATHERINGS** Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration features a community march, music, food, art and more, featured speakers Alan Siporin, Johnny Lake, Sean Sisson, John Cuff, Gene Davenport, 11:30 am to 5 pm, Florence Events Center, Florence. 902-2749. FREE.

Lesbian Social Group, 5 pm, McMenamins at North Bank, 22 Club Road. FREE.

Country Western Dance, 7 pm to midnight, Cascade Middle School. 344-8118. \$6.