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THURSDAY

Sunrise 6:40 am; Sunset 7:49 pm
Av High 59; Av Low 38

ARTS/VISUAL Arab-American Month display, Eugene Downtown Public Library. FREE.

GATHERING Eugene/Springfield Solidarity Network/Jobs with Justice: "Life After Measure 30," sponsored by Women's Action for New Directions, 7 pm to 9 pm, McNail-Reilly House, 13th Ave. & Jefferson, 342-5325. FREE.

Amnesty International meeting, 7:30 pm, Community Church of Christ, 1485 Gilham Rd.

HEALTH "Weller than Well: The 12 Most Important Mental Health Secrets," 7:30 pm to 9 pm, Eugene Hilton, 66 E. 6th Ave., 686-6857. FREE.

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

Baby Storytime, 10:15 am and 11:15 am, Downtown Library. FREE.

Diablo Workshop, ages 7 to 11, 3:30 pm, Downtown Library. Pre-register 682-8316. FREE.

"Dig into the Past" youth after-school class. Register now, 346-5083. \$25-\$30.

Discovering Instruments with AMI Faculty, 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm, today and every Thursday through May 27, The Shedd, 868 High St. 687-6526. \$10 per class.

Peter Rabbit Party for ages 3-6, 3:30 pm, Springfield Public Library, 225 5th St., pre-register 726-3766. FREE.

LECTURE "War on Drugs" in Columbia, The View from Ground Zero, a public talk by Colombian human rights leader Miguel Cifuentes, 7 pm, UO Knight Law School Room 110, 485-8633. FREE.

2004 Colin Raugh Thomas O'Fallon Memorial Lecture in Art and American Culture: *Faust/Faustus in Deptford* presented by Professor Leon Johnson, 8 pm, Room 117, Lawrence Hall, UO, 346-3134. FREE.

LITERARY ARTS "Bloom at Home," James Joyce Lectures, 5:30 pm, Oveissi and Company, 22 W.7th. FREE.

Discussion/Signing with Joseph Arpaia, *Tibetan Wisdom for Western Life*, 7 pm, Barnes & Nobles. FREE.

MUSIC Mikey Dread, 7 pm, The Jungle, 23 W. 6th St. \$14.

ON THE AIR KLCC's Spring Radiothon's final day, 6 am to 5:30 pm, 463-6001 to donate.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION Commuting Jump-start Clinic: Bicycle Transport, 7 pm, REI, 306 Lawrence, 465-1800. FREE.

Trip Initiator's Clinic for UO Outdoor Program, 5:30 pm, Outdoor Resource Room 37, basement, EMU, OU. FREE.

PRESENTATION Eco-Building: Sustainable Community Development, 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm, Bascom/Tykeson Room, Downtown Library. FREE.

SPIRITUAL Dzoghchen Buddha Center dharma study group, 7 pm, 431-1066. FREE.

Book of Matthew reading group, 7 pm, Borders Books, 686-9468. FREE.

THEATER *The Skin of Our Teeth*, 8 pm tonight, tomorrow and Saturday, 2 pm Sunday, Lord Leebrick Theatre, 540 Charnelton St. 465-1506. \$10-\$16.

The Smell of the Kill, 7:30 pm tonight, Friday and Saturday, Springfield High School Studio Theatre. 517-9028. \$4.

WORKSHOP "How to Create Drawings of Mushrooms" with Marko Mikulich, 7:30 pm, Science Building Rm. 115, LCC, 683-4254. FREE.

"Let's Evolve: Creating a New Way of Life," 6:30 pm to 8 pm, Downtown Athletic Club, 999 Willamette St., FREE.

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FRIDAY

Sunrise 6:39 am; Sunset 7:50 pm
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ARTS/VISUAL "Margaret Via: A Retrospective" opening reception, 6 pm, Maude Kerns Art Center, 1910 E. 15th Ave., 345-6248. \$3 don.

A frog, snail, tomato & a goldfish, work by Jon Meyers, 5:30 pm silent auction, Suislaw Bank, 707 Main St. FREE.

BENEFIT Dirk DuBois Open Golf Tournament, 4 pm, benefits Dirk DuBois Fund, Springfield Country Club, preregister 607-0720.

Benefit for Hearts & Hands Center with Laura Kemp, Brian Kutean & Neil Bjorkland's Wild Elfin Band, 8 pm, Café Paradiso. 21 and older. \$10.

FILM *DIY or DIE: How to Survive as an Independent Artist* with filmmaker Michael Dean, 8 pm, DIVA, 110 W. Broadway. \$3-\$5.

GATHERINGS Tack & Saddle Auction, 6 pm to 10 pm, Lane Events Center, 796 W. 13th Ave., 592-6292. FREE.

An Afternoon of Italian Music, Poetry and Celebration, 4 pm to 6 pm, Knight Library Browsing Room, UO, 346-0957. FREE.

KIDSTUFF Pre-school storytime, 10:30 am, Bethel Branch Library, 682-5766. FREE.

LECTURE "Cultivating Peace in a World of Unrest" presented by Lama Pema Clark & Lama Yeshe Parke, Hilyard Community Center, 2580 Hilyard, 342-8296. FREE.

The Oregon Humanities Center Work-In-Progress Series: Nathan Tublitz, "A Spineless Approach to Behavioral



Japanese film *Day of Independence* shows at the Bijou to benefit Yujin Gakuen school trip to Japan. See Saturday.

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Plasticity: Interfacing Neuroscience with Humanities," 12 pm, 159 PLC, Humanities Center Conference Room, UO, 346-3934. FREE.

"Rule by Women: Feminist Ideas in Politics, History and Class," Professor Naomi Zack, 4 pm, 360 Condon Hall, UO, 346-1547. FREE.

"Currents in Gender Studies," Thomas Lacquer discusses *Solitary Sex: A Cultural History of Masturbation*, 11 am to 1:30 pm, Knight Library Browsing Room, UO, 346-5529. FREE.

Pacifica Forum: "Pacifica Reflections on Good Friday," 12 pm, Metolius Room, EMU, UO, 344-0483. FREE.

"Medicinal Herb Gardening," Jan Gagnon, 1:30 pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd., pre-register, 736-4444.

"Learning the Skill of Handling Loss," Carolyn Higgins, 1 pm to 3 pm, Fridays through April 30, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd., pre-register, 736-4444.

MUSIC *Requiem* by Gabriel Faure, 7 pm, First United Methodist Church, 1376 Olive St., 345-8764.

The League of Crafty Guitarists, 8:30 pm, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave., 687-2746. \$13-\$15.

SPIRITUAL Leroy White: Ambassador of Joy! 7 pm, Unity of the Valley, 39th Ave. & Hilyard. \$5-\$10 ss.

THEATER *The Smell of the Kill* continues, see Thursday, April 8.

The Skin of Our Teeth continues, see Thursday, April 8.

Independence, 8 pm, tonight and tomorrow, Blue Door Theater, LCC. \$8-\$10.

How to Succeed in Business (Without Really Trying), 8 pm tonight and tomorrow, runs through April 25. Cottage Theater, Cottage Grove. 942-7414. \$14 advance, \$15 door.

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SATURDAY

Sunrise 6:37 am; Sunset 7:52 pm
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ARTS/VISUAL Ongoing exhibits including Oregon Trail, Period Rooms, Logging, Agriculture, 12 pm to 4 pm, Sat. & Sun., 10 am to 4 pm Wed.-Fri., Lane County Historical Museum, 682-4242. \$2.

BENEFIT Benefit concert for Whiteaker 2 Head Start, featuring Grupo Condor, 5:30 pm, Whiteaker

Elementary Gymnasium, 21 N. Grand St. 762-8334. \$1-\$4.

Satin Love Orchestra benefit concert, 9 pm, and silent auction, 7 pm, for Dirk DuBois Fund, Eugene Hilton.

South Eugene High School's 10th Annual Mr. Axeman Pageant benefit for Children's Miracle Network of Sacred Heart Hospital, 7 pm, SEHS auditorium, 334-4882. \$7-\$10.

DANCE Contra Dance, 8 pm, 7:30 pm workshop, plus special Waltz workshop, 5 pm, Kelly School Gym, 650 Howard Ave. 302-2628. \$7.

Guest teacher Susana Miller, 1 pm to 6 pm, Social Dance with Intro. to Tango, 8 pm, The Tango Center, 194 W. Broadway. \$5.

FILM "Day of Independence" fundraiser for the Yujin Gakuen Elementary School 5th Grader's Japan Trip, 12 pm, 1:15 pm and 2:30 pm, Bijou Art Cinemas, 492 E. 13th Ave. 686-2458. \$5-\$10.

GATHERINGS Saturday Market with performers: Jim Fritz, 10 am, Walker T, 11 am, Craig Sorseth, 12 pm, Dr. Strangegrass, 1 pm, Shaugnessy, 2 pm, Grasshopper, 3:30 pm, market is 10 am to 5 pm, 8th and Oak. 686-8885.

Tulip Festival, 10 am to 5 pm, today and April 17, Mary's River Grange Hall, Philomath. www.wil-drosegallery.com.

Parent info. meeting to enroll at the Village School for 2004-2005, 10 am, The Village School, 2855 Lincoln St., 345-7285. FREE.

2nd Annual English Ivy Removal with Middle Fork Watershed Counsel and the Springfield Utility Board, 9 am to 2 pm, Willamette Wellfield, 937-9800. FREE.

Tax Preparation for UO Students and local community members, 10 am to 4 pm, 228 Chiles, UO. FREE.

Oasis Indoor BMX, 7:30 pm tonight & 1 pm tomorrow, Lane Events Center, 796 W. 13th Ave., 687-1805.

KIDSTUFF Easter Egg Hunt, 12 pm, Fairfield Baptist Church, 3991 Elmira Rd., 688-6067. FREE with can of food.

"mEGGa Hunt," 9 am to 12 pm, Lively Park Swim Center, 736-4544. \$3 advance, \$5 day of.

Family Music Time, 10:15 am, Downtown and Sheldon Branch Libraries, 682-8316. FREE.

Whole foods hands-on workshop for ages 7-11, 4 pm to 6 pm, 607-9249. \$25.

LITERARY ARTS Eugene Poetry Slam Play-Offs, 8 pm, tonight and April 24, Foolscap Books, 780 Blair Blvd. 681-9212. \$3-\$5 ss.

Ambassador of Joy, Leroy White lights up Unity of the Valley. See Friday.



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