

WHAT'S happening

Two brothers who grew up fishing together in Idaho tell their lyrical tales in the book **River Runts**. Written over a period of 10 years by Ted and Bill Williams (below.) The book is about fishing, life's little lessons, and many other things. Meet the authors at a reception this week at Tsunami Books. See Thursday calendar.



Feeling hopeless after the recent election? All is not lost, according to **Rebecca Solnit** (right), who will talk on the subject of "Hope in the Dark" this week at Gerlinger Hall, UO. The activist will explain that hope is warranted, because it propels action, and recent history offers many examples of that. Stop moping! Get excited! Do something – see Rebecca. See Thursday calendar.



Don Carlos (bottom right), former lead singer with Black Uhuru, is out on his own with a driving band that includes a horn section. The much-loved reggae frontman brings his show to The Jungle this week with his themes of peace and love through Jah. Don says, "Jah will show you everything. Your eyes will be opened." See Thursday calendar.

Why buy a **Christmas tree** when you can go out in the woods and match wits with a wild one. Permits are just five bucks at all Willamette National Forest offices; get into the spirit with a **Holiday Choral Concert** featuring the UO Choral Ensemble, Beall Hall, UO on Thursday; Och the noo! That's Scottish, and so is the **Saint Mary's Celtic Choir benefit**, with bagpiper and all, Sunday; political rock music from **SeepeopleS** at Café Paradiso on Wednesday; **wineries** all over the place are throwing open their doors in a fit of good spirits starting Friday!

It's one of the country's biggest shows ... of the teeniest things. **La Petite XII** (bottom left) is a national small-format juried art competition. That means all of the artwork has to be 10 inches in any direction (or less). Check out the reception this week at Alder Gallery in Coburg. See Saturday calendar.

