

calendar

Echo and the Bunnymen, 9pm, Wonder Ballroom, Portland. \$20 adv.

Holiday Ale Festival, 11am-10pm today through Dec. 3 and noon-6pm Dec. 4, Pioneer Courthouse Square, Portland. FREE; tasting mug is \$4.

Inspecting Carol preview, 7:30pm, Cascades Theatrical Company, Bend. 389-0803.

"Dance in Cuba," photographs by Gil Garcetti, through Dec. 31, Lawrence Gallery, Portland. FREE.

Bi-Mart Winter Wonderland, 5pm-10pm Sundays through Thursdays and 5pm-11pm Fridays and Saturdays through Jan. 1, Portland International Raceway. \$14 per car.

The Polar Express, an adventure to the North Pole, 6pm tonight, tomorrow and Dec. 3, 6-10 and 13-23, Mt. Hood Railroad, Hood River. \$24, \$16 kids.

Do Jump for the Holidays, 7:30pm tonight, tomorrow and Dec. 3, 8-10, 15-17 and 20-23; 3pm Dec. 4, 11 and 18, Echo Theatre, Portland. \$22 adv., \$26 dos.

FRIDAY, DEC. 2 Umphrey's McGee, 8pm, Crystal Ballroom, Portland. \$15.

The Trail Band Christmas, 7:30pm, Elsinore Theatre, Salem. www.elsinoretheatre.com

David Hutson, 7pm, Blu Cork Wine Bar, Newport. FREE.

Chicago, 8pm tonight and tomorrow; 2pm Dec. 4, Newport Performing Arts Center. \$14, \$12 stu., sr.

Inspecting Carol, 7:30pm tonight, tomorrow and Dec. 7-10 and 14-17; 2pm Dec. 4, 11 and 18, Cascades Theatrical Company, Bend. 389-0803.

Tere Mather Dance presents *The Grammar of Regret*, 8pm tonight, tomorrow and Dec. 9 & 10; 7pm Dec. 4 & 11; 3pm Dec. 11, Conduit

Dance, Portland. \$14, \$12 stu., sr.

SATURDAY, DEC. 3 An Acoustic Christmas with Misty River and Doug Smith, 7:30pm, Tower Theatre, Bend. \$17.

Marion-Polk-Yamhill Central Labor Council AFL CIO Children's Holiday Party, 10am, Elsinore Theatre, Salem. FREE.

Idil Biret, 7:30pm today and 4pm tomorrow, Lincoln Performance Hall, Portland State University. \$30.

Yachats Conservatoin Easement Celebration, 2pm, Yachats Commons. FREE.

Sokol Blossom wine tasting, 7pm, Blu Cork Wine Bar, Newport. \$12.

Oregon Wine & Books with Warren Johnson of Second Harvest books, 1pm-5pm, The Wine Place, Yachats. FREE.

SUNDAY, DEC. 4 "Meet the Young Writers," an event to celebrate and support the Young Writers Group, 2pm, Walport Middle School. FREE.

Christmas High Tea with music by Joe Ross & Moonglow, 6pm, White Horse Coffee and Tea Company, Sutherlin. \$22.

Tall Jazz & Friends, 3pm, Willamette Valley Vineyards, Turner. \$18.

Oregon Coast Chamber Orchestra, 2pm, Florence Events Center. 997-1994.

TUESDAY, DEC. 6 Morcheeba, Gabby La La, 9pm, Crystal Ballroom, Portland. \$22.50 adv., \$25 dos.

Madeleine Peyroux, 8pm, Aladdin Theater, Portland. \$39.50.

Robert Dietsche reads from *Jumptown: The Golden Years of Portland Jazz, 1942-1957*, 7:30pm, Powell's on Burnside, Portland. FREE.

Charlie Hunter Trio, 9pm today and

tomorrow, Doug Fir Lounge, Portland. \$16.50 adv., \$18 dos.

"Turning Oral History into Dramatic Story," a writers-on-writing talk by Sandy Polishuk, 7pm, Newport Public Library. FREE.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7 Spoon, Crosstide, 9pm, Crystal Ballroom, Portland. \$9.47.

THURSDAY, DEC. 8 Steven Curtis Chapman, Mercy Me, 7pm, Rose Garden, Portland. www.ticketmaster.com

ATTN: OPPORTUNITIES

The "Unisong" International Song Contest is now accepting entries. Earlybird deadline is Dec. 15; regular deadline is March 15. For details see www.unisong.com

The First Annual Asian American Film Festival is scheduled for Feb. 18-19 at the Lane County Fairgrounds. Asian American artists are invited to submit new works; early deadline is Dec. 9 and final deadline is Dec. 30. Entry forms are available at www.disorientfilm.org

Cottage Grove's Cottage Theatre will hold auditions for *The Diary of Anne Frank* at 1pm Dec. 3 at the theatre. Needed are five women (one between the ages of 13 and 16) and four men (one between the ages of 16 and 18). For information call Reva, 484-6760.

Lord Leebrick Theatre Company will hold auditions for Latino actors for Jose Rivera's *Cloud Tectonics* at noon Dec. 3. Roles are available for one woman, 20-35, and two men, 20-35. For information call Craig, 684-6988.

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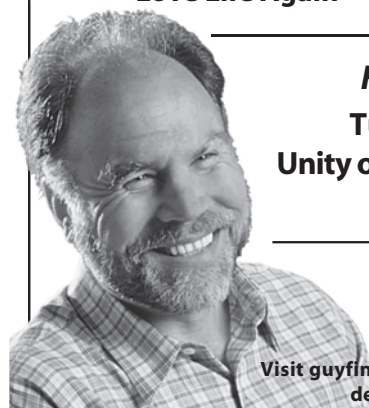
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