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any problems obtaining the rest, based on "previous discussions with the private landowners."

Along with the design and construction of the Middle Fork Loop path, part of the \$3 million will be used for a feasibility assessment of a bicyclist/pedestrian bridge across the Middle Fork, thereby connecting Springfield residents to Mount Pisgah.

As smooth as the process is going now, it's still not guaranteed that there will be a path. "Technically, it's not for sure. There's a series of approvals we'll have to get along the way," says Gershow. "But we are committed to making this happen."

— Tim O'Rourke

HELPING OUT THE TORTURED

In 1973 "Victor" was 17 years old and studying political science at a university in Chile. He was popular and his grades were high; a bright future seemed ahead of him. But because of his focus of study and intelligence he was deemed a threat by Pinochet's Chilean government and detained, along with 15 other students from his school, for 17 agonizing days.

All of the detainees were tortured, but only Victor survived. The government released him because he was less than 18 years of age, but his fellow students weren't as lucky.

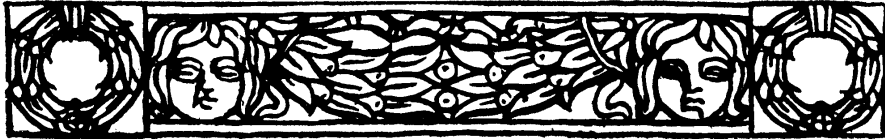
Victor left Chile a refugee, immigrating first to Argentina, then to Brazil, then the U.S. While in the states he became a client of the Oregon Health & Science University's Intercultural Psychiatric Program in Eugene, whose mission it is to provide services and treatment to victims of torture, trauma and political violence from Central and South America.

On Dec. 10 Siempre Amigos in collaboration with OHSU-IPP will be hosting a benefit dinner to raise awareness about members of our community with stories in their past like Victor's.

Siempre Amigos and OHSU-IPP is holding this dinner to "create awareness in the community about [OHSU-IPP] clients who have been victims of political violence. It's also International Human Rights Day, and we want to spread the message to stop political violence around the world," says Ruth Vargas-Forman, clinical program supervisor at OHSU-IPP and an alumnus of Victor's.

The benefit is being held at World Café and will feature guest speakers, poetry readings, live music and, of course, Latin American cuisine. Admission to the event is free, and dinner costs \$10; \$2.50 of which directly benefits Siempre Amigos, a Eugene non-profit formed by Latin American refugees.

The benefit dinner is from 5 to 8:30 pm Saturday, Dec. 10 at World Café, 600 Blair St. — Tim O'Rourke



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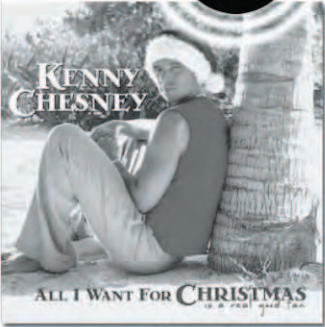
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