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Wine & Blues 15th Annual Festival with Chicago Blues Reunion featuring Barry Goldberg, Nick Gravenites, Harvey Mandel and more, 3pm, Secret House Vineyard, Veneta. www.secrethousewinery.com \$16.50 adv., \$20 dos.

The Taming of the Shrew continues. See Aug. 5.

Sunday, 8/27

Eugene Symphonic Band, 6:30pm, Washburne Park, 20th & Agate. 344-0483. Free.

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Wednesday, 8/30

Blues Scoundrels, 6:30pm, Coiner Park, Cottage Grove. Free.

SEPTEMBER

Saturday, 9/2

First Saturday Park Walk: Alton Baker Park, 9am, meet at picnic shelter near main parking lot. Free.

Sunday, 9/3

Brass Bash, 6:30pm, Washburne Park, 20th & Agate. 344-0483. Free.

Monday, 9/4

Junction City Brass, 6:30pm, Washburne Park, 20th & Agate. 344-0483. Free.

Wednesday, 9/6

Bonnie Raitt, Keb Mo', 7pm, Cuthbert Amphitheatre. 682-5000. \$44-\$69.

Saturday, 9/9

Springfield Museum Garden Tour, 10am-5pm, various Springfield gardens. 726-3677. \$8-\$10.

Harvest Moon Celebration, 11am-5pm Sept. 9 & 10, King Estate MarketPlace. www.kingestate.com

Sunday, 9/10

Harvest Moon Celebration continues. See Sept. 9.

Friday, 9/15

Fiesta Latina Two-day celebration of Latin music, food, art and dance, with fireworks tonight. Sept. 15 & 16, Island Park, Spfd. 344-5070. \$5, under 10 free.

Saturday, 9/16

Backyard Barbecues and Vineyards, learn to plant and care for your own backyard vineyard with Tom Lodge and Meliton Martinez, 11am-5pm, King Estate MarketPlace. www.kingestate.com

Fiesta Latina continues. See Sept. 15.

Friday, 9/22

Florence Fall Festival: Chowder, Blues & Brews, Sept. 22-24, Florence Events Center. www.florencechamber.com \$20 VIP pass; \$7 Sept. 22; \$10 Sept. 23; \$6 Sept. 24.

Saturday, 9/23

4th Annual Animal House Celebration, Eugene Hilton. www.animalhousecelebration.com

Florence Fall Festival continues. See Sept. 22.

Sunday, 9/24

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Tix on the Green

The Oregon Shakespeare Festival in Ashland has been around since 1935 (with a bit of a hiatus as founder Angus Bowmer fought in World War II), and guess what? It *always* sells out. Tickets for scripts that age badly (*Bus Stop*, sweet lord Jesus — what were they thinking?) are just as scarce as those for the highly-anticipated *Merry Wives of Windsor* or *Cyrano de Bergerac*. By 6:30 pm, you're definitely SOL — and that's in May. For the big outdoor season beginning in mid-June, even members find it tough to get seats.

Except ... you *could* go down to the green around 7:15 after some ceviche and a margarita at Taboo. You'd see people frolicking, eating, drinking and buying beribboned masks, but you'd also see tickets.

One Saturday in late May, two OSU students held up four tickets apiece for *The Diary of Anne Frank* (whose name, by the way, OSF-ers pronounce "Ah-nuh Frahn-kuh" — just so you're not intimidated). True, they had bought the tickets as part of a student group. But, uh, well, not enough group members were coming. And it was their first time ... er, *only* time ... selling extra tix. For buyers, the tickets, face value \$28.80, were a steal at \$15. Meanwhile, a woman and her toddler stood hard by the box office, the kid swinging on a railing. She had two extra tickets to *Bus Stop*: face value \$48, price \$48. The box office staff, who basically had nothing to do, shrugged their shoulders and smiled. — *Suzi Steffen*

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