



Teens turn old books into art books at the Downtown Library Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 28

## 21 THURSDAY

Sunrise 7:45am; Sunset 4:37pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 33

**BENEFIT** Solstice Yoga & Vegetarian Potluck, benefit for FOOD for Lane County, 5pm, Yoga West, 3635 Hilyard St. \$7, \$6 stu., sr.

**DANCE** Eugene Ballet Company presents *The Nutcracker*, 7pm today (recorded music); 8pm tomorrow & Dec. 23; 2:30pm Dec. 23 & 24, Hult Center. \$18-\$42; \$12-\$27 today only.

**GATHERINGS** Wine tasting: "Wines for a Long Winter's Nap," 5pm, WineStyles, 2846 Willamette St. 434-9463. \$5, FREE members.

9th Annual Miracle Lights Tour of Outdoor Holiday Decorations, 6:30pm today, tomorrow & Dec. 23, departing from ShopKo (Eug.) and Jerry's Home Improvement (Spfd.). Register, 688-0454. \$4, \$3 youth.

"Bridging the Gap" support group, 7pm, Willamette Christian Center. FREE.

Orhagan Synagogue Hannukah/Winter Solstice Celebration, 7pm, Washington Park Clubhouse, 2025 Washington St. \$5, \$10 family.

"The Longest Night, Return of the Light" Solstice Celebration, 7:30pm, Dharmalaya Meditation Center. 687-0282. \$10-\$20 sug. don.

8th Annual Winter Solstice Goddess Celebration, 8pm, WOW Hall. www.eugenewintersolstice.com or 463-0943. \$5-\$13, \$2 youth, FREE under 8.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Winter Break Fun: Chemical Concoctions, 10am-4pm today, tomorrow, Dec. 23 & 24, Science Factory. 682-7888. \$4.

**LITERARY ARTS** Winter Solstice Nature Readings, 5:30pm, Mount Pisgah Arboretum. 747-1504. \$2 sug. don.

Sheldon Book Group: *Nickel and Dimed* by Barbara Ehrenreich, 6pm, Sheldon Library. FREE.

**MUSIC** Cleo Lynx and the Lynx Family Band, 9pm, Cozmic Pizza. \$2-\$5 sug. don.

Lo-Flying Aircraft, Halo Jones, Ila Kriegh, 9pm, Luckey's. 21+ show. \$3-\$5.

"A Celtic Holiday," music & storytelling, 9:30pm today; 3pm tomorrow & Dec. 23, Café Soriah. 342-4410. \$10.

**ON THE AIR** "The Jefferson Exchange" looks at pagan traditions and how some ancient ceremonies have survived w/Aylah Hallel, 9am & 9pm, KRVM 1280 AM.

"New Dimensions" discusses "Of Animal Grace and A Spa For A Pig" w/Sy Montgomery, 6:30pm, KLCC 89.7 FM.

**SPIRITUAL** "The Chanukah Lights of Rav Kook," w/Rabbi Itzhak Marmorstein & musical friends, 6:30pm, Temple Beth Israel. 485-7218. Don.

## 22 FRIDAY

Sunrise 7:45am; Sunset 4:38pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 33

**DANCE** Eugene Ballet Company's *The Nutcracker* continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**FILM** "In-Concert" latenite: "The Grateful Dead," 11:30pm today & tomorrow, Bijou Art Cinemas. \$4.

**GATHERINGS** Saturday Market's Holiday Market, 10am-6pm, featuring entertainment from Rich Glauber, 10:30am; Geoffrey Mays, 11:30am; Sweet River, 12:30pm; Paul Prince, 1:45pm; Gus Russell, 3:15pm; Rob Tobias & Friends, 4:45pm, Lane County Fairgrounds. www.holiday-market.org FREE.

Homeless Veterans and Veterans' Families Holiday Party, 10am, Community Reintegration Service Center, 2400 River Rd. vetholiday@gmail.com or 345-5395. FREE.

City Club Friday Forum: "The Pirates of Eugene: An Operetta Preview" w/Mark Beudert, Eugene Opera, 11:50am, Downtown

Athletic Club. www.cityclubofeugene.org \$3.

DJ Herman's Salsa Dance, 8pm, Tango Center. \$8.

DJ Salsa D' Barrio Xmas Party, 9pm, Vet's Club Ballroom. \$6.

Miracle Lights Tour of Outdoor Holiday Decorations continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Winter Break Fun: Chemical Concoctions continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**MUSIC** Kathryn Claire, 5pm, Tsunami Books. Don.

The Swingin' Marmalukeys, 8:30pm, Sam Bond's. 21+ show. \$3-\$5.

Good for America, 9pm, Cozmic Pizza. \$2.

Cubist Quartet, 9pm, Axe and Fiddle, Cottage Grove. 21+ show. \$5.

The West Coast Rhythm Kings, 9:30pm, Mac's at the Vet's Club. 21+ show. \$4.

Mickey and the Mojo Hitmen, 9:30pm, Diablo's Downtown Lounge. 21+ show. \$6.

The Sugar Plum Fairys, 10pm, Luckey's. 21+ show. \$3-\$5.

Café Soriah's "A Celtic Holiday" continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**ON THE AIR** "The Jefferson Exchange" discusses Christian significance this time of year w/Scott Dalgarno, 9am & 9pm, KRVM 1280 AM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Obsidians trips: Big Lake, X-Ski, 5 miles; Maxwell Butte, S'Shoe, 5 miles. See YMCA board for details.

## 23 SATURDAY

Sunrise 7:46am; Sunset 4:38pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 33

**DANCE** Eugene Ballet Company's *The Nutcracker* continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**FILM** "In-Concert" continues. See Friday.

**GATHERINGS** Saturday Market's Holiday Market, 10am-6pm, featuring entertainment from Roger Fountain, 10:30am; Janet Naylor, 11:30am; O'Carolan's Consort, 12:30pm; Jeremy Wegner & Friends, 1:45pm; Debra Mathis & Kenny Reed, 3:15pm; The Klezmonauts, 4:45pm, Lane County Fairgrounds. www.holidaymarket.org FREE.

Jose Cruz Salsa Dance, 9pm, Cozmic Pizza. \$5.

Miracle Lights Tour of Outdoor Holiday Decorations continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Winter Break Fun: Chemical Concoctions continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**MUSIC** Eugene Recorder Ensemble, 4pm, First Congregational Church. FREE.

Craig Einhorn, 5:30pm, WineStyles. FREE.

Nancy Ream & Mercury's Refrain, 8pm, Luna. 21+ show. \$6.

John Shipe Band w/Steve Taddei, 9pm, Axe and Fiddle, Cottage Grove. 21+ show. \$5.

Aleson Tap, Donerail, Paul Summers, 9pm, Jaxx. 21+ show. \$5.

Mickey and the Mojo Hitmen, 9pm, Mac's at the Vets Club. 21+ show. \$3.

Vida Girls, 9:30pm, Sam Bond's. 21+ show. \$5.

Ugly Sweater Party, feat. Wetsock, The Rhythm Pimps, Zebulon of Babylon, 10pm, Wetlands. 21+ show. \$3, FREE w/ugly sweater.

Café Soriah's "A Celtic Holiday" continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**ON THE AIR** "Jivin' John's Country Classics" presents "Hillbilly Holiday," 9am, KRVM 91.9 FM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** OP's Willamette Pass-Snow Sports Trip, departs 8am. Suzanne, 346-3730. \$8 van transport.

GEARs rides: West Hills, Butler, Sheffer, 65 miles; Lawrence & Short Butler, 50 miles, 10am, Alton Baker Park. www.eugenegears.org

## 24 SUNDAY

Sunrise 7:46am; Sunset 4:39pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 33

**DANCE** Eugene Ballet Company's *The Nutcracker* continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**GATHERINGS** Saturday Market's Holiday Market, 10am-4pm, featuring entertainment from Sharon Rogers, 10:30am; Chip Cohen, 11:30am; The S.L.U.G. Queen & Dr. D, 12:30pm; Axes of Evil String Band, 1:30pm; Americanistan, 3pm, Lane County Fairgrounds. www.holidaymarket.org FREE.

Christmas Eve Festival service with carols, anthems, the Choristers and Resurrection Choir and more, 10:30pm, Church of the Resurrection. 686-8462.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Winter Break Fun: Chemical Concoctions continues. See Thursday, Dec. 21.

**MUSIC** FUMC Choirs present Vivaldi's *Gloria*, 10am, First United Methodist Church. 345-8764. Don.

**ON THE AIR** "The Son of Saturday Gold" presents "Cool Yule," 11am, KRVM 91.9 FM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** GEARs rides: Alvadore, 23 miles, 10am, Alton Baker Park. www.eugenegears.org

## 25 MONDAY

Sunrise 7:46am; Sunset 4:39pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 33

**GATHERING** Campbell Senior Center's Christmas Dinner, feat. carolers & Paul Biondi and Friends, noon, Eugene Hilton. 682-5318. \$5.

**ON THE AIR** "The Jefferson Exchange" airs two archived interviews, 9am & 9pm, KRVM 1280 AM.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Obsidians trips: Gold Lake, X-Ski/S'Shoe, 4 miles. See YMCA board for details.

## 26 TUESDAY

Sunrise 7:47am; Sunset 4:40pm  
Av High 45; Av Low 32

**GATHERING** Wine tasting: "Night After Christmas," 5pm, WineStyles. 434-9463. \$5.

Intercambio: Conversation circles / Círculos de Conversación, adults and teens practice English and Spanish, with Hora de Diversion: "The Lost Cities of South America," for grades 1-6, 6:30pm, Downtown Library. 682-5450. FREE.

**ON THE AIR** "Alternative Radio" features Eric Schlosser's *Fast Food Nation*, 6:30pm, KLCC 89.7 FM.

"The Jefferson Exchange" discusses assisting people with developmental disabilities and their families w/Roger Hassenpflug and Jean Atalla, 9am & 9pm, KRVM 1280 AM.



Amy Clawson plays the Landmark Lounge in Yachats Friday. See On the Road listings

See The Grateful Dead play LIVE!!! ... on screen ... at the Bijou this weekend

