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Putting the 'oxy' back in orthodoxy and taking the piss out of gefilte fish, kosher comedy troupe **Nice Jewish Girls Gone Bad** wants you to know that "this ain't yo' mama's Fiddler." These girls – HBO, MTV and Comedy Central alumni who "learned to smoke at Hebrew School (and) got drunk at their Bah-Mitzvas" – put forth a brand of *nuevo schmaltz* that deconstructs the traditional Borscht Belt shtick of Henny Youngman, Jackie Mason and Jerry Seinfeld. On Thursday, Aug. 6, these chosen chicks bring their wonky combination of skits, music, burlesque and one-liners to the Axe & Fiddle.

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THURSDAY

Sunrise 5:59am; Sunset 8:38pm
Av High 83; Av Low 52

GATHERINGS Teen Book Club: discuss *Speak* by Laurie Halse Anderson, 4pm, Downtown Library. FREE.

Single Payer Health Care Now! Rally, petition drive, 4:30-6pm, Old Federal Courthouse, 7th Ave. & Pearl St., www.solidaritynetwork.org

UO Chess Club Meeting, opening: four knights, 5-8pm, Espresso Roma, 825 E. 13th Ave. FREE.

Ethos at the Alley, fundraiser for UO student magazine, music, food, raffle, drink wheel, 9pm, Agate Alley Bistro, ethos.uoregon.edu.

Discover Your Inner Scientist, learn science hands-on, girls ages 10-18, 1-4pm today and tomorrow, Ophelia's Place. 1577 Pearl St., 284-4340. \$10 sug. don.

LECTURES HIV Alliance Discussion, how to talk with kids about sex, HIV, 6:30pm, River Bend Hospital, Spfd. www.hivalliance.org. FREE.

MUSIC Johnny Laser, 11am; & Meg Graf, 5pm, Fifth Street Public Market. FREE.

Oregon Festival of American Music: Film: *The King of Jazz*, 10am, The Shedd, FREE; Concert: Over There: Tin Pan Alley Goes to War, 1915-1919, 2 pm, The Shedd, \$18-\$26; Talk: Johnny Mercer I, 5pm, The Shedd, FREE; Concert: The Dream's on Me: Johnny Mercer in Hollywood, 8 pm, The Shedd, 285 E. Broadway, 434-7000. \$20-\$36. www.ofam.org or 434-7000.

Satin Love Orchestra, 70s disco, funk, 6:30pm, Broadway Plaza, Downtown. FREE.

Taylor Williams, singer/songwriter, 8:30pm, Cozmic Pizza. Don.

Foghorn String Band, Frank Fairfield, country, rock, 9pm, Sam Bond's. \$6.

Ed Forman Show, 10pm, Luckey's. 21+ \$2.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION Obsidians: Double Mt. Pisgah, hike, 8 miles, 343-6550. Sign up at Eugene YMCA.

Forest Discovery Tours, discover sustainable forestry with Weyerhaeuser guides (sic), bring lunch, lots of questions, 8:30am-2pm today & Aug. 6, Springfield Chamber of Commerce, 101 S. A St. FREE.

Park Walks, enjoy city's natural areas, 9-11am, Delta Ponds, 682-5329. FREE.

SOCIAL DANCE Thriller dance lessons, dance like the King of Pop; Thursday Throwbacks feat. DJ Food Stamp, 10pm, The District. 21+ FREE.

THEATER *Twelfth Night*, Roving Park Players, 5:30pm tonight & tomorrow, Campbell Center, 155 High St.; Aug. 1 & 2, Island Park, Spfd; Aug. 6 & 7, Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd.; Aug. 8 & 9, Maurie Jacobs Park. FREE.

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FRIDAY

Sunrise 6:00am; Sunset 8:37pm
Av High 83; Av Low 52

ARTS/VISUAL Altered Bookends, design bookends with natural materials, 3pm, Sheldon Library, 1566 Coburg Rd. FREE.

Last Friday Art Walk, informal & funky tour of Whiteaker neighborhood galleries, cafes, private studios & yards, 6-9pm, www.lastfridayartwalk.org, 683-0626. FREE.

Cottage Grove Art Walk, 6pm, Main Street, Cottage Grove. FREE.

BENEFITS "A Thousand Hearts" Art Event, paint hearts, benefit local charities, all ages welcome, 5-8pm, Wandering Goat Café. FREE.

CASA fundraiser feat. Jenny, Apropos, live music, 6-9pm, Supreme Bean. Don.

FARMERS' MARKET Springfield Farmers' Market, 9am-2pm, Springfield Museum Parking Lot, Main St. between 5th & 6th. FREE.

FILM Movie Night: *Parent Trap*, 9pm, Amazon Park. FREE.

FOOD/DRINK Wine Tasting: McBeth Vineyards, 5-7pm, Winestyles. FREE.

GATHERINGS Gem Faire, rocks, jewelry, workshops, demos, noon-7pm today; 10am-6pm tomorrow & 10am-5pm Sunday, Lane County Events Center, 796 W. 13th Ave., www.gemfaire.com. \$5.

Oregon Jamboree, 3-day country music & camping festival, feat. Tim McGraw, LeAnne Rimes, Mel Tillis & more, 1:30pm today & 10:30am tomorrow & Sunday, Sweet Home, www.oregonjamboree.com, 367-8800. \$20-\$100 day/\$35-\$135 festival pass.

Stearman Fly-In, exhibit of biplanes, flights offered, all day, today, tomorrow & Sunday, Oregon Aviation Historical Museum, 2475 Jim Wright Way, Cottage Grove, www.oregonaviation.org. FREE.

Faerieworlds Festival, strange faeries, shopping, costumes, today, tomorrow & Sunday, Buford Park Recreation Area, Mt. Pisgah, www.faerieworlds.com. \$18-\$20, \$55 weekend pass; kids \$8, \$15 weekend pass.

Meet Your Maker, crafts show, food, beer, 5-9pm, The Pizza Research Institute, 520 Blair Blvd.

SouthTowne District Celebration, music, jugglers, crafts, face painting, etc., 6-9pm, Supreme Bean Coffee Co., 2864 Willamette St. FREE.

Coast Fork Cowboy Festival, today through Sunday, www.cre-swellchamber.com, 514-1575. \$10, \$30 fam.

Star Party, sky-gaze w/Eugene Astronomical Society, telescopes available, at dusk, College Hill Reservoir, 24th & Lawrence. FREE.

Discover Your Inner Scientist continues. See Thursday.

LECTURES "The Call to Trust the Lord in an Age of Acute Anxiety," theologist Josiah Trenham, 7pm, St. John the Wonderworker Orthodox Church, 304 Blair Blvd., 484-5810. FREE.

MUSIC Oregon Festival of American Music: Film: *Singin' in the Rain*, 10am, The Shedd, FREE; Talk: Gennett Records, 1pm, The Shedd, FREE; Concert: Jazz Me Blues: Gennett Recrds, Richmond IN 1923-28, 2pm, The Shedd, \$18-\$26; Talk: Johnny Mercer II, 5pm, The Shedd, FREE; *Oklahoma!*, 8pm, Hult Center, \$20-\$48. www.ofam.org or 434-7000.

Rooster By de River, music fest feat. Leg Lucy, London Flush, Righteous Rebels & more, blues, 5pm today, 2pm tomorrow & noon Sunday, Maurie Jacobs Park, River Rd. off Fir. \$6.

Allan Stuart, 5pm, Fifth Street Public Market. FREE.

Swing Shift, big band jazz, 6:30pm, Island Park, 200 W. B St., Spfd. FREE.

Bait Ball, indie pop, 7pm, Scobert Gardens, 4th Ave. & Blair Blvd. FREE.

Ukulele Night w/Brook Adams & Craig Chee, Abbey Road on uke & more, 7:30pm, Cozmic Pizza. \$3-\$5.

Rob Wynia, Vinny D., Dan Jones, solo acoustic, 8:30pm, WOW Hall. \$12 adv., \$15 door, \$20 res.

Truckstop Honeymoon, Bad Mitten Orchestre, country, folk, rock, 9:30pm, Sam Bond's. \$6.

Hellbound Glory, rock, 10pm, Luckey's. 21+ \$3.

PETS Feline Fridays, adopt a cat/kitten, fees cut, Greenhill Humane Society, 88530 Green Hill Rd., www.green-hill.org.

SOCIAL DANCE Drop-in Dance: Fox Trot, 8:30pm, Staver Dance Sport, 41 E. 6th. \$10.

Dance Party w/Bohemian Sound, 10pm, The District. 21+ FREE.

THEATER *Into the Woods*, 8pm, today & tomorrow; 2:30pm Sunday; Aug. 7-8, 14-16 & 21-22, Cottage Theatre, 700 Village Dr., Cottage Grove, 942-8001. \$17-\$19.

Night of the Iguana, 8pm, today, tomorrow & Thursday, Aug. 6; 2pm Sunday; Aug. 7-9, 13-15, Very Little Theatre, 2350 Hilyard St., www.TheVLT.com, 344-7751. \$10 sen. & on Thursdays, \$14.

Twelfth Night continues. See Thursday.

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SATURDAY

Sunrise 6:01am; Sunset 8:36pm
Av High 83; Av Low 52

FARMERS' MARKETS Applegate Trail Community Market, crafts & produce, 2-7pm, Curtin, I-5 exit 163. 942-1222. FREE.

Lane County Farmers' Market, 9am-4pm, 8th and Oak. FREE.

Farmers' Market, 9am-1pm, Hideaway Bakery (behind Mazzi's). FREE.

Southtowne Farmers' Market, 9am-3pm, Southtowne Shoppes, Oak between 28th & 29th. FREE.

Saturday Market, 10am-5pm, w/entertainment by Mark Alaniz, 10am; Roger Fountain, 11am; Olem Alves Jazz Duo, noon; Truckstop Honeymoon, 1pm; Peter Wilde, 2pm; Fearless Love, 3:30pm; Park Blocks, 8th & Oak. www.eugene-saturdaymarket.org. FREE.

GATHERINGS Leaburg Summer Festival, pancake breakfast, BBQ, music, crafts, pet parade, baby contest, bounce house & more, 9am-4pm, McKenzie Bible Fellowship, 45061 McKenzie Hwy. FREE.

Grand Opening: New Dream Family Childcare Center, music, food, prizes & ribbon cutting w/Mayor Kitty Piercy, 10am-noon, Un Nuevo Sueno, 1295 W. 18th St. FREE.

Save the Pets' Hot Dogs and Cool Pups Fun in the Sun, burgers, beer, music, vendors, 11am-9:30pm, Alton Baker Park. www.savethepets.net. FREE.

Wooden Boat Show, 4th annual Eugene Yacht Club event, 11am-5pm, Eugene Yacht Club, 26126 Bangs Rd., Junction City. FREE.

Yoganada: Oriental Wisdom & the Path to Enlightenment, open discussion of Dzogchen Buddhism, 11am-2pm, EWEB Training Room, 310 Fulvue. FREE.

3rd Annual Whiteaker Block Party, 35 bands incl. Reeble Jar, Medium Troy, Launch Pad, May Harpoon & more, fashion show, kids zone, beer, food, games, 1-10pm, Whiteaker Neighborhood, 3rd Ave. between Van Buren & Adams. FREE.BRING It Home Tour, open house & buffet, 6-10pm, Howes home, 5738 Camellia St., Spfd., RSVP to 606-9093, www.bringrecycling.org.

Coast Fork Cowboy Festival continues. See Friday.

Gem Faire continues. See Friday.

Faerieworlds Festival continues. See Friday.

Stearman Fly-In continues. See Friday.

KIDS/FAMILIES Family Music, 10:15am, Downtown Library. FREE.

LECTURES

Introduction to the Internet, 10am-noon, Downtown Library, pre-reg., 682-5450. FREE.

Protection Essentials for Your Financial "House," workshop on fiscal soundness, safety, 10am, Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. Pre-reg. at 682-5521, www.eugene-or.gov. FREE.

MUSIC Oregon Festival of American Music: Public Jam: The Song Is You, 10am, The Shedd, FREE; *A Connecticut Yankee*, 2pm, The Shedd, \$20-\$42; Talk: Arthur Freed & Nacio Herb Brown, 5pm, The Shedd, FREE; Concert: *Singin' in the Rain*: Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer 1953, 8pm, The Shedd, \$20-\$36. www.ofam.org, 434-7000.

Carl Faddis, 11am, Fifth Street Public Market. FREE.

Emerald Chamber Players, 2pm, The Atrium, 10th & Olive. FREE.

John Sarantos, Native American flute concert, lecture, 3pm, Springfield Library. FREE.

Sons of Confusion EP Release Party, rock, folk, 5pm, CD World, 3215 W. 11th. FREE.

Ben Rice Blues Band, 8pm, Cozmic Pizza. \$5.

Santiago Rodriguez, pianist, 8pm, Beall Concert Hall, UO. \$15, \$9 stu.

"Jerry Day" w/Cap'n Trips, Jerry Garcia b-day tribute, 9pm; KLCC's "Dead Air" from 7-9pm, WOW Hall. \$10.

Sprout, Basin & Range, rock, 9:30pm, Sam Bond's. \$5.

Simplistic, Rare Monk, Sea to City, funk, soul, pop, 10pm, Luckey's. 21+ \$5.



The hepcat spirits of Thelonius Monk and John Coltrane will be hovering heavy as tea smoke when a top-notch showcase of local singers, swingers, finger-zingers and head-hitters take the stage Friday to help **The Jazz Station** celebrate its fourth anniversary. With a spankin' new paint job and interior décor, this workshop/rehearsal/performance venue—a project of the non-profit Willamette Jazz Society – will play host to a rotating cast of regular performers. All musicians are encouraged to join the jam, so fly on down, get booted and flip your wig 'til the lights go up. See Nightlife.