

# what's happening



23 movies



25 music



28 theater

## 1thurs

Sunrise 7:28am; Sunset 4:36pm  
Av High 48; Av Low 35

**ART/CRAFT** Second & Blair Artists Studio Sale & Open House w/nine local artists, 5-8pm today & tomorrow, 11am-5pm Saturday, noon-4pm Sunday, warehouse studios located around 2nd & Blair. FREE.

**BENEFITS** Holiday Gala, women's shopping event benefiting local charities, Fifth Street Market, 296 E. 5th Ave., www.5stmarket.com

**FILM** LiNK UO: *Hiding*, human rights crisis in North Korea, Q&A session after screening, 7pm, Willamette 100, UO. FREE.

**FOOD/DRINK** The Corner Market, fresh local produce, noon-6pm today, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, Dec. 8, 295 River Rd.

**GATHERINGS** S.A.R.A.'s Holiday Gift Fair Fundraiser: New & Handcrafted Gifts & Gift Certificates, 10am-6pm today through Sunday, S.A.R.A.'s Treasures, 871 River Rd., www.sarastreasures.org

Eugene Toxics Board, 3:30pm, Emergency Services Center, 1705 W. 2nd Ave.

Beyond Toxics Holiday Cheer & Open House, 4-6:30pm, 1192 Lawrence St.

Women's Advisory Council for Youth Ages 10-18, 4-5:30pm, Ophelia's Place, 1577 Pearl St., www.opheliasplace.net

Opal Hour: social networking for activism, live music, 5pm, LILA Peer Support Club, 990 Oak St. FREE.

HIV Alliance World AIDS Day Open House & Memorial, 5:30-7pm, White Lotus Gallery, 767 Willamette St.

Middle Fork Willamette Watershed Council: "The Effects of Blue Green Algae on Water, People & Communities," 6:30-9:30pm, Lowell Fire House, 389 N. Pioneer St., Lowell. FREE.

Santa Clara Community Organization General Meeting, 7pm, Messiah Lutheran Church, 3280 River Rd.

West University Neighbors General Meeting, 7pm, Central Presbyterian Church, 555 E. 15th Ave.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Wonderful Ones Storytime, 1-year-olds w/ caregivers, 10:15am & 11am, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

Family Storytime w/Eugene Youth Ballet, 11am, Sheldon Branch Library, 1566 Coburg Rd., info at 682-8316. FREE.

Santa Claus at Macy's, 5pm, VRC. FREE.

**LECTURES/CLASSES** Meet the Internet, basic keyboard & mouse skills & understanding of on-screen windows required, 6-7:30pm Bethel Library, 1990 Echo Hollow Rd., reg. 682-5450. FREE.

Religion & War: Post 9/11 Military Chaplains, 6pm, downtown library. FREE.

**LITERARY ARTS** Spain & Latin America Through Contemporary Poetry: Rosa Chavez, 4pm, Knight Library Browsing Room, UO, http://clas.uoregon.edu FREE.

*A Christmas Carol in Prose*, performed by A Man of Words, 6pm today, 5:30pm Dec. 8, 6pm Dec. 22, Cozmic. Don.

**MUSIC** SHOCASE: Eugene Concert Choir, 11:15am, Hult Center. FREE.

Miles Schneider, variety, 4pm, The Great Hiatum, 8pm, Cozmic. FREE.

Eugene Symphony: Pre-Concert Performance 7pm, FREE; Beethoven Triple Concerto, 8pm, \$15-\$60, Hult Center.

Northwest Christian University's Candlelight Carols, 7pm today & Saturday, 828 E. 11th Ave. FREE.

Lane Chamber Choir, Concert Choir & Gospel Choir, 7:30pm, Ragozzino Performance Hall, LCC.

Kory Quinn, Henry Hammerer, Bitterroot, rock, 9pm, Sam Bond's. \$5.

Latyrx (Lyrics Born & Lateef the Truthspeaker), hip hop, 9pm, WOW Hall. \$13 adv., \$15 door.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Strong Bones, Strong Body, osteoporosis exercise class, 9:30am, Garden Way Retirement, 175 S. Garden Way, reg. 343-3317. First class FREE, then \$2.

Walk with Us, weekly self-led neighborhood walking group, ages 50 & up, 9:30-10:30am today & Thursday, Dec. 8, meet at Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

Prenatal Yoga, 5-6:15pm, RiverBend Medical Center, 3333 Riverbend Dr., Spfd., 222-7074. \$11, \$40 for 4 classes.

Rock Climbing, ages 4 & up, 5:30-8:30pm today, Tuesday & Thursday, Dec. 8, Art & Technology Academy, Jefferson Middle School, 1650 W. 22nd Ave. \$5.

Drop-in Kayaking, bring equipment, no instruction provided, ages 12 & up, 8-10pm today & Thursday, Dec. 8, Echo Hollow Pool, 1655 Echo Hollow Rd. \$5.

**SPIRITUAL** Reiki Tummo Healing Clinic, by appt., 5:30-7:30pm, 15 N. Cedar St., 914-0431. Don.

Lane Interfaith Alliance: panel of leaders from different spiritual traditions on ways of promoting openness & acceptance between different faiths, 6:30-8:30pm, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. Don.

**THEATER** No Shame Eugene Theater Workshop, write, direct & act in original 5-min. pieces, 7:30-9:30pm, 126 W. Broadway. FREE.

*A Midsummer Night's Dream*, 7:30pm today, Saturday & Thursday, Dec. 8; 2pm Sunday;

through Dec. 10, Churchill Theatre, 1850 Bailey Hill Rd. \$5, \$3 stu.

*Angels In America: Millennium Approaches*, 8pm today, tomorrow, Saturday & Thursday, Dec. 8; 2pm Sunday; through Dec. 10, Reality Kitchen, 245 Van Buren St. \$15.

**VOLUNTEER** Care for Owen Rose Garden, bring gloves & small hand-weeding tools, instruction provided, noon-3pm, end of N. Jefferson St., 682-5025.

## 2fri

Sunrise 7:29am; Sunset 4:35pm  
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**ART/CRAFT** Free First Friday, 11am-6pm, Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, UO. FREE.

City of Eugene Adaptive Recreation Service's Art Show & Sale, noon-7pm, Hilyard Community Center, 2560 Hilyard St. 541-682-5311. \$5 to rent a table, admission FREE.

Holiday Sale at Clay Space, 3-10pm today, 11am-6pm tomorrow, noon-5pm Sunday, Clay Space, 222 Polk St., clayspaceonline.com FREE.

Faith Rahill's Holiday Pottery Sale, 4-8pm today, 10am-4pm tomorrow, 11am-4pm Sunday, 2581 Monroe St., 344-2100.

Standhardt Studio Holiday Open House & Pottery Sale, 4-8pm today, 10am-4pm tomorrow, 11am-4pm Sunday, 4875 Garnet St., 514-4646. FREE.

Second & Blair Artists Studio Sale continues. See Thursday, Dec. 1.

**BENEFITS** Bethany Foster, organ, canned food donations to Food For Lane County suggested, 12:15pm, First United Methodist Church, 1376 Olive St. FREE.

New Zone Gallery December Benefit Sale, portion of proceeds to Greenhill Humane Society, 5:30-9pm, New Zone Gallery, 164 W. Broadway.

**DANCE** Ballet Fantastique: *Beatrix Potter: Tales for the Holidays*, 7:30pm today, Wildfish Theater, 630 Main St., Spfd.; 2:30pm Sunday, Florence Events Center, 715 Quince St., balletfantastique.org \$16, \$10 youth.

**FOOD/DRINK** Eugene Food Not Bombs, 2-4pm, 8th & West Park. FREE.

**GATHERINGS** City Club of Eugene: "Finding Justice in Afghanistan: Deploying as a National Guardsman from Eugene to Kabul," 11:50am-1:30pm, Eugene Hilton, 66 E. 6th Ave. \$5, mem. FREE.

Guided Tours at UO Museum of Natural & Cultural History, 1pm & 3pm, UO. FREE w/admission.

Prospectors Holiday Bazaar, 4pm-8pm today, 10am-8pm tomorrow & 1pm-4pm Sunday, Dr. Snapp House, 360 S. River Road, Cottage Grove, 942-5055.

Eugene Astronomical Society: First Quarter Friday Star Party, dusk, College Hill Reservoir, 24th & Lawrence. FREE.

Kitty Piercy's Campaign Kick-off, 5-7pm, Cowfish, 62 W. Broadway.

Aloha Friday: Film fest on Gabby Pahinui, the father of Hawaiian slack key guitar, performance videos, documentary & open mic calling for Gabby & slack key songs, 6-8pm, Hodgepodge, 2190 W. 11th Ave. FREE.

Sweet Dreams Pajama Party w/ the Grinch, games, activities, photo opp, parents can drop off or stay, 6:30-9pm, Upstart Crow Studios, 855 W. 1st Ave. \$10.

Game Night, bring board game or use house game, 7pm, Divine Cupcake, 1680 W. 11th Ave. FREE.

Trivia Night, 8pm, Rogue Public House, 844 Olive St. FREE.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** No School Day: I Spy, laser tag (older), bowling (younger), grades K-5, 7am-6pm, Willamalane Center, Spfd., willamalane.org \$30.

First Friday Outdoor Baby Walk & Talk, ages 0-2 w/caregiver, walks on paved paths, rain or shine, 9-10am, Owen Rose Garden, arbor by the parking lot, 300 N. Jefferson. FREE.

Baby Storytime, ages 0-1 w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11:15am, downtown library. FREE.

Family Storytime, 10:15am, Bethel Branch Library, 1990 Echo Hollow Rd. FREE.

Kids: Create Holiday Cards, ages 6 & up, 3-4pm, Springfield Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

First Friday Family Fun Night, 5:30-7pm, Petersen Barn, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

**MUSIC** Chamber Music On Campus, noon, Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, UO. FREE.

Acoustic Hootenanny, 3-6pm, Mrs. Thompson's Herbs, 347 W. 5th Ave., 686-6136. FREE.

Open Jazz Jam, 5pm, FREE; Jerry Joseph, 9pm, \$8, Cozmic.

Fifth Element Wind Quintet, 6pm, downtown library. FREE.

Tingstad & Rumbel Holiday Concert, 8pm, Unity of the Valley, 3912 Dillard Rd., www.tingstadandrumbel.com \$18.50 adv., \$20 door.

An Evening with The Chris Robinson Brotherhood, rock, 9pm, WOW Hall. \$15 adv., \$17 door.

Scout Niblett, David Brokaw, Ferns, rock, 9pm, Sam Bond's. \$7.

**ON THE AIR** "Meet the Band" w/local pop-rock band Fivebyfive, 7:30-8pm, Comcast channel 29.

"The Sunday Morning Hangover TV Show," "Eugene Record Convention." Bill Finneran & Laurie Penny, 11pm, Comcast channel 29.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION** Weight Training & Strength Yoga, 8:30-9:30am today, Monday & Wednesday, Celebration Studio, 1840 Willamette St. \$10 drop-in, first class FREE.

Duck Football: Pac-12 Championship, 5pm, Autzen Stadium, Fox Sports, 96.1 FM KZEL, www.goducks.com

Prenatal Yoga, 5:30-6:45pm, Eugene Yoga, 3575 Donald St., www.eugeneyoga.us \$11.

Roller Derby Skills Clinic w/ Emerald City Roller Girls, noon-1pm, Willamette Center for Sports & Recreation, 200 S. 32nd St., Spfd., www.emeraldcityrollergirls.net

**SOCIAL DANCE** Contact Improvisation Dance Jam, 6-8pm, Musical Feet Studio, 420 W. 12th Ave., heartandsoulwellness.com \$5-\$15 sliding scale.

Dancin' By The River, professional dance lesson followed by DJ'd music, all ages, 7-9:30pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd. \$5.

Friday Night Dance, West Coast swing, 8:30-10pm, StaverDanceSport, 41 E. 6th Ave. \$10.

Salsa Dancing w/Jose Cruz, 9pm, Vet's Club Ballroom, 1626 Willamette St. \$6.

Motivated by the idea that "kids are often left out" of performances of Charles Dickens' holiday classic, actor Al LePage is bringing to Eugene his one-man dramatic reading of **A Christmas Carol for Kids**, a 30-minute production that is aimed at children of all ages – but especially those ages 5-10. LePage, star of last year's OPB Radio airing of *A Christmas Carol*, works his magic 10:30am Saturday, Dec. 3, at Lane County Historical Museum, with all proceeds going to benefit the museum; \$2 kids, \$3 adults; res. at 682-4242.

