

FOOD/DRINK The Corner Market continues. See Thursday, Dec. 1.

GATHERINGS Church Women United monthly breakfast, annual report, voting for officers, Christmas fun, 7am, Brails, 1689 Willamette St. FREE.

Free Admission Day at UO Museum of Natural & Cultural History, 11am-5pm, UO. FREE.

Trip to Grotto Festival of Lights in Portland, dress for cold outdoor weather, 2-10pm, Campbell Center, 155 High St., reg. 682-5318. \$35.

Peace Vigil, 4:30-5:30pm, old federal building, 211 E. Pearl St., info at 344-9343.

The Compassionate Friends for those (18 & over) who have experienced the death of a child, 7pm, St. Mary's Church, 1062 Charnelton St., 689-1626.

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

KIDS/FAMILIES Lapsit Storytime, ages birth-3 w/adult, 10am, Springfield Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Preschool Storytime, ages 3-6, 10am, Springfield Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Preschool Storytime, ages 3-6 w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11am, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

Little Wonders: Stories & Activities for Preschoolers, 11am-noon, UO Museum of Natural & Cultural History, UO. FREE.

Sensory Storytime, 1pm, downtown library. FREE.

Eugene Youth Ballet: favorite scenes from *The Nutcracker*, 4pm & 5pm, Springfield Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Family Night: McKenzie Martial Arts, 6pm, Cozmic. FREE.

Barb Ryan & Miche Meizner: "Discover Your Inner Happiness," 7-9pm, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. \$5 sug. don.

LECTURES/CLASSES Break Dance, free trial, 8-9pm, GymFusion: National Academy of Artistic Gymnastics, 1205 Oak Patch Rd., 344-2002. \$10 drop-in, \$80 for 10 classes.

Tribal Belly Dance & Performance, free trial, 8-9pm, GymFusion: National Academy of Artistic Gymnastics, 1205 Oak Patch Rd., 344-2002. \$10 drop-in, \$80 for 10 classes.

Aerial Circus Arts & Acro-Balance continues. See Monday.

MUSIC Arts Umbrella: Youth Symphony Winter Concert w/string bass soloist Kyle Lambert, 7:30pm, South Eugene High School Auditorium, 400 E. 19th Ave., <http://artsumbrellausa.org> \$10, \$5.

Open Mic Night, 7:30pm, Cozmic. FREE.

People's Choice, Sol Seed, Reggae, 9pm, Sam Bond's. \$3-\$5.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION Bike Riding for Seniors, weekly in-town rides, helmets required, 9:30am, Campbell Center, 155 High St., reg. 682-5218. FREE.

Try Snowshoeing, 2-4pm, Campbell Center, 155 High St., 682-5318. \$20.

Drop-in Skateboarding Class, 3:30-5:30pm, U.S. Sportsplex, 4540 Commerce St., 682-5329. \$8.

8thurs

Sunrise 7:35am; Sunset 4:34pm
Av High 46; Av Low 34

DANCE *The Nutcracker: Short & Suite*, 4pm, downtown library. FREE.

FOOD/DRINK Martin Luther King, Jr. Education Center Culinary Arts Program: Sixth Annual Holiday Dinner, 11am-2pm, Department of Youth Services Carmichael Room, 2727 MLK Blvd. FREE.



The open studios at 2nd & Blair feature work by Roka Walsh

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

Very Victorian Holiday Party & Silent Auction, 5:30pm, Shelton McMurphey Johnson House. \$25, \$15 SMJ mem.

CODEPINK's Kit Kittredge: Gaze Freedom, 6pm, downtown library. FREE.

Science Pub: Big Bang & Beyond: A Beginner's Guide to the Universe, 7pm, Cozmic. \$5 sug. don.

KIDS/FAMILIES Wonderful Ones Storytime, 1-year-olds w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11am,

downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

Family Storytime, 11am, Sheldon Branch Library, 1566 Coburg Rd., info at 682-8316. FREE.

LECTURES/CLASSES Eug Rec: Handcrafted Cards Class, all supplies included, 1-3pm, Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd., 682-5521. \$12.

Genealogy computer class, basic computer & internet skills required, 1:30-3:30pm, downtown library, reg. 682-5450. FREE.

Cascade Mycological Society: Daniel Winkler, A Field Guide to Edible Mushrooms of the Pacific Northwest, 7pm, LCC, cascademycology.org FREE.

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

MUSIC Christmas at The Shedd 2011: "Yule Be Swingin'," 7:30pm today, 2pm Sunday, The Shedd, www.theshedd.org \$20-\$32.

How the Grouch Stole XMas Tour: The Grouch, Zion I, Eligh, Evidence, DJ Fresh, hip hop, 8pm, WOW Hall. \$20 adv., \$25 door.

Marco Benevento, rock, jazz, 9pm, Sam Bond's. \$10.

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, 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.

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

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

corvallis EVENTS

Note: Continuation dates for out-of-town events are listed under the first day of the event.

THURSDAY, DEC. 1 Deliciously Slow Yoga, 8:30-10am Tuesdays & Thursdays, 1165 N.W. Monroe, Corvallis, heartandsoulwellness.com

FRIDAY, DEC. 2 Music à la Carte: University Chorale & Corvallis Community Choir, noon, First United Methodist Church, 1165 N.W. Monroe St. FREE.

Winter's Eve Corvallis, shopping, silent auction, hors d'oeuvres, music, benefit for Assistance League of Corvallis, 5pm-10pm, Downtown Corvallis, www.alcorvallis.org or 757-1978. \$35 adv., \$40 door.

Six short films from East German filmmaker Jürgen Böttcher, 7:15pm, Darkside Cinema, 215 S.W. 4th St. FREE.

Poetry Reading: Chris Anderson, *The Next Thing Always Belongs*, 7:30pm, OSU MU. FREE.

SATURDAY, DEC. 3 Contra Dance w/The Nettles & Erik Weberg, 7:30pm lesson, 8pm dance, First Congregational Church, 4515 S.W. West Hills Rd. \$7, \$6.

SUNDAY, DEC. 4 Corvallis-OSU Symphony Orchestra Holiday Concert w/OSU Choirs, 7pm, LaSells Stewart Center, OSU, Corvallis, cosusymphony.org \$15-\$30.

THURSDAY, DEC. 8 Celtic Christmas Concert, 7-9pm, LaSells Stewart Center, OSU, Corvallis.

attn: OPPS

Ophelia's Place: register by Dec. 7 for Dec. 9 School's Out Spa Day, ages 10-18, \$5-\$20 sliding scale, 284-4333.

Tickets on sale for Senior Holiday Dinner, ages 62 & up, 1pm Sunday, Dec. 25, purchase at Campbell Senior Center, 682-5318; Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 736-4444; Viking Sal Senior Center in Junction City, 998-1556.

National Association of Letter Carriers food drive Dec. 3 & Dec. 10.

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