

S U M M E R G U I D E 2 0 1 3

Blossoms fly loose in humid draughts, skitter across sidewalks and smile up at the sun, and all the while the temperature rises.

Listen closely; can't you hear it? The sprinkler hiss and lawnmower drone, the river goading you gently to its banks to crack that first summer ale and float away? Whether you've scrimped and saved for a five-day wine tour, polished your hot rod for that car show or jogged through the cold in preparation for one special race, the time for fun is finally nigh. Eugene, meet summer 2013; we're sure it's bound to be the best one yet.

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EVENTS IN AND AROUND THIS TOWN OF OURS.

JUNE

THURSDAY, 6/6

Acoustic Music Jam Ages 50 & up, 9:30-11:30am every Thursday through Aug. 29, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

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

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

FRIDAY, 6/7

Obsidians: Hike Silver Falls – Trail of Ten Hikes, 9 miles; bike Parvin Covered Bridge, 25 miles, sign up obsidians.org

Flower & Plant Sale benefiting PeaceHealth's Behavioral Health Services' Passages Program, 10am-4pm, both Sacred Heart Medical Center locations, 1255 Hilyard St. & 3333 RiverBend Dr.

Relay for Life Carwash, 10am-6pm, Sheldon Community Center, 2445 Willakenzie Rd., www.eugene-or.gov/recenroll.

Annual Bridge Tournament, ages 18 & up, 1-4pm, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St.

Eugene Symphony Garden Party, food, wine, music, 4-7pm, 1722 Sweetbriar Lane, www.eugenesymphonyguild.org. \$25.

Family Sailing, ages 8 & up, no experience required, bring dinner, 5-9:30pm, Richardson Park Marina, Fern Ridge Reservoir, 682-5329. \$30 per person.

The Bronc Peeler Experience, covers, 21 & up, 6pm, Saginaw Vineyard, 80247 Delight Valley Rd., Cottage Grove. FREE.

Ian McFeron, 6-8pm, Silvan Ridge Winery, 27012 Briggs Hill Rd., www.silvanridge.com.

Bulls on Parade, a benefit for the UO Hockey Team, 7:30pm, McDonald Theatre. \$10.

SATURDAY, 6/8

Obsidians: Hike Heceta Head Lighthouse, 6 miles; Chi Gong & Meditation Hike, 6.7 miles; hike McKenzie River Trail, 8 miles; climb Mt. Thielsen, 10 miles, sign up obsidians.org

Spring Forward, concert for Nima's Wish Foundation: Reebie Jar, Sol Seed, Phoebe Blume, Valarie, RevelleVer & more, today & tomorrow, Cozmic, www.nimaswish.com \$24/\$30, \$18 single day.

Music in the Garden, self-guided tour of six private gardens, benefit for Eugene Symphony, with musicians, refreshments, 10am-4pm today, 11am-4pm tomorrow, various locations, 485-7019 or www.eugenesymphonyguild.org \$12 adv., \$15 day of.

Lovin Lincoln 5K Race & Family Fun Run, 11am 5K, 2:30pm fun run, 110 SE Alexander Ave., Corvallis, reg. wkly.ws/tao

Noble Summer Saturdays Wine Tastings, noon-5pm every Saturday through June 29, Noble Estate

Featuring an array of artists from across the musical spectrum – including **Bassnectar** (pictured), **Empire of the Sun** and **Lotus** – and many local Eugene favorites, **Kaleidoscope Music Festival's** premiere at Emerald Meadows of Mount Pisgah (8/23-8/25) looks promising. Even more exciting than the ever-growing lineup is its future in the Eugene area. Eugene needed a festival of this caliber and it has received one.

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Vineyard, 29219 Gimpl Hill Rd., info at (954)-338-3007 or noblestatewinery.com

Winter Green Farm Spring Open House Potluck, hayrides, views of baby calves, music by Conjugal Visitors, noon-4pm, Winter Green Farm, 89762 Poodle Creek Rd., Noti, info at wintergreenfarm.com or 935-1920.

World Naked Bike Ride, wear helmets, "as bare as you dare," bring musical instruments, colorful costumes & body paint welcome, 4pm, Cheshire & Lawrence, www.worldnakedbikeride.org FREE.

Emerald City Roller Girls roller derby bout, 6pm, Lane Events Center, 796 W. 13th Ave. \$12 adv., \$15 door.

SUNDAY, 6/9

Obsidians: hike Craig Lake, 6.5 miles, sign up obsidians.org

Kids' Mountain Bike Day, guided rides, skills clinics, shuttles, races, food, hikes, ecology, trail-building & more, 9am-3pm, Oakridge, pre-reg. at www.catoregon.org/tfk

Music in the Garden continues. See June 8.

Spring Forward continues. See June 8.

TUESDAY, 6/11

OBRA Criterium, bike ride, 1K flat oval course, 5:30pm every Tuesday through Aug., Greenhill Technology Park, W. 11th & Terry reg. 521-6529. \$15 per race, \$60 per month.

TrackTown Tuesday: "Celebrating Champions," 7-8pm, Center court at Valley River Center, 343-6129. FREE.

WEDNESDAY, 6/12

Bike Riding for Fun & Fitness, weekly seniors bike ride through Aug. 28, helmets required, 9:30am-noon, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. FREE.

Cider House Rules, 1pm, Willamalane Adult Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd. FREE.

Fiddler on the Roof, 7pm today through Saturday, June 15, 2pm Sunday, June 16, Pleasant Hill Community Theatre, 35575 Zephyr Way, Pleasant Hill, info & tix at phct.org or 988-1195. \$12, \$10 kids, \$36/family of four.

Tony Bennett, 7:30pm, Cuthbert Amphitheater, info & tix at ticketswest.com or tonybennett.com \$46-\$110.

THURSDAY, 6/13

Summer Family Fun Night, 5:30-7:30pm, Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

Corvallis All-Comer Track Meet, 6-8pm, Corvallis High School, 1400 N.W. Buchanan Ave., Corvallis, www.racecorvallis.com

Roving Park Players: *The Critic*, 6pm today & tomorrow, Campbell Center, 155 High St. FREE.

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Drop-In Kayaking continues. See June 6.

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FRIDAY, 6/14

Schools Out for Summer Swim, all ages, 1:10-3:40pm, Echo Hollow Pool, 1655 Echo Hollow Rd. FREE.

Family Sailing, ages 8 & up, no experience required, bring dinner, 5-9:30pm, Richardson Park Marina, Fern Ridge Reservoir, 682-5329. \$30 per person.

Downtown Springfield Second Friday Art Walk, view shows at the Springfield Museum, Emerald Art Center, & a variety of merchants & cafes, 5pm, 345-7106.

Temple Beth Israel: Sabbath in the Park, 5:30pm, Alton Baker Park Shelter.

B-3, 21 & up, 6pm, Saginaw Vineyard, 80247 Delight Valley Rd., Cottage Grove. FREE.

The Platypus Clarinet Orchestra, 6-8pm, Silvan Ridge Winery, 27012 Briggs Hill Rd., www.silvanridge.com

Eugene Emeralds vs. Boise, 7:05pm today & tomorrow, 5:05 pm Sunday, PK Park, 342-5367. \$6-\$12 per game.

Much Ado About Nothing, 8pm today, tomorrow, & June 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 2:30pm June 16, 23, 30, Cottage Theatre, 700 Village Dr., Cottage Grove, info & tix at cottagetheatre.org or tickets@cottagetheatre.org \$18, \$15 ages 6-18.

Eugene Astronomical Society Star Party, weather permitting, telescopes & astronomers on-hand, dusk, College Hill Reservoir, 24th & Lawrence. FREE.

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SATURDAY, 6/15

Obsidians: climb South Sister, 12 miles, sign up obsidians.org