



In a contemplative, yet down-to-earth mood? Don't miss your chance to meet 2001-2003 U.S. Poet Laureate **Billy Collins** and his amiable, user-friendly poetry on Tuesday. A master of free verse, Collins has modestly described his poetry as "middle class" and "domestic," but his subtle sentimentality and clever insights are enough to charm a whole spectrum of readers, from the most devoted of poetry snobs to those trying to avoid literature at all costs.

Billy Collins graces the downtown library at 6pm Tuesday, Nov. 5. FREE. — *Amy Schneider*

Community Climb Time, 5:30-8:30pm Tuesdays through Dec. 7, Art & Technology Academy, 1650 W. 22nd Ave. \$5.

OBRA Criterium, bike ride, 1K flat oval course, 5:30pm, Greenhill Technology Park, W. 11th & Terry, reg. 521-6529. \$15 per race, \$50 per month.

Prenatal Yoga, 5:30-6:45pm, Core Star Center, 439 W. 2nd Ave., 556-7144. \$10, \$48 for 6 classes, sliding scale.

Aerial Yoga, adult classes, 6-7pm, Bounce Gymnastics & Circus Arts Center, 329 W. 3rd Ave., 343-4222. \$10 first class, \$15 drop-in.

Tricycle Racing, cash & prizes for winners, 9pm, McShane's Bar & Grill, 86495 College View Rd. FREE.

Pool Hall continues. See Thursday, Oct. 31.

SOCIAL DANCE Joy of Hula Community Dance, family friendly, 6:30pm, 1400 Lake Dr., info at 688-4052.

Beginning Samba class, 6:45-7:45pm, Celebration Belly Dance & Yoga Studio, info at 255-9253. \$10.

Eugene Folk Dancers, weekly international folk dancing, 6:45pm lessons, \$3; 7:45pm dance, \$3, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd., 344-7591.

SPIRITUAL Contentment in Everyday Life, 5-week class, through Nov. 26, 7-8:30pm, Shambhala Meditation Center, 100 W. Q St., Spfd., call 214-1314. \$10/class.

Buddhist Teachings on Mindfulness, 7:45-9pm, Eugene Zendo, 2190 Garfield St. FREE.

VOLUNTEER Friends of Hendricks Park & Eugene Park Stewards Volunteer Work Party, 9am-noon, Rhododendron

Garden in Hendricks Park, call 682-4850. FREE.

WEDNESDAY

NOVEMBER 6
SUNRISE 6:56AM; SUNSET 4:56PM
AVG. HIGH 55; AVG. LOW 39

COMEDY Quackin' Me Up Comedy Competition, 8-10pm, through Nov. 20, Studio 44, 44 E. 7th Ave. \$5.

FILM *Inside Out: Building a Meaningful Life After the Hospital*, discussion to follow, 5:30-7pm, Growers Market Building, 454 Willamette St. FREE.

SpringFILM: *Go Tigers!* 6pm, Wildish Theater, 630 Main, Spfd. FREE.

Wounded Knee, discussion after screening, 7pm, McNail-Riley House, 601 W. 13th Ave. FREE.

FOOD/DRINK Sweetwater Farm Stand, fresh farm produce, products & recopes, 4-6pm, 1243 Rainbow Dr.

Ambrosia November Wine Tasting & Sale, featuring the best of the best, 5:30-7pm, Ambrosia, 174 E. Broadway. \$10.

Meet the Brewers Night, 7pm, Tap & Growler, 207 E. 5th Ave. FREE.

The Corner Market continues. See Thursday, Oct. 31.

Coast Fork Farm Stand continues. See Saturday.

GATHERINGS Bike Appreciation Day, minor repairs & adjustments, 10am-3pm, Lillis Hall, UO Campus. FREE.

WellMama Support group, pregnant & new mothers feeling overwhelmed, anxious or depressed, 10-11am, Parenting Now!, 86 Centennial Loop. FREE.

Teen Gaming, weekly through Nov. 20, 3:30-5:30pm, Sheldon

Branch Library, 1566 Coburg Rd., info at 682-8316. FREE.

Peace Vigil, 4:30pm, 7th & Pearl. FREE.

Foreclosure Defense Meeting, 5-7pm, Growers' Market, 454 Willamette St., info at 844-8280. FREE.

Co-Dependents Anonymous, women-only 12-step meeting, 6-7pm, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 1465 Coburg Rd., south entrance. FREE.

NAMI Connections Support Group for individuals w/mental illness, 6pm, NAMI Office, 76 Centennial Loop., Ste A, 209.

Support Group for People Who Have Loved Ones w/Asperger's Syndrome, 6-7:30pm, 1283 Lincoln St.

Co-Dependents Anonymous, men-only 12-step meeting, 7-8pm, McKenzie Willamette Hospital, 1460 G St., Spfd., east entrance, info at 913-9356. FREE.

Trivia Night, 7pm, Sharkeys Pub & Grill, 4221 Main St., Spfd.

Trivia Night at Supreme Bean, 7pm, 16 Tons Supreme Bean, 29th & Willamette St. FREE.

Trivia Night, 7-9pm, The Cooler, 20 Centennial Loop. FREE.

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

Quizzo Pub Trivia w/Dr. Seven Phoenix, 9pm, The Barn Light, 924 Willamette 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.

Sensory Storytime, for children w/sensory integration needs w/caregivers, 1pm, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.



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