

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

## THURSDAY

NOVEMBER 21

SUNRISE 7:16AM; SUNSET 4:41PM  
AVG. HIGH 50; AVG. LOW 37

**BENEFITS** Pints for A Cause: Fundraiser for Planned Parenthood, all day, Ninkasi Brewing, 272 Blair Blvd. Don.

Springfield Cash Mob, support Springfield Chamber Businesses, 1pm, Coburg Pizza Company, 1710 Centennial Blvd., Spfd. Don.

**FILM** Gathr Preview Series: *Cold Turkey*, 7:30pm, Bijou Metro, 43 W. Broadway. \$10.

**FOOD/DRINK** The Corner Market, noon-6pm today, tomorrow, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, Nov. 28, 295 River Rd., 513-4527.

**GATHERINGS** Group Acupuncture Clinic, childcare available, 10am orientation, 10-11:30am clinic today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Trauma Healing Project, 2222 Coburg Rd., Ste 300, 687-9447. \$10, scholarships available.

McKenzie Milky Mamas, pregnancy, breastfeeding & parenting support group, 10:15am today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Neighborhood New-Mothering Center, 1262 Lawrence St. #3, contact milkymamas@gmail.com. FREE.

Eugene Metro Business Networking International, 11:30am today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Downtown Athletic Club, 999 Willamalane St., wkly.ws/159. \$12 lunch.

Springfield City Club Meeting, The Intractable Problem of Homelessness, 11:45am-1pm, Willamalane Center, 250 S. 32nd St., Spfd. Mem. FREE.

Downtown Public Speakers Toastmasters Club, drop-ins welcome noon-1:05pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Les Lyle Conference Rm, fourth floor Wells Fargo Bldg., 99 E. Broadway Ave., info at 485-1182. FREE.

League of Women Voters of Lane County Meeting, w/Ellen Rosenblum, 12:15pm, Valley River Inn, 1000 Valley River Way. FREE.

City of Eugene Proposals to Change Skateboard, Bike Laws Meeting, 5:30pm, downtown library. FREE.

Board Game Night, new players welcome, 6-11pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Funagain Games, 1280 Willamalane St., info at 654-4205. FREE.

Hearing Voices & Extreme States Support Group, 6pm, First United Methodist Church, Room 19, 1376 Olive St. FREE.

Emerald Valley Quilters Guild, 6:30pm, Masonic Lodge, 2777

Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. \$3-\$5.

Reclaiming & Renewing Our Public Education Series: The Dilemmas of Standardized Testing in Public Education, w/Rachel Eels & Falmata Seid, 6:30pm, Springfield High School, 875 7th St., Spfd. FREE.

Oregon WAND Meeting, discussion of Columbia Generating Station nuclear power plant, 7pm, First United Methodist Church, 1376 Olive St. FREE.

Pregnancy & Postpartum Mental Wellness Support Group, 7pm, Charnelton Wellness Center, 1245 Charnelton St. #7, call 1-800-896-0410. FREE.

Trivia Night, 7pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Sixth Street Grill, 55 W. 6th Ave. FREE.

Doc's Pad Drag Queen Bingo w/ Karess, 9pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Doc's Pad, 710 Willamalane St. FREE.

Trivia Night, 8pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Rogue Public House, 844 Olive St. FREE.

Trivia Night, 9pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Sidebar, 1680 Coburg Rd.

**KIDS/FAMILIES** Wonderful Ones Storytime, 1-year-olds w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11am today & Thursday, Nov. 28, downtown library, info at 682-8316. FREE.

Winter Music Time w/Emily Fox, 11am, The Dancing Weasel Toy Store, 30 E. 17th Ave. FREE.

**LECTURES/CLASSES** Genealogy: Next Steps, second of two-part class, 1:30pm, downtown library, internet skills required. FREE.

UO Cinema Studies: Second Story Interactive Studios, Working Filmmaker Series, 4pm, Ford Alumni Center Ballroom, UO Campus. FREE.

Teen Book Group, 4pm, downtown library. FREE.

Medicare Made Easy, for those new to Medicare, 5-6pm, 333 W. 10th Ave., pre-reg. at 222-9020. FREE.

Rennard Strickland Lecture: "Recurring Problems in Fulfilling the Federal Trust Responsibility to Indian Nations," w/Robert Anderson, 5pm, Knight Law Center 110, UO Campus. FREE.

Small Business Clinic, 5-7pm, downtown library, pre-reg. at 682-5450. FREE.

Committee on Sustainability Presentations, 5:30-7:30pm, downtown library. FREE.

Many Rivers Group Sierra Club: Fungi & the Forests, 7pm, Garden Club, 1645 High St. FREE.

"Post-fire Vegetation Dynamics in the Northern Sierras," w/David Hibbs, 7:30pm, Lane County Mental Health, 2411 Martin Luther King Blvd. FREE.

**LITERARY ARTS** Teen Book Group, 4pm, downtown library, call 682-8316. FREE.

Tween Scene Book Group, 4pm, downtown library, call 682-8316. FREE.

Gala Book Release Celebration for Valerie Willman, 7pm, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. FREE.

**ON THE AIR** "The Point," 9-9:30am today & Thursday, Nov. 28, KPOV 88.9FM.

"Arts Journal," current local arts, 9-10pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Comcast channel 29.

**OUTDOORS/RECREATION**

Pool Hall for seniors, 8:30am-4:30pm, today, tomorrow & Monday through Thursday, Nov. 28. \$0.25; Mahjong for Seniors, 1-4pm, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

Walk with Us, weekly self-led neighborhood walking group, ages 50 & up, 9:30-10:30am today & Thursday, Nov. 28, meet at Petersen Barn Community Center, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

Aerial Yoga, adult classes, 11am-noon, Bounce Gymnastics & Circus Arts Center, 329 W. 3rd Ave., 343-4222. \$10 first class, \$15 drop-in.

Mahjong for Seniors, 1-4pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

Gentle Yoga, 5:30-6:30pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Trauma Healing Project, 2222 Coburg Rd., Ste 300, 687-9447. \$5, scholarships available.

Prenatal Yoga, 5:30-6:45pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Core Star Center, 439 W. 2nd Ave., 556-7144. \$10, \$48 for 6 classes, sliding scale.

Aqua Yoga, 5:45-6:45pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Tamarack Wellness Center, 3575 Donald St. \$11.

Team Run Eugene, adult track workout group, 6pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, ATA Track, 24th & Fillmore St. FREE.

Yoga Weight Management, 6:30pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Willamalane Adult Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd. \$4.

Contact Juggling, 7:30-8:30pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Academy of Artistic Gymnastics, 1205 Oak Patch Rd., 344-2002. \$10 drop-in, \$80 for 10 class punchcard. First class FREE.

Drop-in Kayaking, bring equipment, no instruction provided, ages 12 & up, 8-10pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Echo Hollow Pool, 1655 Echo Hollow Rd. \$5

Hot Mamma's Club, 8:15pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, All That! Dance Company, 855 W. 1st Ave., info at 688-1523 or allthatdance@hotmail.com. \$10.

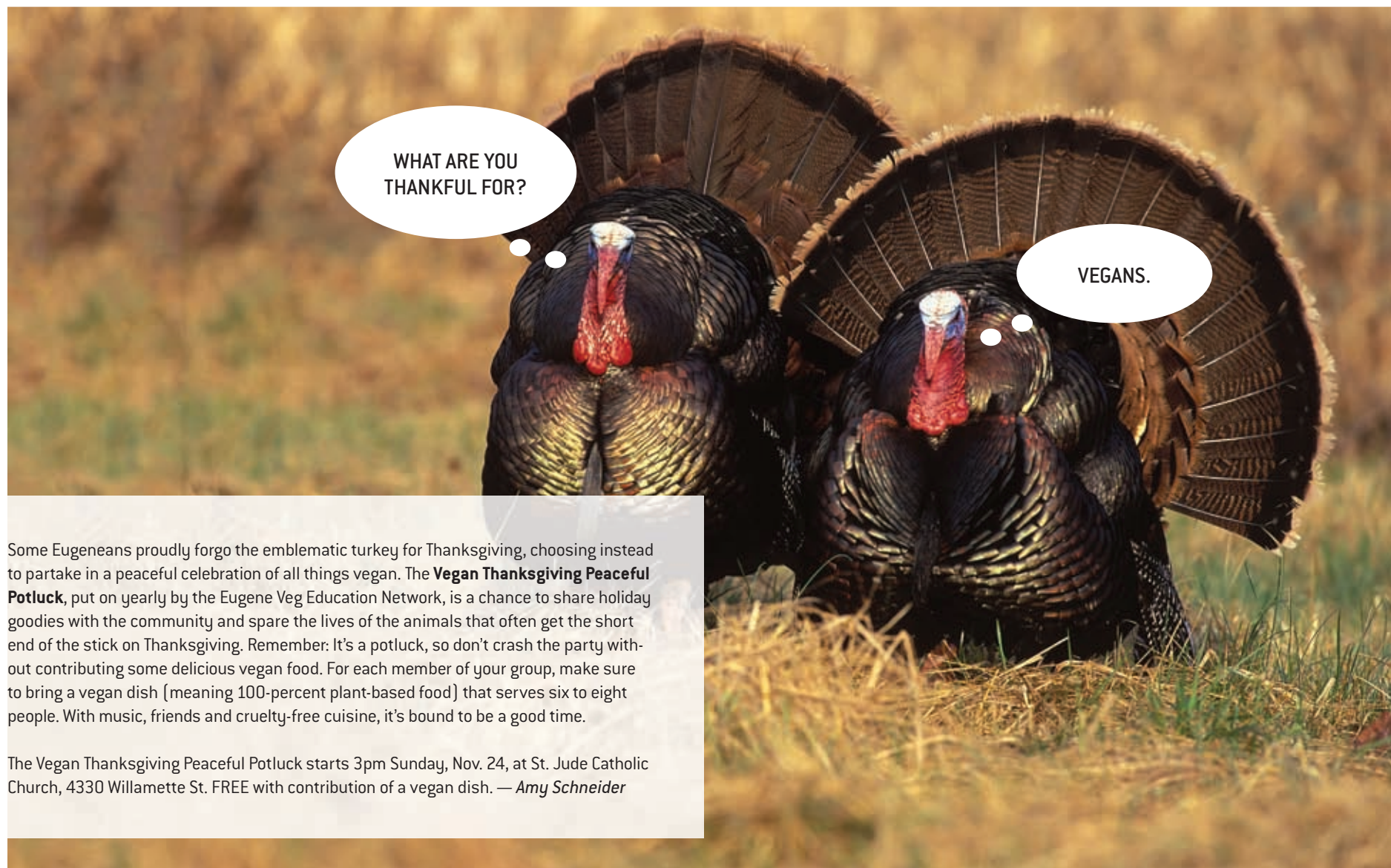
**SOCIAL DANCE** Dance Lessons, 7pm, Whiskey River Ranch, 4740 Main, Spfd. \$7.

Square Dancing, Sam Bucher teaching & calling, 7-9pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., Spfd. \$3.

Yoga Dance Party & Vegetarian Dinner, 7pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Alchemy Lotus Healing Center, 1380 W. 17th Ave., RSVP at yoginimatrix@gmail.com. \$8.

Crossroads Blues Fusion Dance, 7:30-11:30pm today & Thursday, Nov. 28, Just Breathe, 2868 Willamalane St. #200, info at crossroadsbluesfusion.com.

**SPIRITUAL** Thanksgiving Service of Gratitude, 10am, First Church of Christ, Scientist, 1390 Pearl St. FREE.



Some Eugeneans proudly forgo the emblematic turkey for Thanksgiving, choosing instead to partake in a peaceful celebration of all things vegan. The **Vegan Thanksgiving Peaceful Potluck**, put on yearly by the Eugene Veg Education Network, is a chance to share holiday goodies with the community and spare the lives of the animals that often get the short end of the stick on Thanksgiving. Remember: It's a potluck, so don't crash the party without contributing some delicious vegan food. For each member of your group, make sure to bring a vegan dish (meaning 100-percent plant-based food) that serves six to eight people. With music, friends and cruelty-free cuisine, it's bound to be a good time.

The Vegan Thanksgiving Peaceful Potluck starts 3pm Sunday, Nov. 24, at St. Jude Catholic Church, 4330 Willamette St. FREE with contribution of a vegan dish. — Amy Schneider