

Another round of rapid-fire verse, spontaneous spoken word and homegrown poesy gets underway Saturday when **Eugene Poetry Slam** opens its new season at Tsunami Books. Taking place every second Saturday starting now and running through May, the EPS features an open-mic forum for local poets looking to cut their teeth as well as a venue for featured local and visiting artists of national renown. This month's guest artist is Portland-based poet **Leyna Rynearson**, 2007 Anchorage Youth Grand Champion and the co-slam master of the Portland Poetry Slam.

Eugene Poetry Slam kicks off its new season Saturday, Nov. 8, starting with an open-mic jazz jam at 6:30pm, followed by the slam sign-up at 7pm and the 8pm show, all at Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St.; this is an all-ages event, with a \$5-\$10 sliding scale admission.



LITERARY ARTS Reading, Discussion & Book Signing w/Steve McQuiddy, author of *Here on the Edge: World War II, Conscientious Objectors on the Oregon Coast & the Seeds of the Sixties*, 7pm, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. FREE.

ON THE AIR "Arts Journal" continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.
"The Point" continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION
GEARS Bike Club: Clearwater Trail & Springfield, 25 miles, helmet required, 9:30am, Alton Baker Park. FREE.

Drop-in Kayaking continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Hot Mamma's Club continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Mahjong for Seniors continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Pool Hall continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Team Run Eugene continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Walk with Us continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

SOCIAL DANCE Crossroads Blues Fusion Dance continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

English & Scottish Country Dance continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Hot Mamas Club continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Music & Dance Workshop continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Square Dancing continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Yoga Dance Party & Vegetarian Dinner continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

THEATER No Shame Workshop, 7:30pm, New Zone Gallery, 164 W. Broadway. FREE.

I & You continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Thoroughly Modern Millie continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

Pride & Prejudice continues. See Friday.

VOLUNTEER Egan Warming Center Volunteer Orientation, 5:30-7:30pm, Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 1630 N. 12th St., Spfld. FREE.

Care for Owen Rose Garden continues. See Thursday, Nov. 6.

CORVALLIS AND SURROUNDING AREAS

THURSDAY, NOV. 6: November Repair Fair, 5:30-7:30, OSU Used Store, 644 SW 13th St. FREE.

FRIDAY, NOV. 7: Polk County Holiday Fair, 9am-6pm today & 9am-5pm tomorrow, Fairgrounds. FREE.

Vagabond Opera, 7:30pm, Majestic Theatre. \$15-\$20.

SATURDAY, NOV. 8: Corvallis Farmers Market, 9am-1pm, 1st & Jackson. FREE.

Nomadic Theatre's *See-Saw Project*, 1pm, Majestic Theatre. \$10-\$40.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 12: Corvallis Farmers Market, 9am-1pm, 1st & Jackson.

THURSDAY, NOV. 13: *Mother Courage*, 7:30pm, runs through Nov. 23, Withycombe Hall, OSU. \$5-\$12.

ATTENTION OPPORTUNITIES

McKenzie River Trust will host an open house at the Coburg Aggregate Reclamation Project on Green Island between 10am-2pm Saturday, Nov. 8; to register and for more information, visit mckenzie river.org or call Jules at 345-2799. This event is free.

Auditions for Roving Park Players' adaptation of *The Witlings* will be held 2-4pm Saturday & Sunday, Nov. 8-9, at Good Samaritan Center, 3500 Hilyard St.; call 914-2374 or 686-2738 for further info.

The Maude Kerns Art Center invites artists to exhibit up to two pieces of artwork in the 22nd annual "Art for All Seasons Exhibit." For more information, contact the Art Center at 345-1571 or visit www.mkartcenter.org.

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