

WHAT'S HAPPENING

THURSDAY

OCTOBER 1

SUNRISE 7:10AM; SUNSET 6:53PM
AVG. HIGH 71; AVG. LOW 43

FARMERS MARKETS McKenzie SmartGrow Farm Stand, 8am-6pm Thursday through Saturday & Monday through Sunday, Oct. 8; 10am-4pm Sunday, 1305 39th St. Spfd. FREE.

Lane County Farmers Market, 10am-2pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8; 9am-3pm Saturday; 10am-3pm Tuesday, 8th & Oak. FREE.

FFLC Youth Farm Stand, 2-6pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Sacred Heart Medical Center, 3333 RiverBend Dr., Spfd; 10am-2pm Saturday, Youth Farm, 705 Flamingo Ave., Spfd. FREE.

FOOD/DRINK Thirsty Thursday, tasting & tap attacks, 5-8pm, Tap & Growler, 207 E. 5th Ave. FREE.

GATHERINGS Fair Board Meeting, 7:30-9:30am, call 682-7395 for location. FREE.

Eugene Metro Business Networking International, 11:30am today & Thursday, Oct. 8, LCC Downtown Center, 101 W. 10th Ave. \$12 lunch.

Downtown Public Speakers Toastmasters Club, drop-ins welcome noon-1:05pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Les Lyle Conference Rm, fourth floor Wells Fargo Bldg., 99 E. Broadway Ave., 485-1182. FREE.

Exhibit Talks, 2pm today through Sunday & Tuesday through Thursday, Oct. 8, Museum of Natural and Cultural History, 1680 E. 15th Ave., natural-history.uoregon.edu.

FREE with price of museum admission.

Open Figure Drawing, 4-6pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Meca, 449 Willamette St. Pay what you want.

Coder Dojo: LEGO Intro to Mechatronics, LCC, 101 W. 10th Ave., room 104. FREE.

Nar-Anon Meeting, beginners, 7pm, Wesley United Methodist Church, 1385 Oak Rd. FREE.

Santa Clara Community Organization General Meeting, 7pm, Messiah Lutheran Church, 3280 River Rd. FREE.

Doc's Pad Drag Queen Bingo w/ Karess, 9pm today & Thursday, Oct. 1, Doc's Pad, 710 Willamette St. FREE.

KIDS/FAMILIES Wonderful Ones Storytime, 1-year-olds w/caregivers, 10:15am & 11am today & Thursday, Oct. 8, downtown library, 682-8316. FREE.

Everybody Can Dance, 4-5pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Hilyard Community Center, 2580 Hilyard St., 342-3273. FREE.

LECTURES/CLASSES Fall Fruits w/botanist Gail Baker, 1-3pm, Mount Pisgah Arboretum, 34901 Frank Parrish Rd. \$5.

Appropriate Assessment: Life After High-Stakes Testing, a public forum w/teacher Rachel Eells & vice-principal Sarita Amaya, 7-9pm, Eugene Friends Church, 3495 W. 18th Ave. FREE.

LITERARY ARTS Mid-Valley Willamette Writers Speakers Series: "The Clowning Liguists," 6:30-8:30pm today & Wednesday, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. Don.

ON THE AIR "The Point," 9-9:30am, KPOV 88.9FM.

"Arts Journal," current local arts, 9-10pm, Comcast channel 29.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION

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

Duplicate Bridge, 1pm today, Sunday, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 8; 9:30am Monday; 6:30pm Wednesday, Emerald Bridge Club, 1782 Centennial Blvd., Spfd. \$8.

GEARS Bike Club: Women Only Ride, 20-30 miles, easy pace, 6pm, Alton Baker Park. FREE.

SOCIAL DANCE English & Scottish Country Dancing, 7pm today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Vet's Ballroom, 1620 Willamette St. \$7, first time FREE.

Music & Dance Workshops w/ Taller de Son Jarocho, 7-9pm, American Legion Hall, 344 8th St., Spfd. FREE.

SPIRITUAL Zen Meditation Group, 7-8am today & Thursday, Oct. 8, Blue Cliff Zen Center, 439 W. 2nd Ave. FREE.

THEATER *bobrauschenbergamerica*, a meditation on America based loosely on the art work of Bob Rauschenberg. 7:30pm today through Saturday & Thursday, Oct. 8; 2pm Sunday, Pelton Theatre, Willamette University, Salem. \$8-\$12.

No Shame Workshop, short-form theatre & improv, 7:30pm, today & Thursday, Oct. 8, New Zone Gallery, 164 W. Broadway. FREE.

Stupid Fucking Bird, 7:30pm today through Saturday, Oregon Contemporary Theatre, 194 W. Broadway. \$15-\$30.

VOLUNTEER Native Plant Nursery Volunteer Work Party, 8-11am today; 9am-noon Monday, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 8, Native Plant Nursery in Buford Park, rsvp to volunteer@bufordpark.org. FREE.

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

FRIDAY

OCTOBER 2

SUNRISE 7:11AM; SUNSET 7:52PM
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BENEFITS Bags of Love "Love of Bags" for children in crisis, 5:30-8pm, Broadway Commerce Center, 44 W. Broadway. FREE.

"We Shall Overcome" concert for FOOD for Lane County, 6:30-9pm, call 514-2666 for location. FREE, food don.

FARMERS MARKETS Marketplace@Sprout, year-round indoor & outdoor farmers market w/entertainment, 3-7pm, 418 A St., Spfd. info at sproutfoodhub.org.

McKenzie SmartGrow Farm Stand continues. See Thursday, Oct. 1.

FOOD/DRINK Wine Tasting & Music, 5-10pm, Noble Estate Urban, 520 Commercial St. FREE.

Wine Tasting, 6-9pm, Sweet Cheeks Winery, 27007 Briggs Hill Rd. FREE.

GATHERINGS Southern Oregon Music Festival, today through Sunday, locations around Medford, somusicfest.org. Tickets start at \$25.

Yawn Patrol Toastmasters, 6-7:45am, LCC Downtown Center, 110 W. 10th Ave.

Church Women United: Human Rights and Fracking w/Thomas Kerns, 9-11:15am, Unitarian Universalist Church, 1685 W. 13th Ave. FREE.

Free First Friday at the Museum of Natural & Cultural History, 11am-5pm, MNCH, UO campus. FREE.

Historic Review Board, noon, Atrium Building, 99 W. 10th Ave., Sloat room. FREE.

City Club of Eugene: Is Eugene Library Levy Worth the Cost? w/ Bonny McCornack speaking in opposition of the levy, 12:05pm, Downtown Athletic Club, 999 Willamette St. \$5.

Nar-Anon Meeting, 12:30pm, Springfield Lutheran Church, 1542 I St., Spfd. FREE.

Food Not Bombs, vegan meal, 2-4pm, 8th & Oak. FREE.

Harvest Festival, cooking demos, music, square dance & activities 3-9pm, Sprout! Marketplace, 418 A St., Spfd. FREE.

First Friday ArtWalk w/SLUG queen Markalo Parkalo, 5:30-8pm, New Zone Gallery, 164 W. Broadway. FREE.

Tibet Night Celebration, music, art, speakers & auction, 5:30-8:30pm, Cozmic, 199 W. 8th Ave. FREE.

SASS Friday Night Mens Meet-up, for survivors of sexual assault, self-identified men 18+, 5:30-7pm, NAMI, 2411 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. FREE.

Friends of Jung: Climate Change, Analytical Psychology & What the World Hangs On w/ Jenny Gordon, 7-9pm, Baker Center, 975 High St. \$15, students FREE.

Indie Game Con Kick-Off Party, art show & live music by Yama Yama, 7pm, LCC, 101 W. 10th Ave. FREE.

Exhibit Talks continue. See Thursday, Oct. 1.

KIDS/FAMILIES Family Game Night, 6-8pm, Petersen Barn, 870 Berntzen Rd. FREE.

LECTURES/CLASSES Meditaion & Breathing, 12:15pm, Oregon Ki Society, 1071 W. 7th Ave. FREE.

Seeing Stars: Sputnik & Space Exploration in the Media, 7pm, Lane County Historical Museum, 740 W. 13th Ave. FREE.

LITERARY ARTS Banned Book Read-Out, tell the enemies of free speech where they can shove it, noon-4pm today, 1-2pm tomorrow, Springfield library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

ON THE AIR "The Sunday Morning Hangover TV Show," 11pm, Comcast channel 29.

Marc Time's Record Attic, 11:30pm, Comcast channel 29.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION Walk 'n' Talkers, weekly self-led neighborhood walking group, 9-11am, meet at Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. FREE.

Bridge Group for Seniors, 12:30-3:30pm, Campbell Community Center, 155 High St. \$0.25.

Final Table Poker, 6pm & 9pm, Steve's Bar & Grill, 117 14th St., Spfd. FREE.

Magic the Gathering, standard deck casual play, 6pm, Castle of Games, 660 Main, Spfd. \$1.

Magic the Gathering, 6pm, Delight, 811 E. Main St., Cottage Grove, info at delightcg@gmail.com. FREE.

McKenzie Highland Games & Celtic Gathering, 7-9pm today, 10am-9pm tomorrow, Northwest Youth Corps, 2621 Augusta St. \$5-\$25.

Pool Hall continues. See Thursday, Oct. 1.

SOCIAL DANCE All Request International Folk Dancing, 2:30-3:30pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Center, 215 W. C St., info at 603-0998. \$1.50.

Advanced dance class w/Taller de Son Jarocho, 4:30-6pm, Whiteaker Community Center, N. Jackson & Clark St. FREE.

Popular English Country & Contra Dances, wear shoes that won't scuff up the floor, 7pm,

Last Saturday's blowout football game left Duck fans rattled something fierce. Utah State belt-whipped the home team so savagely that fans walking back their cars looked agitated and soul-sick. It was bad. Even before half time, disillusioned Eugeneans began to wonder if maybe they'd put their faith in the wrong religion. Maybe the city needs a new rallying point. If only there were some other fast-paced team sport that mixes bone-snapping ultra-violence with ballet-level finesse. Coming off two victories against Seattle's Ravens, Eugene's junior ice hockey team **the Generals** play their home opener against visiting Northern Pacific Hockey League champions, the West Sound Jr. Warriors, Friday and Saturday at the Lane Events Center. Just sayin'.

The Eugene Generals vs. West Sound Jr. Warriors, 7:35pm Friday & Saturday, Oct. 2-3, at the Lane County Events Center, 796 W. 13th Ave.; \$6-\$10.

