

The only thing that grows more than Oregon grass is the amount of festival celebration during summer. For just a few dollars at admission, you can have access to a full day of entertainment, unique food and arts and crafts. **The 58th Annual Scandinavian Festival** in Junction City is a way to introduce people to the cultures of the Northern European people. The festival does so by dedicating each day to a different nationality: Thursday is Norwegian Day, Friday is Swedish Day, Saturday is Danish Day and Sunday is Finnish Day. The festival will feature three stages of entertainment, including folk dancers, demonstrations and music. Best of all, the festival will have food from Scandinavian countries, especially for those who have a hankering for æbleskivers (pancake puffs) or lutefisk. **The 58th Annual Scandinavian Festival** will be held in downtown Junction City at 6th and Greenwood and runs 10 am to 10 pm Thursday, Aug. 9, through Saturday, Aug. 11, and 10 am to 8pm on Sunday, Aug. 12. — *Henry Houston*



Guys & Dolls, 7:30 today, tomorrow & 7/28, 7/29 & 3pm 7/22 & 7/28, Jaqua Concert Hall, The Shedd Institute, E. Broadway & High St., theshedd.org.

Jumanji screening, 7:30pm, Willamalane Park, 1276 G St., Spfd. FREE.

Movies in the Park: *Coco*, 9-11pm, Washington Park. FREE.

SATURDAY, 7/21

Stories in the Park, 10am, Dorris Ranch, Spfd. FREE.

Suburban Homecraft: Sourdough Bread, 10am-noon, Shelton McMurphey Johnson House, 303 Willamette St. \$25.

Teddy Bear Picnic, 11am-noon, Campbell Community Ctr Lawn. FREE.

Sand Master Jam, sandboard competition, 2-5pm, Sand Master Park, 5351 Hwy 101, Florence, 541-997-6006, sandmasterpark.com. FREE.

Eugene Symphony in the Park, 8pm, Cuthbert Amphitheater. FREE w/ ticket.

Movies in the Park: *The Incredibles*, 9-11pm, Arrowhead Park. FREE.

Summer Rowing Camp through 8/4, Dexter Lake. For more informamtion: southeguenerowingclub.org.

Obsidians: Three Fingered Jack/ P.C.T. Hike 14.4 miles, reg. at obsidians.org.

SUNDAY, 7/22

Race For The Ace , 9am, Riverbend Annex, Spfd. \$25. eclecticcedgeracing.com.

Oregon Tuba Ensemble, 6:30-7:30pm, Washburne Park. FREE.

Obsidians: Annual Beach Barefoot hike Hike 4 miles, reg. at obsidians.org.

MONDAY, 7/23

Girl Circus Eugene Summer Camp, 9am-noon through 7/27, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave. \$125.

Rockin' Stories, Music & Art w/ Librarian Taylor, 6:30-7:30pm, Spfd Public Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Eugene Symphony Cottage Grove Concert, 7:30pm, Bohemia Park. FREE.

TUESDAY, 7/24

Farmers Market Family Day, 11am-1pm, Park Blocks. FREE.

Drag Queen Reading Hour w/ Facisha Farce, noon-1pm, Park Blocks. FREE.

Emeralds vs. Salem-Keizer, 7:05pm through 7/26, PK Park, UO. \$12-\$15.

WEDNESDAY, 7/25

Eugene Biennial Juried Show opening reception, noon-5:30pm, Karin Clarke Gallery, 760 Willamette St. FREE.

Teens: Bead Jewelry, 2pm, downtown library. FREE.

Concerts in the Park: Blue Mountaineers, 6:30-8:30pm, Bohemia Park Amphitheater 101 S. 10th St., Cottage Grove. FREE.

Dina y los rumberos, 6:30pm, Island Park, 200 W B St., Spfd. FREE.

Jackson Browne, 7pm, Cuthbert Amphitheater. \$46-\$76.

Obsidians: Trail Maintenance 2 miles, reg. at obsidians.org.

THURSDAY, 7/26

Teens: Bead Jewelry, get creative w/ Angela Less of Harlequin Beads, 11am, Bethel library branch, FREE. 3pm, Sheldon library branch. FREE.

Springstitch: A Community Crafting Group, 4:30-6pm, Spfd Public Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Eric Stern, Party on the Plaza, 5:30-6:15pm, Hult Ctr Plaza. FREE.

Obsidians: Maxwell Butte Hike 9.6 miles, reg. at obsidians.org.

FRIDAY, 7/27

Blackberry Jam Festival, community event featuring music, crafts, food, car show, fishing derby, quilt show, parade, pie-eating contest & more. 5-10pm today; 10am-10pm Sat.; 12-4pm Sun. Fishing Derby begins at daylight each day. Rolling Rock Park, Lowell. FREE.

Rock Type Pokémon Scavenger Hunt, 2-4pm, Spfd Public Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Visual Arts Festival Opening, 5:30-8pm, downtown.

Breakfast at the Bike Bridges, 7-9:30am, Buck Street Bridge, Fern Ridge Path & Buck St. FREE.

TajMo: Taj Mahal w/ Keb' Mo' Band w/ Alicia Michilli, 7pm, Cuthbert Amphitheater. \$35-\$50.

Vial\$experiment, One Gun Shy, Shanoa & Hyding Jekyll, 7pm, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave. \$10-\$12.

Movies in the Park: *Karate Kid* (1984), 9-11pm, Churchill Park. FREE.

SATURDAY, 7/28

Children's Celebration 10am, Island Park, Spfd. FREE w/ canned food donation for FOOD For Lane County.

McKenzie River Whitewater Rafting Trip, 10am-5pm, Forest Glen County Boat Landing, mckenzieriver.org. \$50.

Suburban Homecraft: Cheese Making, 10am-noon, Shelton McMurphey Johnson House, 303 Willamette St. \$25.

WOW Hall Rummage Sale, 11am-5pm today & tomorrow, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave. FREE.

Winetasia presented by Northwest Community Credit Union for Kids FIRST, 6-10pm, Silvan Ridge Winery. \$75.

Christopher Leebrick: Stories that Shake, Rattle, & Roll, 6:30-7:30pm, Spfd Public Library, 225 5th St., Spfd. FREE.

Movies in the Park: *Inkheart*, 9-11pm, Maurie Jacobs Park. FREE.

SUNDAY, 7/29

Eugene Sunday Streets & EUG Parade, 10:30am-4pm, downtown Eugene. FREE.

63rd Annual Fern Ridge Beef Pit BBQ, silent/ oral auctions, bingo, cash raffle, farm & garden booth, free kids games, show cars, beer/wine/ hard cider, live music with Coup de Ville, 12-5pm, St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church, 25181 E. Broadway, Veneta, 935-3993, Facebook & fernridgebeefpitbbq.com. FREE admission, dinner prices adults \$15; seniors \$13; child \$7.

Sunday Streets, walk, bike & roll on car-free streets, live music, food carts, beer garden, 12-4pm, 4-8pm after party, downtown. FREE.

Sergei Teleshev & Family, accordion, 6:30-7:30pm, Washburne Park. FREE.

MONDAY, 7/30

New work by Yuji Hiratsuka, collages & etchings, White Lotus Gallery, 767 Willamette St. FREE.

Musicas Edge Summer Rock Camp, 9:30am-3pm through 8/3, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave.

TUESDAY, 7/31

Creating Connections: Sharing Stories Together, 7:15-8:45pm, Petersen Barn Community Ctr. FREE.

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WEDNESDAY, 8/1

My Band ft. Darlene Jackson, 6-9pm, Mac's Nightclub & Restaurant, 1626 Willamette St. FREE.

The Kox perform, 6:30pm, Island Park, 200 W B St., Spfd. FREE.

Oregon Festival of American Music presents Giants of the Classic Songbook, 11 historic popular music & jazz concerts w/ films & talks, through 8/11, The Shedd, theshedd.org/ OFAM2017, 541-434-7000. \$9.50-\$364.25.

Outdoor Family Film- *Coco*, 8:30pm, Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, UO Campus. Reservations requested, 541-346-6410. FREE.

Emeralds vs. Spokane, 7:05pm through 8/5, PK Park, UO. \$12-\$15.



Picture yourself sitting on a patio listening to some of the finest jazz music in Oregon as the wind sweeps some of the McKenzie River coolness across your face on a warm, summer day. **Roaring Rapids Pizza Company** is making this a reality with the 2018 Roaring Rapids Pizza Company Summer Music Fest. The summer concert series will invite musicians from the Eugene-Springfield area and Portland to their riverside patio to showcase music in an accessible and relaxed environment. Musical groups Jessie Smith's Big Band, a collection of Northwest jazz musicians, who play their own big band music led by local alto sax player Jessika Smith. The Portland Jazz Composers Ensemble, consisting of nine seasoned musicians, will take over the patio, as well as Roger Woods' Octet, which will feature longtime Eugene saxophonist and writer and arranger Roger Woods with seven all-star friends. Roaring Rapids Pizza Company's Summer Music Fest runs Tuesday, July 10, through Thursday, Aug. 30. Roaring Rapids is located at 4006 Franklin Boulevard. See the full line up at roaringrapidspizza.com. FREE. — *Henry Houston*