

WHAT'S HAPPENING

THURSDAY OCTOBER 11

SUNRISE 7:22AM; SUNSET 6:44PM
AVG. HIGH 67; AVG. LOW 41

ART/CRAFT Robert Canaga: Smaller Works, 11am-5pm, Whiteaker Printmakers, 1328 W. 2nd Ave. FREE

"Zone 4 All," non-juried show, noon-6pm, New Zone Gallery, 220 W. 8th Ave. FREE

Thirst 2 Create Paint Party, "TWO RAVENS!," 6-8:30pm, Thinking Tree Spirits, 88 Jackson St. \$35.

FARMERS MARKETS The Corner Market, fresh local produce, noon-6pm today, tomorrow, Saturday & Thursday, Oct. 11 & Sunday 10am-4pm, 295 River Rd., 541-513-4527. FREE

South Valley Farmers Market, 4-7pm, 7th & Main St, Cottage Grove. FREE

FILM Plank Town Presents Springfilm On the Move October Free Film: *The Lady Vanishes*, 6:30-8:30pm, Wildish Theater, 630 Main St. FREE

GATHERINGS Overeaters Anonymous, 7-8am today, Tuesday & Thursday, First Christian Church, 1236 Oak St. (541-686-6622 24 hrs. in advance for building code) oaeugene.org. FREE or don.

NAMI Lane County Friendship Group, 10am-noon, Jack Sprats, 510 E. Main St., Cottage Grove. FREE

Downtown Public Speakers Toastmasters Club, drop-ins welcome, noon-1:05pm today

& Thursday, Oct. 18, Les Lyle Conference rm., 4th fl. Wells Fargo Bldg., 99 E. Broadway Ave., 541-485-1182. FREE

NAMI Connection Support Group for people w/mental health issues, 1-2:30pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, 2411 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. FREE

Hearing Voices and Extreme States Discussion/Support Group, 1-2:30pm, Lane Independent Living Alliance, 20 E. 13th Ave. FREE

NAMI Mindfulness Group, 4-5pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, NAMI Resource Ctr., 2411 Martin Luther King Blvd., 541-520-3096. FREE

Men's Meet Up, for survivors of sexual assault, self-identified men 18+, 4:30-6pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, SASS, 591 W. 19th Ave. FREE

Quarterly meeting, 100+Wom-enWhoCare, 5:30-7pm, Oregon Research Institute, 1776 Mill-race Dr. FREE

Intro to Raspberry Pi, 5:30pm, Eugene Downtown Library, 100 W. 10th Ave. FREE

Lane County NAMI LGBTQIA+ Connection Group, 6-7:30pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, HIV Alliance, 1195A City View St. FREE

The Lost Art of Good Conversation, 6:30-8pm, Open Sky Shambhala, 783 Grant St. \$5.

How Big is Your Network? Get Connected, 6pm, 100 W. 10th Ave. FREE

Emerald Photographic Society Club Meeting, 6:45pm today &

Thursday, Oct. 11, Northwood Christian Church, 2425 Harvest Ln., Spfd. FREE

NAMI Lane County's Friends & Family Support Group, 7-8:30pm, NAMI Resource Ctr., 2411 Martin Luther King Blvd. FREE

Atheist, Agnostics & Free Thinker AA, 12-Step Meeting, 7-8pm today & Thursday, Oct. 11, Unitarian Universalist Church, 2385 W. 13th Ave., 541-953-5119. FREE

NAMI Lane County's Friends and Family Support Group, 7pm, Nami Resource Ctr., 2411 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. FREE

HEALTH White Bird now offers free walk-in counseling & referral, 5:30-7:30pm today & Saturday, downtown library. FREE

KIDS/FAMILIES Babies-Toddlers Storytime, 4pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, 11am Wednesdays, Goose Resale, 1075 Chambers, 541-343-1300. FREE

Family STEAM, enjoy hands-on fun & learning together w/ science, technology, etc., 4pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Eugene Public Library Bethel Branch. FREE

Table Tennis for kids, 4:45-6:15pm today, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 18, Boys & Girls Club, 1545 W. 22nd St., eugenettclub.com or 541-515-2861. FREE w/ membership.

LECTURES/CLASSES Chair Yoga for the elderly, 10-11am today, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 18, St.

Thomas Episcopal Church, 1465 Coburg Rd. Don.

Talks at the MNCH, 2pm today through Sunday, Tuesday through Thursday, Museum of Natural & Cultural History, 2380 E. 15th Ave., natural-history.uoregon.edu. FREE w/price of museum admission.

Shana Moulton: "Welcome to Whispering Pines," 6pm, Lawrence Hall, room 177, 1190 Franklin Blvd. FREE

ON THE AIR "The Point," current local issues, arts, stories, 9-9:30am, today, tomorrow & Monday through Thursday, Oct. 11, KPOV 88.9FM.

"What a Long Strange Trip It's Been w/ Wally Bowen," 7-8pm, KOFC 92.5 FM.

"Arts Journal," current local arts, 9-10pm today & Thursday, Oct. 11. Comcast channel 29.

Thursday Night Jazz w/David Gizara, 10pm today & Thursday, Oct. 11, KLCC 89.7FM.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION

Pool Hall for seniors, 8:30am-4:30pm today, tomorrow & Monday through Thursday, Oct. 18, Campbell Community Ctr., 155 High St. \$0.25.

Lunchtime Running Group, 3-4 miles, 12:15-12:45pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18 Tap & Growler, 207 E. 5th Ave. FREE

Duplicate Bridge, 1pm today, Sunday, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 18; 9:30am Monday; 6:30pm Wednesday, Emerald Bridge Club, 1782 Centennial Blvd., Spfd. \$8.

Centennial chess club, 5-8pm today, Friday, Saturday & Thursday, Oct. 18, Centennial Market, 651 W. Centennial Blvd., Spfd. RSVP 541-912-9061. FREE

Cribbage Tournament, 5:30-7:30pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Max's Tavern, 550 E. 13th Ave. \$2.

Tai Chi, 5:30-6:30pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Willamalane Adult Activity Ctr., 215 W. C St., Spfd. FREE drop in.

Board Game Night, 6-11pm today, Tuesday & Thursday, Oct. 18, Funagain Games, 1280 Willamette St. FREE

Categorically Correct Trivia w/ Elliot Martinez, 6:30-8pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Oregon Wine LAB. FREE

Adult intro to ki-aikido, 7pm Today, Monday & Thursday, Oct. 18, OKS, 1071 W. 7th. FREE

WDYK Trivia w/Alan, 7pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Gateway Grill, 3198 Gateway St., Spfd., 541-653-8876. FREE

WDYK Trivia w/Stephanie, 7pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, El Tapatio, 725 E. Gibbs Ave., Cottage Grove, 541-767-0457. FREE

Cards Against Humanity w/ Quincy, 9-11pm, Twisted Duck, 533 W. Centennial Blvd. FREE

Quizzo Pub Trivia w/Dr. Seven Phoenix, 9pm, Level Up, 1290 Oak St. FREE

WDYK Trivia w/Kevin, 9pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Side Bar, 2380 Coburg Rd., #108. FREE

Blazing Paddles, table tennis club (ping pong), We welcome all ages & skill levels, drop-ins welcome, paddles provided, varying hours today through Thursday, Oct. 18, check website for times & occasional cancellations, lanetabletennis.net. \$5.

SOCIAL DANCE Line Dance Lessons, 6-8pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, The Blind Pig Bar, 2750 Roosevelt Blvd. FREE

Crossroads Blues Fusion, beginning & intermediate blues dancing lessons, 7-8pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, open dance 8-11:30pm, Vet's Club, 2320 Willamette St. \$6-\$10, work-trade available.

English & Scottish Country Dancing, 7pm, Vet's Club, 1626 Willamette St. \$7.

Fall Dance Sampler Series, Tango, 7:30pm, In Shape Athletic Club, 2681 Willamette St. \$10.

Music & Dance Workshops w/ Taller de Son Jarocho, 7pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, American Legion Hall, 3650 River Rd. FREE

SPIRITUAL Zen Meditation Group, 7-8am today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Blue Cliff Zen Ctr., 439 W. 2nd Ave. FREE

Refuge Recovery, 7-8:30pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Unitarian Universalist, 2385 W. 13th Ave., rm. 6. FREE

Zen Meditation, 7-8:45pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Zen West, 981 Fillmore St., zenwesteugene@gmail.com. FREE

THEATER *THE SLOTH*: True stories, told live, 7-8pm today & Thursday, Oct. 18, Atrium Bldg., 99 W. 10th Ave. FREE

Fun Home, 7:30pm. Oregon Contemporary Theatre, 194 W. Broadway. \$20.

Shrek the Musical, 8pm, Cottage Theatre, 700 Village Dr., Cottage Grove. \$15-25.

No Shame Theatre Workshop, 8-9:30pm, Atrium Bldg., 99 W. 10th Ave., FREE

Monique La Faye's Drag Battle, 9pm, The Drake, 77 W. Broadway. FREE

FRIDAY OCTOBER 12

SUNRISE 7:23AM; SUNSET 6:32PM
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ART/CRAFT Dia de los Muertos Exhibit, 10am-5:30pm, Maude Kerns Art Ctr., 1910 E. 15th Ave. FREE

2nd Friday Art Walk, 5-8pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Ctr., 215 W. C St., Spfd. FREE

Clay Fest, 5-8pm, Lane Events Ctr., 796 W. 13th Ave. FREE

"Zone 4 All," non-juried show continues. See Thursday, Oct. 11.

BENEFIT Highlights & Harmony Gala, 6-9pm, Valley River Inn, 1000 Valley River Way, benefit

Classical music can be intimidating with all those wild strings, blasting horns and temperamental composers. But it's more than just pretty noise. There's logic to the art. **Symphony Happy Hour** has Eugene Symphony music director and conductor Francesco Lecce-Chong breaking down the upcoming concert: "Beethoven and Bernstein." The Oct. 18 concert features Beethoven's *Symphony No. 8*, Leonard Bernstein's *Symphony No. 2* and David Schiff's *Stomp*. If you're looking for drink ideas, Beethoven's favorite drink was wine and Bernstein drank lots of Scotch. Since it's a happy hour, it's appropriate to have a few drinks and really immerse yourself in the works of the upcoming concert. And, unlike a performance, you can leave or arrive whenever you want. However, you could also stick around and mobilize some of the knowledge you gained from the Symphony Happy Hour by signing up for a slot in Rudy "The King" Korv's open mic Mondays. The event is held at the First National Taphouse, located at 51 W. Broadway Avenue on Monday, Oct. 15. Get started with drinks at 5 to 5:30 pm with the presentation starting at 5:30 pm. FREE. — *Henry Houston*

