

what's happening

As recently as 50 years ago, the Snake River and its tributaries were among the world's greatest salmon rivers. No more. A series of hydroelectric dams along the once majestic and free-flowing water way has made it all but impossible for salmon, especially Columbia basin Chinook, to swim to the Pacific and to the orcas who feed off them. Now both animals face extinction. This is the basis of **Dammed to Extinction**, a one-hour film playing Saturday. *Dammed to Extinction*, based on a chapter of Steven Hawley's 2011 book *Recovering a Lost River*, played at the recent Eugene Environmental Film Festival. The film's co-sponsors are the Sierra Club, the Rachel Carson Academy at Churchill High School, Cascadia Wildlands and Earthkeepers as well as a coalition of church environmental groups. The director Steve Hawley will be available for questions after the movie, and Jeff Ziller of the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife will offer an update on the upper Willamette spring Chinook and the dams blocking them from their spawning grounds.

Dammed to Extinction, a one-hour film with discussion to follow, is 7 pm, Saturday, Nov. 23 at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 1685 W. 13th Ave. FREE.

— Dan Buckwalter



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THURSDAY

NOVEMBER 21

SUNRISE 7:15AM; SUNSET 4:40PM
AVG. HIGH 48; AVG. LOW 35

ART/CRAFT Patricia Carroll & Sadie Smith (landscapes acrylic on canvas or panel & mono-prints acrylic paintings, reduction lino-cuts, and etchings), Cafe Soriah, 384 W. 13th Ave. FREE

DANCE English & Scottish Dancing, 7pm, Vets' Club, 1626 Willamette St. First time FREE, then \$9.

Love Heals All Wounds, 7:30pm, Hult Ctr. \$25-67.

-Haven- A Safe Space to Rock out to that 4 to the Floor!, 9pm, Cowfish Dance Club, 62 W. Broadway. FREE

FILM Movies at Maude's: *The Radiant Child*, 7pm, Maude Kerns Art Ctr, 1910 E. 15th Ave. FREE

FOOD/DRINK Drink and Draw, 5pm, Oakshire, 207 Madison St. FREE

Trivia Night, 7pm, Claim 52 Kitchen, 1203 Willamette St. FREE

GATHERINGS Rally To Tell Gov. Brown: The Time is NOW to Stop Jordan Cove LNG, 11am, First United Methodist Church, 1376 Olive St. FREE

Hearing Voices & Different Realities Discussion & Support Group, 1pm, Lane Independent Living Alliance (LILA), 20 E. 13th Ave. FREE

NAMI Connection Group (Peer Support), 1pm, Lane County Behavioral Health Services, 2411 MLK Jr Blvd. FREE

Retired Senior Providers of Lane County, 2pm, Sheldon Oaks Retirement, 2525 Cal Young Rd. FREE

NAMI Mindfulness Group, 4pm, NAMI Resource Ctr, 2411 MLK Jr Blvd. FREE

NAMI LGBTQIA+ Connection Group, 6pm, Lane County Behavioral Health Services, 2411 MLK Jr Blvd. FREE

Death Cafe (conversation around death in relaxed environment), 7pm, NAMI Resource Ctr, 2411 MLK Jr Blvd. FREE

KIDS/FAMILY Music & Movement Storytime, 10:15am & 11:15am, downtown library, 100 W. 10th Ave. FREE

Little Family Yoga - Fall Season, 10:30am, Spfd Public Library, 225 5th St, ste. 301. FREE

Family STEAM, 4pm, Eugene Public Library Bethel Branch. FREE

All Ages Game Night, 5-7pm drop-in, downtown library, 100 W 10th Ave. FREE

NAMI Family Support Group, 5pm, NAMI Resource Ctr., 2411 MLK Jr Blvd. FREE

LECTURES/CLASSES Walk & Talk, 2pm, Museum of Natural & Cultural History, 1680 E. 15th Ave. FREE w/ gen. admission.

The Ethical Choices of Whales: Bowheads, Hunters, and the Nature of History, 3:30pm, Knight Library Browsing Rm (UO). FREE

Julie Rodrigues Widholm: Expanding the Canon: A Call for Curatorial Activism in 21st Century Museums,

4:15pm, Lawrence Hall, Rm 115 (UO).

Abstract Poppies: Let's get our paint on, 6pm, Hop Valley Brewing Co., 990 W. 1st Ave. \$40.

Thirst 2 Create Paint Party: Yggdrasil, Tree Of Life!, 6pm, Viking Braggot Co. Brewery & Taproom, 520 Commercial St Unit F. \$35.

LITERARY ARTS Colette Tennant, professor of English at Corban University, Salem, author of *Religion in the Handmaid's Tale: A Brief Guide*, 7pm, Tsunami Books, 2585 Willamette St. FREE

ON THE AIR "The Point," 9am, KOPV, 88.0 FM

"Arts Journal," 9pm, Comcast channel 29.

Thursday Night Jazz, 10pm, KLCC, 89.7 FM

OUTDOORS/RECREATION

Pool Hall for Seniors, 8:30am, Campbell Community Ctr, 155 High St. FREE-\$5.

Duplicate Bridge, 1pm, Emerald Bridge Club, 1782 Centennial Blvd. \$8.

Categorically Correct Trivia w/ Elliot Martinez, 6:30pm, Oregon Wine LAB, 488 Lincoln St. FREE

Trivia Night, 7pm, Claim 52 Kitchen, 1203 Willamette St. FREE

SPIRITUAL Zen Meditation, 7am, Blue Cliff Ctr, 439 W. 2nd Ave. FREE

THEATER *The Sloth Storytelling Hour*, 7pm, Atrium Bldg, 99 W. 10th Ave. FREE

The Family Treasure, 7:30pm, LCC, Blue Door Theatre. \$3-10.

The Thanksgiving Play, 7:30pm, Oregon Contemporary Theatre, 194 W. Broadway. Tickets start at \$20.

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

FRIDAY

NOVEMBER 22

SUNRISE 7:16AM; SUNSET 4:40PM
AVG. HIGH 48; AVG. LOW 35

ART/CRAFT Handmade Country Christmas Bazaar, 10am-5pm today and Saturday, Elmira Grange, 88764 Sprague Rd, Elmira. FREE

Holiday Artist Studio Sale, 4-7pm today, 11am-4pm on Saturday, hand-made items including photo books, cards, collage, lavender sachets & silk kimono purses. 1140 W. 20th Ave. FREE

Simon Graves Solo Exhibition (thru Nov. 29), opening reception, 5pm, WOW Hall, 291 W. 8th Ave. FREE

DANCE International Folk Dance for Seniors, 2pm, Willamalane Adult Activity Ctr, 251 C St. \$1.

Everybody Freek! Dance Party w/ DJ SPOC-3PO, 8:30pm, Cowfish Dance Club, 62 W. Broadway. FREE

FILM *Vaccines, Autoimmunity & Changing Nature of Childhood Disease*, 6pm, Natural Grocers, 201 Coburg Rd. FREE

FOOD/DRINK Community Salmon Bake, 5pm, Lane Longhouse at LCC, 4000 E. 30th Ave. FREE

Noble Friday Nights, 5pm, Noble Estate Urban, 560 Commercial St. FREE

Wolf Tree Can Party, 5pm, The Bier Stein, 1591 Willamette St. FREE

GATHERINGS Food Not Bombs, serving 3-5pm, Park Blocks, E. 8th Ave. & Oak St. FREE

No 5G! Families for Safe Technology, meeting for talk & film, 5pm, Friends Meeting House, 2274 Onyx St. FREE

Light Up Downtown, 5:15pm, Park Blocks, E. 8th Ave. & Oak St. FREE

Friday Night Writes - NaNoWriMo Edition!, 6pm, Wordcrafters, 425 Lincoln St. \$5-10.

Tiny House 4th Friday Potluck, 7pm, McNail-Riley House, 601 W. 13th Ave. FREE

KIDS/FAMILY Baby Storytime, 10:15am & 11:15am, downtown library, 100 W. 10th Ave. FREE

Family Storytime, 10:15am, Eugene Public Library Bethel Branch & Sheldon Branch. FREE

Build It, 11am-5pm, Eugene Public Library, Bethel Branch. FREE

LECTURES/CLASSES Dynamic Young Minds Older Baby Class- Increase your baby's sensory skills and developmental abilities, 11am, Celebration Belly Dance & Yoga Studio, 1840 Willamette St, ste. 206. \$16-140.

Gratitude, 6pm, First Presbyterian Church Friendship Hall, 216 S. 3rd St, Cottage Grove.

Hiking in Oregon's Willows/Elkhorn Mountains, 6:30pm, Obsidian Lodge, 2250 E. 29th Ave. FREE

Walk & Talk at MNCH continues. See Thursday, Nov. 21.

ON THE AIR FireWalker Radio w/ Benny Cosmic & Cruzen, KEOW, 97.3 FM

OUTDOORS/RECREATION Viking Bingo!, 8pm, Viking Braggot Co. Southtowne, 2490 Willamette St. FREE

SPIRITUAL Refuge Recovery meeting, 7pm, Open Sky Shambhala, 783 Grant St. FREE

Zen Meditation, 7pm, Blue Cliff Zen Ctr, 439 W. 2nd Ave. FREE

THEATER Disney's *Beauty & The Beast*, 7:30pm, Actors Cabaret of Eugene, 996 Willamette St. \$17-51.95.

Tartuffe by Molière, 7:30pm, Miller Theatre Complex (UO). FREE-\$10.

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SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 23

SUNRISE 7:17AM; SUNSET 4:39PM
AVG. HIGH 48; AVG. LOW 35

ART/CRAFT ARTful Delights Holiday Show, 11am-5pm, McMillan Spring Studio, 2106 McMillan St. & Catherine Imo Studio, 396 Dellwood Dr. FREE

Handmade Country Christmas Bazaar continues. See Friday.

Holiday Artist Studio Sale continues. See Friday.

COMEDY Bleepin Funny Comedy!, 5:30pm, Sam