

Monkey's Paw, 420 Main St., Spfd. N/C.

**Upstate Quartet**, jam, funk, 9pm, Sam Bond's, 407 Blair Blvd. \$10.

**Outdoors/Recreation**

**Starry Nights Light Walk in the Bamboo Forest**, 5-8:30pm, Parker Learning Gardens, 31241 Lanes Turn Rd. \$10.

**Fun Friday Goat Yoga™ Holiday Edition**, 6-7pm, No Regrets Flower Farm & Animal Sanctuary, 26641 Bellfountain Rd., Monroe. \$28.

**Spiritual**

**Recovery Dharma Buddhist Recovery Meeting**, 10-11:30am, Jesco Club, 340 Blair Blvd. FREE.

**Theater**

**Anne of Green Gables**, 7pm, Willamette High School-Powers Auditorium, 1801 Echo Hollow Rd. \$5-7.

**NEHS: The Outsiders**, 7pm, North Eugene High School, 200 Silver Ln. \$7-10.

**Alice in Wonderland**, 7:30pm, The Wildish Theater, 630 Main St., Spfd. Don.

**CATS**, 7:30-10:15pm, Actors Cabaret of Eugene, 996 Wilamette. \$21-59.

**Frankenstein: Playing with Fire**, 7:30pm, Hope Theatre, Miller Theatre Complex, 1231 University of Oregon. FREE-\$10.

**Side Man**, 7:30-9:30pm, The Very Little Theatre, 2350 Hilyard St. \$20-26.

**Small Mouth Sounds**, 7:30pm, Lane Community College, 4000 E. 30th Ave. FREE.

**Dreaming of a Smokey Christmas: A Benefit Variety Show for Smokey Quartz**, 8pm, 255 Madison, 255 Madison St. \$15.



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**NOV 25**

Feeling generous? You're in luck, because Eugene is getting its first ever **Giving Machine!** The Giving Machine provided by Light the World — a ministry of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints — allows you to donate to a local or international nonprofit with the swipe of a card and the press of a button, just like a vending machine. To celebrate the launch, there will be a ribbon cutting ceremony at the Valley River Center on Monday, Nov. 25, just in time for Thanksgiving. In attendance at the ribbon cutting will be Eugene Mayor-elect Kaarin Knudson; District 4 Commissioner Pat Farr; singer-songwriter Evynne Hollens; Olympic shot putter Jaida Ross; Olympic middle-distance runner Klaudia Kazimierska; and Dino Philyaw, former running back and kick returner for the Oregon Ducks, Carolina Panthers and New Orleans Saints. Local nonprofits featured in that big red box (not to be confused with a *Eugene Weekly* newsstand) are FOOD For Lane County, ShelterCare, CASA, Catholic Community Services of Lane County and Community Sharing. Donations go directly to the organization you're giving to; 100 percent of it! There are also plenty of international organizations to choose from. Don't worry if you miss the ribbon cutting ceremony, as the Giving Machine will be ready and waiting for donations until Dec. 15. — *Emma J Nelson*

The Giving Machine launch is 9 am Monday, Nov. 25, near Kay Jeweler's, 259 Valley River Center. FREE.

**November 23**

**SATURDAY**

**Art/Craft**

**Figure Art Session**, 10am-1pm, Lane Community College, 4000 E. 30th Ave. \$8-60.

**Cat Lounge Paint Pen Party**, 3-4pm & 4-5pm, Eugene Spfd. Cat Lounge, 537 W. Centennial Blvd. \$25.

**Benefits**

**The Kind Hop for SPOT**, 2-9pm, The Kind Hop, 2023 River Rd.

**The Cypress Home Duo Concert for Community Supported Shelters**, 7:30pm, Unity of the Valley, 3912 Dillard Rd. \$20.

**Comedy**

**Jason Mewes**, 9:30pm, Olsen Run Comedy Club, 44 E. 7th Ave. \$25-50.

**Farmers Markets**

**Lane County Farmers Market**, 9am-3 pm, Farmers Market Pavilion & Plaza, 85 E. 8th Ave.

**Film**

**The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca**, 10am, Art House, 492 E. 13th Ave. \$18-26.

**Food/Drink**

**Adventure! Children's Museum Tea**, 11am-1pm & 2:30-4:30pm, Shelton McMurphey Johnson House, 303 Willamette. \$30-35.

**Gatherings**

**Overeaters Anonymous**, 9:30-10:30am, Unitarian Universalist Church, 1685 W. 13th Ave. FREE.

**TransParent Group**, 11am-noon, Theo's Coffee House, 199 W. 8th Ave., ste. 1. FREE.

**Trans Community Support Group**, 3:30-5pm. Email Info@TransPonder.Community for link. FREE.

**Kids/Family**

**Scavenger Hunt Bingo**, 9am-3pm, Farmers Market Pavilion, 85 E. 8th Ave. FREE.

**Family Storytime**, 9:45am & 10:30am & 11:15am, Downtown Eugene Public Library. FREE.

**Baby & Toddler Storytime**, 10:15am, Bethel Branch of Eugene Public Library, 1990 Echo Hollow Rd. FREE.

**Acorn Circle: Learning About Our Indigenous People**, 1-2pm, Siuslaw Public Library, 1460 9th St., Florence. FREE.

**Family Day**, 1pm, PLAY Eugene, 232 W. 5th St. FREE.

**Take Me Back to the '80s Skate Party**, 3-5pm, Bob Keefer Ctr., 250 S. 32nd St., Spfd. \$8-11.

**Lectures/Classes**

**Talk Time: Practice Conversational English**, 10:30am, Downtown Eugene Public Library. FREE.

**Make it! Workshop: Solar Animal Lights**, 11am-2pm, Bring Recycling, 4446 Franklin Blvd. \$10-15.

**Djembe Drumming for Beginners**, 1-2pm, Djembe Trading Post, 1740 W. 10th Ave. \$10.

**Literary Arts**

**Meet the Creators of BACKFLASH**, 2-4pm, Books With Pictures Eugene, 296 E. 5th Ave., ste. 224. FREE.

**Markets**

**Fern Ridge Holiday Bazaar**, 9am-7pm, The Emporium Veneta, 87980 Territorial Hwy, Veneta.

**McKenzie River Artisans Harvest Faire**, 10am-5pm, Vida Community Ctr., 90377 Thomson Ln., Vida.

**Whiteaker Holiday Market**, 1-5pm, Hop Valley Tasting Room, 990 W. 1st Ave.

**Music**

**Timothy Patrick**, blues, rock, folk, 1-5pm, High Pass Winery, 24757 Lavell Rd., Junction City. N/C.

**Jessica LaMotte**, singer-songwriter, 2pm, Sarver Winery, 25600 Mayola Ln. N/C.

**Janet & Big Sue**, bluegrass, 6-8pm, Arable Brewing Co, 510 Conger St. N/C.

**Live Music**, 6-8pm, Oakshire Public House, 207 Madison St. N/C.

**Outlandish d'Amour**, The Police tribute, 7-9pm, Gratitude Brewing, 540 E. 8th Ave. N/C.

**Willamette Valley Symphony: Young Musicians Showcase**, 7pm, Russell Tripp Performance Ctr., 6500 Pacific Blvd SW, Albany. N/C-\$20.

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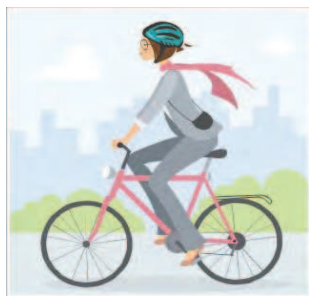
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