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ACROSS

- 1 Debate, with "out"
- 5 How some TV series are sold
- 10 Use a witching rod
- 15 Travel with Sinbad, say
- 19 "Come me, all ye that labor . . .'
- 20 Port of Puerto Rico
- 21 Tony-winning Andrew Lloyd Webber musical
- 22 Children's TV character who refers to himself in the third person
- 23 Need rural real estate investor to ...
- 25 Need retail marketer to
- 27 Where to begin
- 28 Peaceful
- 30 Kind of oil
- 31 Projector unit
- 33 Characters in "The Hobbit"
- 34 Militant grp. in a 1994 peace agreement
- 35 Chrome alternative
- 38 Newspaper section, for short
- 40 See 44-Across
- 44 What a 40-Across produces in the summer
- 45 Need cocktail waitress to ...
- 49 Photocopier option: Abbr.
- 50 Constellation between Perseus and
- 52 Starting or ending point for a commuter: Abbr.
- 53 Luxury rental
- 54 Polo of "Meet the Parents"
- 55 Bit of sauce
- 56 Need bakery assistant to
- 61 Track runner
- 62 "Get lost!"
- 64 Vicious
- 65 Biblical mount that can be seen from three countries
- 66 Stockpiles
- 68 Be that as it may

- 69 Acting monarch
- 71 What a chair might provide
- 73 Sudden twist
- 76 Entered uninvited
- 79 Maguire of "The Great Gatsby"
- 80 Need cruise ship band to ...
- 82 Prefix with -graph
- 83 Take orders, say
- 84 Complain, complain, complain
- 85 Aviv
- 86 Something rolling in the dough?

- 88 Letters of interest
- 89 Need orchestra conductor to . . .
- 94 _____ gear
- 95 Chianti, e.g.
- 97 Stage of the Tour de France
- 98 Onetime "Be all you can be" sloganeer
- 100 Onetime
- 101 Beniamin of "Law & Order"
- 103 Diamond protectors
- 105 Crude house
- 108 Go over again
- 110 They can leave scars
- 114 Need blackiack dealer to
- 116 Need magician to . . .
- 118 Member of the 3,000-hit club, informally
- 119 P. C. Wren's "Beau _____"
- 120 Classical Greek theater
- 121 Like certain educational publishing
- 122 Musical pitch?
- 123 Board
- 124 Homage with humor
- 125 Flow slowly

- 1 O'Hare and Dallas/Fort Worth
- 2 "What are you, some kind of _
- 3 Bad eve sight
- 4 Tabletop cooker
- 5 Budding comic's opportunity
- 6 Free, as a bank account

- 7 Part of a forensic database
- 8 Obsolescent tape holders
- 9 Mark off?
- 10 One side in football
- 11 Like ones welcomed to the fold?
- 13 The Rams, on scoreboards
- 14 Erodes
- 15 It takes two to do this
- 17 Man of Allah

- 35 Lowercase
- 36 Cliffside home
- 37 Need stunt pilot to ...
- 39 Calf cries
- 41 Need control tower operator to ...
- 42 Parts of Roman homes
- 43 Part of a forensic database
- 46 Pumped
- 47 Coal-mining waste
- 48 One who walks on the wild side?
- 51 "Fasy there"
- 57 Magical start?

- 63 Pioneer in Impressionism
- 70 Source of a gut reaction?
- 71 Like feudal states, often
- 72 Freak out 74 Tkt. stub, e.g.

- 12 Foxiness

- 16 Bit of marine life

- 26 _____ welcome

- 40 Body opening?

- 58 Actress Salma of "Grown Ups"
- 59 Wedding or concert, e.g.
- 60 Overhear
- 65 Indian tourist mecca
- 67 Promised

- 18 Less than a full run
- 24 The "xx" of xx:yy
- 29 First name on the Supreme Court
- 32 "Warrior" actor Nick

- 54 Part of L.G.B.T., informally

- 61 Accord

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78 Jingle, e.g. 80 Campaign 81 Under attack

75 Highly emotional, in dated lingo

salts

84 Faster treat

89 Muck

90 Listen

87 Marks taken off?

92 Bull run target 93 It's up in the air 96 Is unsatisfactory 99 Lovers' row 101 Port in western France 102 Page opposite verso 104 D'Artagnan mentor

105 Deep-bodied herring

91 Suffix with cigar

106 Fill a position 107 Half of a two-volume encyclopedia, 109 Dullard 111 marker

113 Leave undone 115 When doubled, a Ramone 117 Social

112 Feel pity (for)

Encore Dance Studio celebrates 20 years Attend open house and customer-appreciation barbecue

GEARHART — The pub-: lic is invited to help kick off Encore Dance Studio's 20th anniversary season with an Anniversary Party from 4 to 6 p.m Tuesday, Aug. 25. Festivities will take place at the Gearhart studio, located at 3631 U.S. Highway 101.

All ages can enjoy a free hip-hop class at 4:30 p.m., and the tumbling room will be open to explore a fun obstacle

course and bounce house.

Instructors will be on hand to answer questions, give studio tours and help you choose the perfect classes for the fall. Dancewear will also be available for purchase. Online registration is open now at www.getyoudancing.com

This fall, Encore is offering over 70 classes per week in two locations. Choose from tap, jazz, ballet, musi-

cal theater, lyrical, tumbling, hip-hop, acro, cheer and born to entertain performing arts preschool. Classes are available for

all ages from 2.5 through adult. After school programs are available with school bus drop off, and transportation is available from Seaside Heights Elementary. For more details, visit www. getvoudancing.com or call 503-717-1637.

ASOC holds auditions for 'True West'

ASTORIA — The Astor Street Opry Company will hold auditions for its upcoming production of "True West," a play written by Sam Sheppard and to be directed by Markus Brown. Auditions will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 16 and Monday, Aug. 17.

There are parts for three men and one woman.

"True West" is a tale of brotherly love and competition, Hollywood producers and stolen toasters. It is a character study that examines the relationship between Austin, a screenwriter, and his older brother, Lee. The play is set in the kitchen of their mother's home, east of Los Angeles. Well-educated Austin is

working out a screenplay deal that he is pitching to his connection in Hollywood — until his con-man brother Lee takes over and comes up with his own big idea, stealing much more than just the neighbors' TVs. Challenges are issued, many drinks are downed and the siblings find they might not be such opposites after all. In the process, the conflict between the brothers creates a heated situation in which their roles as a successful family man and nomadic drifter are somehow reversed, and each finds himself admitting that he had somehow always wished he were in the other's shoes.

This year's ASOC fall production will be a challenging and exciting process for performers and a thought-provoking and rousing ride for audiences. For more information, call Brown at 503-741-4425 or email markusbrown@astoriawarehousing.com