

ENTERTAINMENT Update



'Magnificent Seven' April 19

The Friends of the Library will be showing the classic Western movie "The Magnificent Seven" on Sunday, April 19, at 2 p.m. at the Hood River Library.

"The Magnificent Seven" is an American western film directed by John Sturges and starring Yul Brynner, Eli Wallach and Steve McQueen. The picture is an Old West-style remake of Akira Kurosawa's Japanese-language film "Seven Samurai."

The film the "Magnificent Seven" is the inspiration for the characters' journey North in the 2015 Hood River County Reads selection, "Into the Beautiful North" by Luis Alberto Urrea.

The program is free and open to the public. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Cider Fest returns April 11

On Saturday, April 11, 19 local and regional craft cideries will gather in Hood River for the second annual Hood River Hard-Pressed Cider Fest, where there will be more than 38 ciders on tap.

Eight of the cideries are located in the Hood River area – an indication of how the Columbia Gorge region is at the epicenter of the Pacific Northwest's booming cider scene.

Event located at 3315 Stadelman Drive, Hood River, noon-6 p.m. Entry tickets \$5 (ages 14 and under are free); branded cider glass and 4 drink tokens: \$5.

Tony Smiley helps Pheasant Valley celebrate

On Saturday, April 11, Pheasant Valley Winery will be celebrating 11 years of great wine. Join them from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. for wine, food and live music, featuring Tony Smiley and his eclectic beats from 2-5 p.m. Don't miss out. Pheasant Valley Winery, 3890 Acree Dr., Hood River; 541-387-3040.

Marbach, Cook sign new book



Janet Cook

Join photographer Peter Marbach and author Janet Cook for the unveiling of their new book "Columbia River Gorge, National Scenic Area," on Wednesday, April 15 at Columbia Center for the Arts in Hood River. The book signing starts at 6:30 p.m. and a public program "Wild at Heart in the Columbia River Gorge" starts at 7 p.m. Columbia Center for the Arts, 215 Cascade Avenue, Hood River; 541-387-8877.

'Flora in Focus' April 11

Spend an afternoon focusing on the wildflowers of the Columbia River Gorge, Saturday afternoon, April 18, in a "Flora in Focus" workshop at the Columbia Gorge Discovery Center, 5000 Discovery Drive, in The Dalles. Session 1 takes you on a free "Virtual Tour Along the Riverfront Trail," from 12 to 1 p.m. Get tips from a pro during Session 2 from 1 to 5 p.m. with professional photographer Chris Carvalho in "Oh, Snap! A Wildflower Photo Workshop." Cost for Session 2 is \$30. Register online at www.gorgediscovery.org or call 541-296-8600 ext. 201.

Manimal House at Everybody's

"Since 2006, Manimalhouse has been bringing gritty, high energy funk and soul music to dance floors around the Pacific Northwest. Combining the sexy, powerful vocals of Reyna Mallare, fresh horn arrangements and non-stop energy, Manimalhouse turns every club into a house party." Catch them on Friday, April 10, starting at 9:30 p.m. at Everybody's Brewing. Everybody's Brewing, 151 E. Jewett Blvd., White Salmon, Wash; 509-637-2774.

Mark Reynolds at White Buffalo

Mark Reynolds brings Roots and Blues music to the White Buffalo wine tasting event on Thursday, April 9, from 6 to 8 p.m. Mark is a singer/song-writer who plays guitar, mandolin and slide guitar. White Buffalo Wines, 4040 Westcliff Dr., Hood River; 541-386-5534.

Brothers Gow return April 10

Touring with a brand new album titled "Reflections," the rock-jam outfit Brothers Gow have been travelling for the last seven years throughout the Western U.S. Their last show at River City Saloon was "standing room only," and their upcoming show on Friday, April 10, promises to be a repeat high-energy performance. On Saturday, April 18, get ready for The Quick & Easy Boys, promoting their new album "Follow Me Overboard." River City Saloon, 207 Cascade Ave., Hood River; 541-387-2583.

'Rufus Goes to Sea' author visits

Waucoma Bookstore is hosting children's author Kim Griswell for a book signing on Saturday, April 11, from noon-2 p.m. Griswell will be signing her new children's picture book "Rufus Goes to Sea." What does a book-loving pig like Rufus Leroy Williams III do when school lets out for the summer? He turns to his favorite stories for inspiration, of course. In "Rufus Goes to Sea," everyone's favorite pig Rufus is back and dreaming of days filled with adventure – aboard a pirate ship. Waucoma Bookstore, 212 Oak St., Hood River; 541-386-5353.

Entertainment listings can be e-mailed to jdrake@hoodrivernews.com



Photos by Jim Drake

SOUNDS AT SPRINGHOUSE

Last week singer-songwriter Ashleigh Flynn and fiddle player Katherine Claire played two sets of acoustic music featuring original and traditional folk and bluegrass tunes at the Tuesday night music series at Springhouse Cellar. Coming up on April 14, it's music duo Tim Snider and Brazilian artist Caio Andreatta. The pair just released a new album that was influenced by trips to Brazil and Spain, where they experienced Flamenco, Salsa and Afro-Cuban rhythms. On April 28, it's a solo electric show from Miss Massive Snowflake. Shows start at 6 p.m. Springhouse Cellar, 13 Railroad Ave, Hood River; 541-308-0700.

Science Pub talks come to The Dalles and Hood River

The Center for Sustainable Materials Chemistry and OSU Open Campus host the popular "science pub" series arriving soon in the Columbia River Gorge.

Science will spill out of the lab and into the bars as

University of Oregon chemist David Johnson visits Clock Tower Ales and Double Mountain Brewery and Taproom for "science pub" presentations Monday and Tuesday, April 13-14.

Johnson's talk, "Nanotech-

nology: Unveiling the Big World of the Very Small," will explore how materials barely a billionth of a meter in size are about to revolutionize such things as computer technology, renewable energy, medicine and build-

ing materials. A trivia session will begin at 6:30 p.m. Johnson's talk will start at about 6:45 p.m. The April 13 event will be at Clock Tower Ales, in The Dalles. On April 14, the event is at Double Mountain Brewery.



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PORTLAND Gay Men's Chorus performs two works Sunday at Old St. Peter's Landmark in The Dalles.

'Celebrate the Journey': Gay Men's Chorus performs Sunday

Portland Gay Men's Chorus performs at the Old St. Peter's Landmark in The Dalles on Sunday, April 12, at 3 p.m. Their concert, "Celebrate the Journey," is part of its Celebrate Oregon Tour. Celebrating its 35th anniversary, PGMC has taken concerts to Ashland and Roseburg in the Fall, Astoria during the holidays, and now travels to Pendleton and The Dalles.

"Celebrate the Journey" consists of two major works. "I Am Harvey Milk," written by Broadway composer Andrew Lipka, celebrates the life and legacy of the first openly gay man elected to public office. When asked why he wrote IAHM, Lipka said, "I am Harvey Milk just as much as you are. We are all Harvey Milk as long as we love fairness and honesty and value balance and compassion."

The second half of the concert is "A Brighter Day: Songs of Love and Hope," written by PGMC member Doug Bom and Portland Composer Scot Crandal. It celebrates progress over the last 35 years for LGBT equality.

Bom says, "If listening to this piece can move an audience to both remember the past and celebrate the future, I will be pleased with the result. This piece can encourage us to feel good in combining our lives with others and moving forward together. That would certainly brighten my day."

General admission tickets are available at the door on the day of the concert, \$10 per person, \$5 each for se-

niors (60-plus) and students (with student ID). Funds raised for this concert will stay within local communities, benefitting Gay-Straight Alliance student groups in Hood River and The Dalles.

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	6	7	3		8
	3	6		2	9
	5	2		4	1
9	7		5		3
2		4	5	7	
7		3	9		4
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Fill in all 81 squares on the puzzle with numbers 1 to 9. You can use each number 1-9 only once in each nine square section, in each horizontal line of nine squares, and in each vertical column of nine squares. The puzzle is completed when you correctly fill every square.

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