

# ENTERTAINMENT



Photos by Jim Drake

**COUNTY LINE**, featuring Matt Mesa and Kerry Williams, plays Zim's Jan. 18.

**CCA After-Hours music series starts**

New York-based singer and performance artist Robbi Kumalo will be joined by local musicians Tim Mayer, Mike Turley and Mike Groder at 5:30 p.m. on

Jan. 22 in the first After-Hours Music event hosted this winter and spring by Columbia Center for the Arts.

Suggested donation is \$10. Kumalo presents in gospel, pop and jazz in song and spoken

word. Next up on Feb. 26 is local singer-songwriter Stephanie Sweet.

**Kit Garoutte at Rivertap**

Live music coming up at Rivertap:

Friday, Jan. 17: Kit Garoutte, 6-9 p.m. (one-man band, easy listening, covers)

Sunday, Jan. 19: Sunday Night Jam featuring The Reddy Black Trio, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Rivertap, 703 E. Second St., The Dalles; 541-296-7870.

**County Line at Zim's**

Live music coming up at Zim's: Friday, Jan. 17: Al & Nolan Hare with Ben Tibbets, 7-10 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 18: County Line (Americana, country), 7-10 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 21: Tuesday Taps & Tunes with Al Hare and Kenny Olsen, 7-9 p.m.

Zim's Brau Haus, 604 E. Second St., The Dalles; 541-296-2368.

**Willie & Nelson at White Buffalo**

Bill Nielsen (acoustic guitar) and singer Lisa Nelson are known for their harmonies, performing familiar pop, rock and country tunes you can sing along to. Hear them on Thursday, Jan. 16 from 6-8 p.m. at White Buffalo.

White Buffalo Wines, 4040 Westcliff Drive, Hood River; 541-386-5534.

**Barney & the Stray Kitties at DM**

It's Barney & the Stray Kitties at Double Mountain. Featuring Barney (bass), Chris (mandolin) and Polly (guitar), the

band performs country rock and blues seasoned with tasty vocal harmonies. Catch them Thursday, Jan. 16 from 8-10 p.m. at Double Mountain.

Double Mountain Brewery 8 Fourth St., Hood River; 541-387-0042.

**Peter Marbach at HR Library Jan. 22**

Peter Marbach presents a slideshow and presentation on Wednesday, Jan. 22 at 6:30 p.m. at the Hood River County Library. His latest book, "Healing the Big River: Salmon Dreams and the Columbia River Treaty," has been described as a "masterful combination of visual storytelling and passionate essays." Marbach will be donating 50 percent of the proceeds from the sale of his book at the event to the Hood River Library.

Hood River County Library, 502 State St., Hood River; 541-386-2535.

**Jazz at Last Stop Saloon**

Live music coming up at Last Stop Saloon:

Enjoy Tuesday Night jazz at Last Stop Saloon from 5-7 p.m. with the Ati (vocal) and Rosco (guitar) Jazz Duo. Jazz continues Wednesday nights with Chic Preston and Dennis Williams from 6-8 p.m.

Last Stop Saloon, 209 E. Second St., The Dalles; 541-296-3070.

**Scot & Rebecca at Route 30**

Guitarist Scot Bergeron and bass player Rebecca Stonestreet perform "classic folk-rock tunes with a lively and energetic



**BILL NIELSEN** (along with Lisa Nelson) will play White Buffalo on Jan. 16.

sound." Catch them on Friday, Jan. 17 from 7-10 p.m. at Route 30 Bottles and Brews.

Route 30 Bottles and Brews, 317 E. Second St., The Dalles; 541-993-3155.

**The Lonely (Roy Orbison Tribute) in TD Jan. 29**

Mid-Columbia Community Concert Association welcomes The Lonely, celebrating the music of Roy Orbison, at The Dalles Civic Auditorium on Wednesday, Jan. 29 at 7 p.m. "The Lonely delivers a sensitive and dynamic tribute to the one and only Roy Orbison plus the hits of The Traveling Wilburys and The Everly Brothers," said a press release. "Veteran Mike Demers delivers a spot-on performance of Orbison's signature sound as he leads this group of musical

journeymen in their mutual and deep appreciation of the timeless music of an era."

Doors open at 6 p.m. Tickets are available at Klindt's Booksellers, Lines of Designs, online at [www.mcca.info](http://www.mcca.info), or at the door.

The Dalles Civic Auditorium, Fourth and Federal streets, The Dalles.

**Fraser, Haas play CCA Feb. 20**

Scots fiddle extraordinaire Alasdair Fraser performs with cellist Natalie Haas on Feb. 20 at Columbia Center for the Arts; tickets are \$25 and available online at [columbiarts.org](http://columbiarts.org), or at CCA Gallery and Waucoma Books.

Entertainment listings should be sent in by 5 p.m. Friday to [jdrake@hoodrivernews.com](mailto:jdrake@hoodrivernews.com). Listings run as space allows.

## 'The Vagina Monologues' opens Jan. 31 with 'Ladies Only' show

Once again, CAST brings "The Vagina Monologues," directed by Judie Hanel, to audiences in the Columbia River Gorge. Much has changed in society as well as the play since Hanel first directed the show in 2006. Sarah Savitt, publisher at The New Yorker, believes that playwright Eve Ensler's creation is still urgent, particularly

in light of the current #MeToo and Time's Up movement.

"We see talent, breadth of experience and beautiful generosity for the future of women everywhere," Ensler said.

Cast members are Leilani Gibson, Kim Robichaud, Desiree Amyx, Julie Hatfield, Kathy Williams, Irene Fields, Cynthia Yoshida and Peter

Cornelson. "I'm honored to work with a great cast that is pouring their heart and soul into this show," said Hanel.

CAST is partnering with Thrive in bringing this evening of comedy, moments of aching tragedy and a sense of female solidarity, Hanel said.

The Vagina Monologues opens on Jan. 31 with a Ladies

Only Little Black Dress event at the art center. If you attend the Little Black Dress Event, you will receive VIP seating, hearty appetizers and wine, a silent auction and much more for \$60 per person. General admission on opening night is \$30 for the show and a glass of wine. The show also runs on Feb. 1-2 and Feb. 7-9 and

admission is \$20.

Tickets are available at Co-

lumbia Center for the Arts or

Waucoma Bookstore.

**This weekend at CCA**

Jan. 18, 7 p.m. — Shakespeare Showcase Fundraiser presented by Columbia Center for the Arts' Children's Theater: The Teen Apprentice Program is producing a showcase of Shakespeare scenes as they raise funds for a journey to London, the old stomping grounds of the Bard and friends. Details on page B3.

# DISCOUNTED BRIDGE TOLLS

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**What is BreezeBy?**

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**What does it cost?**

There are no fees to open a BreezeBy account, and your first transponder is free.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>One free transponder per household. Each additional transponder is \$5.

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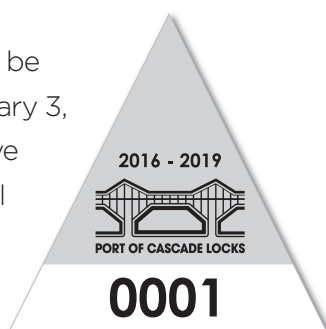
When the Bridge of the Gods BreezeBy system goes live on January 6, 2020, BreezeBy customers will be able to use their transponders to pay their tolls on both bridges with one account. BreezeBy customers will pay only \$1.25 at the Bridge of the Gods,<sup>2</sup> instead of \$2 for cash toll payments.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>2</sup>BreezeBy toll at the Hood River Bridge is \$1 -- <sup>3</sup>Base rates are for 2-axle vehicles.

**Beginning January 6, 2020, BreezeBy works for the Bridge of the Gods in Cascade Locks**

**What happens to my Local Sticker?**

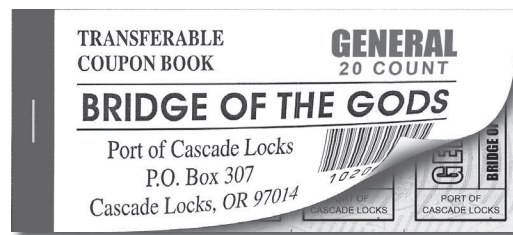
Local Stickers will not be accepted after February 3, 2020. Having an active Breezeby account will be the way to get discounts on tolls going forward.



Breezeby account holders will pay \$1.25 per crossing at the Bridge of the Gods.<sup>4</sup> The cash toll will be \$2.00.

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**What happens to my Coupons?**



Coupons will no longer be sold after December 20, 2019. Coupons will no longer be accepted for toll payment after February 3, 2020, but can be redeemed at either Port office for credit to a BreezeBy account. Cash refunds will also be available at the Port of Cascade Locks office.

**Questions?**

More information online at [portofcascadelocks.org](http://portofcascadelocks.org)

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