

## Focus Entertainment Guide

### Musical Trio at City Hall Every Wed. in November

For the past two years, music has filled the walls of City Hall, providing a venue for local artists to perform publicly.

Typically, different musicians perform every Wednesday from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in the first floor atrium near Marsee Baking.

However, for the month of November, the citizens and employees of City Hall will have the privilege to hear "The Napier Trio" who will be performing every Thursday.

The Napier Trio will be performing in front of Marsee Bakery every Thursday from 12:00-1 p.m. for the month of November.

### Blanche on the Lam Thursday, Nov. 16

What is a "Lam," anyway? Find out when the North Portland Book Discussion Group meets to talk about "Blanche on the Lam," an award-winning mystery by Barbara Neely.

"Blanche on the Lam" is the first in Neely's series of novels starring Blanche White, a middle-aged African American housekeeper and sleuth.

The book discussion group meets on Thursday, Nov. 16, 7 p.m. at North Portland Branch Library, located at 512 N. Killingsworth. Call 503/988-5394.

### The Two Gentlemen from Verona Nov. 18-19

*The Two Gentlemen from Verona*, a romantic comedy and one of William Shakespeare's earliest plays, will be presented at Warner Pacific College, beginning Nov. 10.

The setting will be Verona High and Milan Prep School in the early 1960's, with incidental music from the period. The production will be staged in Warner Pacific's Very Little Theatre. The first two days are evening performances beginning at 7:30 p.m. The final three performances will be 3 p.m. matinees. Ticket prices are \$6 for adults, \$4 for senior citizens and students. Call 503/517-1207. Warner Pacific College is located at Southeast 68<sup>th</sup> and Division. Call 503/517-1207.

### Godspell Friday and Saturday, Nov. 17, and 18 Sunday, Nov. 19

*Godspell*, one of the most successful musicals written with 2,651 Broadway and off-Broadway performances between 1972 and 1979, will be performed in Portland at the All Saints Episcopal Church.

The musical will be shown on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 10-11 and 17-18 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 12 and 19 at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15. Call 503/786-0568.

### Rhythm 'Round the World Friday, Nov. 17

Rhythm 'Round the World is a benefit concert for the Multicultural Resource Center on Friday, Nov. 17 at Lincoln High School Auditorium, located at 1600 SW Salmon St.

The multi-cultural performances include Boka Marimba, the music of Zimbabwe; Clinton St. Ceili Band, Irish music and dance; Cuban Rhythms by Roberto Gonzales;

Hot Shot Tap Dancers by Brothers and Sisters Act; Let the Children Dance by Stage One; Lions of Batacuda, Brazilian Carnival Parade; Portland Chinese Yoyo Team and Dance Troupe.

For ticket info., call Karen at 503/725-8191 or Helen at 503/916-5609.

### Sitka 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Invitational Exhibition and Sale Nov. 18 Nov. 19

Portland painter Laura Ross-Paul, known for her expressionist works in oil, watercolor and monotypes, will be the featured artist at the Sitka 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Invitational Exhibition and Sale.

The works of more than 150 of the Northwest's finest artists also will be featured at the World Forestry Center, Miller Hall on Saturday, Nov. 18 and Sunday, Nov. 19 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free to the public.

### Spike and Mike's 2000 Classic Festival of Animation Nov. 24 - 30

Animation fans will delight as the 2000 Spike and Mike's Classic Festival of Animation opens in Portland.

This year's eclectic mix of act and film showcases world class premiere animated short films from Norway, the Netherlands, England, Germany, Canada, Russia, Australia and the United States.

The 2000 Festival's limited engagement has its premier at the Cinema 21, located at 616 NW. 21<sup>st</sup> Ave. for one week only beginning Nov. 24 and screening daily through Nov. 30, 7 p.m. and 9:15 p.m.

The animation in appropriate for all ages.

### Alumni Vocal Jazz Night Dec. 1

The Portland State University Vocal Jazz Ensemble with guest artist percussionist Alan Jones will open the Alumni Vocal Jazz Night at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 1.

The concert will be held in the Gregory Forum at Clackamas Community College. The Clackamas Mainstream vocal jazz ensemble will perform a variety of jazz pieces. Alumni of the college's Music Department are always invited to attend the annual event.

Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$3 for students and seniors age 62 and older.

Tickets are available at the concert. Call 503/657-6958, ext. 2434.

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