

The Focus Entertainment Guide

Portland Jewish Film Festival

Friday, April 13 –
Thursday, April 19

The award winning film "Left Luggage" will premiere at the Hollywood Theatre to honor Holocaust Remembrance Day and to benefit the Portland Jewish Film Festival. "Left Luggage" will play for one week only, from April 13–19. For a schedule, call 503/493-1128. The Hollywood Theatre is located at 4122 NE Sandy Blvd. Their website is www.hollywoodtheatre.org.

Easter Story in Voice Wednesday, April 18

George Fox University seniors Leah Weare and Kendra Charles will share their talents with a vocal recital and art show Wednesday, April 18, on the Newburg campus. The Easter story is the theme for the combined recital and art show. The display will include graphic designs, paintings, and pottery and will be available for viewing in the Atrium until Friday, April 27. Call 503/554-2129.

Inner City Blues Festival

Saturday, April 21

The 12th annual Inner City Blues Festival will feature such acts as the Paul Delay Band, Norman Sylvester & the Boogie Cats, Hot Shot Tap dancers and more. The festival is a benefit for the Portland Rainbow Coalition (New Party). The event will be held at the Melody Ballroom, located at 615 SE. Alder, from 7:30 p.m. – 1 a.m.

25th Annual Banff Mountain Film Festival

Tuesday, April 24 –
Thursday, April 26

Paragliding in the shadow of Nepal's Annapurna Range, skiing bottomless powder in Whistler, British Columbia, and scaling El Capitan in Yosemite—just a few of the sights guaranteed to thrill and inspire audiences when the 25th Annual Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour hits Portland, April 24–26. The event will be held at the Aladdin Theater, located at 3017 SE. Milwaukie, 7 p.m. each night.

Comedy by Norm

Macdonald

Thursday, April 26

Norm Macdonald has traveled from the smoke-filled comedy clubs in far-flung outposts of Canada to having a hit show, "NORM" on ABC. Norm's sarcastic, direct, and honest style has earned him an avid following amongst everyone from college students to housewives. Norm will be performing on Thursday, April 26 at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall, 8 p.m. All ages welcome. Call 503/221-0288.

Singing for Our Lives Saturday, May 5

Aurora Chorus returns to the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall for a concert benefiting the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. The centerpiece of the evening will be Aurora's performance of "Where I Live, A Breast Cancer Oratorio" by Minneapolis composer Diane Benjamin. Call the Aurora Chorus at 503/721-0262.

98 Degrees at the

Memorial Coliseum Thursday, May 10

Tickets for the May 10, 98 Degrees show is currently on sale Friday, March 30 at 5 p.m. Joining this must-see, hubbub band are top-notch acts including Debelah Morgan, and Baha Men, with their hit song "Who Let the Dogs Out." Tickets are available at the Rose Quarter Ticket Office or on the web at www.rosequarter.com or www.ticketmaster.com. Call 503/224-4400.

Ascending the Cosmic Mountain Through

Wednesday, June 3

The Portland Art Museum, located at 1219 SW. Park Avenue will be offering an exhibition of a selection of Tibetan religious art and artifacts from Portland private collections. The event is part of the "Tibetan Arts and Culture Festival," which will run prior and concurrently to the Dalai Lama's visit in mid-May and includes Tibetan film, visual arts, music and dance. For more information on the art showing, call 503/226-2811.

Good in the Hood

Festival & Parade Friday, June 22

The "Good in the Hood" Festival and Parade begins Friday, June 22 through Sunday, June 24, 2001. The festival is located on the Holy Redeemer Area School Campus at 127 North Portland Blvd. The parade route is east on Russell St. to Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard, north to Portland Blvd. then west to Holy Redeemer Area School Campus. Call Paul Knauls at 503/285-1159 or email him at paulsr@genevas.net.

Michael Flatley's

"Feet of Flames" Wednesday, July 11

Michael Flatley, creator and star of "Lord of the Dance," brings his newest and most sensational production "Feet of Flames" to the Rose Garden this July 11. Flatley holds the attendance record for a single engagement at Portland's Rose Garden, with over 42,000 people who were thrilled by "Lord of the Dance" at the Rose Garden in June, 1997. For tickets, call 503/224-4400 or get them on the following websites: www.rosequarter.com or www.ticketmaster.com.

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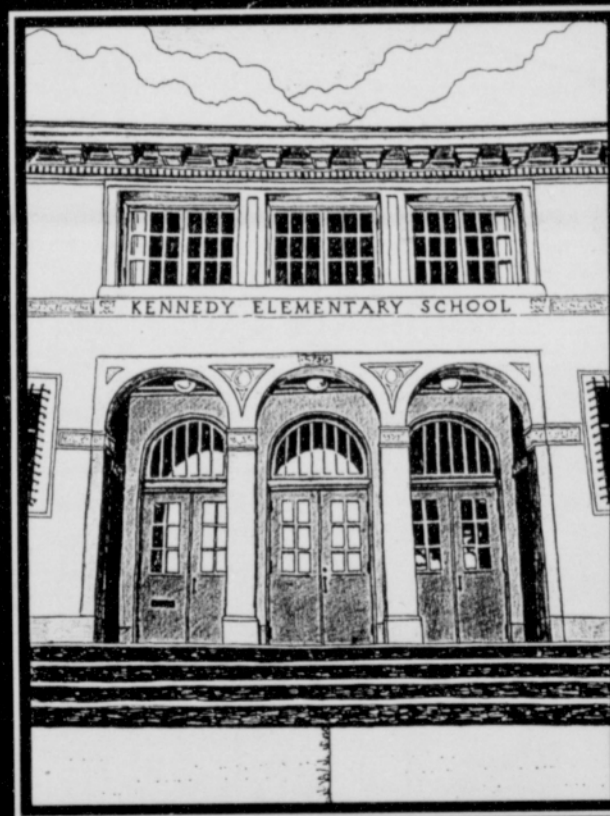


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