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Ascending the Cosmic Mountain Through Wednesday,

June 3 The Portland Art Museum, lo-

cated 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 includes Tibetan film, visual arts, music and dance. For more information on the art showing, call 503/226-2811.

Our Dream Gallery Through Tuesday, June 9

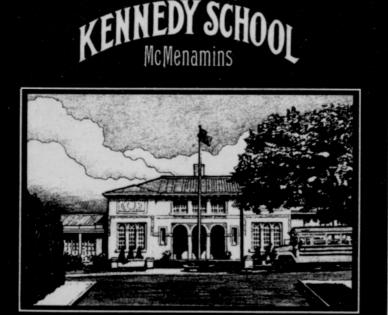
Our Dream Gallery will present Ron Smith and The Arthur Wright, two outstanding artists from Northern California with the showing of "This & That," which will run through June 9. Ron Smith work ranges from images of the African savannah to his Jazz series. Arthur Wright also paints images of African wildlife using a secret technique involving bleach and black paper. The gallery is located at 2209

N.E. Alberta St. Call 503/288-3024. The Language of Western Art Through Sunday, June 24

Join the Portland Art Museum, located at 1219 SW. Park Avenue, for a fascinating look at America's two most celebrated Western artists, Frederic Remington and Charles Russell. Their depictions of broncos and buffaloes, cowboys and American Indians helped shape our view of the American West of the late 19th century. The exhibition runs until Sunday, June 24. It consists of an exceptional group of over 100 paintings, sculptures, watercolors, drawings, book illustrations and photographs.

Rose Art Show Through June 29

The Oregon Society of Artists will be having the Rose Art Show 2001 to parallel the Portland Rose Festival. All media paintings depicting this year's theme "Capture the Excitement" or "The Rose" will be on exhibit. The event will be at 2185 S.W. Park Place. Call 503/223-0706.



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Visions and Visionaries Through Oct. 31

"Visions and Visionaries," thirtyplus paintings by important Oregon artists from the era 1880-1930, will be exhibited at Pittock Mansion throughout May until Oct. 31. Visitors may view "Visions and Visionaries" 12-4 p.m. daily. Significant, seldom-seen works by such luminaries as Cleveland Rockwell, William Samuel Parrott, Myra Albert Wiggins, C.E.S. Wood, and Clara Jane Stephes were painstakingly selected for this event by Guest Curator, Michael Parsons. The public is encouraged to call 503/823=3624 for further information.

Jobs with Justice

May 23, 24 and 27

The Portland Jobs with Justice is hosting a Mini Film Festival – Fundraiser Event. They will feature aback-to-back double feature showing of labor in the true sense. The event will be held at the Laurelhurst Theater & Pub, 2734 S.E. Burnside. Featured films include "This is What Democracy Looks Like" and "Bread & Roses."

American Indian Dance Theatre Friday, May 25 & Saturday, May 26

You don't want to miss the performance of the American Indian Dance theatre (AIDT) at Chinook Winds Casino & Convention Center on May 25 and 26. AIDT was originally formed in May 1987, when more than 20 Native American dancers, singers and drummers, representing a variety of North American Tribes, gathered in Colorado Springs to begin rehearsals with a revolutionary new theatrical dance company. For more info., call 1-888-MAIN-ACT(624-6228)orFastixx. 1-800-992-TIXX (8499).

America's First Youth Orchestra Wednesday, May 30 & Thursday, May 31

The Portland Youth Philharmonic is holding auditions for the 2001-2002 Season on May 30 and 31. Applications are required. Auditioning string players must be at least 7 years old; wind, brass and percussion players at least 13 years old. No one over 22 years old will be auditioned. For more

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information, call 503/223-5939. Reading by Ehud Havazelet

Thursday, May 31

Ehud Havazelet is the author of two story collections: "What Is It Then Between Us?" and most recently, "Like Never Before," which won the Oregon Book Award and was named a Notable Book of the Yearby the New York and Los Angeles Times. He will be giving a reading on Thursday, May 31, 8 p.m. at PSU, located on campus at the Smith Memorial Center, Cascade Room. For more information, call 503/725-5666.

Wilsonville Festival of the Arts

Friday, June 1

The Wilsonville Festival of the Arts 2001 is a three-day celebration that recognizes both established and emerging visual and performing artists from around the Pacific Northwest. The Festival offers two exhibition opportunities for visual artists: The Open Show (non-juried and open to all artists), and an outdoor Arts & Crafts Fair and Garden Art Show (open to artisans of fine wares). The event will be at the grounds of Wilsonville High School, located at 6880 SW. Wilsonville Rd. Call 503/673-7619.

Cooking with Tea Saturday, June 2

Diana Rosen, author of "Cooking With Tea," will have two tea tastings and a demo of using tea for cooking and Chef Wemischner will prepare three of the dishes from their book at "In Good Taste" on Saturday, June 2 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The class is open to the public and registration can be made by calling 503/248-2015. The school is located at 231 N.W. 11th Ave. Call the number above or access them online at www.gaylejolley.com.

Rose City Chamber

Orchestra

Rose City Chamber Orchestra presents its fifth concert of the season with guest conductor James Smith of the University of Wisconsin on Sunday, June 3 at 3 p.m. at the Central Lutheran Church, located at 2104 N.E. Hancock. The concert will play Francaix's Sept Danses, Haydn's Symphony No. 96 "Miracle" and Brahms' Serenade No. 1, Op. 11.

A Time for Justice

Friday, June 8 Morris Dees, chief trial counsel for the Southern Poverty Law Center, will be the speaker at the annual Daniel J. & Elizabeth O. Cohn/Rose White lecture at Northwest Portland's Con-

J. & Elizabeth O. Cohn/Rose White lecture at Northwest Portland's Congregation Beth Israel on Friday, June 8 at 8 p.m. The title of Mr. Dees' speech is "A Time for Justice." Dees has made headlines by successfully litigating against racist groups, and persuading juries to find the groups' leaders accountable for hate crimes committed by their followers. Call 503/222-1069.

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. CallPaul Knauls at 503/285-1159 or email him at paulsr@genevas.net.

Rose Festival Airshow Sunday, July 1

Buy early and save! Through the monthofMarch, RoseFestival Airshow tickets will be on sale. Purchase one adult general admission ticket for the Saturday or Sunday show and receive one youth (age 5-12) general admission ticket free. Tickets are available at all Ticketmaster outlets or by calling 503/ 224-4400 and at the Hillsboro Chamber ofCommerce at 503/648-1102. Orvisit www.rosefestival.org online.

Safeway Waterfront Blues Festival July 4 – 8

More than 80 blues artists performing on three stages at the West Coast's largest blues festival expands to five full days this year over the extended July 4 weekend. The 2001 Safeway Waterfront Blues Festival will begin Wednesday, July 4 at noon. The independence day celebrations will culminate in a spectacular fireworks show over the Willamette River at 10 p.m. The festival is held at the south end of Tom McCall Waterfront Park in downtown Portland, Oregon.

Janet Jackson at the

Rose Garden Saturday, July 7

Janet Jackson is coming to the Rose Garden on Saturday, July 7 at 7:30 p.m. If you remember the big dance numbers and spectacular stage production, you will not be let down.

The "All For You" tour is guaranteed to include the production that has distinguished her tours since the 1990 Rhythm Nation tour, and will show off Janet's new found freedom and desire to have fun. Call Ticketmasterat 503/224-4400 formore information.

On the web, visit www.rosequarter.com or www.ticketmaster.com.