

ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

Heavy Hitters

The Heavy Hitters of Comedy Tour is on Friday, May 28 at the Roseland Theater on Northwest Sixth Avenue. The show stars Bruce Bruce of Black Entertainment Television's Comic View with special guests. For tickets, call 503-224-8499 or visit www.ticketswest.com.

A-List Entertainers


The Mt. Hood Jazz Festival is Aug. 7 and 8 at Main City Park, Gresham. Prince's Musicology tour is Sept. 1 at the Rose Garden. Mel Brown plays jazz at Billy Meks Tuesdays and Thursdays. Ron Steen Jam Session is Sundays at Savannah's Restaurant. To hear live R&B and Funk bands, visit www.bacchusrestaurant for a schedule.

Big Screen, Titanic Film

OMNIMAX theater at OMSI opens "Titanica," through June 11. For showtimes, call 503-797-4640 or visit www.omsiedu.

Full of Life

Pregnancy sculptures by Dorian Stranger are on display at Milagros from May 27 through June 20. The show, Boutique for Little Miracles and their Mamas, is at 5429 N.E. 30 Ave. For more information, call 503-493-4141.

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Laugh on Alberta

The Last Thursday Comedy Show on Alberta is at 9 p.m. May 27 at 5018 N.E. 22 Ave. Ste. B. Admission is \$10.

Strummin' and Hummin'

The Black Notes will do a live broadcast on 89.1 fm KMHD with Disciples in Song from 4 to 5 p.m. on May 29, at the Rose Festival Family Day at Peninsula park from 1 to 2:30 p.m. on June 5, at the Candlelight Room from 9:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. on June 18 and at the Kennedy School from 8 to 10 p.m. on June 24.

Short Films

Zonkers Films and ITISNESS present an evening of selected short films from the 2002 and 2003 Portland International Short Short Film Fests and the 2003 Portland Women's Film Fest at 3016 N.E. Killingsworth. The festival is at 8 p.m. Friday, May 21. For more information, call 971-570-6930 or visit www.zonkersfilms.com.

Twilight Pageant

Hand2Mouth Theatre presents Jimmy Blue: A Twilight Pageant in the Parks on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays at 8 p.m. from June 11 through 27. This free, outdoor spectacle will be performed at Grant, Laurelhurst and Wallace Parks. For reservations, call 503-235-5284 or visit www.hand2mouththeatre.org.

Concept Jazz

Disjecta presents Tiger Saw, Brendon Masei with Everything Is Fine and Laurel Brauns at 9:30 p.m. Sunday, May 30 for an eclectic blend of "concept jazz." The film Borderlands—Three by Chantal Akerman will show May 20-22. Events are \$6 each. Disjecta is at 116 N.E. Russell St. For more information, call 503-335-6979.

Comedic Victory

Laughter will be heard from Chinook Winds Casino and Convention Center from June 10-13, during the Pacific Northwest Comedy Competition. Tickets are \$12 per round or \$50 for all six shows. For more information, call 541-996-5776 or 800-992-TIXX.

Ongoing and Upcoming Music

The Blue Monk on Belmont plays live jazz. For a schedule, visit www.thebluemonk.com. Interstate Bar and Grill has mature live music at 4234 N. Interstate. The Black Notes plays Thursdays at the Candlelight Room. Mel Brown plays jazz at Jimmy Meks on Tuesdays and Thursdays and Fridays and Saturdays at Salty's on the Columbia. A Community Unity Breakfast is every third Thursday at SEI at 7:30 a.m. Skip Elliott Bowman Jazz Trio plays Saturdays from 10 a.m. to noon at Hannah Bea's, on northeast Shaver. R&B and live funk bands perform weekends at the Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center.

Artist's Featured at Abbey Cafe

The Abbey Café, 441 N. Killingsworth St., invites musicians to sell their CDs and perform on Fridays and Saturdays. For more information, call 503-286-4847.

Laughing Through It

A Portland Jam Night plans to heal the community's ills through laughter at the Wave Theatre in north Portland. The live music and sketch improv comedy is at 9 p.m. Fridays. Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$4 for kids. For more information, call 503-735-4184 or visit www.jam-night.com.

Larger Than Life-sized

OMSI's big-screen OMNIMAX theater is "Lewis and Clark: Great Journey West" through June and "Jane Goodall's Wild Chimpanzees" through May. For more information, call 503-797-4588.

Trippin' through Town

Take a trip through time to find the hottest poetry, hip-hop and soul influencing Portland on Wednesdays at the Ohm. \$7 cover. 31 N.W. First Ave.

Blazers Street Jam

Blazer Street Jam 3-on-3 basketball to benefit the Special Olympics Oregon is on July 16-18. For information, visit www.blazersstreetjam.com.

Titanic Exhibit At OMSI

Titanic Science: Real Artifacts, The True Stories exhibit will open on Saturday, May 29. For information, call 503-797-4533.

The Sandy Oktoberfest

Sandy Oktoberfest, September 10, 11 and 12, features a Crusin' Car Show. Registration is \$15 for each show and the first 100 cars to register will receive a free t-shirt. To register, visit www.sandyoktoberfestival.com.

Chris Isaak with Special Guests

Chris Isaak will appear at Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall on Aug. 5, at 8 p.m. To charge by telephone, call 503-224-8499 or 800-992-8499 or order online at www.ticketwest.com.

Urinetown: The Musical

Urine town is the story of two kids who fall in love in a city in the middle of a water shortage. The musical is the winner of the 2002 Tony Awards. It opens on June 1 and runs through the 6th at Keller Auditorium. For more information, call 503-790-ARTS or (503) 241-1802 or visit www.BroadwayAcrossAmerica.com or www.portlandopera.org.

Good In The Hood Volunteers

The 2004 Good In The "Neighbor" Hood Multi Cultural Music and Food Festival is currently seeking creative and innovation people to participate in the 12th annual event. They are looking for parade participants and sponsors. The festival starts June 26th and 27th. For more information, call 503-282-1288 or e-mail roberts3911@yahoo.com.

A Miracle Festival

Miracle Theatre Group presents a trio of performances in Festival Primavera to close out the 2003-2004 seasons. Tickets are \$15 for Friday and Saturday night and \$12 for Sunday matinees. Call 503-236-7253 to make your reservation. Volunteers are needed as ushers. Contact Anabel at anabel@milagro.org if you would like to help out.