

ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

The Land Civilization Forgot

The simulator thrill-ride Dino Island: The Land Civilization Forgot has returned to the Oregon Zoo by popular demand. Riders become part of a scientific team whose mission is to explore a newly formed island that has baffled scientists around the world. For more information call the zoo at 503-220-5716 or check out the website oregonzoo.org.

Halloween Viewings

Bunnica is playing at the Northwest Children's Theater and School on Friday, Oct. 8 through Sunday, Oct. 31. Night of the Living Dead will show from Oct 22 through 30. For more information, visit www.nwcts.org.

King Lear's 'The Fool'

Stephanie Berry plays 'The Fool' in the Portland Center Stage production of King Lear through Oct. 31 at Newmark Theatre.

Matt Dishman Dive In

A Halloween Dive-In Movie, Scooby Doo-Monsters Unleashed, is at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 29 at Matt Dishman Pool, with a family swim from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 or two cans for youth.

Wreck the Halls

The 9th annual Holiday Ale Festival is from Dec. 3-5 at the Pioneer Courthouse Square from 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Admission is free but a souvenir mug, required for tasting, costs \$4. For more information, call 503-252-9899 or visit www.holidayale.com.

Homebuying Raffle

Join the \$1000 down payment raffle at the African American Homebuyer Fair from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 16, in the Legacy Emanuel Hospital Atrium at 501 N. Graham. For more information, call 503-285-5555 ext. 558 or visit www.aaah.us.

An Eve with Ebenezer

Bridgeport Brewpub, 1313 N.W. Marshall St., hosts An Evening with Ebenezer, with dinner and theater in an intimate setting. Admission is \$60. For more information, call 503-528-5634 or visit www.redcross-

pdx.org.

Haunted Halloween

A skit-like Haunted Halloween event will be presented each night beginning Tuesday, Oct. 26 through Sunday, Oct. 31 at the Parkrose Mason Lodge, 4812 N.E. 102nd Ave. Volunteer Masonic brothers, girls from Rainbow, and boys from DeMolay will bring hair to rise with a haunted movie motif and other blood-curdling surprises. Cost is \$5 per person.

Harvest Festival

A Halloween Spooktacular Carnival with a haunted house is from 5 to 9 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 30. The fee is \$1 plus two cans. For more information, call 503-286-7752.

Fuzion

An exclusive gathering celebrating Portland's nightlife is planned for Oct. 29 at The Red Sea, 318 S. W. Third Ave. with DJs playing the best hip hop and old school in town.

Classic Frankenstein

Mary Shelly's classic, "Frankenstein," is the subject of an exhibit at the Collins Gallery on the third floor of the Central Library at 801 S.W. 10th Ave. with a reception planned for Wednesday, Oct. 27 from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Write Around Portland

Write Around Portland's free creative writing are at various locations around the city. For more information and locations, visit www.writearound.org or call 503-796-9224.

Audrey II Arrives

Little Shop of Horrors comes to Keller Auditorium at Southwest Third Avenue and Clay from Oct. 19 through 24. Tickets range from \$23 and \$64. For more information, call 503-241-1802 or visit www.portlandopera.org.

Amusement At Oaks Park

Celebrating 99 years of fun, Oaks Park in southeast Portland offers

rides, picnic grounds, roller-skating and family games in the shade of 100-year-old oak trees on the banks of the Willamette River. Rides and roller-skating are open daily. For more information, call 503-233-5777.

Gotta Love That Pooch

Problem pooch classes are a must take for anyone who may be new to the world of pet parenthood or is interested in considering adopting a new friend. Come to the Oregon Humane Society to find out why your dog does those silly little things. Meetings are every first and third Saturday of the month at 11 a.m. For more information, call 503-285-7722.

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 play Thursdays at the Candlelight Room. Mel Brown plays jazz at Jimmy Maki's on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at Salty's on the Columbia. A Community Unity Breakfast is held 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 MLK Jr. Blvd. and Shaver. R&B and live funk bands perform weekends at the Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center.

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 clean 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.

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.

Native Art Exhibit

Lewis and Clark College presents "Encounters: Contemporary Native American Art through Oct. 24 at the Ronna and Eric Hoffman Gallery of Contemporary Art. For more information, call 503-768-7687.

Local Artists Featured at Abbey Cafe

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



Stephanie Berry

Hip-Hop Vote Drive Saturday

StarChile presents Get Out and Vote Gumbo, a night of imploding democracy and the most nontraditional political party ever, Saturday Oct. 16 at Berbat's Pan in downtown Portland, 10 S.W. 3rd Ave.

"And they said hip-hop wouldn't come this far," said Christopher Wallace, aka Biggie Smalls.

It's estimated that 33 percent of the electorate is comprised of members of the hip-hop generation. But during the 2000 presidential election 67 percent of the hip-hop generation did not vote.

Portland's hip-hop artists are engaging their followers. Local disc jockey and hip-hop artist StarChile is taking democracy into his own hands and making politics hip.

"This election we will not stand and sit still. Hip-hop is here and here to stay," he said.

The night of entertainment and politics is hosted by StarChile, featuring: Vursatyl of the LifeSavas, Libretto, Rochell D. Hart spoken word poet and published author, DJ O.G. One, The Fabulous Saturdays, STARK and Potmus; partying with a purpose.



StarChile will entertain to boost the hip-hop vote at 'Get Out and Vote Gumbo' Saturday night at Berbat's Pan.

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