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**Snowden on Alberta** -- B.J. Snowden, a uniquely talented singer, songwriter and performer who has attracted attention and a following all over the world performs Friday, Nov. 10 at 8 p.m. at "The Know," 2026 N.E. Alberta St.



B.J. Snowden



**Famous Nature Photographs** -- Famed works by photographer Ansel Adams, including 'The Tetons and the Snake River,' and many other of the most beautiful national sites, is on display this fall and winter at the World Forestry Center Discover Museum.

**Power of Spoken Words** -- Award-winning writer and spoken word artist S. Renee Mitchell will challenge your assumptions about relationships, bring tears to your eyes, and let laughter erupt from your belly during performances of "Tangoing With Tornadoes" Friday and Saturday, Nov. 10-11 at Self-Enhancement Inc. Doors open both nights at 6 p.m. and it's free on a first come, first seated basis.

**Jazz Quintet of Portland** -- The PDXV Jazz Quintet of Portland returns to the 'Old Church' downtown, at 11th & Clay Street, Tuesday, Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. Enjoy the rich jazz sounds for a suggested donation of \$10.

**Arsenic and Old Lace** -- "Arsenic and Old lace" is presented Nov. 8-11 and Nov. 17-18 at Aloha High School. For information, call the school ticket line at 503-249-4703.

ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

**Sid Diva Linda Hornbuckle** -- Legendary soul diva Linda Hornbuckle plays at Jimmy Mak's, 222 N.W. 10th Ave on Saturday, Nov. 11 at 8 p.m.; at Gemini Bar and Grill, 456 N. State St. in Lake Oswego on Saturday, Nov. 18 at 9:30 p.m.; and Pioneer Courthouse Square, downtown for the Tree Lighting Ceremony on Friday, Nov. 24 at 5:30 p.m.

**Emerging Leaders: Sisters in Action** -- Sisters in Action for Power hold their annual celebration, Friday, Nov. 17 at 6:30 p.m. at King Elementary. Amara Perez will pass the executive director's torch to Terenie Faison. There will be food, raffle prizes and lots of fun.

**African Children's Choir** -- The African Children's Choir will present a free concert Sunday, Nov. 12 at the Salvation Army Moore Street Center, 5325 N. Williams Ave.

**NW Film and Video Festival** -- The Northwest Film and Video Festival will feature short and feature films, beginning Friday, Nov. 10, at Cinema 21, followed by the Opening Night Party at the Laura Russo Gallery. The festival continues through Nov. 17, at the NW Film Center's Whitsell Auditorium. Closing night will be held at the Clinton Street Theater. Admission \$7 General. Visit [nwfilm.org](http://nwfilm.org)



**'One Day' Envisions Portland** -- Rebecca Martinez, Jono Eiland and other members of Sojourn Theater challenge an audience to think about what they want to see for Portland in the future in "One Day," a theater performance that's part of the city's vision PDX program. Free performances are Nov. 10, 11, 12 at Marshall High School campus auditorium, 3905 S.E. 91st Ave., and Nov. 17, 18, 19 at the Portland Community College, Cascade Campus, 705 N. Killingsworth.

**'A Season for Peace'** -- The Portland Gay Men's holiday concert "Goodwill to All" assembles music from various cultures and traditions

to celebrate the holiday season with performances scheduled at Kaul Auditorium on Friday and Saturday Dec. 15-16 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 17 at 2 p.m.

**Time to Jam** -- Jam Night, Portland's ever-popular comedy and variety show is at Christian Performing Arts Center, 8131 N. Denver Ave. Shows



continue every Friday night starting at 9 p.m. with dinner by Mondemaj Catering next door to the show at 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.

**Hip-hop Dance Classes** -- Vancouver-Clark Parks and Recreation is hosting family friendly hip-hop dance classes for ages 5 to 18. Various lessons teach rhythm, technique, coordination, agility, combinations and teamwork through urban dance moves. For more information, call 360-696-8236.



'One Day'

**Autumn Leaves at the Japanese Garden** -- The Japanese Garden at Washington Park presents autumn leaves bonsai presentations through Nov. 15. The exhibit is free with the \$8 admission to the gardens. For more information call 503-223-1321 or visit [japanesegardens.com](http://japanesegardens.com).

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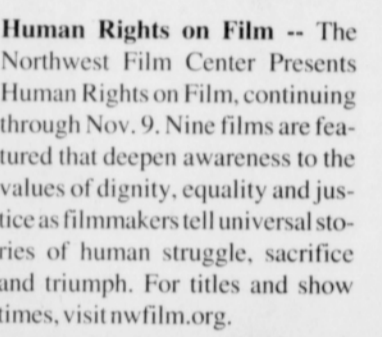
**Festival of Trees** -- The 24th annual Providence Festival of Trees, the weekend of Nov. 30 through Dec. 2 at the Oregon Convention Center, will feature over 50 elaborately decorated trees, live entertainment, crafts, and a photo with Santa, gingerbread displays, and a Teddy Bear

**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.

**Belly Dance Classes** -- Caravan Studios offers classes in belly dance, African dance and more. Visit [www.gypsycaravan.us](http://www.gypsycaravan.us).

**Human Rights on Film** -- The Northwest Film Center Presents Human Rights on Film, continuing through Nov. 9. Nine films are featured that deepen awareness to the values of dignity, equality and justice as filmmakers tell universal stories of human struggle, sacrifice and triumph. For titles and show times, visit [nwfilm.org](http://nwfilm.org).

**OMSI Presents: Black Holes** -- A flight simulator transforms real scientific data about black holes into stunning visualizations in OMSI's new planetarium show "Black holes: The Other Side of Infinity." For more information, call 503-797-4000 or visit [omsi.edu](http://omsi.edu).



**Holiday Ale Festival** -- The 11th Annual Holiday Ale Festival will begin on Thursday, Nov. 30, and continue through Sunday, Dec. 3, at Pioneer Courthouse Square, 701 S.W. Sixth Ave. Complimentary

Live Music Every Night

- Kick off your week with live jazz every Sunday at 9 p.m. at The Blue Monk (3341 SE Belmont).
- Participate in a mixed-media open mic night each Monday at the Back-to-Back Café (614 East Burnside).
- The Thom City Improv, featuring members of Old Dominion, Quivah, The Chosen and The Black Notes, perform at Conan's (3862 S.E. Hawthorne) every Tuesday at 10 p.m.
- Celebrate Hump Day at The Red Sea (381 S.W. 3rd Ave) after work on Wednesdays, from 5 to 9 p.m.
- Inch toward the weekend at the Candlelight Room (2032 SW 5th Ave) with the Black Notes, performing each Thursday.
- Celebrate Friday with Mel Brown, playing jazz at Salty's every Friday and Saturday, and Jimmy Mak's on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Live Reggae on Fridays and Saturdays at Montego Bay, (1239 S.W. Jefferson).



Mel Brown

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