February 21, 2007

International Film Festival - The Northwest Film Center reminds movie lovers that there is life beyond big-budget Hollywood with the 30th Annual Portland International Film Festival, through Saturday, Feb. 24 on silver screens across the city. For a full schedule, visit nwfilm.org.

Choral Union and Jazz Band Concert -- Saturday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m., the University of Portland's Choral Union and Jazz Band, invites the public to enjoy a free evening of gospel, jazz and big band music on campus in the Buckley Center Auditorium, 5000 N. Willamette Blvd. Contact 503-943-8422 for more information.

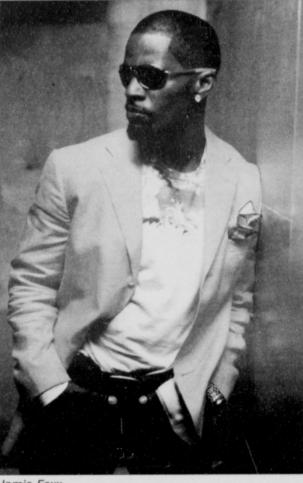
Jamie Foxx 'Unpredictable' Tour - Jamie Foxx fires up the stage in the Rose Garden, Thursday, Feb. 22 at 8 p.m. with his 'Unpredictable' nationwide tour, featuring songs from his Grammy award nominated and chart-topping album. The night will also include Jamie's tear jerking comedy. Tickets available at the Rose Quarter box office.

Museum After Hours - Every Wednesday in February at 5:30 p.m., 'Museum After Hours' host local musicians in the Kridel Grand Ballroom. Wednesday, Feb. 21, the Strangetones will take the stage. On Feb. 28, the 20th Anniversary All-Stars featuring Alfredo Muro will perform.



Norman Sylvester Band — Friday, Feb. 23, at 9:30 p.m., the Norman Sylvester Band will take the stage at Domenic's in Milwaukie, and will be performing Saturday, Feb. 24, at 9:30 p.m. at the Trails End in Oregon City, with a performance on Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 8 p.m. at Tillicum in Beaverton.

286-6474 for more information.



Jamie Foxx

'Hurricane on the Bayou' - OMSI takes the audience deep into the soul-stirring heart of Louisiana with "Hurricane on the Bayou," now playing at the museum's OMNIMAX Dome Theater. A powerfully moving giant screen film unlike any other, "Hurricane on the Bayou" carries audiences behind today's news headlines on a journey before, during and after the unprecedented devastation of Hurricane Katrina.

The Golden Fish - The Brooklyn Bay, 1825 S.E. Franklin, Bay K., presents the tale of a poor Russian fisherman who catches a magical golden fish, every Saturday this month. For reservations, call 503-772-4005.

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.



Portland Jazz Festival - The 2007 Portland Jazz Festival kicks off its second week with Grammy-award winning trumpeter Roy Hargrove on Friday, Feb. 23 at 8 p.m. at the Newmark Theater. The annual "First Jazz" performance is

> Sunday, Feb. 25 at 4 p.m. at the Hilton Portland Grand Ballroom. For more events and information, call 503-228-JAZZ(5299) or 1-888-828-5299.

> Watch Your Back! - Temps at the law firm of Tedium and Terror are on edge when people start turning up dead. The Portland Center Stage production of 'The Thugs' takes place Friday and Saturday nights at 10:30 p.m. at the Studio in Gerding Theater at the Armory, through March 10.

Miracle Theatre Group - The local Hispanic Miracle Theatre Group presents the play "Sonia Flew' through Feb. 27 at Milagro Theatre, 525 S.E. Stark St. The play tells the story of a Cuban-American woman smuggled as a child out of Cuba and into the U.S.

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.



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