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Norman Sylvester Band -- The Norman Sylvester Band will be performing at Tupelo Joe's in Portland, Friday, Oct. 19 at 9:30 p.m., appearing Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 8 p.m., at Tillicum's in Beaverton. Visit normansylvester.com or call 503-286-6474 for more information.



Norman Sylvester

Ethnic Cleansing in America -- Filmmaker Marco Williams' "Banished," the story of African-American families violently driven from their land between the Civil War and Great Depression, plays Nov. 1 at 7 p.m. at the Whitsell Auditorium at the Portland Art Museum as part of the Northwest Film Center's Human Rights on Film series.

Artists Open Studios -- Self-directed tours of 98 local artists workplaces take place Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20 and Oct. 21 on the westside. The Portland Open Studios Tour Guide includes two tickets for all days and can be obtained at Art Media stores, New Seasons Markets, Weir's Cicely and other outlets listed on the website portlandopenstudios.com.

Mansions After Dark -- Wednesday, Oct. 24, visitors will have the rare opportunity to tour five early 20th-century-era mansions inside and out; learning what really lurks beneath the stairs and goes bump in the night. Tours begin at 6 p.m. For reservations, call Cyrus, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 503-823-3624.

Festival of Trees -- Thursday, Nov. 29, from 5:30 p.m. to 11 p.m., the 25th-annual Providence Festival of Trees kicks off with an auction and dinner at the Oregon Convention Center. Public shows available Friday, Nov. 30, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and on Saturday, Dec. 1, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Visit providence.org/festivaloftrees for tickets.

Trans-Siberian Orchestra -- Sunday, Dec. 2 at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., the Rose Garden will host the Trans-Siberian Orchestra Winter Tour, featuring symphonic rock to unveil the inspiring story of an angel who helps a child discover the meaning of Christmas. For tickets, visit RoseQuarter.com.

Holiday Ale Festival -- Beginning Thursday, Nov. 29 through Sunday, Dec. 2, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., the 12th-annual festival at Pioneer Courthouse Square, 701 S.W. 6th Ave., provides beer lovers the opportunity to sample some or all of the 36 rare beers featured. Visit holidayale.com or contact 503-252-9899 for more information.

So You Think You Can Dance -- Tuesday, Nov. 27 at 8 p.m., see your favorite stars from the sizzling summer show perform live at the Rose Garden. For tickets, call 877-789-7673.

**ENTERTAINMENT
GUIDE**

Harlem Nights -- Every Thursday evening at 9 p.m. throughout the month of October at Ohm, Southwest First and Couch.

Sliders Grill -- Sliders Grill, 3011 N. Lombard, features an eclectic assortment of performers on the main stage, accompanied by delicious food. Call 503-459-4488 for more information.

Sunday Night Jazz -- Jazz enthusiasts can enjoy listening to the cool sounds of Mel Brown, every Sunday evening this month in the Rogue River Room at Chi-



nook Winds Casino Resort in Lincoln City. No cover charge.

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.

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

Open Mic Night -- Every Wednesday night at 7 p.m., Proper Eats Market and Café, 8638 N. Lombard St., hosts open-mic night.

Carousels: The Art of the Animal -- Currently through Jan. 31, the World Forestry Center Discovery Museum will present a magnificent display of antique hand-carved wooden animals; for more information call 503-288-1367 or visit worldforestry.org.

