

## NEIGHBORHOOD THEATRES

### North/Northeast

KENNEDY SCHOOL: 5736 N.E. 33rd Ave.

ST JOHNS THEATER & PUB: 8203 N. Ivanhoe St.

HOLLYWOOD THEATER: 4122 N.E. Sandy Blvd.

### Downtown

MISSION THEATER: 1624 N.W. Glisan St.

NW FILM CENTER: 934 S.W. Salmon St.

CINEMA 21: 616 N.W. 21st Ave.

### Southeast

BAGDAD THEATER & PUB: 3702 S.E. Hawthorne Blvd.

LAURELHURST THEATER: 2735 E. Burnside St.

CLINTON STREET THEATER: 2522 S.E. Clinton St.

OMNIMAX THEATER: 1945 S.E. Water Ave.

THE ACADEMY THEATER: 7818 S.E. Stark St.

### Gresham/Troutdale

EDGEFIELD: 2126 S.W. Halsey St.

### Vancouver, WA

CINETOPIA: 11700 S.E. 7th St.



## American Gangster Opens Friday

Denzel Washington (left) and Russell Crowe star in *American Gangster*, opening nationwide on Friday, Nov. 2. The film tells the true juggernaut story of a cult superstar from the streets of 1970s Harlem, who rose to the heights of power by becoming the most ruthless figure in his business.

## Jay-Z Regrets early 'Retirement'

(AP) -- Wait a minute, didn't Jay-Z say he was retiring TWO albums ago?

"I want to never say that again," the 37-year-old rap mogul says in XXL magazine's new issue. "Just make the albums, man. And if one day people wake up and it's four years

later, and you haven't made another, they go, 'Wait a minute, you're retired!' I think that's best



Jay-Z

for me."

"I think I pulled the retirement ripcord too many times. People looking at me like, 'Please shut up.' I was looking at (his retirement movie) 'Fade to Black' the other day. I was embarrassed. I couldn't watch. I'm not playing with

you. I had to turn it off," he says. "I was cringing."

Jay's new project is an album about his hustling days, inspired by the upcoming film "American Gangster." That places him in competition with hot rappers of the moment — like Lil Wayne, who after Jay "retired" proclaimed himself the "greatest rapper alive."

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• Hannah Bea's, 3969 N.E. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., presents jazz during its 'Sunday Brunch Serenade' from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. • Live jazz Sundays from 8:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. at Clyde's Prime Rib, 5474 N.E. Sandy, and at the Blue Monk, 3341 S.E. Belmont. • An open mic is held each Monday night at the Back-to-Back Café, 614 E. Burnside. • Live blues on Mondays from 9 p.m. to midnight at Produce Row Café, 204 S.E. Oak; the Steinhaus, 2366 S.E. 82; Mississippi Studios, 939 N. Mississippi, from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.; and at Jimmy Mac's, 221 N.W. 10 at 8 p.m. • Blues offered up Wednesdays at the Candlelight Room, 2032 S.W. Fifth; Duff's Garage, 635 S.E. Seventh; and the Blue Diamond, 2016 N.E. Sandy. • Jazz each Wednesday night at the Blue Monk, the Portland Art Museum, Jimmy Mac's, and Jax's, 26 S.W. Second. • On Thursdays, catch the Women in Blues Revue at Tillicum's, 8585 S.W. Beaverton-Hillsdale. • Fridays and Saturdays offer live music around the metro area including Halibuts, 2525 N.E. Alberta St.; Mississippi Studios; LV's, 3530 N. Vancouver Ave.; XV's, 15 S.W. Second; Out of the Blues, 2050 N.W. Vaughn; Manila Express, 1230 S.E. Main; Steinhaus; One Stop Records, 615 N.E. Killingsworth; and the U-licious Smokehouse, 4057 N. Interstate.