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ENTERTAINMENT

Young Love, Obsession and Betrayal

Set in mid-20th century Italy, Compass Repertory Theatre will shock cultural morés and prissy tastes with an almost 400 year old play about an incestuous love: a boy, obsessed, intent on getting what he wants; a girl, wise, yet captive to the passions of men.

Brother and sister fall in love despite Catholic oversight, suitors in marriage and intrusive servants. The sheer power of lust, braided with deception, subterfuge and sweet revenge bloody a stage set for tragedy.

Tis Pity She's a Whore starts Thursday, May 5 and runs through May 29 at the Ethos Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center, 5340 N. Interstate Ave. Shows are Thursday through Saturday at 7:30 p.m., and Sunday at 3 p.m.

Tickets are \$20; and \$10 on Thursdays. Call 1-800-494-8497 or visit the website compassrep.org.



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Ethos Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center in north Portland hosts the Compass Repertory Theatre's presentation of 'Tis Pity She's a Whore, a contemporary spin on a controversial play.



A frame the IMAX film 'Born to be Wild 3D,' an inspired documentary about orphaned orangutans and elephants and the extraordi-

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Largest IMAX Film Festival Ever Opens

OMSI event features 24 giant movie experiences

The five-story screen of the OMNIMAX Theater will offer audiences the unparalleled opportunity to view some of the world's most remarkable IMAX films during the 2011 OMSI Film Festival which opened Tuesday at the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI).

For eight weeks, through-June 26, the festival will highlight 24 memorable motion pictures designed to make the most of the IMAX giant screen experience.

"This is far and away the largest, most ambitious IMAX film festival of its type in the country," says Russ Repp, OMSI's associate vice president for marketing.

Among the films at this year's festival is the heartwarming new hit Born to be Wild. Narrated by Academy-Award winner Morgan Freeman, this inspiring film looks at orphaned orangutans and elephants and the extraordinary people who rescue and raise them.

The sensational Ultimate Wave Tahiti with 10-time world champion surfer Kelly Slater is another featured film.

Closing the festival and making its Portland debut on June 24 is a film the Boston Globe calls "aweinspiring fun." Tornado Alley joins Sean Casey, star of the Discovery Channel's Storm Chasers, with a team of scientists and a fleet of customized vehicles on a thrilling quest to understand a tornado's destructive power at point blank range.

Additional IMAX films scheduled during the festival include: Sea Rex: Journey to a Prehistoric World, Everest, Amazon, Solarmax, Lewis & Clark, Dolphins, Mystery of the Nile, Alaska, Wild Ocean, Adrenaline Rush, Hubble, Coral Reef Adventure, Deep Sea, Dinosaurs Alive, Grand Canyon Adventure, Mummies, Journey Into Amazing Caves, Mystic India, Living Sea, Hurricane on the Bayou, and Mysteries of Egypt.