## The Hortland Observer





## Movies in the Park -- All summer long, Portland's neighborhood parks will host free films from recent hits to classics. Films begin at dark (8 p.m. -- 8:45 p.m.) with pre-movie entertainment starting at 6:30 p.m.

Rainouts will be called at 5 p.m.

Upcoming showings: Gulliver's

Travels on Thursday, July 21 at

Brentwood Park, True Grit on Fri-

day, July 22 at Irving Park, Iron Man

1 on Saturday and Iron Man 2 on

Sunday, July 24 July 23 at East Port-

land EXPO. For a complete sched-

ule, visit portlandparks.org.

Exhibition -- Take a magical jour-

ney of exploration in the Chronicles of Narnia, **OMSI'snew** 

state-of-theart exhibition, where visitors will enter a three dimensional world that combines

the wonders of science with C.S. Lewis' beloved fictional books and blockbuster film series. The exhibition will show through Sept. 25, and tickets are \$2 with regular museum admission.

Summer Concerts in the Parks --Neighborhood parks near you are hosting free concerts featuring funk, pop, rock, Afro beat, country, swing, Celtic, jazz, soul and Zydeco. Schedule is posted on portlandparks.org or



## call 503-823-5446.

Norman Sylvester Band -- Boogie. Cat Norman Sylvester and his band perform Friday, July 22 at the West Linn Saloon, and Saturday, July 23 at Mac's Place.

Mel Brown Live -- Portland jazz giant Mel Brown performs at Salty's on the Columbia every Friday and Saturday night. Known as the "Gentleman of Jazz," Brown has a career spanning over 40 years.

Pedal to the Metal -- An original exhibit about Oregon's motorsport history, Pedal to the Metal brings iconic race cars, motorcycles and engines to the Oregon History Museum in a breathtaking display. Exhibit runs through Sept. 4.

That's All Folks! -- Did you know the voice of Bugs Bunny, Pepe Le Pew, Barney Rubble, and countless other cartoon characters was Mel Blanc, a Portland native? "That's All Folks! The Mel Blanc Story," a tribute to Mel Blanc through film, sound, photographs and memorabilia will show through Sept. 11 at the Oregon Jewish Museum, 1953 N.W. Kearney St. Admission is \$6 and \$4 for students and seniors. Visitojm.orgorcall 503-226-3600.

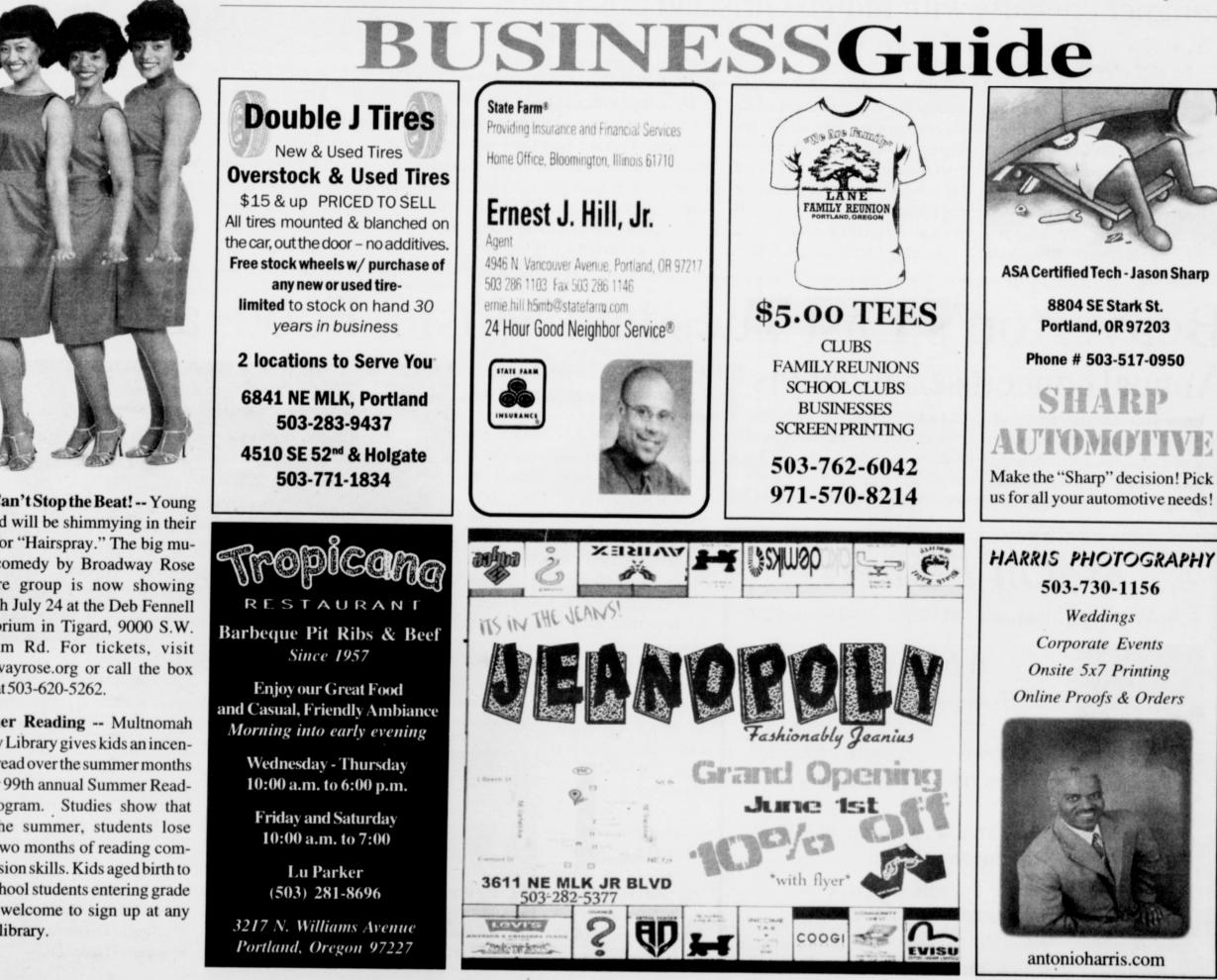
Rooftop Film Series -- The Northwest Film Center invites you to join them for cinema under the stars at the Top Down summer rooftop film series taking place atop the parking garage at the Hotel deLuxe on 729 S.W. 15th Ave. every Thursday evening, July 21 through Aug. 25. Festivities begin at 8 p.m. Bring your own portable chair, pillow, or blanket. Tickets are \$9. For movie titles, visitnwfilm.org.

Humor Night -- Awesome comedians perform stand-up, sketch, and more at the weekly Recurring Humor Night every Wednesday night at Tonic Lounge. 3100 N.E. Sandy Blvd. Pay as you wish, \$3-5 donation suggested. Show is 21+.

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Home Garden Tours -- Gardens of Natural Delights tours bring beginning and experienced gardeners together to view and discuss organic home gardens around the region. Events are held through July. Register on Metro's natural gardening website, oregonmetro.gov/garden, or by phone at 503-234-3000.

King Farmers Market -- For a third season of farm-fresh produce, baked goods, meats, cheeses, seafood, and other specialty foods, visit the King Farmers Market on the intersection of Northeast Seventh Avenue and Wygant Street in the parking lot adjacent to King School Park. Now open Sundays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.





You Can't Stop the Beat! -- Young and old will be shimmying in their seats for "Hairspray." The big musical comedy by Broadway Rose Theatre group is now showing through July 24 at the Deb Fennell Auditorium in Tigard, 9000 S.W. Durham Rd. For tickets, visit broadwayrose.org or call the box office at 503-620-5262.

Summer Reading -- Multnomah County Library gives kids an incentive to read over the summer months in their 99th annual Summer Reading program. Studies show that over the summer, students lose about two months of reading comprehension skills. Kids aged birth to high school students entering grade 12 are welcome to sign up at any school library.

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