

Oregon Zoo Free for Veterans

The Oregon Zoo will mark Veterans Day by offering free admission for military veterans and active military personnel, as well as family members who accompany them to the zoo. Families of deployed military personnel also will be given free admission.

"We want to show our gratitude to those who have served in the military and to the families that support them," said zoo director Kim Smith. "On Veterans Day, we're inviting them, their families and the families of deployed military personnel to enjoy a free day at the zoo."

To receive free admission Friday, Nov. 11, visitors must show a military or veteran organization ID, discharge papers or other official military identification; families of deployed military personnel must show an active duty ID.

The Zoo Store is also offering a 10 percent discount for veterans, active military personnel and their families, with proper identification.

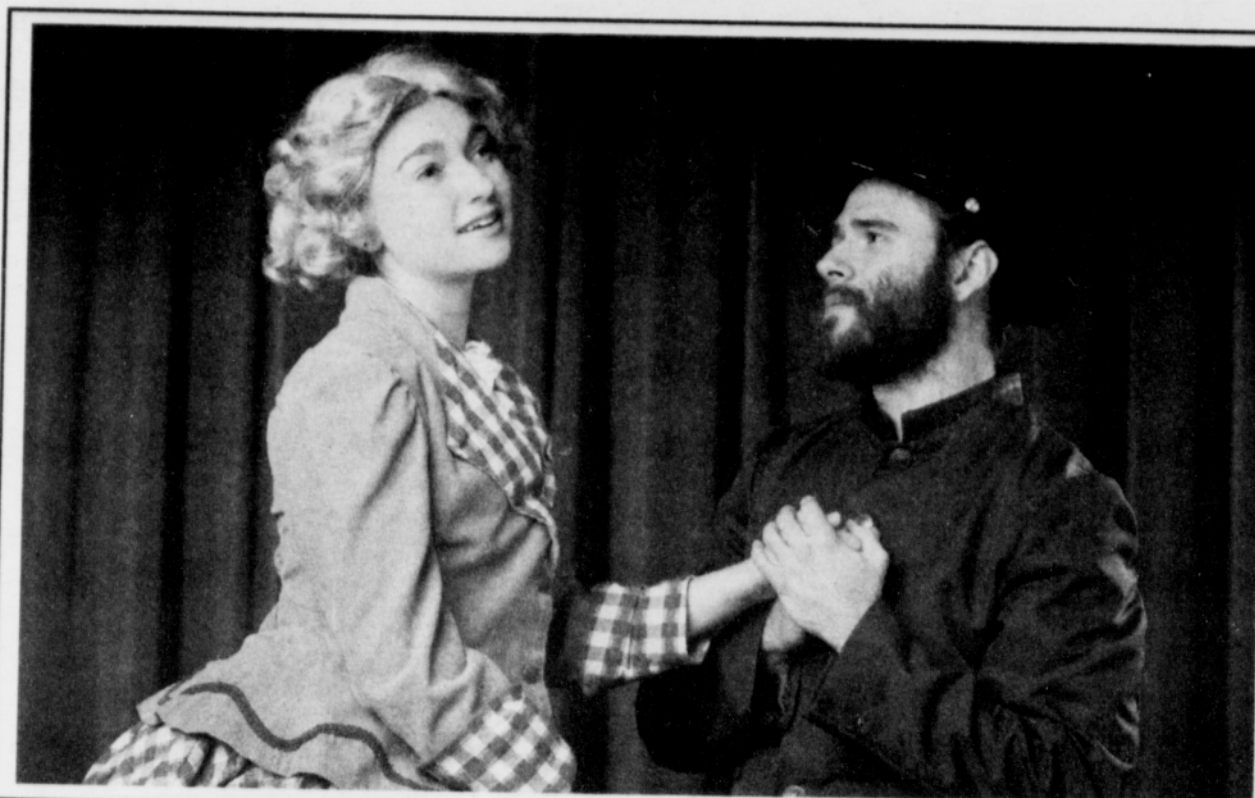
Rose Court Signups Begin

Potential princesses are being sought as recruiting has begun for the 2012 Rose Festival Court presented by Pacific Power.

Applications are available at rosefestival.org.

Fifteen princesses will be selected to the court after meeting eligibility requirements and each will be matched with a mentor, a female executive from Pacific Power, for the duration of their Rose Festival experience.

The selection of Rose Festival princesses from local high schools has been a Rose Festival tradition since 1930. The mission of the court program is to provide scholarships for higher education, to promote community outreach and volunteerism, and to offer networking and mentoring opportunities to outstanding young women in a program that perpetuates an appreciation for Rose Festival history and tradition.



Wit, Charm and Agony

Arms and the Man is an amusing satire that turns on its head the idea that war is romantic. The satire by George Bernard Shaw, will be performed Nov. 11-13 and 17-19 in the Mago Hunt Center Theater on the University of Portland campus, 5000 N. Willamette Blvd. All performances are at 7:30 p.m., except for the Sunday performance, which is at 2 p.m. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and seniors. Tickets are from the Mago Hunt Box Office. For reservations, call 503-943-7287.

A Museum WITH A LOT GOING ON

THERE'S GREAT STUFF GOING ON THIS MONTH AT PORTLAND CHILDREN'S MUSEUM:

TARGET FREE FIRST FRIDAY NIGHT

November 4 • 4-8pm

Come enjoy the Museum for free between 4-8pm.

EXPLORING THE STAGE

November 6 & 13 • 11-11:30am & 12:30-1pm

Continuing a four-week series exploring different forms of performing arts from dance to puppetry! In the Play it Again Theatre; seats are first come, first serve.

Nov. 6- *Natya Leela Academy* (Classical Indian Dance)

Nov. 13- *Rick Huddle* (Storyteller)

FUTURE VET

November 10 • 10-10:30am

Presented by Banfield in Pet Hospital! Learn what pets need to be happy, safe, and healthy, and how to care for them from a licensed veterinarian.

FAIRY TALE FESTIVAL

November 19 & 20 • 9:30am-3:30pm

It's a Museum favorite, Fairy Tale Festival! Take in a puppet show with friends from Dragon Art Theater, hear a Princess Story, then create a crown, scepter or set of fairy or dragon wings with Museum artists.

Crown & Scepter Making • \$1 • 9:30am-12pm

Princess Story Time with Dragon Art Theater • 11am

Puppet Shows with Dragon Art Theater • 10:30am & 1pm

Fairy & Dragon Wings Workshop • \$3 • 1:30-3:30pm

LEGO® CASTLE ADVENTURE

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About Portland Children's Museum

Portland Children's Museum is the museum that doesn't act like a museum. You won't find any velvet ropes inside, and playing with and touching our exhibits is strongly encouraged. Our main exhibit is the imagination of the children who play here. Every activity from permanent to travelling exhibits is designed to encourage children to play and wonder while they learn about themselves and the world around them. Make a splash in **Water Works**; explore the **Twilight Trail**; traverse **PoChiMu Peak**; plow into the **Dig Pit**; care for a furry friend in the **Pet Hospital**; shop and cook in **Grasshopper Grocery and Butterfly Bistro**; watch little ones bloom in **Baby's Garden**; sculpt a creation in **Clay Studio**; make a masterpiece in **Paint & Play** class, and so much more.

Location

Washington Park across from Oregon Zoo
4015 SW Canyon Road, Portland, 97221

Fall/Winter Hours thru February 2012

Open Tues-Sun • 9am-5pm; Thurs • 9am-8pm
Closed Mondays except Portland Public Schools holidays
Target Free First Friday Night (free the first Friday of every month from 4-8pm)

Admission

Museum members: Free • Under age 1: Free
Ages 1-54: \$9 • Over 55 and military: \$8

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