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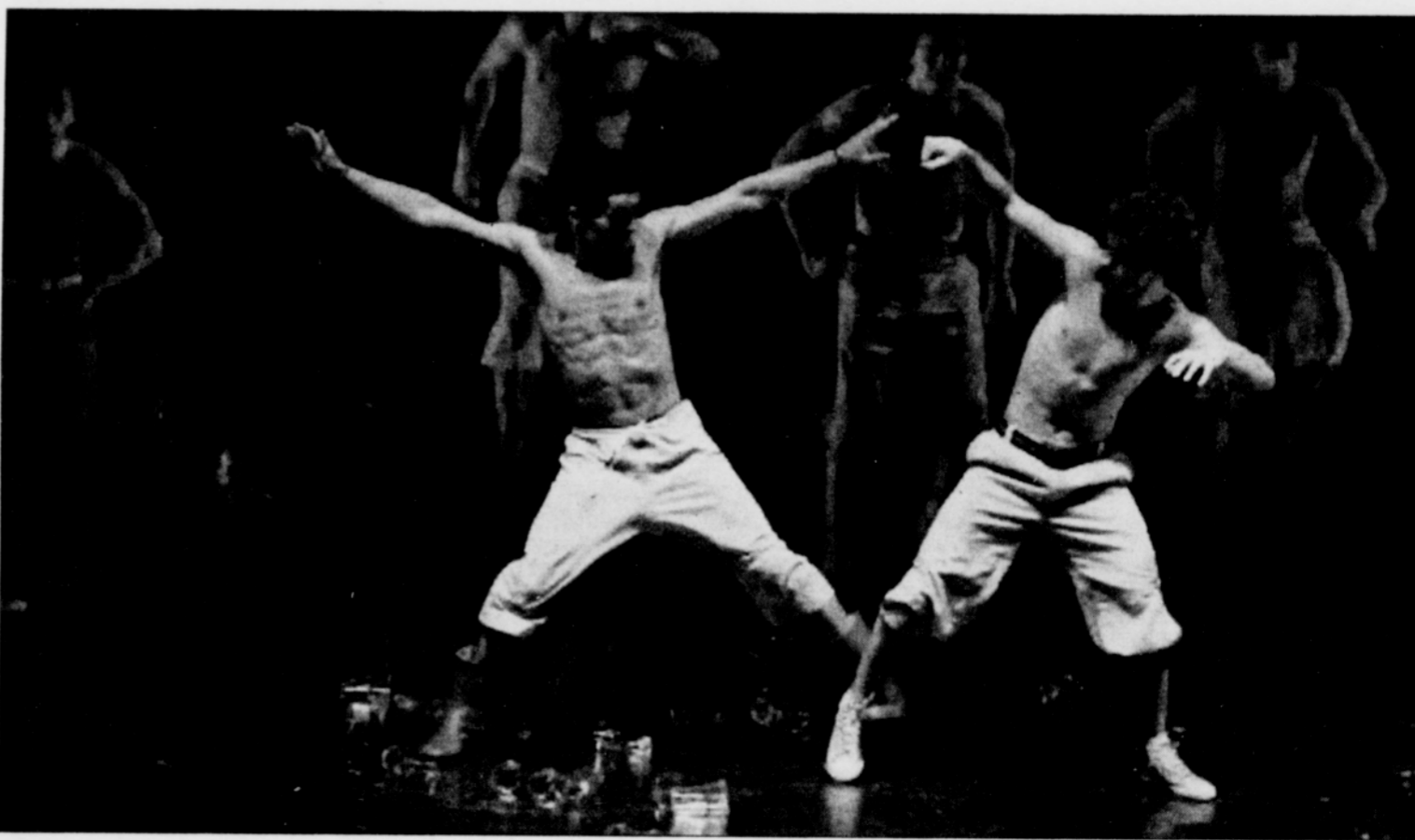
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# Arts & ENTERTAINMENT



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## Hip Hop Dancers from Rio

White Bird is excited to conclude its 14th season of contemporary dance with the West Coast debut of Europe's most acclaimed hip-hop company, Compagnie Käfig, featuring 11 explosive male dancers from Rio De Janiero.

Artistic Director and Choreographer Mourad Merzouki is widely recognized as one of the world's most gifted choreographers who has fused hip-hop

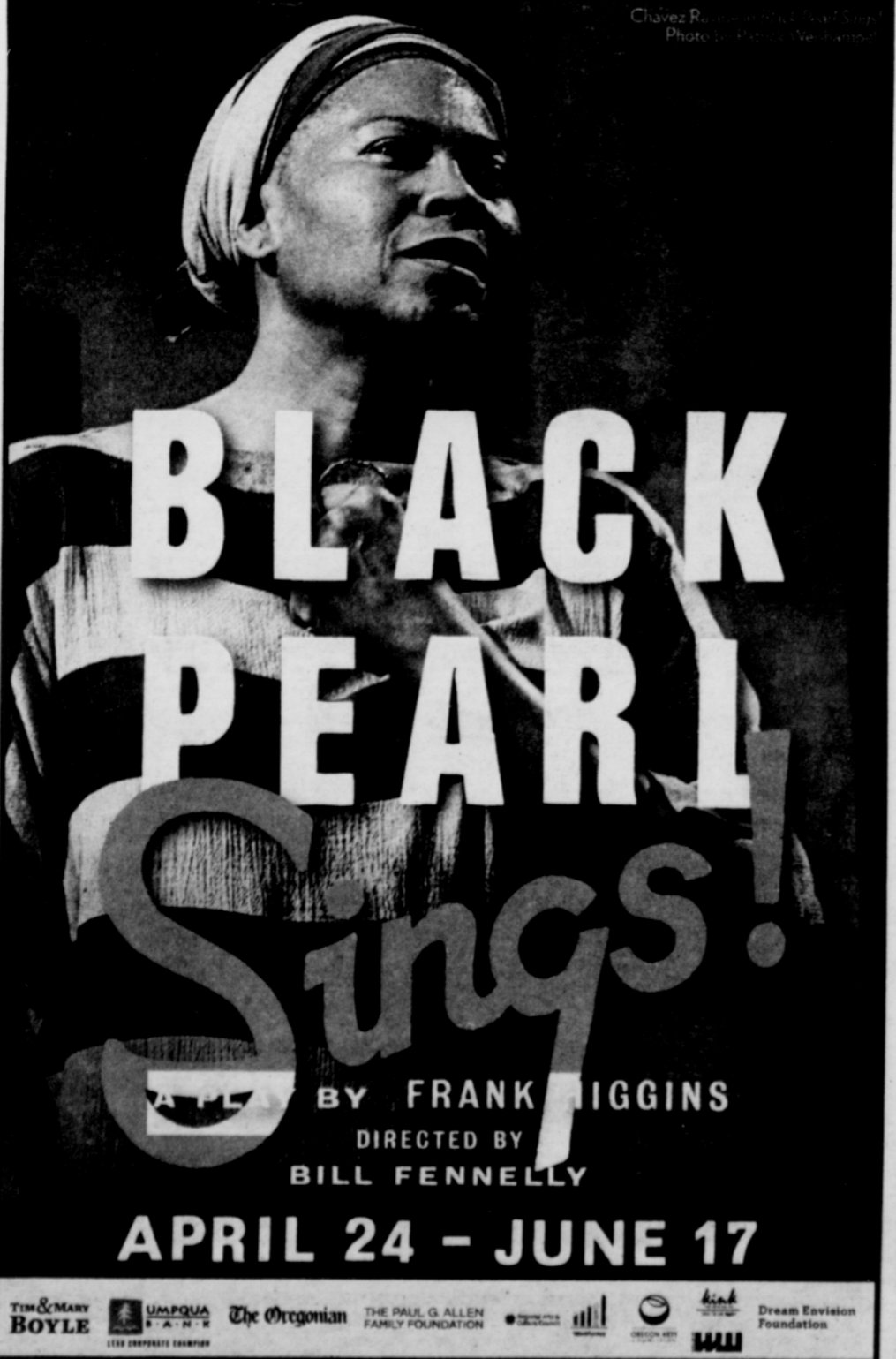
with other disciplines (martial arts, music, visual art) to create work that has excited audiences and critics around the world.

The performance is scheduled Wednesday, May 9 at 9:30 p.m. at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. Tickets are \$26 to \$64 and available at whitebird.org, the Portland Center for the Performing Arts, or calling 1-800-380-3516.

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## PORTLAND CENTER STAGE



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# BLACK PEARL

# Sings!

BY FRANK HIGGINS  
DIRECTED BY BILL FENNELLY

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## ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

**Strawberry Shortcake to Prevent Violence** -- Eat shortcake and help prevent domestic violence at all New Seasons Market locations from noon until 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 12 and Sunday, May 13. A \$4 donation for a generous New Seasons shortcake, covered with strawberries and topped with organic whipped cream, will be donated to local chapters of Soroptimists, a service organization devoted to women's issues.

**Return of Lar Lubovitch** -- White Bird presents the return of the Lar Lubovitch Dance Company on Wednesday, May 2 at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. Lubovitch is one of America's most versatile, popular and widely seen choreographers.

**Screen-Free Week** -- It's the week you and your family turn off the TV and computer and engage in healthy, movement activities. Community centers run by Portland Parks and Recreation are holding special programs and activities for Screen-Free Week, through Sunday, May 6.

**Norman Sylvester Band** -- Boogie Cat Norman Sylvester and his band perform Friday, May 4 at the West Linn Saloon; and Saturday, May 12 at the Blue Diamond.

**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.

**Papers: Stories of Undocumented Youth** -- Join the Center for Intercultural Organizing this First Friday for "Papers," a documentary film about undocumented youth and the difficulties they face as they grow up in America. Friday, May 4, at 6 p.m., 700 N. Killingsworth. There will be popcorn and platters of potluck! Bring food!

**Live Jazz** -- Every Friday and Saturday from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m., the Third Degrees Lounge at the River Place Hotel, 1510 S.W. Harbor Way. No cover or minimum purchase. For more information, visit pdxjazz.com.

**Portland Saturday Market** -- Portland Saturday Market in Old Town/Chinatown, the largest arts and crafts market in continuous operation in the United States, has over 350 vendors and is open every Saturday and Sunday through Christmas Eve at 2 S.W. Naito Parkway.

**Music Millennium Free Shows** -- The Music Millennium, 3158 E. Burnside, hosts in-house live performances. Enjoy free music and the opportunity to meet artists. Call 503-231-8926 for a schedule.

**Afrique Bistro Benefit** -- Afrique Bistro, 102 N.E. Russell St., opens its doors each last Saturday of the month to raise donations for the African Women's Coalition. Great Caribbean and African music along with good drinks and fun people, 9 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. \$10 at the door.

