

# Arts & ENTERTAINMENT

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## Good in the Hood

Annual festival celebrating the diversity of neighborhoods in north and northeast Portland kicks off Friday, June 22 at 6 p.m. at Lillis-Albina Park at North Russell Street and Flint Avenue. The main festival gathers full steam for more entertainment and fun, on Saturday, June 23 and Sunday, June 24. The Good in the Hood Parade is Saturday, June 23, starting from King School Park and following Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard and Russell Street to Lillis-Albina Park

### 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.

## ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

### Live Jazz --

Every Friday and Saturday from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m., the Third Degrees Lounge at the RiverPlace Hotel, 1510 S.W. Harbor Way.

No cover or minimum purchase. For more information, visit [pdxjazz.com](http://pdxjazz.com).



**It Ain't Nothin' but the Blues** -- Nominated for a Tony Award for Best Musical, this foot-stompin' retrospective musical stars Sugaray Raford, Eloise Laws and other big names in the contemporary Blues landscape. Performances run through Sunday, June 24 at Portland Center Stage, downtown.

**Soulful Showcase** -- Blacque Butterfly presents spoken word, live music and featured artists on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 p.m. at E'Njoni Café, African-Mediterranean cuisine at 910 N. Killingsworth St.

**Norman Sylvester Band** -- Boogie Cat Norman Sylvester and his band perform Friday, June 22 at the M & M Lounge in Gresham; Sunday, June 24 at 2 p.m. at the Lake Oswego Art Festival; Saturday, June 30 at Clyde's; and July 4 at the Waterfront Blues Festival.



**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.



**Mock Crest Summer Theater** -- Gilbert and Sullivan's classic operetta, the Gondoliers, is this summer's presentation by Mock Crest Productions, a summer professional theater company supported by the University of Portland. Performances run through Sunday, June 24 in Mago Hunt Center Theater on the school's north Portland campus.

### Oregon Black History --

The Black Museum of Oregon group meets every Saturday, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at 420 N.E. Mason. For more information, call 503-284-0617.



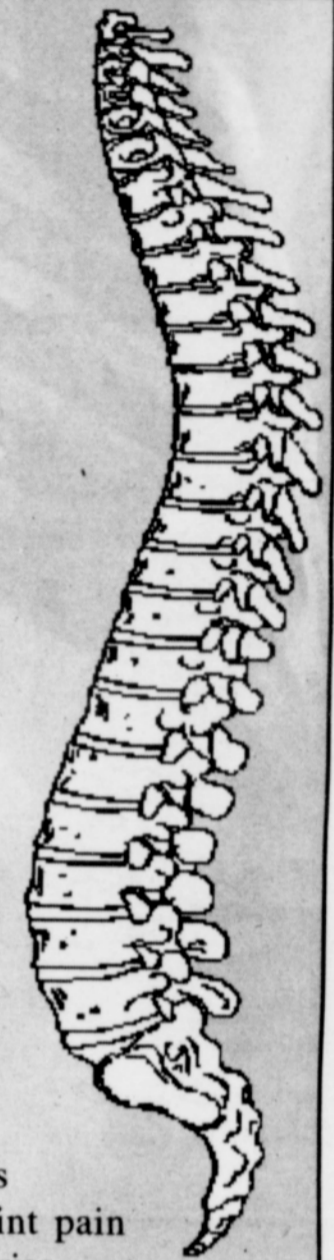
**Music Millennium Free Shows** -- The Music Millennium, 3158 E. Burnside, hosts in-house live performances. Enjoy free music and the opportunity to meet artists. Call 503-231-8926 for a schedule.

**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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