115 ENTERTAINMENT



Splash Pads Bring Summer Fun

Heading into the warmer days of summer, Portland Parks and Recreation has opened splash pads at 14 parks around the city, including Farragut Park in north Portland. Visitors can splash away through the end of September, hours are 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Celebrating a Master of Dance

Oregon Ballet Theatre wraps up a very dynamic season with an evening dedicated to a 20th century master, George Balanchine.

On the 30th anniversary of Balanchine's death, OBT celebrates the diversity of his contribution to dance with three different examples of his prolific choreography. Balanchine was by turns nostalgic and innovative and the audience will catch a glimpse of the immense depth of his 60year career as a choreographer.

Opening Friday, June 14, and continuing through Sunday, June 16, the four performances will take place at Keller Auditorium. A pay your age discount is offered for all patrons under 35 years old. The Oregon Ballet Theatre participates in the Arts for All program, providing \$5 tickets to patrons with the Oregon Trail Card.

For more information, visit obt.org.

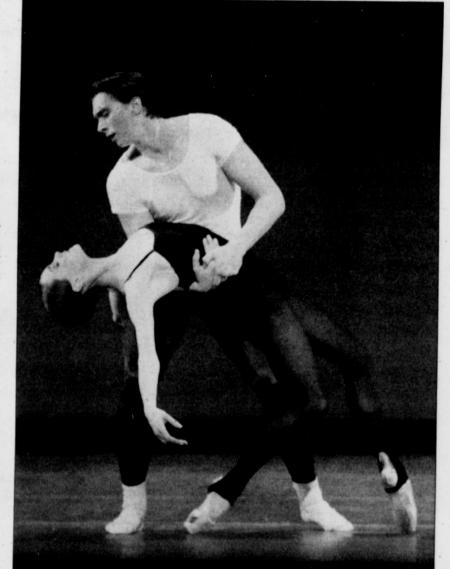


PHOTO BY BLAINE TRUITT COVERT

Brett Bauer and Grace Shibley enact an emotional moment inspired by Igor Stravinsky's relationship with his wife, Vera, in George Balanchine's Stravinsky Violin Concerto, one of three works on Oregon Ballet Theatre's program Celebrating Balanchine.

