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Mid-Autumn Festival -- The Lan Su Chinese Garden in Old

Town will celebrate one of the most important festivals in Chinese culture, the Midplanned for Friday, Sept. 5 and Saturday, Sept. 6. For more information, visit lansugarden.org.



from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on the Cannon's patio at 5410 N.E. 33rd Ave. Bring your family and friends to celebrate great music and outstanding barbeque! For more in-

formation, call Cannon's at 503-288-3836.



in the eye this summer at OMSI and it might just complete skeletons, Dinosaurs Unearthed uses 8926 for a schedule. the latest in fossil evidence to take a captivating look at the dinosaurs' fascinating and feathered history. Runs through Tuesday. Sept. 2. For more information, call 503-797-4000 or visit omsi.edu.

Norman Sylvester --Boogie Cat Norman Sylvester and his band play Friday, Sept. 5 at Restaurant 503 in West Linn; Friday, Sept. 12 at Prime Time in Forest Grove; and Saturday, Sept. 13 at the Spare Room.

second and third Mondays of the month at the Rockwood Community Center,

124 N.E. 181st. No partner is needed. Autumn Festival, a celebration of family and the Your first two lessons are free. For more bountiful harvest. A full weekend of events is information, call Denise Johnson, 503-819-4576.

> Fourth Sunday Jam Night -- A friends and family variety comedy show in a Saturday Cannon's Summer Music -- Night Live format with local recording and Reggie Houston performs for the performing artists, bands, dance crews, poets, Cannon's Rib Express summer and drama groups, takes place each fourth music program, a free event each Sunday of the month at 7 p.m. at Celebration first and third Sunday of the month Tabernacle, 8131 N. Denver Ave. The free event is open to the community.

> > Traveling Lantern on Sundays -- Creating opportunity for young audiences, Artists Rep continues its partnership with the long-established and well-reputed Traveling Lantern Theatre Company to present \$5 performances for children in its Alder Lobby. The interactive theatre performances are now being performed every Sunday morning at 11 a.m., a change from the Saturday morning shows held last fall and winter. For more information, visit artistsrep.org.

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.

Music Millennium Free Shows -- The Mu-Dinosaurs Unearthed -- Stare the mighty T.rex sic Millennium, 3158 E. Burnside, hosts inhouse live performances. Enjoy free music and blink back. Featuring animatronic dinosaurs and the opportunity to meet artists. Call 503-231-

> 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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Soulful Bluegrass at Sprit Mountain --Valerie June, a soulful artist with a mix of Appalachian, country and bluegrass and who has won a nomination for Best New Artist Debut at the Blues Music Awards, performs Friday, Aug. 29 at 8 p.m. at Spirit Mountain Casino in Grand Ronde. Tickets start at just \$10. Visit spirtmountain.com.

The 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.

Chicago Steppin' Classes -- Learn the fastest growing urban dance at the Billy Webb Elks Lodge, 6 N. Tillamook St. each Friday at 6:30 p.m. Classes also at 7 p.m. on the first,



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.

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 St. For more information, call 503-284-0617.

Discount Tickets -- Local low-income families and individuals can purchase \$5 tickets to classical musical performances in Portland as part of a unique program called Music for All. Participating organizations include the Oregon Symphony, Portland Opera, Oregon Ballet Theater, Chamber Music Northwest, Portland Youth Philharmonic, Portland Baroque Orchestra, Friends of Chamber Music, Portland Chamber Orchestra, Portland Piano International, Portland Symphonic Choir, Cappella Romana and Portland Vocal Consort.

Discount Admission -- OMSI visitors pay only \$2 per person for general admission on the first Sunday of each month as well as discounted admission of \$5 to the Planetarium, OMIMAX Theater and USS Blueback submarine.

