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Hip Hop IPA Night -- A Hip Hop IPA Night to introduce five Hip-Hop themed IPAs from Portland's Lompoc Brewing will be held at Lompoc Tavern, 1620 N.W. 23rd Ave, on Wednesday, April 6 from 4 p.m. to 1 a.m. The brews will be available on a taster tray and sold individually by the point

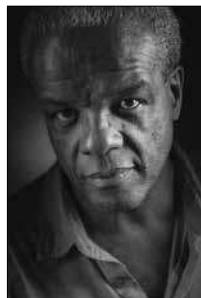
Athletic and Passionate -- White Bird brings San Francisco-based ODC/Dance, known worldwide for choreography that is athletic, passionate and intellectually alive, to Portland for performances Thursday, April 7 through Saturday, April 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Newmark Theater, downtown.



Poetry Month at Chinese Garden -- According to Chinese tradition, a garden landscape without poetry is not complete. This April, you can learn about the poetry in the La Su Chinese Garden, downtown, as well as the historical and aesthetic traditions of poetry in Suzhou-style gardens with workshops, tours and multiple poetry series. Learn more at lansugarden.org.

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

Prejudice, Power and Perspective -- Portland's Kevin Jones directs an incendiary and challenging production about the first colonial genocide of the 20th Century in Africa. 'We Are Proud to Present a Presentation about the Herero of Namibia, Formerly Known as South West Africa, from the German Southwestafrika, Between the Years 1884-1915,' is now playing and has been extended with show through Sunday, April 10 at Artists Repertory Theater, downtown.



Norman Sylvester -- Boogie Cat Norman Sylvester and his band Friday, April 8 at the Half Penny in Sa-

lem; Saturday, April 9 at the Spare Room; and Saturday, April 16 at 6 p.m. at the Inner City Blues Festival at the North Portland Eagles Lodge, 7611 N. Exeter.

Against the Odds -- An amazing drama that applies the ideas and struggles of the civil rights movement to contemporary city life is now playing through Sunday, April 10 at the Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center, 5340 N. Interstate Ave. Passinart presents "Smoldering Fires," a play by Kermit Frazier that allows us to view the world through the eyes and spirit of our youth. Friday and Saturday shows at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday shows at 3 p.m.



Caught in Storm of Injustice -- "Bloodsworth, An Innocent Man" tells the story of Kirk Bloodsworth who was sentenced to death in 1985 for the brutal killing of a young girl in Rosedale, Md. Eight years later he became the first person exonerated by DNA evidence. The film screens on Thursday, April 7 at 7 p.m. at Whitsell Auditorium, located in the Portland Art Museum. Admission is \$9 general and \$8 for students and seniors.



Fourth Sunday Jam Night -- A friends and family variety comedy show in a Saturday Night Live format with local recording and performing artists, bands, dance crews, poets, and drama groups, takes place each fourth Sunday of the month at 7 p.m. at Celebration Tabernacle, 8131 N. Denver Ave. The free event is open to the community.

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.

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