

# Arts & ENTERTAINMENT

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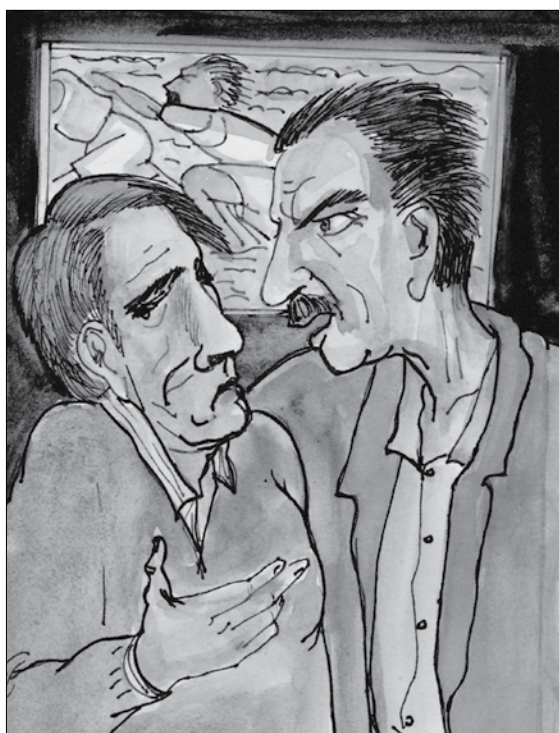
### Youth Poetry Slam --

Verselandia! Portland's citywide youth poetry slam will take place Thursday, April 26 at 7 p.m. at the Arlene Schnitzer. Students will take the stage to share their original poetry in front of a panel of judges and a live audience. Show Portland's youth that their voices matter. Tickets are \$10 for youth and \$15 adults with no additional fees.



**Alvin Ailey at the Schnitzer** -- White Bird presents Alvin Ailey American Dance on Wednesday, April 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the Arlene Schnitzer Concert Hall. The show will shine a light on social issues, celebrate the jazz legend Ella Fitzgerald, and honor the legacy of the company's founder Alvin Ailey, with his masterpiece Revelations.

**Journey to the Trail of Tears** -- Cherokee performance artist and activist DeLanna Studi performs her powerful memoir play "And So We Walked: An Artist's Journey Along the Trail of Tears" at the Armory, downtown. Studi retraces the path her great-great grandparents took in the 1830s during the forced relocation of 17,000 Cherokee from their homelands. Now showing through May 13. Regular tickets start at \$25. Visit pcs.org or call 503-445-3700.



**Violence and Reconciliation** -- "Quietly," a play that grapples with the carnage, consequences and hope for healing following Ireland's decades-long, bloody conflict referred to as the Troubles, makes its West Coast premiere with Portland's Corrib Theatre, now showing through May 6 at New Expressive Works, 810 S.E. Belmont St. Admission is \$25 general and \$20 for students. For tickets, call 800-838-3006 or visit brownpapertickets.com.

**Norman Sylvester** -- 'Boogie Cat' Norman Sylvester plays Wednesday, April 25 at Billy Blues in Vancouver; Friday, April 27 at Clyde's; Saturday, April 28 at the Half Penny in Salem; Friday, May 4 at Wilf's; and Saturday, May 5 at Catfish Lou's.

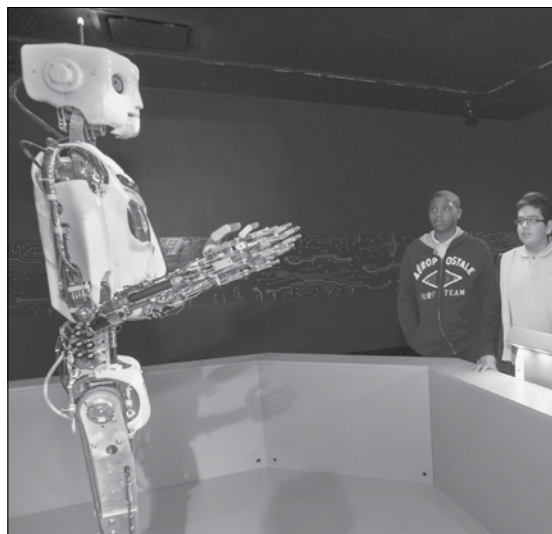
**OMSI Exhibit on Arctic Thaw** -- "Digging into

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Permafrost" is a new exhibit at OMSI addressing the subject of climate change as viewed through the lens of a thawing Arctic using exciting interactive features such as an Alaskan permafrost tunnel replica, fossil research stations and interactive games.



**Voyage to Vietnam** -- Portland Children's Museum promotes the understanding of Vietnam culture and showcases the traditions, customs and values exemplified by the country's annual celebration of Tet with Voyage to Vietnam: Celebrating the Tet Festival. The new exhibit runs through May 6.



**Robot Revolution** -- A new exhibit at OMSI brings some of the most innovative robots from all over the world. Learn about the skills robots possess that mimic and often surpass human capabilities in "Robot Revolution," now showing through Sept. 7.

**Zoo for All** -- The Oregon Zoo has launched "Zoo for All," a new discount program that provides \$5 admission for low income individuals and families. Visitors may purchase up to six of the \$5 tickets by bringing a photo ID and documentation showing they participate in low income service, like the Oregon Trial Card, Medicaid, Section 8, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, and Head Start.

**Discount Tickets** -- 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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