

Events & Announcements

Community Calendar 2019

Portland Metro

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

Free Days at the Portland Art Museum: On the first Thursday of every month, the Portland Art Museum offers free admission to more than 112,000 square feet of galleries. Free, 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., 1219 SW Park Ave.

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

PET WELLNESS FAIR: This joint Oregon Humane Society and Oregon State University presentation will explain ways pet owners can make sure their pets are happy, healthy, and safe. There will also be information related to pet dental health, pet therapy, disaster preparedness and more. Free, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., Oregon Humane Society, 1067 NE Columbia Blvd.

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

PRICED OUT SCREENING: Join us for a screening and discussion of "Priced Out," a look at how skyrocketing housing prices are displacing Portland's Black community and reshaping the entire city. The feature-length documentary explores the complexities and contradictions of gentrification and what neighborhood life means after the era of "The Ghetto." From 1:30 - 3 p.m., Multnomah County Central Library, 801 SW 10th Ave.

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

CRAFT PAW HOUSE NIGHT: Join Craft Pour House and the Oregon Humane Society and raise a pint to help fund a local cause. One dollar from each pour will help the animals at OHS. The event will also include trivia, pizza and Doggie Dash raffle prizes. Free, 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m., Craft Pour House, 16055 SW Regatta Ln., Beaverton.

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

OHSU LIBRARY SATURDAY SKETCH: Join OHSU for an afternoon of creativity and inspiration. People are invited to view and draw inspiration from rare artifacts and books in the historical collections. Pencils, papers and drawing boards will be provided. Photographers are also welcome. Free, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m., OHSU Library, BICC Building, 3rd floor, 3280 SW Sam Jackson Park Road.

SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2019

WOMEN'S RESISTANCE IN EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY OREGON: The Oregon Historical Society hosts a lecture on the various methods women in Oregon used throughout the early twentieth century to protest the status quo of the era. Historian and Kimberly Jensen will discuss how these individual stories function as part of a larger historical movement. Free, 2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., Oregon Historical Society, 1200 SW Park Avenue.

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PHOTO BY KATE SZROM/COURTESY OF PORTLAND CENTER STAGE AT THE ARMORY

Portland Center Stage Presents ‘Crossing Mnisose’ April 19-May 5

This spring Portland Center Stage presents Mary Kathryn Nagle's world premiere play, "Crossing Mnisose," which weaves together Sacajawea's story with that of the contemporary fight to protect the Mnisose (what Europeans named the Missouri River) from the Dakota Access Pipeline. Previews will be performed beginning April 13 and the play officially opens April 19, running through May 5. As in previous plays "Manahatta" and "Sovereignty," Nagle draws a clear, urgent line between the past and the present. Nagle's frequent collaborator Molly Smith (Sovereignty at Arena Stage) will direct. Nathalie Standingcloud (Nagle's Return to Niobrara at The Rose Theater) makes her debut at The Armory as Sacajawea/Carey, leading a cast of Nick Ferrucci, Gavin Hoffman, Sera-Lys McArthur, Robert I. Mesa, and Chris Murray. The Armory will host several free community events surrounding Crossing Mnisose, including pre-show happy hours with Mt. Hood Cherokees and the Columbia Land Trust, and an art exhibit on the gallery level featuring Native artists chosen by Nagle. For more information, visit www.pcs.org.

Portland News Briefs

Portland Activists to Rally April 4 to Demand Release of Fuller Mueller Report

Activists in Portland will join a nationwide day of action April 4 in response to Attorney General Bill Barr's failure to release the Mueller report and underlying evidence to Congress by the April 2 deadline set by six House Committee Chairs. The event will take place from 5 to 7 p.m. at North Waterfront Park at SW Ankeny St.

Demonstrators are calling on Attorney General Bill Barr to #ReleaseTheReport. The nationwide day of action is being organized by a coalition of hundreds of public interest organizations. More information

can be found at TrumpIsNotAboveTheLaw.org.

Speakers at the Portland event will include Kate Titus of Common Cause Oregon, Mat dos Santos of ACLU Oregon, Indivisible representatives and elected officials.

To register for this event or find others like it around the country, visit <https://www.trumpisnotabovethelaw.org/event/mueller-firing-rapid-response/search/>.

Constantin Severe Resigns as Independent Police Review Director

Constantin Severe, who has served as the director of the Independent Police Review since 2013 and has worked for the agency since 2008, has resigned to take a job with the governor's office, according to a press release issued by IPR last week. His last day will be April 5.

"I am grateful for Constantin's dedicated service," said Portland City Auditor Mary Hull Caballero in the release. "As Director, he was able to shepherd several major police accountability reforms through City Council and expand IPR's ability to conduct both complex investigations and systemic reviews. I plan to conduct a national search for the next IPR Director."

Severe said, "It has been an enormous privilege to serve the City and Auditor as IPR Director. I am proud to have served with an amazing, dedicated staff that works hard for this community."

IPR was created in 2001 as the City of Portland's civilian oversight agency of the Portland Police Bureau. IPR is a division of the City Auditor's Office and is authorized to investigate allegations of misconduct by Portland Police Bureau members. Additionally, IPR is tasked by city code with conducting reviews of Police Bureau policies and practices.

Congressman Blumenauer Will Hold Arts Competition for Students

For the third consecutive year, Congressman Earl Blumenauer is holding an art competition for high school students in Oregon's Third Congressional District. The winning piece of art will be placed in Congressman Blumenauer's Washington, D.C. office.

Congressman Blumenauer is holding the OR-03 Arts Competition rather than participating in the Congressional Art Competition.

During the traditional Congressional Art Competition, high school students submit artwork to their Congressional representative and one piece of art from each district is selected and showcased in the Capitol alongside artwork from Congressional districts.

Congressman Blumenauer instituted his own OR-

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