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CRAYON POP THINKS THEY'LL MESH WELL WITH LADY GAGA



PACK OF CRAYONS. South Korean K-Pop girl group Crayon Pop performs during the Hallyu Dream Concert in Gyeongju, South Korea. The pop newcomers, dressed in white skirts and helmets, are set to make waves again after Lady Gaga announced the quintet will open for her on her upcoming North American tour. See story on page 5. (AP Photo/Ahn Young-joon, File)

Asian Reporter Foundation annual awards given April 17

Members of the community are invited to join in a celebration of Asian culture and accomplishments at The Asian Reporter Foundation's 16th Annual Scholarship & Awards Banquet. The event will be held Thursday, April 17 at northeast Portland's TAO Event Center. Attendees are urged to buy their tickets soon, as the ticket order deadline is Monday, April 14 at 5:00pm.

Community elders and organizations will be honored and nearly two dozen students will receive scholarship awards at the event. Other features include an eight-course dinner, cultural entertain-

ment, a silent auction, and gift bags.

The event begins at 5:30pm with a social hour. The banquet program starts at 6:30pm and a dinner catered by Wong's King Seafood Restaurant is served at 6:45pm. Dancing begins at 9:00pm.

Individual banquet tickets, which include dinner, are \$50. Community tables seating eight people are available for \$400 and corporate-sponsored tables are \$1,000 each.

This year's annual celebration is proudly sponsored by the Portland Development Commission, the Oregon Lottery, Comcast, FamilyCare Inc., Fred Meyer,

Kaiser Permanente Northwest, Multnomah County, the Northwest Health Foundation, Oregon Health & Science University, Port of Portland, Providence Health & Services, Travel Portland, United Way of the Columbia-Willamette, and *The Asian Reporter*.

For more information, or to buy tickets, call (503) 283-0595, e-mail <ARFoundation@asianreporter.com>, or visit <www.ARFoundation.net>. The TAO Event Center is located at 631 N.E. Grand Avenue in Portland, near the Oregon Convention Center.

See page 7 for a ticket order form.

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