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Portland Indymedia TV

by Michael C. Marino (from Portland IMC website)

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Portland Indymedia launches into cable TV — is it news? Propaganda? Do they have a weatherman? Best way to find out is to tune in.

——— Indymedia TV ———

Friday, July 2nd

Channel 11 at 9:00 PM - Portland Indymedia TV News
Channel 22 at Midnight - Portland Indymedia TV News

Monday, July 12

Channel 23 at 6:30 PM - Portland Indymedia TV News

Friday, July 16

Channel 11 at 9:00 PM - Portland Indymedia TV News
Channel 22 at Midnight - Portland Indymedia TV News

Monday, July 26

Channel 23 at 6:30 PM - Portland Indymedia TV News

Friday, July 30

Channel 11 at 9:00 PM - Portland Indymedia TV News
Channel 22 at Midnight - Portland Indymedia TV News

Portland Indymedia is breaking new ground as we continue to reclaim the media, this time through TV. This weekly show will cover local, national, and international news stories from a perspective that the corporate media has done its best to spin, censor, and bury. While incorporating familiar elements - newscasters, street reporters, and commentary - Indymedia news will go a step farther to challenge the paradigm of TV news as a one-way channel of ideas. Viewers will be encouraged to think critically about the issues, examine the ways the mainstream media crafts "our reality," and look at how and why the corporate media maintains an audience of passive and disengaged spectators.



Each of these
flag-draped boxes
holds a soldier
who died fighting
for oil profits.

The White House
can stop this at
any time.

When is this going
to stop?

Questioning 9-11: Aftermath and Coverup

Tuesdays, July 6, 13, 20, 27, 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Multnomah Friends Meeting Hall, 4312 SE
Stark (503) 460-2791

Speaker: Kurt Liebezeit

Sponsor: Portland 9-11 Truth Alliance

Topic changes week to week. July 27, for example: A review of the events following the attacks: the anthrax incidents, two wars, and a commission very unlikely to support anything other than Incompetence and the Official Story. A summary of the case for complicity on the part of some elements of the US government will be presented. Based on the book, "The New Pearl Harbor: Disturbing Questions about the Bush Administration and 9/11," by David Ray Griffin. Free.

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D.A.W.G. Disability Activist WorkGroup

Wednesday, July 14 and 28, 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Inclusion Inc., 3454 SE Powell

Contact: David McDonald (503) 232-2289
david@inclusion.org

New activist group committed to bringing attention to issues vital to people with disabilities. Currently concentrating on the failure of the Staley lawsuit to provide people on the waitlist appropriate services; also concerned with transportation/housing issues, disability access, etc. Meetings will be the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

Free Pizza!

All are welcome.

United States vs. Vietnam Significant dates in July

July 1 Siege of Fire Base Ripcord (1970)
July 2 Operation Buffalo began (1967)
July 9 Battle of Minh Thanh Road (1966)
July 16 Operation Kingfisher began (1967)

PORTLAND FOR PEACE

Women's International League for Peace and Freedom

Weekly vigil on Wednesdays, 12 noon, Pioneer Courthouse Square
(503) 224-5190

Women in Black

Weekly vigil on Fridays, 12 noon, at Terry Schunk Plaza, in front of Federal Building
(503) 288-8958

Portland Peaceful Response Coalition

Rallies every Friday at 5pm at the Southwest corner of Pioneer Courthouse Square
(503) 471-1535

(Other PPRC events can be found on the Internet at <http://www.pprc-news.org>)

Buddhas Not Bombs Meditation Vigil

Fridays at 4pm, Peace Plaza, South Park blocks (45 minutes). Participants then have the option of joining the Friday rally (by PPRC) at Pioneer Square
Contact: portlandbpf@yahoo.com

Hollywood Neighbors' Stand for Peace

Every Sunday, 4-5pm, NE 39th and Sandy Boulevard
Contact: Hollywood4peace@yahoo.com or (503) 493-0348

A Critical Mass Is Building

July 30th, ~6:00pm
Critical Mass bike ride starts at 6pm at Pioneer Square.

Bagdad Peace Protest

Every Saturday, 3pm - 4pm
Oppose the Bush regime's imperialist actions and plans weekly on Saturday evenings at the Bagdad at SE Hawthorne Blvd and SE 37th.

Mt Tabor Montavilla Peace Walk

Every Sunday, 4:30pm. Meet neighbors in the SE at Mt. Tabor Viewpoint that looks west for a peacewalk down the SE side of Mt. Tabor and into the Montavilla commercial district.

"They couldn't hit an elephant at this dist..." - General John Sedgwick, (1813-1864), last words.

Videos from the Resistance

- **Wednesday July 7th-** 7pm at The Know, 2026 NE Alberta St.
- **Tuesday July 13th-** 8pm at Nocturnal 1800 E. Burnside
- **Monday July 26th-** 6:30pm at It's A Beautiful Pizza

War, Peace and Media

Monday, July 12th, 8am to late evening

Location Portland State University Smith Ballroom

Speakers many

Phone Contact (503) 725-9173

Topic / Issue Media

Sponsors Conflict Resolution program, International Center on Nonviolent Conflict

This all day conference will feature activist, academic, and professional media presenters. Every session will be interactive. It is free and open. Registration is necessary (though people are welcome to use a movement name if they wish) and begins at 8 a.m. There will be morning workshops from 9 a.m.-11 a.m. on a variety of topics related to the theme War, Peace and Media.

The midday panel (11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.) will feature Robert Jefferson of KBOO, Dianne Lobes of Eugene, and Geov Parrish of Seattle.

Afternoon workshops 2-4.

Evening keynote Jack DuVall of the International Center on Nonviolent Conflict (Washington DC), will screen *Bringing Down a Dictator*, on how Serb activists brought down Milosevic after Clinton's bombing failed to do so.

The Mourning Project

Submitted by Eric Bagai

Thursday, July 1st, 7:00pm

Japanese-American Historical Plaza - Waterfront Park
This time it won't snow. It won't rain. The wind will be negligible. And the evening will be clear and warm. Really!

Yes, we've had all these conditions (and more) at other gatherings of the Mourning Project.

But not this time!

Why? Because members of the Aurora Chorus will be there to sing for us and to raise their wonderful voices to the heavens. How could the heavens not smile upon them (and incidentally, on us) in return? We're counting on it, and counting on you to be there, too: 7 to 7:40pm, in Waterfront Park just north of Burnside, Thursday, July 1. For the first time we will be listed in the Oregonian's "Arts & Entertainment" supplement, as part of the Art Walk experience on First Thursday for July. Some of you have also been busy putting invitation cards in art galleries on Alberta Street, and throughout NW Portland. And the web site is up to date, and notices have been put in all the usual calendars. All we need is you. Please help us to make this the biggest gathering of the Mourning Project, ever.

Aurora Chorus at the Mourning Project

Strong Women Singing Peace

For information: info@theMourningProject.org

<http://www.theMourningProject.org>

For photos, interviews, and background, call Eric Bagai, (503) 869-8794 - cell

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY

July 3

1. What is "Free Comic Book Day?"

Free Comic Book Day is a day when participating comic book shops across North America and around the world are giving away comic books absolutely free to anyone who comes into their stores.

2. When is Free Comic Book Day?

Free Comic Book Day will take place Saturday, July 3.

3. Are they really free?

Yep!

4. Is every comic book store in the world doing this?

This event celebrates the independent comic book specialty stores, thousands of which exist in North America alone. Each one is unique in its community, with a style and personality all its own.

5. Then how do I know where to go to get my free comics?

An online Free Comic Book Day Locator to find a store near you!

6. Is this the first Free Comic Book Day?

Answer: No! This is the third time we've held Free Comic Book Day.

7. Can I link to your site?

Of course! Click here.

8. Who's involved?

The biggest publishers to independent publishers, fansites, news magazines, and more.

9. What's the big deal about comic books anyway?

Comic books are an original American art form, created in the early days of the twentieth century. They are fun to read, featuring a wide range of diverse storylines that capture the imagination of the readers, and have survived: the dominance of radio, the ubiquity of television, the spread of color and sound motion pictures, the rise of video games, and the Internet.

10. Is this just happening in the U.S.?

Any comic book store in the world can participate in Free Comic Book Day, although there may be some limitations on which titles are available in which countries due to licensing and other considerations.

11. How many comics do I get?

The answer to this question will depend on which store you go to and when.

12. How can I find out more?

To find out more about Free Comic Book Day, e-mail us. Also, be sure to sign up for our e-mail newsletter.

Contact:<http://www.freecomicbookday.com/>

Community Alliance of Tenants Hotline Training

Tuesday, July 20th, 9am-1pm, Thursday 22nd, 9am-2pm.
The next volunteer training for the Renters' Rights Hotline has been scheduled, and we're looking for folks to join in the fun! Please help spread the word.

The hotline, a program of the Community Alliance of Tenants, gives renters from throughout the state accurate and detailed legal information about our rights, practical suggestions on how to protect them, compassion and appropriate referrals. We counsel dozens of tenants a day, many of whom are at immediate risk of losing their housing.

This is a great opportunity to learn about our rights under the law and how to protect them. Plus, the time commitment is very small (4 hours a month).

Can't make this training time but still want to get involved? There'll be a weekend training in September.

Just let me know you're interested and we'll be sure to contact you when we have the exact dates.

Please call or email me with questions, comments or for an application.

Thanks!

Ari Rapkin

Education Program Director

Community Alliance of Tenants

Renters' Rights Hotline: (503) 288-0130

Office: (503) 460-9702

cat@aracnet.com

No To Torture, War Yes to Love, Peace

Friday, July 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th, 5:30pm - 7:15pm
28th and Burnside, Wild Oats Parking Lot.

Truth about the Torture,

Truth about the War,

Truth about the Soldiers,

What are we fighting for.

We call for Impeachment of all war criminals in the White House [All of them?!? Who'll answer the phone? -Ed.].

Bring love and good, thoughtful, deep, heartfelt signs, drums etc. We will form a chant from all sides of the intersection by Laurelhurst.

United States vs. Korea Significant dates in July

July 2 Only U.S. sea battle in Korea (1950)

July 13 Battle of Kum River began (1950)

July 17 Battle for Old Baldy began (1952)

July 27 Korean War ended (1953)

Guatemalan Solidarity Benefit

Saturday, July 10, 7:00pm - 12:00am

Liberty Hall, 311 N Ivy (Vancouver and Fremont)

Evening of musica latina, traditional Mexican/Guatemalan food, dancing and festivities featuring the music of Maria Damaris, Miriam, and members of Grupo Condor. All proceeds will go to helping a struggling community in Guatemala get a water system and other needs.

Contact: Sami (503) 282-2419

http://liberty_hall.org

IWW Labor Forums

Every Saturday between Jan 1, 2004 - Dec 31, 2005

7:00pm

IWW Hall, 616 E. Burnside

503.231.5488

The forums are open to all workers. After the forums we gather next door at Back to Back Cafe for a social. We will pass the hat but no one will be turned away. This months forums are:

July 3rd Reclaiming the US Revolution

July 10th High Tech Workers Unite

City Sends Wrong Message

by Michael C. Marino

The City of Portland recently announced that garbage collection rates would be reduced by/about 1%. The fine print tells a different story.

The costs for picking up "yard debris" (the City's polite euphemism for stuff like leaves, which, in Portland, seem to be considered a pollutant) will increase by/about 17% for an extra bag, which some residents need to use in order to properly regulate the leaf emissions from trees.

As Portland resident Frank Dufay puts it, "While we see a 1% reduction for hauling off a 32 gallon can of garbage, buried --so to speak-- in the last line is the almost 18% INCREASE for putting out an extra bag of yard debris.

(Similarly, the cost for a bi-weekly collection of 90 gallon yard debris containers is up 11%.)"

It seems the City has embarked on a bold new plan to profit off of the cheapest form of recycling around — mulching — in order to reduce rates for landfill. Ironically, increasing the cost for hauling yard debris to a pile where it can rot is likely to encourage Portlanders to dump their yard debris into the trash, so it can be properly buried along with other biohazards. Newspaper? Recycle it. Cans? Recycle 'em. Glass? Recycle. Branch from a tree? GAH! Dump in a pit with the other rubbish! QUICK!!

Frank Dufay sums it up best: "Reducing garbage rates, while increasing recycling costs, sends the wrong message, even if that message is buried in the fine print."

Community: Bicycling in Portland

Learn Portland's great bikeway network this summer. Come ride with a few experienced bicycle riders on our slow-paced 8 to 10 mile Bicycle Network Tours. We will show you:

- Easy routes to get around Portland
- How to ride safely in traffic
- Best ways to cross I-5 and the Willamette
- Bicycle Network Tours

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 6 - August 25. All rides 6 to 8pm.
Tuesdays: Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
Wednesdays: Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
Helmets are required for all riders! Free Portland and Family-Friendly bicycle maps and information at every ride. No registration required. For more information call 503-823-5266.

Summer Cycle 2004 Calendar

July

- Sweet Summer Cycle Arbor Lodge
July 6 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
Come enjoy desserts from your favorite neighborhood sweet shops - by bicycle. Sponsored by: Friday's Cafe, The Northstar Coffee House, and Java Bean Espresso/Deli
- Sweet Summer Cycle Unthank Park
July 7 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
Come enjoy desserts from your favorite neighborhood sweet shops - by bicycle. Sponsored by: Mint, Peet's Tea and Coffee, and Hannah Bea's Poundcakes.
- Wildlife in the City
July 13 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
North Portland boasts one of the most beautiful bird-watching spots. See how easy it is to get to Smith and Bybee Lakes. Most of our ride will be on new bicycle and pedestrian paths.
- Portland Waterfront Rides
July 14 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
We will visit the Willamette shores and cross the Steel Bridge Pedestrian and Bicycle path and ride the Eastside Esplanade.
- Explore North Portland Neighborhoods
July 20 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
Leave your car at home and ride with us to visit some north Portland neighborhoods. Ride the new Interstate Ave bike lanes, say hello to Paul Bunyan in the Kenton neighborhood, and the North Portland library.
- Explore North Portland Neighborhoods
July 21 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
Leave your car at home and ride with us to visit some north Portland neighborhoods. Ride the new Interstate Ave bike lanes, smell the roses of Peninsula Park Rose Garden and explore Mississippi Historic District.
- Best Ways to Get to St Johns
July 27 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
St Johns is only 3 miles from Arbor Lodge Park by bicycle. We'll

take one route up and another back for a surprisingly easy ride.

- Best Ways to Get Downtown
July 28 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
It's easy and fast to get to downtown by bicycle. Learn some safe and convenient routes across the Willamette and how to negotiate in downtown traffic.

August

- Parks and Trees Tour
August 3 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
We will ride by at least a half dozen Portland Parks and some of the City's finest Heritage trees right here in North Portland.
- Parks and Trees Tour
August 4 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
We will ride by at least a half dozen Portland Parks and some of the City's finest Heritage trees right here in North Portland.
- Explore Northeast Neighborhoods
August 10 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
Learn the best ways to get to and get around northeast neighborhoods including Martin Luther King Blvd and Alberta and Killingsworth Streets.
- Explore Northeast Neighborhoods
August 11 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
Learn the best ways to get to and get around northeast neighborhoods including Martin Luther King Blvd, Alberta Street, and Lloyd District.
- Peninsula Crossing and Columbia Slough Off-Street Paths
August 17 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
From the Mock's Crest with it's great views we'll ride across the North Portland peninsula and down the Columbia Slough.
- Explore Northwest Portland Neighborhoods
August 18 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
Getting to the Pearl is easy on a bike - and you can always find a good parking space. We will take a look at some bicycle racks posing as street art.
- Wildlife in the City
August 24 Tuesday 6-8pm
Meet at Arbor Lodge Park, N Bryant and Greeley
North Portland boasts one of the most beautiful bird-watching spots. See how easy it is to get to Smith and Bybee Lakes. Most of our ride will be on new bicycle and pedestrian paths.
- Portland Waterfront Rides
August 25 Wednesday 6-8pm
Meet at Unthank Park, N Failing and Kerby
We will visit the Willamette shores and cross the Steel Bridge Pedestrian and Bicycle path and ride the Eastside Esplanade.

Linda Ginenthal, Transportation Options
1120 SW 5th Avenue, 8th Floor, Portland OR 97204
(503) 823-5266 FAX (503) 823-7475

Got Genetically Engineered Milk?

Wednesday, July 14th, 7:00pm
3347 SE Belmont Ave
Got genetically engineered milk?
Maybe you are drinking it and you don't even know it.
Want to learn more? Want to get involved? Come to a
public meeting on Wednesday, 7pm at 3347 SE Belmont
Ave., 2nd floor, for a discussion on genetically engineering
and our food!
Hosted by Northwest Resistance Against Genetic
Engineering (NWRAGE) 503-239-6841
info@nwrage.org
www.nwrage.org

Vegan dinner-date with a Mexican Palette!

Thursday, July 8th, 7:00pm - 9:00pm
Liberty Hall, 311 N Ivy. Located one block south of
Fremont, and one block east of N. Vancouver.
'Vegan dinner-date with a Mexican Palette!' to benefit
Portland Books to Prisoners. Shine your shoes, tuck in your
shirt, and bring a cute friend, or two!
Featuring: Enchiladas Veganas, Flautas de Papas, Posole
Verde, churros & café, drinks. Childcare will be provided
and kids eat free! Reservations recommended: e-mail
pdxbookstoprisoners@riseup.net
\$5 - \$25 suggested donation

Columbia Slough Regatta 10th Anniversary 1995-2004

Stewardship: Saturday, July 24th, Regatta: Sunday, July
25th, both 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Former St. John's Landfill, 9363 N Columbia Blvd.
Come volunteer for the Columbia Slough Watershed
Council for Oregon's largest single day paddling event: the
Columbia Slough Regatta, The Family Friendly Un-race to
explore the Columbia Slough
Bring your own Canoe or kayak, or reserve a
complimentary rental. Enjoy music, snacks, information
booths, VIP speaker and award presentation! Volunteers
needed to assist with setup, registration, canoes, food, and
more.
Also, join us for a day of stewardship and fun preceding
the Regatta in order to prepare the site, and enjoy the
former St. John's landfill in a peaceful, relaxed state.
Contact: Ethan Chessin, (503) 232-4847 or
ethan.chessin@columbiaslough.org

River Renaissance

Have you seen your river lately?
A special July 2004 River Renaissance Calendar will soon
be available online at [www.river.ci.portland.or.us/
mainpages/calendar.htm](http://www.river.ci.portland.or.us/mainpages/calendar.htm).
This is your mid-summer guide to exploring and restoring
the Willamette River and streams in Portland. Below are a
few highlights to get you started. Don't forget to check
back in July for more events!
Highlights:

JULY 1

A Good Beginning: Recollections of Old Town's
Merchants

See the early days of Portland's waterfront through the eyes
of merchants, as told in photographs and stories by former
residents whose Greek, Jewish, Japanese and Chinese
descendents helped shape this area. For information call
(503) 225-0198 or email kezia@oldtownhistoryproject.org

JULY 3, 17

Painted Turtle Walk

Noon - 2pm Learn the natural history of painted turtles
at Smith and Bybee Lakes Wildlife Area, home to one of
the largest remaining populations of Western painted
turtles in the NW. Suitable for ages 6+. Registration
required, call (503) 797-1850 option 4 or visit [www.metro-
region.org](http://www.metro-region.org)

JULY 3

Calling All Song Birds

9am - 11am Learn to identify the most common birds by
their songs as you meander the trails at Smith and Bybee
Lakes Wildlife Area. Suitable for ages 12+. Registration
required, call (503) 797-1850 option 4 or visit [www.metro-
region.org](http://www.metro-region.org)

JULY 4

Strike Up the Band

2pm - 3pm, Sundays in July. Live concerts featuring
everything from the Whiskey Flats Brass Band to the
international sounds of Armonia Latina are at Tryon Creek
State Park, followed by a guided hike. For a schedule call
(503) 636-4398 or visit www.tryonfriends.org

JULY 5, 12, 19, 26

Rockin' on the River

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m. Enjoy live music and warm summer
evenings at Sellwood's Riverfront Park. Featured music
includes world beat, big band swing, honky tonk,
rockabilly and original Southern soul. For information, call
(503) 823-PLAY or visit www.portlandparks.org

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AN AFTERNOON IN PITTOCK MANSION GARDENS

Saturday, July 10, Pittock Mansion Gardens, 3229 N.W. Pittock Drive.

Free Talks by Garden Experts - Free. Spend a lovely summer afternoon in the Pittock Gardens. Join us for tours of the Pittock Gardens, horticultural advice for the asking, a silent auction (featuring a garden painting by Portland artist Barbara Scholl) and free cookies and lemonade.

12 Noon: *Natives in the Garden*, Kali Robson, Ph.D., co-owner, *Nothing But NW Natives Nursery* in Woodland, WA. Native perennials are an excellent choice for any garden. Here are plants that solve a variety of landscape challenges. So whether you're planning a garden to attract wildlife, birds and butterflies, or eager to grow edible native plants, or choosing plants for trouble situations, you'll enjoy this presentation. Dr. Kali Robson has a botanical background; she currently teaches at Lower Columbia College in Longview, WA, where one of her courses is "Plants of the Pacific Northwest". She promises to bring with her a splendid sampling of her favorite native

The Socialist Party of Multnomah County meets Sunday, July 18, 1-3 PM, in the Community Room of the Belmont Library, 1038 SE 39th Ave., most easily accessed by the #15 Belmont bus line, or by the #75 (39th Avenue). For more information, call the Socialist Party at (503) 289-3511.

plants.

2:00 pm: *The Care and Feeding of Roses*, Harry Landers, Acting Director, The International Rose Test Gardens. As you struggle in your home garden to fend off black spot and aphids, give a thought to what Harry Landers is up against! As Acting Director of Portland's famous International Rose Test Gardens, he faces the challenge of putting on a rose display that impresses visitors from all over the world. One of the latest troublemakers is the rose midge which previously was controlled by chemicals that are now off the market. So if you've had roses that didn't bloom this year (rose midge?), or need advice straight from the man who really knows roses, you'll enjoy his interesting presentation.

<http://www.WaltBrownForPresident.org>

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