



ONGOING EVENTS

Life of Pi

Now showing, theaters in metropolitan Portland. Watch *Life of Pi*, a fantasy adventure based on Yann Martel's novel about an Indian boy from Pondicherry who survives 227 days stranded on a boat in the Pacific Ocean. (USA, 2012, Ang Lee, 125 mins.) For info, including locations and showtimes, call 1-800-326-3264 or visit <www.fandango.com>. To learn more, visit <www.lifeofpimovie.com>.

Allen Takichi Maertz

Through Dec 22 (Tue-Sat), 11am-5:30pm, Chambers@916 (916 NW Flanders St, Portland). View "Connecting ...," a group exhibit exploring the many facets of connection in the real and virtual worlds. Featured artists include Japanese-German artist Allen Takichi Maertz, Jim Kazanjian, and others. For info, call (503) 227-9398 or visit <www.chambersgallery.com>.

"Unfolding the Art of Paper"

Through Dec 23 (Tue-Sun), 10am-5pm, Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience, Uwajimaya & Moriguchi Family KidPLACE (719 S King St, Seattle). View "Unfolding the Art of Paper," a display examining the many uses of paper, including creating art. The exhibit explores the history of paper and paper art techniques and visitors can also make paper creations. For info, call (206) 623-5124 or visit <www.wingluke.org>.

Holiday Gift Sale

Through Dec 24, noon-4pm (Mon), 10am-4pm (Tue-Sun), Portland Japanese Garden (611 SW Kingston Ave, Portland). Attend the Holiday Gift Sale of the Portland Japanese Garden. Gift items such as prints, jewelry, cards, ceramics, ornaments, and more are featured and sales benefit year-round programs and services at the garden. For info, call (503) 223-1321 or visit <www.japanesegarden.com>.

Una Kim

Through Dec 29 (Tue-Sun), noon-5pm, Nine Gallery (122 NW Eighth Ave, Portland). View "Gestures," an exhibit by Korean-American artist Una Kim. For info, call (503) 225-0210 or visit <www.blueskygallery.org>.

Open Circles Art Project

Through Jan 12 (Thu-Sun), noon-6pm, Pioneer Place Mall, PLACE Black Gallery (SW

THE ART AND TRADITION OF KIMONO



Through December 24
Monday through Saturday: 10:00am to 5:00pm
Willamette Heritage Center at The Mill
1313 Mill Street S.E., Salem, Oregon

View "The Art and Tradition of Kimono," a display of kimono collected by Mrs. Kiyoko Tsuboi Taubkin during the course of her life as well as examples of kimono created during the early 20th century. For more information, call (503) 585-7012 or visit <www.willametteheritage.org>.

Photo courtesy of the Willamette Heritage Center

Fifth Ave & SW Morrison St, Third Floor, Portland). View artwork created as part of the Open Circles Art Project, a project created and coordinated by Horatio Hung-Yan Law in collaboration with Sandy Sampson. The exhibit features 60 painted plates with unique new urban hobo sign decals created by community members at Sisters of the Road. For info, call (503) 222-5694 or (503) 228-5800, or visit <www.placepdx.tumblr.com>.

Influence Gallery reunion art show

Through Jan 31, 10am-5pm (Mon-Fri), 10am-1pm (Sat), Summa Real Estate Group (231 E Main St, Hillsboro, Ore.). View artwork as part of an Influence Gallery reunion art show. Former Influence Gallery artists — Lam Ton, JanSu Hirst, Linda Holland, James Tschida, Heather Wells, Priscilla Decker, and Elina Zebergs — present photography,

encaustics, and oil and watercolor paintings in the display. For info, call (503) 956-5604 or visit <www.tvartists.org>.

Contemporary Japanese bamboo art

Through Feb 3 (Tue-Sun), 11am-5pm, Bellevue Arts Museum (510 Bellevue Way NE, Belle-

vue, Wash.). View "Modern Twist: Contemporary Japanese Bamboo Art," a collection of 38 works by 17 contemporary artists exploring the innovative shape bamboo art has taken since the mid-20th century. For info, call (425) 519-0770 or visit <www.bellevuearts.org>.

Photographs from National Geographic

Through Feb 10 (Tue-Sun) 9:30am-5:30pm, Oregon Museum of Science & Industry, National Geographic Photo Gallery (1945 SE Water Ave, Portland). View "Simply Beautiful: Photographs from National Geographic," a display of stunning landscapes, magnificent wildlife, fascinating people, and quaint locales taken by National Geographic photographers. For info, call (503) 797-4000 or visit <www.oms.edu>.

"BAM Biennial 2012: High Fiber Diet"

Through Feb 24 (Tue-Sun) 11am-5pm, Bellevue Arts Museum (510 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue, Wash.). View "BAM Biennial 2012: High Fiber Diet," a signature exhibit of the Bellevue Arts Museum (BAM) that focuses on fiber. Artwork by 44 artists, including Jiseon Lee Isbara, Paul Komada, and others, are highlighted. For info, call (425) 519-0770 or visit <www.bellevuearts.org>.

"Fashion: Workroom to Runway" exhibit

Through Apr 21 (Tue-Sun), 10am-5pm, Wing Luke Museum of the Asian Pacific American Experience (719 S King St, Seattle). View "Fashion: Workroom to Runway," an exhibit highlighting how the fashion world has been touched by Asian Pacific Americans. The display looks at the perspectives of early sewing schools, garment workers, and designers; the creative process; issues in the industry, such as ethics, stereotypes, and ideals of beauty; and more. The exhibit includes original works and contributions from national and local designers, including Vera Wang, Luly Yang, Josie Natori, Gei Chan, Jason Wu, Banchoing Douangphachanh, Monique Lhullier, Hisako Nakaya, Harold Koda, Chrissy Wai-Ching, Vivienne Tam, and others. For info, call (206) 623-5124 or visit <www.wingluke.org>.

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922 N Killingsworth St., Suite 1A, Portland, OR 97217
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Submission Format: List event title, date, time, location with address, 2 to 3 brief sentences describing the event, and a contact phone number (required) that can be published. High-resolution photos, if available, may also be included.

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EVENT SCHEDULE

Calendar of Arts, Culture & Entertainment events in the Pacific Northwest.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

“Lidia Celebrates America”

Dec 20, 8-9pm, Oregon Public Broadcasting Plus (OPB Plus); repeats Dec 25, 1-2pm, (OPB). Watch “Holiday Tables & Traditions,” an episode of “Lidia Celebrates America” focusing on the Chinese New Year, Italian Christmas Eve, and Mexican-American Christmas. To verify showtimes, call (503) 293-1982 or visit <www.opb.org>.

Cirque du Soleil: Worlds Away

Opens Dec 21, theaters in metropolitan Portland. Watch *Cirque du Soleil: Worlds Away*, a 3-D adventure about a young couple who becomes separated and must journey through dreamlike worlds to find each other. (USA, 2012, Andrew Adamson, 91 mins.) For info, or to obtain showtimes, call 1-800-326-3264 or visit <www.fandango.com>.

Hospitalité

Dec 27, 7pm, Portland Art Museum, Northwest Film Center, Whitsell Auditorium (1219 SW Park Ave, Portland). Watch *Hospitalité*, a comedy about the meek owner of a printing business who takes in a stranger claiming to be the son of a family friend, only to have his hospitality backfire. See story by Jose-



phine Bridges (“Questions aplenty in *Hospitalité*,” *AR*, December 5, 2011) at <www.asianreporter.com>. (Japan, 2010, Koji Fukada) For info, call (503) 221-1156 or visit <www.nwfilm.org>.

Northwest Library Comic Club

Dec 28, 3:15-4:15pm, Northwest Library (2300 NW Thurman St, Portland). Youth in kindergarten through fifth grade are invited to join the Northwest Library Comic Club, led by artist Kanani Miyamoto. Participants learn how to create a comic, including drawing techniques and research skills. For info, call (503) 988-5560 or visit <events.multcolib.org>.

“Rain”

Jan 2-Feb 2 (Tue-Sat), 11am-5pm; Jan 3, 6-9pm (reception); Blackfish Gallery (420 NW Ninth Ave, Portland). View “Rain,” a group exhibit by Blackfish artist members such as Mario Caoile, Yoonhee Choi, Robert Dozono, and Kanetaka Ikeda. Two- and three-dimensional works in the display interpret the myriad

aspects of rain, including weather forecasting, water scarcity, rain as a metaphor in poetry, and more. For info, call (503) 224-2634 or visit <www.blackfish.com>.

“And They’re Off ...”

Jan 5, 10:30-11:15am, Multnomah County Central Library (801 SW 10th Ave, Portland). Learn about the legend of how the order of the animals of the Chinese lunar calendar was determined at an event presented by Penny’s Puppet Productions. Free tickets for seating are available at 10am. For info, call (503) 988-5123 or visit <events.multcolib.org>.

Andaz

Jan 5, 9pm-2:30am, Rotture (315 SE Third Ave, Portland). Join the party at Andaz and enjoy the latest electronic dance music of the South Asian diaspora. Hosts DJ Anjali and The Incredible Kid provide the bhangra, Bollywood, Punjabi, and Desi beats. A bhangra/giddha dance lesson taught by DJ Anjali begins at 9:30pm. Andaz is for persons age 21 and older. For info, call (503) 281-3918 or visit <www.anjaliandthekid.com>.

Bamboo wind chime workshops

Jan 5 & 12, 1-3pm, Bellevue Arts Museum (510 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue, Wash.). Learn how to make a bamboo wind chime during Get Crafty Saturdays! The event is held in conjunction with “Modern Twist: Contemporary Japanese Bamboo Art,” an exhibit on display through February 3. For info, call (425) 519-0770 or visit <www.bellevuearts.org>.

“Great Eight Free Days”

Jan 5-12, 10am-5pm, Lan Su Chinese Garden (NW Third Ave & NW Everett St, Portland). Celebrate the incoming Year of the Snake with free admission days at the Lan Su Chinese Garden. For info, call (503) 228-8131 or visit <www.lansugarden.org>.

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