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New Work Showcases Challenges, Triumphs of Nontraditional Students

< Cindy Ingram with son, Joaquin, and daughter, Daisy

One evening Cindy Ingram keyed in the phrase "nontraditional student" in a web search engine. One of the first things that popped up was Pennsylvania freelance writer Donna Talarico's request for submissions for a book she was writing on the subject. The UO graduate student enhanced an essay assignment she had written in the College of Education's Family and Human Services program and sent it to the author. The result is a compelling chapter titled "[We Want More!](#)" in the anthology *Kids, have you seen my backpack . . . ? and Other Inspirational Stories of Non-Traditional Students* (iUniverse, 2005).

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Campus Briefs



Last Chance To See Warhol Exhibition

< Andy Warhol (1928-87), Mick Jagger (II. 146), 1975, screenprint on Arches Aquarelle (Rough) paper, 43-1/2 x 29 inches, from the collection of the Jordan Schnitzer Family Foundation

If you have been meaning to see the Andy Warhol exhibition at the University of Oregon's Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, this is your last chance. "Andy Warhol's Dream America," which features more than 100 screenprints from the collection of the Jordan Schnitzer Family Foundation, is on view through Sunday, May 1.

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Bargains



Coffee Mugs Discounted At UO Bookstore

Use the [coupon attached](#) and receive a 20-percent discount on any travel or coffee mug from the UO Bookstore. New

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Science Circus to Focus on Physics, April 30

Is light a wave of energy or is it made up of particles that behave like ball bearings when they strike a surface? Why do spinning objects balance with relative ease?

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\$3.5 Million Grant Funds New National Center

About 10 percent of American children and youth in schools have disabilities, and experts at the UO College of Education are providing a new resource to help states track how well these students are prepared for the transition from school to adult life.

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styles have arrived, including a mini-sized travel mug with slide closure and a travel mug with a shaped handle. You may also bring the mug you purchase to the bookstore's Duck Stop Coffee Bar for a complimentary fill of house coffee or tea.

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UO by the Numbers



Dramatic Changes Seen in Choice of Majors

The last decade has witnessed significant changes in the enrollment of certain majors at the University of Oregon.

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Streisinger Lecture is May 3

Alex Kolodkin, an internationally renowned researcher at The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and a former graduate student at the UO, will talk on "Molecular Mechanisms of Neuronal Growth Cone Guidance," at the 20th annual George Streisinger Memorial Lecture. The event takes place at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3, in Room 100 of Willamette Hall, 1371 E. 13th Ave. A reception is scheduled afterwards in Room 225 of Streisinger Hall, 1390 Franklin Blvd.

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April 28 Faculty Artist Series Presents Oregon String Quartet



< From left are Kathryn Lucktenberg, Steven Pologe, Leslie Straka and Fritz Gearhart.

The Oregon String Quartet, along with several faculty colleagues, will give a Faculty Artist Series recital at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 28, in Beall Concert Hall, 961 E. 18th Ave. Tickets, available at the door, are \$9 general admission and \$5 for students and senior citizens.

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Campus Groups Plan Holocaust Awareness Week, May 1-6

Yom HaShoah, the annual Holocaust Remembrance Day, holds a special significance this year, the 60th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz death camp. In recognition of this event, the Jewish Student Union, Oregon Hillel and the Cultural Forum will present a week of events,



Directory Lists Area Summer Camps

< *Students get creative in the Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art's "Pop Boxes and Time Capsules: Create Art Warhol-Style" after-school studio class.*

Parents looking for fun and interesting activities for their kids during the rapidly approaching summer break should check out the [Directory of Summer Opportunities in Eugene/Springfield for Children & Youth](#). Work and Family Services, a program of UO Human Resources, has just completed updating an on-line list of summer camps and programs in the area.

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Alumni Couple Gives \$1 Million For Need-Based Scholarships

A Southern California couple who struggled to pay for college are making it easier for future students to attend the University of Oregon. Joel and Colleen McCloud of Torrance, Calif., dedicated their recent \$1 million pledge to scholarships for needy students.

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Scene on Campus



Classified Employees, President Share Ideas

Taking a break from roundtable conversations with President Dave Frohnmayer and members of the UO administration are, from left, Jennifer Salvatore, accountant for facilities services, Diane Furmo, fiscal coordinator for the business affairs office, Manuela Park, purchasing assistant, and Lynne Harrell, purchasing research analyst.

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beginning Sunday, May 1, and continuing through Friday, May 6. All events are open to the public and free of charge.

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Graduate Students Share Diversity Research

Compelling local, regional, national and international social issues concerning diversity were explored April 22 at the third annual graduate research conference, sponsored by the Center on Diversity and Community (CoDaC) and the Graduate School.

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Oregon Invitational Features Duck Debut For Galen Rupp

< *Galen Rupp in his Duck debut. Photo by Geoff Thurner*

The UO track and field teams welcomed top West Coast collegiate and post-collegiate athletes April 23 at the Oregon Invitational at Hayward Field. Making his Duck debut at the meet was UO freshman Galen Rupp, who finished fifth in the men's 5,000-meter event, despite a mid-race fall.

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Faculty Get Media Tips on Research Findings

Richard Hill (at left), senior science writer for *The Oregonian*, chats with Brad Wible, a post-doctorate researcher in the UO Brain Development Lab.

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Completed in 2003 at a cost of \$41 million, the new complex is home to the Charles H. Lundquist College of Business and is a model of "green" building design, according to the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED). A program of the U.S. Green Building Council, LEED sets a voluntary, national standard for evaluating high-performance, sustainable buildings.

The Lundquist College earned the program's "silver" designation, ranking it higher than any other business school facility in the nation and among the most environmentally conscious buildings on any U.S. college campus. The building's amenities include the Northwest's largest installation of architectural solar glass, which provides some of the building's electrical power, and lighting systems that take advantage of sunlight, turning themselves off when not in use.

James Bean, dean of the Lundquist College, says his institution is on the leading edge of a national trend. "There are a number of new business school facilities going up around the country, and we've heard from some of those who are very interested in what we're doing here."

The complex's most striking feature is a four-story atrium that forms the heart of the building and features scores of photovoltaic panels embedded in its soaring glass walls. Carefully designed classrooms and offices may be used almost year-round without electric lighting. Shade controls automatically regulate temperature and glare.

Designed by SRG Partnership, a Portland-based architectural firm, the 196,500-square-foot complex was built partially from materials salvaged from the site's previous building, along with certified hardwoods and other sustainable resources. Low-flow water fixtures have been installed, along with an "eco roof" that uses plants to filter contaminants from rain run-off.

In addition to making good sense, the building's environmental elements enhance students' educational experience, Bean says.

"As the world moves forward, resources are becoming more scarce. Good business is going to be sustainable business," he adds. "It was important for us to lead and teach by example."

[For more on what makes Lillis 'green.'](#)



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All members of the UO community are invited to join in honoring these individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the university in the past year. Below are this year's recipients and excerpts from the president's letters to each (that he will read at the gathering).

Classified Employee Award Recipients

Michael Bardossi, office specialist, East Asian Languages and Literatures

"For many years your department had difficulties making sure graduate students finished their theses and dissertations in a timely manner. You took it upon yourself to organize a new set of guidelines and steps for successful completion of these requirements, effectively remedying the situation for students and their faculty advisors."

Diane Bass, administrative assistant, Knight Law Center

"Your unflagging willingness to help others while maintaining a cheerful, professional and energetic personality is greatly appreciated by the department."

Chad Hartvigsen, academic payroll specialist, Business Affairs

"One nominator stated: 'As most of us strive for competency, a much smaller percentage are able and willing to maintain the long-standing, daily concentration and attention to detail that is needed to cultivate knowledge into expertise.' It is indisputable in the Payroll Office that Chad exemplifies the qualities that employers diligently seek but so rarely find."

Kathleen Heinz, marketing graphic design coordinator, College of Education

"Nominators describe your work as marketing and graphic design coordinator for the College of Education as of the very highest quality. The results are creative and effective designs built with an eye to multiple uses across a wide range of applications."

Judy Hochhalter, assistant to business manager, Charles H. Lundquist College of Business

"One colleague emphasized how you have consistently increased productivity in your

different positions in the LCB and brought a higher standard of operations to each position as well as always interacting with faculty, staff, students and external constituencies with a great sense of humor and an enthusiastic manner."

Jim Horstrup, building coordinator, Knight Law Center

"Shortly after your work at the law school began, the faculty, staff and students began to take note of improvements. Suddenly all of the activities associated with the law school building operations seemed to run more smoothly."

Patrick Neve, audio-visual technician, Department of Intercollegiate Athletics

"With the pressure of 58,000 excited and expectant fans, you must ensure that all the action can be heard, from a speaker's voice at midfield to the referee's penalty explanation. Your calm, proactive approach in this stressful environment helps keep unpredictable situations under control and quickly resolved."

Officer of Administration Award Recipients

Fumiko Breest, associate director, Admissions

"One nominator has stated that your work as assistant director of Admissions exemplifies a key component of the university's mission to manifest "a commitment to international awareness and understanding, and to the development of a faculty and student body that are capable of participating effectively in a global society."

James Chang, career services director, Lundquist College of Business

"Realizing that the students who needed career services the most were the least likely to participate in the voluntary programs, you researched ways to integrate career services into the undergraduate core curriculum. Working closely with a group of faculty, you developed a program to teach both resume writing and interviewing skills as part of the required Business Leadership and Communications core course."

Linda King, director, Human Resources

"You are to be thanked and commended for building a legacy as director of Human Resources that embodies integrity, respect for employees, fairness and superb management."

Susan Lesyk, director, Academic Learning Services

"It takes a truly exemplary leader with expertise and heart to manage a program with such diverse populations and an ambitious, demanding vision. You have filled this role superbly."

Tom Mills, associate vice president, International Programs

"Under your guidance, the university has forged successful partnerships with universities around the world and has become recognized as an international university."

Judy Newman, budget and office manager, Department of Mathematics

"As the Office and Budget Manager in mathematics since January 1996, you have managed a growing department without sacrificing the high level of service that faculty, staff and students have come to expect."

Visit the [Human Resources website](#) for a list of past award recipients.



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Recognition Programs

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[Officers of Administration Years of Service Recognition](#)

Date: November 8, 2005

Time: 11 am – 12:30 pm

Location: EMU Ballroom

We are proud to sponsor, along with the Officers of Administration Council, the Years of Service Recognition Reception for Officers of Administration. This celebratory annual event recognizes and honors colleagues who have achieved the important milestones of ten, fifteen, twenty or more years of service. There will be a large number of OAs recognized, beginning with those reaching their tenth year. Please follow the link above to view the list of 2004 honorees.

WINTER

[Martin Luther King, Jr. Award](#)

Date: January 27, 2005

Time: 11:30 am – 1 pm

Location: Gerlinger Alumni Lounge

The University of Oregon Martin Luther King, Jr. Award recognizes university faculty and staff members who uphold and exemplify the ideals supported by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The importance to our campus community of the principles recognized by this award cannot be underestimated.

- [2005 Martin Luther King, Jr. Recognition Nomination Application](#)
- [MLK Award Recipients](#)
- [University of Oregon Calendar of Events](#)
- [The King Center](#) (The official MLK, Jr. website)

Twenty-five Years of Service Recognition Luncheon

Date: February 10, 2005

Time: 12 pm – 1:30 pm

Location: Knight Library, Browsing Room

This “invitational” event is for all classified employees who have served the university for 25 years or more. Invitations are extended to the respective deans and directors, department heads, the vice-presidents and director of Human Resources.

[Classified Employees Years of Service Recognition](#)

Date: February 28, 2005

Time: 3:30 – 5 pm

Location: Gerlinger Alumni Lounge

All employees are invited to share in the presentation by President Frohnmayer honoring classified employees who have achieved milestones of service based on five year increments.

SPRING

[Recognition for Outstanding Classified and Officers of Administration](#)

Date: April 26, 2005

Time: 3:30 – 5 pm

Location: Gerlinger Alumni Lounge

The 2005 nomination process will begin in January. The current and past years' recipients are listed on this site. The UO has two recognition programs specifically created to acknowledge excellence in officers of administration and classified employees. We hope you will take the time to think about your colleagues and coworkers, supervisors and employees and nominate those who have made outstanding contributions to the UO in the past year.

- [Invitation to Award Reception, April 26, 2005](#) (PDF)
- [Classified Employee Recognition Nomination](#) (MS-word)
- [Classified Employee Recognition Nomination](#) (PDF)
- [Officer of Administration Recognition Nomination](#) (MS-word)
- [Officer of Administration Recognition Nomination](#) (PDF)
- [Award Recipients](#) (PDF)

[Retirement Reception](#)

Date: June 7, 2005

Time: 3:15 - 5 pm

Location: Gerlinger Alumni Lounge

This is an event that is cherished across campus. We take time to honor employees for their many years of loyal service to the University of Oregon.

For information about any of the award/recognition programs contact Kathy Cooks, Human Resources Programs Specialist at 346-2939, e-mail kcooks@hr.uoregon.edu or 461 Oregon Hall.

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This fall, she'll co-teach an upper-division ethnic studies class, "Native American Life, Law and Leadership," with Rennard Strickland, former dean of the law school and the Philip Knight Professor of Law. She intends to focus on contemporary tribal issues and put them into a historical context, as well as banish prevailing stereotypes of the images of Native Americans in both her work on campus and with the public.

She and her husband, Charlie Soap, a highly regarded expert on community action and leadership, soon will leave their home in Oklahoma to live in Eugene.

"We plan to immerse ourselves in the campus and community," she says, "and also work with tribal groups throughout the Northwest."

Strickland, of Osage and Cherokee heritage, is a pioneer in introducing Indian law into university curricula and was instrumental in bringing Mankiller to campus.

"She is not only one of the most experienced Indian tribal leaders but also a gifted teacher and a talented writer," Strickland says. "Our students are extremely fortunate that she will be here. It will be a great joy for me to team teach with her, and learn along with the students."

"When she taught a similar course at Dartmouth, students were amazed at her remarkable grasp of both the practical and the theoretical aspects of leadership," he adds. "I have known and worked with Wilma since she created innovative community development projects, including the tribal self-help program that brought water to the Bell Community in the Cherokee Nation."

"I am thrilled to welcome Wilma to our campus," adds Margaret Hallock, director of the UO's Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics. "She is a genuine hero to all Native Americans, especially among the Cherokee Tribe. She truly lives up to the spirit and tradition of Wayne Morse and will be a tremendous benefit to students and faculty members at the UO and to the broader community."

Since its inception in 1981, the Morse Chair of Law and Politics has brought distinguished scholars and advocates to the UO to carry on the tradition of the late law professor, dean of the School of Law, labor arbitrator, and U.S. senator for 24 years.

For more information on Mankiller's role at the UO and her Morse Center activities, contact Hallock by [e-mail](#) or call her at (541) 346-3699.



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- 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, May 2, in the International Lounge of the Erb Memorial Union (EMU)
- 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4, in Gerlinger Lounge, and
- Noon to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 9, in the Ben Linder Room of the EMU.

A presentation on the diversity plan will be repeated throughout each session. For the first two dates, it will be conducted at 10 a.m., noon, 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.; for the latter date, the times are 1 p.m., 3 p.m., 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. Individuals who have already attended a plan presentation need not attend this portion of the session.

The multiple dates and 12 presentations are hoped to raise awareness broadly about the plan and provide for as many individuals as possible to offer feedback, explains Greg Vincent, vice provost for institutional equity and diversity who is leader of the planning process.

"This has been a deliberate and careful process to ensure that our final plan is as informed, insightful and forward thinking as we have all hoped that it might be," says Vincent. "I'm pleased with the significant progress we've made so far and indebted to those around campus and in the community who have already contributed so much time and energy to this work."

The plan will undergo further refinement after the community conversations, with an eye toward final approval and the beginning of implementation later this year. For more information, contact the Office of Institutional Equity and Diversity at (541) 346-2084.

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Members of the campus community who wish to participate may show up at any time between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the check-in tent that will be located on the Collier House lawn, University Street and 13th Avenue. Work continues until 4 p.m. In exchange for an hour's worth of work, participants will receive a "Leave Your Mark" tee shirt.

To commemorate the 100th anniversary of this student-run event, President Dave Frohnmayer will dedicate a University Day history plaque at 10 a.m.

"In the early years, students built sidewalks and dug trenches all day, but our current University Day has taken on a more cosmetic role," explains Heidi Rivinus, student University Day chair. "These days we plant flowers, pick up trash and spread bark dust."

UO President Prince Lucien Campbell put together the first beautification effort in 1905. One of the first projects was replacing wooden planks with real sidewalks. Today, portions of the sidewalks with "University Day" and dates can be seen on sidewalks leading to Deady Hall's west façade.



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Freyd's Child Sex Abuse Policy Recommendations Featured in *Science*

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For the first time, the journal *Science* (in its April 22 issue) has published major policy recommendations regarding child sexual abuse.

The lead author of "The Science of Child Sexual Abuse" is University of Oregon psychology professor Jennifer Freyd, an authority on trauma. She and six colleagues, who together represent the fields of medicine, law, political science, psychiatry and psychology, call for action on three fronts:

- Stepped up research aimed at determining the prevalence of child sex abuse and identifying its causes, consequences, prevention and treatment;
- Expansion of the National Child Traumatic Stress Network, a federally funded coalition of 54 centers providing community-based treatment to children and their families, to address the enormous public health consequences of child trauma;
- Creation of an Institute of Child Abuse and Interpersonal Violence within the National Institutes of Health.

David Spiegel, professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences at the Stanford University School of Medicine, says publication of this policy article in the nation's leading general science journal "is a tremendous opportunity to shed light on an important and neglected problem."

"Science is most needed where passion overshadows reason," Spiegel explains. "Jennifer Freyd has applied the tools of science to this contentious area, helping us understand the effects of trauma in the family and the disruption of cognition and memory that can occur during and after childhood abuse."

Freyd, whose theory of betrayal trauma explains why some people do not recall their abuse until later in life, has conducted studies that show abuse perpetrated by a caregiver increases the likelihood of memory failure.

"Unfortunately, many factors silence victims of abuse," Freyd says. "Myths about the nature of child sexual abuse wrongly cloud the credibility of abuse victims in the eyes of the media and the public."

Freyd and her former students Anne DePrince and Kathy Becker-Blease have investigated the cognitive mechanisms involved in the forgetting of abuse. Terry Keane, associate chief of staff for research and development for the VA Boston Healthcare System and a professor of psychiatry at Boston School of Medicine, says that Freyd and DePrince "have produced the best work to date" to reveal the true nature of memory for traumatic events.

"Their outstanding work on traumatic memory employs state-of-the-art empirical approaches derived from the cognitive neurosciences," Keane adds.

Freyd's policy perspective article in *Science* makes the following key points:

- Child sexual abuse is associated with serious mental and physical health problems, substance abuse, victimization and criminality in adulthood;
- Under-reporting (including memory failure) leads to underestimation of the extent of abuse, which currently is reported by 20 percent of women and 5 to 10 percent of men worldwide;
- Although official reports of child sex abuse have declined somewhat in the United States during the last 10 years, close to 90 percent of sexual abuse cases are never reported to authorities;
- Most child sex abuse is committed by family members and individuals close to the child, which increases the likelihood of delayed disclosure and possible memory failure while increasing the potential for unsupportive reactions by caregivers and lack of intervention;
- A number of factors undermine the credibility of abuse reports, despite evidence that when adults recall abuse, the truth of their memories is not correlated with when they regained awareness of a past incident;
- Cognitive and neurological mechanisms that may underlie the forgetting of abuse have been scientifically identified.

Freyd's groundbreaking book, *Betrayal Trauma: The Logic of Forgetting Childhood Abuse* (Harvard University Press, 1996), was released in paperback in 1998. A Spanish edition appeared in 2003.

Recently named editor of the *Journal of Trauma & Dissociation*, Freyd directs an active laboratory investigating the psychology of trauma, with a focus on memory and awareness for trauma, and on the physical and mental health consequences of betrayal trauma.

Entities funding her work include the National Science Foundation, National Institute of Mental Health, the Pew Charitable Trust, the Guggenheim Foundation, the UO Center for the Study of Women in Society, the Northwest Health Foundation and the UO Foundation's Fund for Research on Trauma and Oppression. She is a fellow of the American Psychological Association, the American Psychological Society, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

—Melody Ward Leslie, science writer and assistant director of media relations

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Science Circus to Focus on Physics, April 30

Is light a wave of energy or is it made up of particles that behave like ball bearings when they strike a surface? Why do spinning objects balance with relative ease?

Answers to such questions will be part of the action-packed proceedings during the 20th annual Science Circus at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, in the Auditorium of South Eugene High School, 400 E. 19th Ave.

Doors open at 3 p.m. for the show, titled "From Newton to Einstein: Spinning and Wave-Particle Duality," featuring the UO's Dr. Stan the Science Man and special guest Rhys Thomas of Jugglemania. This program is the second in a series of three Eugene events this spring marking World Year of Physics 2005, the centennial of Einstein's famed year of achievement and insight into the physical world.

Dr. Stan is Stanley Micklavzina, a UO physics senior instructor renowned for his imaginative demonstrations of the laws of physics. He served on an international planning team for the World Physics Year 2005.

Micklavzina describes his work as "coordinating the universe around us in such a way as to demonstrate in action the nature of a phenomenon being discussed in theory." He presents some of the more elaborate and exciting demonstrations to the public in the Science Circus to educate, entertain and promote the sciences.

"My mission is to spark an interest in science in young minds and to show the public how physics surrounds us in everyday life," he explains.

The UO's three-part celebration of the World Year of Physics will conclude on Thursday, May 19, when UO physicist Jim Brau delivers a free public talk, "Realizing Einstein's Dream," at 7 p.m. in Room 100 of Willamette Hall, 1371 E. 13th Ave.

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\$3.5 Million Grant Funds New National Center

About 10 percent of American children and youth in schools have disabilities, and experts at the UO College of Education are providing a new resource to help states track how well these students are prepared for the transition from school to adult life.

The U.S. Department of Education's Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP), has awarded a \$3.5 million grant to the university to establish the National Post-School Outcomes Center (NPSO).

Research conducted at the center will identify how each of the 50 states and 10 federal jurisdictions is currently serving high school students with disabilities and provides technical assistance aimed at encouraging and implementing best practices. UO Professor of Special Education Michael Bullis will direct the center, which is located in the Riverfront Research Park near the UO campus.

Caroline Moore, principal investigator for the OSEP grant, says the center's mission is to help states put systems in place that will, for the first time, provide a national overview of how young adults with disabilities fare after they leave school.

"States are now required to collect and use data to track the postsecondary education and employment of young adults with disabilities," says Moore, director of Technical Assistance and Consulting Services (TACS) at the UO College of Education. "While some states have such systems in place, others do not and are seeking guidance."

Collecting information is the first step, but providing technical assistance for interpreting the new data is crucial in order to make informed decisions about how to improve programs for students with special needs, says Jane Falls, program coordinator for the new center.

"We need to get a picture of what is happening with these young adults after they leave school so we can identify the services and programs that best prepare them for success," says Falls, a national expert on the transition of youth with disabilities from high school to adult life.

Currently, about 40 percent of the states collect some form of data on students after they leave school, but there's no uniform standard for what data to collect or how to report it.

"Many factors affect the employment prospects for these youth," Falls explains. "By determining how many actually find employment, identifying the services they have received, and examining how community conditions affect their progress, states will be able

to improve supports and educational opportunities provided to transition-aged youth."

Moore describes the new center as "a unique marriage" of the College of Education's top-rated researchers in special education and the college's technical assistance team.

"From a research standpoint," Bullis says, "the goal is to zero in on the connection between what happens in school and what happens immediately afterward."

The center partners with the OSEP, the National Dropout Prevention Center/Network, the National Dropout Prevention Center for Students with Disabilities, the State University of New York at Potsdam, the National Association of State Directors of Special Education, and the Technical Assistance Alliance for Parent Centers.

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The Directory of Summer Opportunities in Eugene/Springfield for Children & Youth is provided as a service to UO faculty, staff and student families. It is compiled annually by [Work and Family Services](#), a program of [Human Resources](#) at the [University of Oregon](#). To the best of our abilities, this directory reflects accurate information for the listings provided. However, each program is independently sponsored and any changes are beyond the control of this office. Please report any errors or omissions to workfamily@hr.uoregon.edu.

We are providing this directory as an informational service only; neither the department nor the agencies can warrant or recommend one particular program or another. No screening is conducted by the University of Oregon or Work and Family Services of the listings provided. The responsibility for screening and selecting programs and services must remain completely with the parents/guardians. You can download a blank calendar to help schedule your summer activities [here](#).

This directory was last updated on April 11th, 2005. You may view the [entire directory](#) at once, or limit it to only show camps from the following groups: [Arts](#), [Day Camps](#), [Religious](#), [Residential/Overnight](#), [Science/Nature](#), [Special Needs](#), [Sports/Outdoors](#), [UO-Affiliated Camps](#) or [Other](#).

All Camps

Acting for Young People and Adults

Agency: [Linda Burden-Williams](#)
Contact: Linda Burden-Williams
Mailing Address: 25803 Jeans Road, Veneta OR
Camp Address: 25803 Jeans Road, Veneta OR
Phone: 541-935-5106
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-11, Elementary and Ages 12-16, Teens

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: TBA

Times: TBA

Cost: \$110 for six days

Acting Classes. Fun and expressive; building friends and self confidence. Camera work, theater, games, improv, scenes -- a bit of it all.

Adaptive Recreation - Hilyard Center

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)

Contact: Molly Elliott

Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR

Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-682-5311

Fax: 541-682-5460

Ages/Grades: See Description

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: See Description

Times: See Description

Cost: See Description

Specialized Recreation provides 1/2 day camps for youth with disabilities and also services to support youth with disabilities in other City of Eugene summer camps. For more information, call Molly Elliott at 682-6307.

Teen Summer Camps for Youth with Development Disabilities

Grades: 8-12

Times/Dates: 12:30pm - 5:30pm 6/23-8/1

Cost: \$75 per week

Summer Camp for Youth with Hearing Impairments

Ages: 4-14

Time/Dates: 1:00pm - 5:00pm 8/11-8/25

Cost: \$75

Adaptive Recreation Services provides specialized recreation courses and activities for persons with disabilities as well as inclusion services into the City of Eugene recreation programs. Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialists provide individualized adaptations, accommodations, and comprehensive support to empower citizens with disabilities to experience recreation programs and services offered by the City of Eugene. Programs

include indoor and outdoor recreation activities, athletics, health and fitness activities, adult education classes and summer day camps. Services can also be provided in RecZone after school programs.

Adventure Camp

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 3, 4, 5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-9/2
Times: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Cost: \$110/member \$130 nonmember, add \$20 week for campouts

Experiencing new places, new friends, and new abilities is what being an Adventurer is all about. Weekly activities and daily bus trips are based on the themes for the week. Campers should be prepared to travel and be active! Campers swim twice a week at the YMCA. Sessions 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 include Thursday to Friday overnight campouts at Oregon campgrounds, snack and water, Dinner, breakfast and lunch are provided on all campouts. Campers meet at the YMCA.

Adventure Camps

Agency: [River Road Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Michael DeRobertis
Mailing Address: 1400 Lake Drive, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1400 Lake Drive, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-688-4052
Fax: 541-688-3175
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 1 and up
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 13, 20, 27 July 5,11, 18, 25 August 1, 8,15,22,29
Times: 8:00am - 3:00pm Extended care 3-6 pm

Cost: \$86 in District; \$96 out of District per week. \$24 by the day. AFS accepted.

Adventure Camps feature new themes every week and this year's camps promise a summer of fun to remember. Pick and choose as many adventure camps as you desire. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt during their first session of the summer. Camps will be held at River Road Park unless otherwise noted. Pre-registration, permission slip and medical release required. Bring a sack lunch and drink everyday.

Adventure Seekers

Agency: [City of Eugene, Youth Recreation Services](#)
Contact: Gina Tafoya
Mailing Address: 2700 Hilyard, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 595 Crest Dr., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5373
Fax: 541-682-5367
Ages/Grades: grades 5-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 27-Sept 2
Times: 7:30 am-6:00 pm
Cost: \$145.00

Join us at the historic Wayne Morse Ranch on Crest Drive for safe summer camp fun. Spend your summer outside, exploring and playing. Adventure Seekers go on field trips 3x each week. Every day is a true adventure as we search for new places and new experiences. The Adventure Seekers are teaming up with the West Eugene Wetlands Education Center so that you can have fun learning while going on hikes, swimming, rafting and playing team games. Experts in science and art join camp each week to teach through hands on experiences and special activities. Discover abilities that you didn't know you had and learn skills that will last you a lifetime as you explore and seek adventure in the great outdoors of western Oregon.

Amazon Community Center Youth Enrichment Camps

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG](#)
Contact: Jennifer Fogerty-Gibson
Mailing Address: 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene Or

Phone: 541-682-5306
Fax: 541-682-5367
Ages/Grades: All ages
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20 - August 19
Times: Varies
Cost: Varies

Summer day camps for ages 5-10, 11-17 and classes for all ages. Wizards, arts, dance and more!

Art and Nature Teen Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 12-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/11-7/15
Times: 12:30pm - 5:30pm
Cost: \$75.

This half-day camp is for teens who are experiencing a disability, friends, siblings and other youth ages 12-18 that are interested in discovering fun and inexpensive things to do this summer. Activities include making art from found objectives, trips to the mountains, rivers, and lakes and creating various art and craft projects.

Ballet Fantastique's Summer Dreamworks: Don Quixote Acts I-II Rising Stars Dance Camps

Agency: [Ballet Fantastique](#)
Contact: Donna Marisa Bontrager, Artistic Director
Mailing Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-344-7899

Ages/Grades: Ages 6-9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Aug 1-6 and/or Aug 16-21
Times: 11:00am-1:30pm (bring your lunch)
Cost: See Description

Dates:

Six fun-filled dancing days for each camp!

Swan Lake Dance Camp: Aug. 1-6

Cakewalk Ballet Dance Camp: Aug. 16-21

Cost:

\$126/camp, or \$196 for both camps. \$50 non-refundable deposit (\$75 for dancers attending both camps) will be applied toward camp tuition and is required to register. Priority registration deadline: 5/28.

Dedicated young dancers build their classical dance foundation while learning to present ideas through the wonderful language of dance! Together, we'll explore the music, choreography, costumes, and scenery of the famous ballet story Don Quixote, which is packed with interesting characters, exciting music, and lots of excuses to dance! Each camp includes ballet lessons, creative projects, fun field trips, visits from real Ballet Fantastique company dancers, and more! At the end of each week, we'll put on a performance for family and friends from the act of Don Q that we're exploring - complete with costumes and stage make-up. Register soon for one or both of these on-of-a-kind camps - class size is limited!

Instructor: Hannah Joy Bontrager

Dancer with: Colorado Ballet, Kirov Academy (D.C.)

Ballet Fantastique's Summer Dreamworks: Princes & Princesses and Elves & Fairies Dance Camps

Agency: [Ballet Fantastique](#)
Contact: Donna Marisa Bontrager, Artistic Director
Mailing Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-4611
Ages/Grades: Ages 4-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Aug 2-6 and/or Aug 16-20

Times: Tuesday-Saturday 9-10:30
Cost: See Description

Dates: Five fun-filled dancing days for each camp!
Sleeping Beauty Dance Camp: Aug. 2-6
Dr. Coppelius Toy Shop Dance Camp: Aug. 16-20

Cost: \$76/camp, or \$126 for both camps. \$30 non-refundable deposit (\$45 for dancers attending both camps) will be applied toward camp tuition and is required to register.
Priority registration deadline: 5/28

Description: The joys of creative motion, an introduction to the fundamentals of both movement and classical dance technique-all while we learn about these fun fairytale characters and famous ballet stories! Young dancers will explore the music, costumes, scenery, and lots more from ballets with princes and princesses (like Sleeping Beauty and Cinderella), and ballet stories with elves and fairies (like a Midsummer Night's Dream). We'll dance and learn with fun, creative projects. At the end of each week, we'll put on a performance for family and friends-complete with costumes and stage make-up. Small class sizes and Ballet Fantastique's professional suspended dance floor protect children from stress and injury. Prior dance experience is welcome, but not necessary! Register soon for one or both of these one-of-a-kind camps - class size is limited!

Instructor: Hannah Joy Bontrager, Associate Artistic Director
Dancer with: Colorado Ballet, Kirov Academy (D.C.)

Ballet Fantastique's Summer Dreamworks: Center Stage Workshop I

Agency: [Ballet Fantastique](#)
Contact: Donna Marisa Bontrager, Artistic Director
Mailing Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-4611
Ages/Grades: Ages 9-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/6-7/29
Times: Mon-Fri, 9am-2pm (bring your lunch)
Cost: See Description

Cost: \$216/workshop. \$48 non-refundable deposit will be applied toward workshop

tuition and is required to register. Priority registration deadline: May 28th.

Let Ballet Fantastique inspire you to reach your dancing dreams with our stellar coaching in the internationally-recognized Vaganova method! Begin to learn what it means to dance like a pro. Center Stage I includes: five intensive ballet training lessons per week, Pointe, Variations, Character, Conditioning for Dancers, tips from professional dancers who study and dance at Ballet Fantastique, and a performance with Ballet Fantastique's chamber ensemble's Summer Performance Tour! This ballet "boot camp" will be challenging, but lots of fun. Prior dance experience required.

Dress code/Equipment: pink ballet tights, black camisole leotard, and pink split-sole ballet slippers with ballet ribbons, pointe shoes with ribbons, fitted by Backstage Dancewear. Register soon - class size limited to six students. *Prerequisite: one year of dancing with Ballet Fantastique or placement audition. Schedule auditions by calling or emailing Ballet Fantastique.

Pointe/Variations and Character

Instructor: Donna Marisa Bontrager

Former dancer: New York's Empire State Ballet, Buffalo City Ballet, Royale Dance Theatre

Instructor: Hannah Joy Bontrager Dancer with: Colorado Ballet, Kirov Academy (DC)

Ballet Fantastique's Summer Dreamworks: Center Stage Workshop II

Agency: [Ballet Fantastique](#)
Contact: Donna Marisa Bontrager, Artistic Director
Mailing Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 60 E 10th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-4611
Ages/Grades: Ages 13 & up*
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/6-7/30
Times: Mon-Sat, 10am-4pm (bring your own lunch)
Cost: See Description

Cost: \$289 for workshop intensive. \$72 non-refundable deposit will be applied toward workshop tuition and is required to register. Priority registration deadline: May 28th.

More experienced dancers build their skills as both athletes and

artists. Center Stage II includes: six intensive training sessions per week, rigorous work on pointe, rehearsals in classical ballet variations and character work, Conditioning for Dancers, study of ballet history and basic kinesiology, and a performance with Ballet Fantastique's chamber ensemble as part of their Summer Tour.

*Prerequisite: two years of classical ballet training with Ballet Fantastique or placement audition. Call or email to schedule audition. Register soon - space for only three new students.

Pointe/Variations and Character

Instructor: Donna Marisa Bontrager

Dancer with: New York's Empire State Ballet, Buffalo City Ballet, Royale Dance Theatre.

Instructor: Hannah Joy Bontrager

Dancer with: Colorado Ballet, Kirov Academy (DC)

Beginning Jazz Improvisation

Agency: [Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Richard M. Long, Program Director
Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: South Eugene High School Band Room, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 7-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Call for details
Dates: July 5-8 and 11-15
Times: Call for Information
Cost: Call for information

If you would like to explore jazz improvisation for the first time, this is the place for you. A great place to pick up the skills that will let you stand up and take a solo. For band students and other jazz instruments.

Camp Christmas Seal at Camp Namanu

Agency: [American Lung Association of Oregon](#)
Contact: Beverly Stewart
Mailing Address: 7420 SW Bridgeport Road Suite 200, Tigard OR

Camp Address: 10300 Camp Namanu Road, Sandy OR
Phone: 800-586-4872
Fax: 503-924-4120
Ages/Grades: Ages 8-15
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 per week. Scholarships are available.

This camp partnership between the American Lung Association of Oregon and Camp Fire USA (Portland Chapter) integrates children diagnosed with asthma and those who do not have the disease. Asthma education and awareness is provided to all camp participants. A specially trained asthma counselor is on-hand at all times. Respiratory Therapists conduct asthma trainings throughout the week. Seven summer sessions are available (July 10-August 27, 2005). Youth from all regions in Oregon are encouraged to participate. For more information, please visit www.lungoregon.org or www.portlandcampfire.org

Camp Cleawox

Agency: [Girl Scout of Western Rivers Council](#)
Contact: Marissa Shoemaker
Mailing Address: 2292 Oakmont Way, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 3 miles south of Florence,
Phone: 541-485-5911
Fax: 541-485-5913
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-17
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: GIRLS
Dates: Numerous sessions between June 22 and Aug 13
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$220-\$635

Camp Cleawox where girls grow strong.

Camp Cleawox is located in the beautiful Siuslaw National Forest overlooking the Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area on the shores of Lake Cleawox. Our camp program focuses on leadership, art, nature, swimming, boating, archery and horses, depending on the camp session you choose. Come join us for summer fun, making lifelong memories, while having the adventure of a lifetime. All girls are welcome.

Camp Easter Seals

Agency: [Easter Seals Oregon](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: 5757 SW Macadam Avenue, Portland OR
Camp Address: Camp Stand Alone (WA), Washington
Phone: 503-228-5108
Fax: 503-228-1352
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-17
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 24-29
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$575

Camp Easter Seals
Camp Without Barriers for Children and Adults with Disabilities

The mission of Easter Seals camping programs is to provide safe, fun camping opportunities for children and adults with disabilities. Camp Easter Seals recognizes the gifts and potential of our campers. We create an environment that emphasizes the campers' ability and independence, as well as the development of their leisure skills, social skills, and appreciation of the outdoors. Participants make friends, learn about and explore nature, sing songs around the camp fire, gain confidence, and create memories that linger long after the camp fires have died down.

Our summer residential camp, which is fully accredited by the American Camping Association, is located at Camp Stand By Me in Vaughn, WA, just two and a half hours north of Portland, and operated in partnership with Easter Seals Washington

Activities

All camp activities are adapted to serve campers and their needs for that particular one-week session. They are designed to challenge our campers yet allow for a successful outcome. All activities are reviewed for safety and are scheduled on an age-appropriate basis. Some of our favorite activities include:

- * Swimming
- * Horseback Riding
- * Boating
- * Fishing
- * Archery
- * Dances
- * Skits
- * Talent Shows

- * Arts and Crafts
- * Sports/Games
- * Special Meals
- * Board Games
- * Nature Hikes

Camp Gan Israel Jewish Day Camp

Agency: [Chabad of Eugene](#)
Contact: Aviva Spiegel
Mailing Address: 1307 E. 19th, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1307 E. 19th Ave.,
Phone: 541-684-8008
Ages/Grades: 4-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 25-August 5
Times: 9:00-3:00 pm
Cost: \$250; financial assistance available

Camp Gan Israel of Eugene is part of the largest network of Jewish summer camps in the world. Our foundation is the warmth and joy of Jewish living. Gan Israel is committed to providing your child with a well rounded program in a safe and exciting atmosphere, under the guidance of devoted and experienced staff.

Programming brings Jewish heritage to life through arts and crafts, stories, songs, drama, cooking, games, nature outings, swimming, and 2 all day field trips.

This is a unique opportunity for the Jewish children of Eugene to meet and become friends in a fun-loving and caring atmosphere.

Camp Invention

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment and TAG Program & National Inventors' Hall of Fame](#)
Contact: Rita Svanks
Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Eugene SD (Holt Elementary), Bethel SD (Meadow View School), Amazon Community Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-1404

Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 2-6
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: 9:00am - 3:30pm
Cost: \$209

Dates: Four separate Camps:

CREATE @ Bertha Holt Elementary School July 25-29;

CREATE @ Meadow View School Aug. 1-5;

EXPERIENCE (Grades 2-4) @ Amazon Community Center Aug. 22-26;

EXPERIENCE (Grades 4-6) @ Amazon Community Center Aug 29 - Sept. 2.

Description:

Camp Invention program is a nationally recognized summer day camp combining science, math, history, and the arts. This one week program, running Monday through Friday, encourages creativity, teamwork, inventive thinking skills, and science literacy.

Children learn through fun hands on experiences and discovery. The enrichment program consists of five activity-oriented themed modules designed to enhance overall learning and understanding. A program ratio of campers to staff of eight-to-one encourages individual opportunity within a nurturing environment. (Visit www.campinvention.org for more info.)

Camp Invention is welcomed and embraced by parents, students, and educators alike. As the premier non-profit educational program of the National Inventors Hall of Fame Inc., Camp Invention has grown to over 600 camps located in 42 states. Since inception, nearly 150,000 children have benefited from the Camp Invention Experience. Through independent evaluations, Camp Invention has obtained extremely high levels of customer satisfaction--greater than 90% among parents, children, and educators.

Camp Lutherwood

Agency: [Lutheran Church](#)
Contact: Rachel Morris
Mailing Address: 22960 Hwy 36, Cheshire OR
Camp Address: 22960 Hwy 36, Cheshire OR
Phone: 541-998-6444
Fax: 541-998-7164
Ages/Grades: Grades 1-12, families, men and women

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 6/20-8/20

Times: Sunday 3:00pm - Friday 2pm

Cost: \$95-\$625

Each week of camp consists of a basic core of activities that are first and foremost focused on spiritual growth. Every week is filled with Bible study and worship, large and small group games, campfires, swimming, hiking, group initiative activities, creation awareness exploration, crafts, good food, and fellowship with new friends. All activities are adapted for their respective age group.

Camp Magruder Aquatics

Agency: [United Methodist Camp and Retreat Ministry](#)

Contact: Brian White

Mailing Address: 17450 Old Pacific Hwy, Rockaway Beach OR

Phone: 503-355-2310

Fax: 503-355-8701

Ages/Grades: Ages 15-18/Grades 9-12

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 7/17-7/23

Times: Call for details

Cost: \$300

At Aquatics Camp you will have the opportunity to learn and develop skills in sailing, kayaking, windsurfing, and skimboarding. Campers will also experience team building challenges, faith-based discussions, and a special adventure off-site. No previous watercraft experience is necessary for participation--just come ready to splash into a spiritual whirlpool of fun! Registration is limited to 15 campers, so sign up early!

Camp Magruder Earth Rangers

Agency: [United Methodist Camp and Retreat Ministry](#)

Contact: Brian White

Mailing Address: 17450 Old Pacific Hwy, Rockaway Beach OR

Phone: 503-355-2310

Fax: 503-355-8701

Ages/Grades: Ages 9-10/Grades 3-4

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 8/7-8/13

Times: Call for details

Cost: \$275

Boat on Smith lake, hike to the tidepools, roll down the sand dune, jump waves in the ocean, and build homes in the woods. This camp features hands-on nature discovery, group projects, nature crafts and much more. Campers will discover what we can do to take care of this world god has given to us all.

Camp Wilani Resident Camp

Agency: [Camp Fire USA Wilani Council](#)

Contact:

Mailing Address: 3575 Donald Street, Suite 230, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-342-6338

Fax: 541-342-6330

Ages/Grades: K-12

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: July6-August 10

Times: Sunday - Saturday

Cost: varies - Average session \$375

Celebrating our 40th year of camping at Camp Wilani. Come back to traditional resident camping. All week long sessions include swimming, canoeing, crafts, archery, hiking and horseback riding.

Specialty sessions include: 2 mini camps for K-4, 4 days, 3 nights just the right amount of time for first time campers.

Wrangler - grades 7-12, youth who want to work with and learn more about horses.

Wranglers gain practical experience while increasing their skills and knowledge about the care of horses during their week at camp through their daily work with the horses.

Night Safari - grades 8-12. These campers will sleep 'til noon then explore camp at night.

Cook dinner at midnight, canoe by moonlight, learn about nocturnal wildlife and more.

Extreme Teen - grades 9-12. Canoe and camp along the Umpqua River. Begin and end your week at Camp Wilani and canoe up to 50 miles of the river in between. Promises to be a fun, exciting and invigorating week.

Teens In Action - grades 9-12. Earn 40 hours of community service while participating in camp activities, working in the dining hall and completing a service learning week.

CIT - grades 11-12 (Counselor In Training) Learn to be a camp counselor. This program is a four week committment over two summers. In the first summer learn the basics, visit

other camps and enjoy Wilani too.

Cheerleading Camp

Agency: [Eugene Swim & Tennis Club](#)
Contact: Amy Freeman
Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: same,
Phone: 541-342-4414
Fax: 541-344-6764
Ages/Grades: Grades K-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20 - August 29
Times: 5:30-7PM
Cost: \$38/Month (June \$32 w/ T-shirt)

The goal of ESTC Cheer is to teach girls basic cheerleading skills, routines, and drills. This is a fun group that will allow girls to learn more about the sport of cheerleading, and equip them with the skills needed if they choose to take their cheerleading further. No experience is necessary. You may choose which session to sign up for and may wish to participate in all three. Girls that wish to continue may try out for Southside Cheer in August. Spots are limited, so be sure to sign up early and reserve your T-Shirt size.

Cheerleading Camp

Agency: [Lane Community College](#)
Contact: Continuing Education Department
Mailing Address: 4000 East 30th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 4000 East 30th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-463-5252
Ages/Grades: Ages 9-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Girls or Boys
Dates: July 12-July 16
Times: 9am-Noon
Cost: \$52.50 + \$27 fee

11636 Cheerleading Camp. Main Campus, Bristow Square (Located north of Center Bldg.)

Looking for a fun way to spend your summer break? If you love to dance, perform or be

the center of attention, here's your chance. Activities will include dancing, cheering, and stunting. Each day you will learn more about what it takes to become a cheerleader at a high school level. This course will help you develop the basic knowledge and skills to jump, stunt and cheer correctly. Wear tennis or running shoes, shorts and t-shirt or tank top.

Child Care & Development Centers

Agency:	UO EMU CCDC
Contact:	Dennis Reynolds
Mailing Address:	1685 Moss Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address:	1685 Moss Street, Eugene OR
Phone:	541-346-4384
Fax:	541-346-0656
Ages/Grades:	3 months through 10 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys:	CO-ED
Dates:	June 14- September 24
Times:	Monday through Friday from 7:30 to 5:45. Arrangements can be made for smaller blocks of time.
Cost:	See below. Part-time and full-time charges are assessed based on schedule. UO student discount

The Child Care and Development Centers (CCDC) offers summer care at the new Moss Street Childrens center. CCDC programs are state certified and nationally (NAEYC) accredited. The program serves children from 3 months through fifth grade. Summer care is scheduled in two-week sessions and a variety of part and full-time options are available. In the late summer, the number of classrooms available is reduced but care is available throughout the summer. Summer programs are primarily recreational.

High quality care that meets the developmental needs of young children has been CCDC's offering to the community for 30 years. While schedules are designed to accommodate the needs of university student families, UO employee and community family are invited to apply.

Time:

Care is available on a full-day (7:30 am - 5:45pm), or within the following time "Blocks":
7:30- 12:30, 12:45- 5:45, 7:30 - 3:00

Cost:

UO Student Families:

Littles (under 2) \$3.85 per hour or \$158 week full-time.

Middles (2-3 yrs) \$3.50 per hour or \$150 per week full-time

Preschool (3-kindergarten) \$2.65 per hour or \$111 per week full-time
Schoolage (entering K -5) \$2.80 per hour or \$118 per week full-time.

Non-UO Student Families:

Littles (under 2) \$4.85 per hour or \$204 week full-time.

Middles (2-3 yrs) \$4.40 per hour or \$185 per week full-time

Preschool (3-kindergarten) \$3.35 per hour or \$139 per week full-time

Schoolage (entering K -5) \$3.55 per hour or \$149 per week full-time.

Summer programs for schoolage children are theme based. Planned topics for 2004 include:

Sports for fun!

Fantasy and the Mind

Oregon's Ocean and Rivers

Animals Wild and Mild

Art Attack

Clay Days

Forest Frolic

Hikes and Climbs

Color Guard Camp (for Flags)

Agency: [UO School of Music](#)
Contact: Sarah Turley
Mailing Address: 1225 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 961 E 18th Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2138
Fax: 541-346-6188
Ages/Grades: Grades 8-12 (graduating Seniors welcome!)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/17-7/23
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 Tuition, room, all meals; \$240 Tuition only for commuters

As an exciting companion to the Drum Major and Section Leader Camps, we are offering the Color Guard Camp. Students will get all the fundamentals, motivational sessions, and leadership skills classes that are being offered to the Drum Major and Section Leader Camps. A highly qualified staff of color guard instructors will teach fundamental flag work that will enhance any program. Individuals, groups, and entire color guard ensembles are welcome to attend. The Color Guard Camp is designed to enhance existing

techniques for guard, and to implement a system of discipline and education of color guard concepts that will enable students to improve themselves and their individual programs. Application deadline: June 30, 2005, or until full.

Counselor in Training CIT

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Lori Rapp
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-686-4451
Ages/Grades: Ages 14-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20-Sept 2
Times: 8:30-4:30
Cost: \$25/\$50

Think you are too old for summer camp? Think again...Be a YMCA CIT! Y counselors are involved in all aspects of the camp day--from planning to playing, camp outs to coast trips and everything in between. Benefits include: experience working with children, new friends, leadership skills, community service hours, camp T-shirt and plenty of summer sun. Counselors will attend exciting, motivating, orientation and informative training days designed to enhance skills and introduce camp programs and staff. Applications and information available at the YMCA.

Culture Jam

Agency: [Oregon Country Fair](#)
Contact: Robin Bernardi
Mailing Address: 442 Lawrence Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Alice's Wonderland Section of Oregon Country Fair, Veneta OR
Phone: 541-343-4298
Fax: 541-343-6554
Ages/Grades: Ages 14-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/13-8/19 Overnight Camp
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$350, scholarships available

Culture Jam
Veneta, OR

A call to youth who care about the world!

Explore your creativity with an amazing team of artists, writers, actors, musicians, community activists and environmental leaders who can show you how to use the arts to unleash your power to make a difference. Meet youth from many different backgrounds and experiences and make friends you'll never forget. Join us, just as you are. You'll discover that you have more skill, talent and spirit than you ever imagined! Camping under the stars, delicious food included.

Discover Sports

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades K-1
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/26
Times: 9:00-1:00
Cost: Call for information

This half-day camp emphasizes having fun, working together, and gaining confidence. Weekly field trips help campers learn about their community and environment. Campers swim twice a week at the YMCA. Each camper provides his/her own lunch and snack. Camp held at Eugene Family YMCA.
\$55/week member
\$75/week non member

Discovery Summer Preschool

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Val Kime
Mailing Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-682-5312
Fax: 541-682-6332
Ages/Grades: Ages 2 1/2 - 5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27-8/26
Times: 9:00 am - Noon
Cost: Varies

Join us for a summer of discovery as we learn while we play. Each session has a special theme which may include games, art, science, cooking, outdoor activities and water play. Program options are MWF and/or TTh for three week sessions. Extended hours are available in our Ducklings Child Care program, Monday through Friday, Noon-3pm.

Drum Major and Section Leader Camps

Agency: [UO School of Music](#)
Contact: Sarah Turley
Mailing Address: 1225 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 961 E 18th Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2138
Fax: 541-346-6188
Ages/Grades: Grades 8-12 (graduating Seniors welcome!)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/17-7/23
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 Tuition, room, all meals; \$240 Tuition only for commuters

The Drum Major and Section Leader Camps focus on areas that are indispensable to the effective drum major and section leader. The objective of this week-long camp is to give students a leadership experience that is second to none! The philosophy of the camp is based on modern, contemporary-style drum majoring and section leadership techniques, with special emphasis on conducting, marching, and leadership skills. Drum majors and section leaders attending the camps will receive valuable training designed to help their individual school marching ensembles achieve excellence. Application deadline: June 30, 2005, or until full.

Earth Xtreme Camp Magruder

Agency: [United Methodist Camp and Retreat Ministry](#)

Contact: Brian White
Mailing Address: 17450 Old Pacific Hwy, Rockaway Beach OR
Phone: 503-355-2310
Fax: 503-355-8701
Ages/Grades: Ages 13-14/Grades 7-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/7-8/13
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$275

Kayak on the lake, roll down the sand dune, jump waves in the ocean, go off-site for some fun and challenge yourself on the low ropes course. In addition, this camp features hands on nature discovery, group projects, nature crafts and much more. Come prepared to spend quality time outside in God's creation and discover what we can do to take care of this world God has given to us all.

Emerald All Star Cheerleading Camp

Agency: [Emerald All Star Cheerleading](#)
Contact: Tiffany Dawson, Program Director
Mailing Address: PO Box 25808, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 3922 W 1st Avenue, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-463-7699
Ages/Grades: 1st grade-6th grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 27th-July 1st and/or July 25th-29th
Times: 8:30am-5:30pm
Cost: \$150 per week. See Description for Registration

Emerald All Star Cheerleading is Lane County's only cheerleading specific training center, specializing in Basic Classes, Competitive Teams, Non-Competitive Squads and Summer Day Camps. We focus on all aspects of cheerleading, including Motion Technique, Jumps, Tumbling, Stunting and Dance. After attending the Emerald All Star Cheerleading Camp, kids will be ready to conquer the world with Spirit!

Pre-Registration + \$25 non-refundable deposit required 2 weeks in advance.

Eugene Ballet Summer Dance Camp

Agency: [Eugene School of Ballet](#)
Contact: Sara Lombardi
Mailing Address: 855 West 1st Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 855 West 1st Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9342
Ages/Grades: K-3, Beginning to Intermediate, Intermediate, & Intermediate to Advanced
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: K-3 June 20-24, June 27-July 1, July 25-29, Aug. 1-5; Beg-Adv. July 5-9, July 18-22, Aug 8-12
Times: K-3 9:30am-1:00pm, Beginning through Advanced 9:00am-2:00pm
Cost: K-3 - \$125.00 per week, Beginning & Intermediate - \$150.00 per wk. Advanced - \$180.00 per week

K-3 Camps: (June 20-24, June 27-July 1, July 25-July 29, August 1-5)

Fee: \$125.00 per week

Discover the joy of dance. A fantastic experience for boys and girls to dance, move, create and have fun. Children will develop movement comfort, rhythm skills, musicality, coordination and spatial awareness and will be exposed to a wide variety of music and movement styles.

Beginning through Intermediate Camps

(July 5-9: Beginning/Intermediate; July 18-22: Intermediate)

Fee - \$150.00 Per week

Instruction in classical ballet, Jazz, Musical Theater, Salsa, and Character. Pointe and variations for the intermediate dancer.

Advanced Camp: (August 8-12)

Fee - \$180.00

An intensive study in Classical ballet technique to include Pointe & Variations, taught by Master Teacher, Toni Pimble as well as instruction in Jazz with a variety of influences and musical genres including, American, Latin, Irish and African, taught by Evelyn Burg.

Eugene Police Activity League (EPAL)

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Carl Stubbs
Mailing Address: 777 Pearl St Room 107, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Jefferson Middle School, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5189

Ages/Grades: ages 11-13
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Call for details
Dates: June 20-June 24
Times: 8:00 am- 2:30 pm
Cost: \$25.00

Eugene's finest in recreation and police are joining together for the first week of camp to bring you an incredible week of action packed fun! Police officers will mentor youth and participate in games and activities led by a team of recreation professionals. This camp will feature sports and team activities and classes in art, hip hop and leadership. The national Police Activity/Athletic League utilizes athletics, recreational and educational activities to instill positive life principles and character building tools in an effort to deter juvenile crime and violence. The Eugene Police Department has formed EPAL to achieve these goals set by the national organization. To learn more about this program, visit their website at www.nationalpal.org.

Eugene Police Youth Academy

Agency: [Eugene Police Department](#)
Contact: Officer Stefan Zeltvay
Mailing Address: 777 Pearl Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Police Training Center 1705 W 2nd Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5189
Fax: 541-682-8456
Ages/Grades: 15-18 years (with driver's permit)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/11-7/15 and 7/25-7/29
Times: 8:30 am-3:30 pm
Cost: \$25.00 at time of application (refunded if not accepted)

One week sessions providing overview of law enforcement as a career. The five day course provides a background of law enforcement and a chance to experience practical skills needed to do the job. Students will meet various police officers who will teach and demonstrate such topics as drivers training, police patrol procedures, investigations, forensics, with demonstrations from K-9, SWAT, and more. Two one-week sessions are planned.

Experience the Out of Doors Teen Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 11-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/25-7/29
Times: 12:30pm - 5:30pm
Cost: \$75.

This camp is specifically designed for teens that are experiencing a disability, friends, siblings and other youth interested in participating in a variety of activities that could include fishing, swimming, outdoor games and hiking.

Explore the Cascade Mountains

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: 12 - 18 years of age
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: XOR
Dates: 6/27-6/30
Times: 9:00am - 5:00pm
Cost: \$85.

This camp is designed for teens and young adults with developmental disabilities that enjoy the out of doors and want to learn more about nature. Activities include: hiking, exploring waterfalls, and learning about the animals and plants that live in the mountains.

Explore the Oregon Coast

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott

Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2580 Hilyard St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: 12 - 28 years old
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-6/23
Times: 9:00am - 5:00pm
Cost: \$85.

This camp is for teens and young adults with developmental disabilities that are interested in spending 3 days visiting various beaches, hiking, exploring, and learning about the ocean and sea animals. Alert: Youth must be willing to be with other teens and travel in a van for 2 hours between stops. Participants must indicate needs, be independent in the bathroom and eating or provide an assistant for personal care. Participants must be socially appropriate in the community and able to transition from one activity to another without resistance.

Explorers

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 1 & 2
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-9/2
Times: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Cost: \$110/member, \$130/non-member

The Explorer Camp provides enriching and exciting summer fun! Crafts, songs, field trips, small and large groups games, and skits fill each week. Weekly activities and daily bus trips are based on the themes for each week. Be prepared to travel and be active! We swim twice a week at the YMCA. Each camper provides his/her own lunch, snack and water.

Family Drumming

Agency: [River House/ Outdoor Program](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: 301 N Adams St, Eugene OR
Camp Address: same,
Phone: 541-682-5329
Fax: 541-682-6319
Ages/Grades: All ages
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Apr 20, May 18, Jun 15, Jul 20, Aug 17 Or July 23
Times: Tu 6-7:30p Or F 6-7:30
Cost: FREE

A monthly outdoor drumming event for the whole family. We'll be in the River House if the weather is inclement. Otherwise we'll be at the small amphitheater behind the River House. Led by Jill Sager of Hands On Rhythm and Drum School. Some drums available to use. Bring your own if you have one. FREE!

Fiddle Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Ages 8 and up, all ages!
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 11-15
Times: 9:30am - 2:00pm
Cost: \$210

The American Music Institute's Summer 2005 Fiddle Camp has been designed to fulfill a community wide interest in learning various fiddle styles and techniques. Each day will focus on a different fiddling genre, allowing students of all ages to experience traditional fiddle music from around the world. This is an exciting and unique opportunity to learn about fiddling history and styles from excellent and knowledgeable musicians.

Participants will learn and study with clinicians from the local region and various parts of the country. Classes will be taught aurally, meaning the students will be learning tunes by ear. Students of all ages are welcome, and an intermediate level of playing is encouraged.

Friends Camp

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Ages 4 & Entering Kindergarten
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-9/1
Times: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Cost: Call for information

Your preschooler's summer will be full of art projects, trips, picnicking, music, cooking, swimming and creative movement. Breakfast, lunch and snack are provided. Camp is held at the YMCA. Camp activities take place from 9:00-4:00, but care is available from 6:30-6:00. Campers must register for at least two consecutive sessions. Child must be potty trained.

Front Ensemble & Marching Percussion Camps

Agency: [UO School of Music](#)
Contact: Sarah Turley
Mailing Address: 1225 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 961 E 18th Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2138
Fax: 541-346-6188
Ages/Grades: Grades 8-12 (graduating Seniors welcome!)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/17-7/23
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 Tuition, room, all meals; \$240 Tuition only for commuters

Another exciting companion to the Drum Major and Section Leader Camps is the Front Ensemble & Marching Percussion Camps. These students will receive all of the motivational sessions and leadership workshops being offered to the drum majors and section leaders. In addition, the percussion portion will focus on developing and

enhancing the marching percussion and pit percussion ensembles. Techniques in beginning to advanced rudimentary percussion will be emphasized, as well as beginning to advanced mallet and auxiliary percussion techniques. Students will learn integrated exercises and ensemble music that will be performed at the end of camp. Application deadline: June 30, 2005, or until full.

Fun for All 2005

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Raquel Wells
Mailing Address: 870 Bertzen Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5521
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: Pre-school through High School
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27-8/26
Times: Park sites 11:00a.m. - 5:00p.m. Wading Pool sites 11:00a - 6:00p
Cost: Free

Drop-in Summer Program in Neighborhood Parks and wading pool sites open Monday-Friday. Rotating weekly special events, Summer Food Program, U of O Roving Artist Program, Kidsports Roving Coaches Program, and lots of other activities. Call for specific site locations and events calendar. Resource guides will be out in schools by May 15th!

Fun With Animals - Teen Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 12-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/18-7/22
Times: 12:30pm - 5:30 pm
Cost: \$70.

This half-day camp is for teens that are experiencing a disability, friends, siblings and

other youth ages 12-18 interested in participating in a variety of activities with animals. Activities may include horseback riding, visiting Greenhill Animal Shelter, the Raptor Center and Lane County 4H Faire.

Gaia Theatre Camp - Dynamic Camp for Young Women

Agency: [Impact! Arts](#)
Contact: Katina Paxino
Mailing Address: 2520 Harris St., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Same,
Phone: 541-431-1177
Ages/Grades: Grades 1-3
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: GIRLS
Dates: July 5 - 9
Times: 10:00am - 3:00pm
Cost: \$ 150.00 - \$125 for Impact! Arts members

Gaia Theatre Camp, Impact! Arts' newest program, brings young women together collaborating to create story using movement, voice, theatre and dance.

Gaia Theatre Camp is a one week intensive of empowered exploration and expression. Make friends, laugh, dance and put together an awesome show.

Gales Creek Diabetes Camp

Agency: [Gales Creek Camp Foundation for Children with Diabetes](#)
Contact: Patti Sadowski
Mailing Address: 6975 SW Sandburg Road # 150, Portland OR
Phone: 503-968-2267
Fax: 503-443-2313
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-17
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: \$350

Summer camp program for children with diabetes. There are eight sessions with a variety of traditional camp activities, including medical education. This is the only camp in Oregon and SW Washington for children with insulin dependent diabetes. Staff includes

complete medical team. Must have doctor's release.

Session I: High School 6/26 - 7/1

Session II: Grades 4,5,6 7/3 - 7/8

Session III: Grades 4,5,6 7/10 - 7/15

Session IV: Grades 6,7,8 7/24 - 7/29

Session V: Grades 6,7,8 7/31 - 8/5

Session VI: Grades 1,2,3 8/7 - 8/12

Session VII: Grades 1,2,3 8/14 - 8/19

Newcomers Camp 7/17-7/19

For 1st, 2nd and 3rd graders who have not attended camp on their own before. This is a shortened version of our general camp program for first time campers.

*Preschool Family Camp 5/21-5/22

This program is for children ages 3, 4 & 5 (without kindergarten experience) and their families. We cannot accommodate siblings under age 3.

*School Age Family Camp 8/20-8/22

For children ages 5 (with kindergarten experience) to 12 who have not previously attended camp. We cannot accommodate siblings under age 3

*Our Family Camps are designed for children who are not ready to attend camp on their own. Parents, siblings and extended family are encouraged to attend (please note that we cannot accommodate siblings under age 3). Speakers will highlight school issues and research advances in classes with the adults while the children play and enjoy traditional camp activities.

Global Arts Camp

Agency: [Security First Child Development Center](#)

Contact: Karen Dirks

Mailing Address: 1295 W. 18th, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-345-5287

Fax: 541-345-1761

Ages/Grades: Ages 5-8

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: See Description

Times: Call for Information

Cost: \$125

Each week at our Global Arts Camp we focus on fun, friendship, and a new kind of art.

Each day includes sharing circle, storytelling, lunch and snacks, creative movement, action and project time, skill building, and free play.

Week 1 (6/20-6/24) Creative Mask Making: From realism to far-flung fantasy, we'll make many kinds of masks during this week, and explore mask designs from around the world. You'll build animal masks from paper mache, African masks, collage/fantasy masks. We'll create a play using our masks as props at the end of the camp.

Week 2 (6/27-7/1) Ease Into Art: Explore the basics of painting, drawing and collage. Learn about color, line and the elements of composition. Your creativity and technique emerge together!

Week 3 (7/5-7/8) La Cocina: There's more to cooking than just eating! Learn to make breads and cookies of every description! We'll also make pinatas, explore huichol yarn painting techniques, South American dance, and play with tin can punch art.

Week 4 (7/11-7/15) Beadwork & Basket Making: You'll learn basic bead loom work from design to completion, and simple jewelery. Learn to make small baskets of simple shapes, from natural materials. We will be hunting and gathering materials to incorporate into the baskets.

Week 5 (7/18-7/22) Clayworks: Pinch pots, pinched creatures - we'll make shapes and forms, exploring textures, openings and ways to pierce pieces. We'll add natural objects to our pieces as part of the exciting process. We'll glaze and fire the pieces during the week.

Week 6 (7/25-7/29) Native Peoples Art Exploration: Learn to make haida masks and totem poles. We'll dance, and make drums and dreamcatchers. We will explore this Northwest culture as we create in their style.

Week 7 (8/1-8/5) Mosaic/Tile Work: From gluing to grouting, using broken tile pieces, projects can range from small table tops to flower pots, stepping stones or trivets... depending on the inspiration of the artist child.

Week 8 (8/8-8/12) Doll Making: Three-dimensional sculpture with dolls as a focus: Forest materials, driftwood, wire and soft sculpture dolls. the dolls will be decorated in various ways depending on the materials used.

Week 9 (8/15-8/19) Fiber Arts: Cook up traditional natural dyes and modern tie-dye. Learn about the colorful qualities of natural materials by dyeing fleece. We'll be learning about the plants to make the dyes. We'll explore weaving, yar paiting and felting with the natural colors. We'll also learn the basics of tie-dyeing and dye t-shirts and banners.

Week 10 (8/22-9/2) Theater Arts: We will collabortate on the writing of our original play, develop intriguing characters, mysterious adventures, twisting plot lines and amazing

conclusions. There will be sets to build and paint, music and dancing, jokes and other funny business. This two week enterprise will lead up to a presentation for parents and other guests.

Gymnastics Camp

Agency: [National Academy of Artistic Gymnastics](#)
Contact: Naja Rossoff
Mailing Address: 869 Shelley Street, Springfield OR
Camp Address: 869 Shelley Street, Springfield OR
Phone: 541-744-2002
Ages/Grades: 5 years and up
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: every week during the summer break
Times: 9:00am - 5:00pm (extended am and pm care available)
Cost: \$70 half-day; \$125 full-day

One week camps offered all summer long for boys and girls ages 5 and older. Activities will include gymnastics, crafts, field trips, swimming, games, rock climbing, trampoline and much more. All levels beginning through advanced welcome.

High School Summer Jazz Band

Agency: [Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Richard M. Long, Program Director
Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: South Eugene High School Band Room, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 8-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Call for details
Dates: July 5-8 and 11-15
Times: Call for Information
Cost: Call for information

Designed for qualified students who play trumpet, trombone, saxophone, and rhythm section instruments (piano, bass and drums). All traditional big band styles will be explored, including swing, Latin and rock.

Himmelbjerget Danish Camp

Agency: [Northwest Danish Foundation](#)
Contact: Melony Beaird
Mailing Address: 1847 SE Clinton Street, Portland OR
Camp Address: Menucha PO Box 8, Corbett OR
Phone: 503-452-9667
Fax: 503-452-9667
Ages/Grades: 4-12 Grades
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/26-7/2
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$375 providing own bedding, \$385 if camp furnishes bedding

An opportunity to become more familiar with the delightful little country of Denmark. One week exposure to Denmark's history, people, culture, and traditions. Learn basic Danish vocabulary, meet new friends and have a memorable time. Participate in sports, swimming, folk dancing and crafts.

Hip Hop & Lil' Hip Hop

Agency: [Eugene Swim & Tennis Club](#)
Contact: Amy Freeman
Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: same,
Phone: 541-342-4414
Fax: 541-344-6764
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-9 & 10-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20 - August 31
Times: ages 6-9 TU 11:15AM-12PM; ages 10-14 TH 11:15AM-12:15PM
Cost: ages 6-9 \$23, ages 10-14 \$25

Get a full-body workout while learning MTV style dances to popular music. Kids will learn the hottest dance moves from a renowned professional dancer. This is a fun program appropriate for both male and female as well as all levels of fitness. All dance moves have been edited for this age group.

Holt Heritage Camp

Agency: [Holt International Children's Services](#)
Contact: Steve Kalb, Camp Director
Mailing Address: PO Box 2880, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Camp Howard,
Phone: 541-687-2202
Fax: 541-345-9954
Ages/Grades: 9-16 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/26-7/1
Times: Call for details
Cost: Call for Details

Holt Heritage Camp offers a fun and safe environment for international adoptees to share their common experiences; learn about the culture, traditions, and history of their birth countries; and support one another. At Holt Heritage Camp adoptees immerse themselves in self-discovery with fellow adoptees which encourages positive mentoring and friendships that promote healthy identity development.

Jazz Improvisation Camp

Agency: [UO School of Music](#)
Contact: Sarah Turley
Mailing Address: 1225 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 961 E 18th Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2138
Fax: 541-346-6188
Ages/Grades: Grades 8-12 (graduating Seniors welcome!)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/24-7/29
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 Tuition, room, all meals; \$240 Tuition only for commuters

This camp is for instrumentalists who would like to develop skills in the art of improvisation. Steve Owen, Director of Jazz Studies at UO, and a team of the region's finest jazz artists/educators will work with students at this week-long work-intensive camp. Participants receive instruction on their individual instruments, are coached on improvisation while performing in small groups, learn how to develop an individual

improvisation practice routine, and much more! Application deadline: June 30, 2005, or until full.

Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art - Modern Masters - Week 1

Agency: [Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art at the University of Oregon](#)
Contact: Becky Tonkin
Mailing Address: 1223 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1430 Johnson Lane, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3027
Fax: 541-346-0976
Ages/Grades: 5-14 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 18-22, 2005
Times: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Cost: \$150.00 (sign up for week 1 and 2 and receive a 10% discount - \$270 total)

Explore modern and contemporary artworks in the museum's collection. Sculpture by Alexander Calder, paintings by Rene Magritte, and mixed media work by Robert Rauchenberg are just a few of the exciting modern works that will be explored.

Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art - Modern Masters - Week 2

Agency: [Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art at the University of Oregon](#)
Contact: Becky Tonkin
Mailing Address: 1223 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1430 Johnson Lane, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3027
Fax: 541-346-0976
Ages/Grades: 5-14 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 25-July 29, 2005
Times: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Cost: \$150 (sign up for week 1 and 2 and receive a 10% discount - \$270 total)

How do artists create? What inspires them? Using the museum's collection and

exhibitions for inspiration, students will set up their own studio in the museum and begin to create. Young artists will take supervised walks around the UO campus and sneak a peak at the museum's collections before they begin making masterpieces.

Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art - Pacific Northwest Explorations - Week 1

Agency: [Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art at the University of Oregon](#)
Contact: Becky Tonkin
Mailing Address: 1223 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1430 Johnson Lane, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3027
Fax: 541-346-0976
Ages/Grades: 5-14 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 27-July 1, 2005
Times: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Cost: \$150.00 (sign up for weeks 1 and 2 and receive a 10% discount - \$243.00 total)

Campers will draw inspiration from the Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art's collection and exhibitions that celebrate the people and landscape of the Pacific Northwest and American West. Young artists will take supervised walks around the museum and UO campus for inspiration. Explore photography, ceramics, sketching, and creating from mixed media.

Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art - Pacific Northwest Explorations - Week 2

Agency: [Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art at the University of Oregon](#)
Contact: Becky Tonkin
Mailing Address: 1223 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1430 Johnson Lane, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3027
Fax: 541-346-0976
Ages/Grades: 5-14 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 5-July 8, 2005 (no class July 4)
Times: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$120 (sign up for week 1 and 2 and receive a 10% discount - \$243 total)

The second session will draw inspiration from photography and the museum's art and architecture that celebrate life in the Pacific Northwest and American West.

Junior Swimming Lessons

Agency: [Eugene Swim and Tennis Club](#)
Contact: Mike Gaffaney
Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Eugene Swim and Tennis, 541-342-4414 OR
Phone: 541-342-4414
Ages/Grades: Preschool-Intermediate
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Varies, call for information.
Times: Call for information
Cost: Varies, call for information

Eugene Swim & Tennis is well known in the community for providing first quality swimming instruction for children of all ages. We employ only experienced instructors who bring to us a background of successful teaching. They work in a pleasant, informal environment, and really get to know their students. We will offer lessons for all ages and skill levels. Private, semi-private and group instruction is available.

Kid City Summer Adventures

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Kimberly McManus
Mailing Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Sheldon Community Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5312
Fax: 541-682-6332
Ages/Grades: Ages 5-9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/17-8/23
Times: 7:30am to 6:00pm. No part-time spots available.
Cost: \$125 per week

Fantastic adventures! Fantastic fun! Fantastic friends for everyone! Each one week session includes lots to do. Sports, crafts, music, games, field trips & fitness too! We must not forget our daily dips in the pool and the bestest of staff...yah they're really cool. Snacks are provided twice every day, but you must remember a few things...okay? Please bring a lunch, a swimsuit and towel, shoes with socks so you can run with your pal. The sun will be out and so will we. It's important to wear sunscreen, don't you agree? Our camp day runs from 7:30-6:00. It's a full day of fun you won't want to miss. Want to know more, we have a brochure. Go any community center and you'll get one for sure. So, register now and register fast 'cuz this camp fills quickly and the spaces won't last!

Kids Club Summer Day Camp

Agency: [Willamalane Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Laura Carter
Mailing Address: 765 A Street, Springfield OR
Camp Address: Dorris Ranch- South 2nd & Dorris Streets, Springfield OR
Phone: 541-736-4544
Fax: 541-736-4529
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 1-6
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/26
Times: 9 am - 4:30 pm, Drop off between 7-9 a.m., pick up between 4:30-6 p. m.
Cost: \$100 per week & one time \$25 registration fee. Please contact 736-4544 for more information.

Remember those magical days of summer? You can give your child the opportunity to create experiences and memories a child will last forever! Explore Dorris Ranch, play sports and games, be an artist and participate in field trips. Children of all ages delight in these traditional camp activities that form the foundation of Kids Club Day Camp. Children will be divided into age-appropriate groups. Campers entering the sixth grade will also participate in a morning program focusing on character building and leadership skills.

Kids' Kamps

Agency: Courtsports Athletic Club
Contact: Carolyn Hellwege
Mailing Address: 4242 Commerce, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-687-2255
Ages/Grades: Ages 4-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Co-ed
Dates: 6/14-8/12 One week camps Monday - Thursday
Times: 9:00am - 1:00pm
Cost: \$49/member \$65/non-member

Swimming, arts & crafts and sport activities.

Kindermusik Adventures Confetti Days!

Agency: [Kindermusic at Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Carol Mosman/Richard M. Long
Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 3411 Willamette Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Ages 3-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Call for Information
Times: Call for Information
Cost: Call for Information

Music is woven throughout the 5 classes with movement, art, language, drama, play and storytelling to produce a rich variety of experiences. Themes include pretend play, dress-up, monkeys, elephants, dancing with colors, fun with instruments, and new games to play. Adult partner participates in the last 30 minutes of each class. Child's snack provided.

Kindermusik Adventures Creatures in My Backyard

Agency: [Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Carol Mosman/Richard M. Long
Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 3411 Willamette St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Call for Information
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: Call for Information
Times: Call for Information
Cost: \$35 tuition, plus \$30 for materials (\$65 total)

Nesting in a Tree, Digging in the Dirt, Flying to a Flower, Hiding in the Grass, and Sitting on the Porch. Caregivers participate in each weekly 1-hour class. Child's snack provided.

Literature Camp 2005: Down the Mississippi

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG Program](#)
Contact: Jody Barlow
Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 770 Calvin St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-1400
Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: Young People completing grades 3-7 June 2004
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description below
Times: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Cost: \$185 for full five days plus \$25 field trip fee

-An active day camp inspired by Mark Twain

Enter the world of steam power, cornbread, rascals, and close shaves. Explore the wild Mississippi of the 1850's -- Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn's world.

No need to read Mark Twain stories before camp - come listen to some roaring good tales to inspire diving into learning with an adventurous spirit.

Become artists, writers, cooks, scientists, musicians, architects, engineers, and storytellers. Discover for yourself how it might be to live in Mark Twain's America.

Little Kids Club Summer Camp

Agency: [Willamalane Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: 765 A Street, Springfield OR
Camp Address: Memorial Building, 765 A Street, Springfield OR
Phone: 541-736-4544

Fax: 541-736-4529
Ages/Grades: See Description
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20-August 26, 2005
Times: See Description
Cost: See Description

Little Kids Club Camp is for kids age 3-entering kindergarten

June 20- August 26, 2005
Memorial Building • 765 A Street

Learn and develop through play

- Creative play with arts and crafts.
- Manipulative play with games, puzzles, and toys.
- Active play outside and in our gym.
- Imaginative play with music and stories.
- Social play with friends.
- Explorative play on “around town” field trips.

Come join us for a summer filled with fun and excitement. Children will be participating in themed weeks that will include arts and crafts, nature activities, music, stories, field trips, and more! We will have quiet, low-key activities or a nap after lunch. Please send a drink and a non-perishable sack lunch with your child every day. Morning and afternoon snacks will be provided.

We create a relaxed, trusting, and fun atmosphere where children are encouraged to discover their own interests and develop friendships. We want to help them grow in confidence, learn respect for others, and give them the building blocks they need as they start down the path of lifelong learning and discovery.

The maximum ratio of staff to children is 1 to 10.

Camp Location & Hours

Memorial Building, 765 A Street
Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Drop off between 7 and 9 a.m.
Pick up between 4:30 and 6 p.m.

Fees & Registration

Registration begins May 2
Weekly Camp Fee \$125* (In-District)
One-time Registration Fee \$25* (In-District)

*Please note that this is a summer camp preview and the prices are subject to change.

Final pricing will be available by May 2. Camp T-shirt included in registration fee!
Weekly fees and registration fee **MUST BE PREPAID**.
There is a 20% discount for additional children in the same family. Out-of-District patrons, add 20% to fees listed. A limited number of scholarships are available.

Little Titans Basketball Camp

Agency: [Lane Community College](#)
Contact: Greg Sheley
Mailing Address: 4000 E. 30th Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Lane Community College Gym,
Phone: 541-463-3164
Fax: 541-463-3979
Ages/Grades: Grades 3-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/11-7/14
Times: 9:00am - Noon
Cost: \$60

Instruction in individual and team play. Daily contests and games. Basic fundamentals on passing, dribbling, shooting and rebounding.

Major League Soccer

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-16
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 18-July 22
Times: 9:00-Noon, 9:00-4:00
Cost: Half Day \$120/member, \$140/non-member. Full Day \$170/member, \$190/non-member

Learn from the best! We will offer a half day camp beginning at 9:00 am and ending at

noon, or for the serious soccer player, a full-day camp beginning at 9:00 am and ending at 4:00 pm. All campers need to bring shin guards, a water bottle and sun screen. Full day campers also need to bring a lunch and snacks.

Marist Boys Basketball Camp

Agency: [Marist High School](#)
Contact: Corey Anderson
Mailing Address: 1900 Kingsley Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1900 Kingsley Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-2902
Fax: 541-342-6451
Ages/Grades: Grades K - 9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: BOYS
Dates: June 20-23 / 2005
Times: Grades K-4, 9:00am - 12:00pm and Grades 5-9, 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Cost: \$60 (T-shirt included with tuition)

Boys Basketball Camp for boys grades K - 9. Fundamental skill building and lots of fun!!
Go to www.marisths.org for information

Marist Football Camp

Agency: [Marist High School](#)
Contact: Rory Rosenbach
Mailing Address: 1900 Kingsley Rd., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-2234
Fax: 541-342-6451
Ages/Grades: Grades 3-8; 9-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/16-8/20
Times: 10:00am - 12:00pm; 6:00pm -8:00pm
Cost: \$55.00

A weeklong camp that will cover basic fundamentals and techniques of football. Camp includes a punt, pass, and kick competition and the infamous 7 on 7 flag football tournament.

McDermott's Golf School

Agency: [Junior Golf Camp](#)
Contact: Jerry McDermott o
Mailing Address: 91292 Highway 99 N, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-689-6463
Fax: 541-689-0020
Ages/Grades: Ages 8-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/16-8/29
Times: 9:00am - 12 (Mon/Tues) and 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Cost: \$60

One hour of instruction followed by 9 holes of golf each day. These camps are in two day intervals.

Middle School Summer Concert Band

Agency: [Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Richard M. Long, Program Director
Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: South Eugene High School Band Room, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 6-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 5-8 and 11-15
Times: Call for Information
Cost: Call for information

Intended for students who play a woodwind, brass or percussion instrument who would like to gain some extra experience during the summer. Concerts are scheduled for family and friends.

Mount Pisgah Arboretum Summer Camp

Agency: [Mount Pisgah Arboretum](#)
Contact: Fran Rosenthal

Mailing Address: 34901 Frank Parrish Rd., Eugene OR
Camp Address: (same as above),
Phone: 541-747-1504
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-11
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Four Camps #1: 6/27-7/1 #2: 7/11-7/15 #3: 7/18-7/22 #4 7/25-7/29
Times: See Description
Cost: Full Day \$160/week. Discount for members

The Mount Pisgah Arboretum Summer Day Camp takes advantage of the beautiful, outdoor setting at the base of Mount Pisgah, along the Coast Fork of the Willamette River (15 minutes from downtown Eugene.) The camp is offered daily, June 27-July 1 and from July 11-July 29, from 9am-4pm.

An exciting blend of both nature studies and recreation, each week at camp highlights a different theme. Campers learn wilderness skills, explore the journey of Lewis & Clark, net critters in the pond, build bird houses, carve hiking sticks, make animal track casts and explore the forests, meadows and waterways at Mt. Pisgah.

All camps include songs, games, crafts, skits, ball games, hiking and just good ol' camp fun! The Friday afternoon icecream social is a favorite. (We crank the handmade kind!)

We've received rave reviews!

Music's Edge Summer Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 868 High St, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Ages 11 & up
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: XOR
Dates: August 15-18
Times: 9:30am-1:30pm
Cost: \$195

For all types of players . . . guitar, singers, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, violin, bass, drums, keyboards, turntables??!! This camp combines everything the staff knows about

jazz, rock, improvisation, and having fun and is intensive training in learning how to form a band, performing various musical styles that have pushed the boundaries of music for years, play some good tunes, and of course, do some rockin' and make some noise.

Nearby Nature Summer Day Camps

Agency: [Nearby Nature](#)
Contact: Lisa Seales
Mailing Address: PO Box 3678, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Local Parks in the Eugene area, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-9699
Fax: 541-687-9699
Ages/Grades: 4 1/2-5, 6-8 and 8-11 years
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/26
Times: 9:00am - noon and 1:00pm - 4:00pm
Cost: \$70 /week for members; \$80/week for non-members (\$5 off for registering by June 1st)

Nearby Nature summer day camps include hands-on nature discovery, hiking, storytelling, exploring, science, crafts, and nature games. Camps take place in local parks and natural areas including: Alton Baker, Amazon, Hendricks, Ridgeline Trail, and Skinner Butte Parks. Each camp is taught by an experienced naturalist educator and is limited to twelve participants. Camps last one week, each week has a new theme, three hour morning or afternoon sessions. Call or check website for details. EWEB sponsored scholarships available.

Northwest Youth Corps

Agency: [Northwest Youth Corps](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: 2621 Augusta St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-349-5055
Fax: 541-349-5060
Ages/Grades: Call for Details
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Girls or Boys
Dates: Call for Details
Times: Call for Details
Cost: Call for Details

Spring & Fall Conservation Corps

Age: 16-19

Length: 5 weeks

Positions: 120

Location: Oregon, Washington

Pay: \$7.05 per hour, 7-8 hrs/day

Tuition: Does Not Apply

Summer Conservation Corps

Age: 16-19

Length: 5-6 weeks

Positions: 160

Location: Oregon, Washington

Pay: \$7.05 /hr, 40 hrs/wk

Tuition: \$200

Teens-n-Trails

Age: 14-15

Length: 4 weeks

Positions: 80

Location: Oregon

Pay: \$7.05 per hour, 7-8 hrs/day

Tuition: \$595

Youth Forest Camp

Age: 16-19

Length: 5 weeks

Positions: 80

Location: Oregon

Pay: \$7.05/hr, 7-8 hrs/day

Tuition: \$200

Summer Conservation Corps: Idaho Tour

Age: 16-19

Length: 5 weeks

Positions: 80

Location: Idaho Pay: \$7.05/hr, 7-8 hrs/day

Tuition: \$200

Backcountry Leadership

Age: 16-19

Length: 6 weeks

Positions: 20

Location: Idaho
Pay: \$7.05/hr, 40 hrs/wk
Tuition: \$200

Youth Leaders
Age: 16-19
Length: 5-6 weeks
Positions: 20
Location: Oregon, Washington, Idaho
Pay: \$7.05 an hour
Tuition: \$200

OAR Summer Rowing Camps

Agency: [Oregon Association of Rowers](#)
Contact: Arik Wiest
Mailing Address: 3210 Potter St., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Dexter Reservoir, Lowell OR
Phone: 541-343-1530
Ages/Grades: Middle-High School age rowers (12-18)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/18-7/22, 7/25-7/29, 8/1-8/5, 8/8-8/12
Times: 8am - 2pm or 12:00pm-1:30pm
Cost: \$220 per week and \$195 for every additional week

The Oregon Association of Rowers Junior Summer Rowing Camps are designed to give both incoming novice and returning rowers a jump start into the upcoming season. The one week camps are held at Dexter reservoir near Lowell Oregon. The buses leave South Eugene High School at 8am and return at 2pm. Campers will receive an OAR tee-shirt and water bottle. Hope to see you there.

These are four one week camps with the option of a regatta in Seattle (after the first two weeks) or Portland (after the second two weeks). Two weeks are required for the trip to Seattle or Portland.

On Your Toes Summer Dance Camp

Agency: [On Your Toes School of Dance](#)
Contact: John Zreliak

Mailing Address: 771 Greenwich Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 645 River Road Suite 4, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-461-7012
Fax: 541-461-7012
Ages/Grades: 10 years and older
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Session I: 7/11-7/15 Session II: 7/18-7/22 Session III: 7/25-7/29
Times: 9:30am - 1:00pm
Cost: \$120 for single session; \$220 for two sessions; \$300 for three sessions

Join ZAP Productions and On Your Toes director, Cindy Zreliak for a week-long dance intensive day camp at the Eugene studio of On Your Toes School of Dance. Included in the curriculum will be instruction in hip-hop, jazz, musical theater, technique, swing, and repertory. Three different sessions are offered. Multiple session discounts are offered. Enrollment is limited to 30 dancers per session.

Oregon Coast Aquarium

Agency: [Oregon Coast Aquarium](#)
Contact: Leslie Lythgoe
Mailing Address: 2820 SE Ferry Slip Road, Newport OR
Phone: 541-867-3474
Fax: 541-867-6846
Ages/Grades: See Description
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: See Description

Oceans of Fun Day Camps are offered June 24, July 8, and August 5. Four- and five-year-olds and their parents may choose to go behind-the-scenes to learn about marine mammals, invertebrates, fish, or learn about them all by registering for all three. Campers will meet an animal care professional and have an opportunity to make crafts and learn songs. Times vary and cost is \$15 for members and \$20 for nonmembers for each day. For specific times and topics, call (541) 867-3474 ext. 5301.

Six- and seven-year-old campers will meet marine creatures during Sea Safari Day Camp, July 20 – 22 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. This camp offers marine explorers a look at ocean animals and their adaptations for survival. Cost is \$35 for members and \$40 for nonmembers. To register, call (541) 867-3474 ext. 5301.

Campers ages 8-12 explore coastal ecosystems and their inhabitants at the Aquarium and in the field during the Aquarium Adventures Day Camps, July 25 – 28 and August 8 – 11. Field trips include a visit to the beach, tidepooling and a marine wildlife excursion on the Discovery. Cost is \$115 for members and \$120 for nonmembers. To register, call (541) 867-3474 ext. 5301.

The Aquarium is offering a revamped version of last year's new Ocean Exploration Camp, June 29 – July 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Campers ages 13 – 18 will dissect a shark, learn what it is like to be a marine biologist, talk with experts in a marine lab and get a little wet in the field. Cost is \$120 for members and \$130 for nonmembers. To register, call (541) 867-3474 ext. 5301.

The aquarium is offering an all new Coastal Ecology Camp for 13-18 year-olds, July 13-15. In this upper level camp, participants will become familiar with Oregon's coastal ecology through a variety of field experiments and observations. Participants should be in good physical condition and be able to pass a swim test.

Family Sea Camp aboard the 65-foot Discovery is a lively program designed for “boating buddies” ages 4 to 12 and their families from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on June 25 and August 13. Sea campers explore ocean, bay, and river environments. All hands aboard are invited to join in activities including a navigation station, pulling a trawl net for instant “at sea” touch tanks, and collecting plankton. Cost is \$31 for adults, \$29 for seniors (65+), \$16 for children (4-13), and free for kids 3 and younger. To register, call 800-903-2628.

Pre-registration is required for all Oregon Coast Aquarium summer camps. For more information or to register, call (541) 867-3474 ext. 5301. The Aquarium’s summer camps are made possible through the generous support of KYTE/KNPT Radio, Marine Discovery Tours, the Newport News-Times, and Elizabeth Street Inn.

The Oregon Coast Aquarium is a private, nonprofit educational facility that offers people a fun way to understand Oregon’s unique coastal resources, so that future generations may cherish and conserve them. The facility is designed to be accessible to learners of all ages, ability levels and learning styles. In addition to offering public exhibits, the Aquarium serves nearly 50,000 schoolchildren annually, opening doors to new interests and introducing science in a meaningful way.

Its marine education specialists have developed a curriculum of 32 classes and programs for schools on various marine topics for students from preschool through the 12th grade. Self-guiding school materials are also available. Additional educational activities and downloadable lessons may be found on the Aquarium’s website at www.aquarium.org/education/. See, touch, learn, and discover at the Oregon Coast Aquarium, an adventure you’ll never forget.

The Aquarium is open every day except December 25; hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. through Labor Day, changing to 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. after Labor Day.

Oregon Football Camp

Agency: [UO Department of Athletics](#)
Contact: Jeff Hawkins
Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3825
Fax: 541-346-5033
Ages/Grades: *Grades 9-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: BOYS
Dates: 6/19-6/23
Times: 7:00am - 9:00pm
Cost: \$250 - \$355

Full contact football camp for boys in grades 9 through 12. Drills and instruction for all positions. For information or to register on-line at www.goducks.com (see CAMPS).

*Due to NCAA rules, all campers must be between the ages of those entering the ninth grade and seniors-to-be in high school. High school graduates are not allowed to attend.

Oregon Girls Basketball Camp - Elite Camp

Agency: [UO Department of Athletics](#)
Contact:
Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Mac Court, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-5879
Fax: 541-346-2244
Ages/Grades: 9th grade - 12th grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: GIRLS
Dates: 6/27 - 6/30
Times: 9:00am - 9:00pm
Cost: \$245-\$295

This camp is an intense camp designed for potential Frosh, JV, and varsity basketball players. The hours of camp will be from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Oregon coaches and

players as well as junior college and other high school coaches will be guiding campers through various skill development, weight training, fitness, film evaluation and game competition.

Elite Camp Overnighters. If you would like to request a roommate please make sure your roommate is in agreement with this arrangement! You will not need any additional bedding, but will be required to bring all necessary toiletries.

Elite Camp Commuters. The hours of camp run from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Please make arrangements to be dropped off and picked up at Mac Court at those times.

Oregon Girls Basketball Camp - Youth Camp

Agency: [UO Department of Athletics](#)
Contact: Natasha Ruckwardt
Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Mac Court, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-5858
Fax: 541-346-2244
Ages/Grades: 8 years to 8th grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: GIRLS
Dates: July 5 - 8, 2005
Times: 9am to 5pm
Cost: \$195

This camp is geared for young players who are developing their skills and are looking to have a great time with Oregon players and coaches.

Oregon Softball Camps

Agency: [UO Department of Athletics](#)
Contact: Amy Hayes
Phone: 541-346-2245
Ages/Grades: See Below
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20-23 and July 18-22
Times: See Description
Cost: See Description

Junior Duck Camp - DAY CAMP ONLY: 7/18 - 7/22

A great way for kids to have fun while learning the game of softball. This camp will cover basic ball skills for everyone. Emphasis is on multi-skill training that is age appropriate. Areas to be covered include pitching, catching, hitting, fielding, throwing, base running, and bunting. Lots to learn and lots of fun! Junior Duck Camp I is open to boys and girls ages 6 & 7 as of June 1, 2005. Junior Duck Camp II is open to girls and boys ages 8 & 9 as of June 1, 2005.

Cost: Register by May 20 \$90 - May 21 and later \$115

SPECIALTY PITCHING OR CATCHING CAMP - OVERNIGHT OR DAY CAMP: 6/20 - 6/21

Come and learn from the best! Improve your technique, learn new pitches and specialized drills designed to benefit any level pitcher. Catchers will polish their blocking, receiving, throwing skills and learn proven strategy on pitch calling and working with umpires. Players attending this camp will do limited sessions on offense and defense, but will focus primarily on pitching or catching.

Cost: Register by May 20 cost is \$189 for Day Camp, \$219 with one overnight stay.

Register May 21 and later the cost is \$220 day, \$250 with one overnight stay.

SPECIALTY HITTING CAMP- OVER NIGHT OR DAY CAMP June 22 -23

**Improve your power, bunt game or running slap. Polish your swing , learn to hit different pitches and become a better offensive player. The latest teaching technology will be utilized.

**If selected, overnight housing at one of the campus dormitories and meals at Carson Hall will be provided.

**Campers not electing the overnight option will have to secure their own lodging and meals.

**Two full days of instruction on Hitting will be given.

**Enrollment will be limited for this camp to ensure personal instruction

Register by May 20 cost is \$189 for Day Camp, \$219 with one overnight stay.

Register May 21 and later the cost is \$220 day, \$250 with one overnight stay.

Oregon Tennis Camp

Agency: [University of Oregon](http://www.uoregon.edu)

Contact: Rani Gee
Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Pkwy., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2245
Fax: 541-346-2244
Ages/Grades: Call for details
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 26 - July 1
Times: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm
Cost: \$350.00 Day Camper / \$665.00 Overnight

We base our camp on balance . . . good tennis and great fun! We encourage and teach our campers to truly understand stroke fundamentals and basic match play strategies. More than anything, we want our campers to enjoy this lifetime game long after they leave camp. Get ready to have fun and see your game improve!

All campers are evaluated on court and placed by the Director in one of three instructional programs.

Program 1: Beginner – Learn the fundamentals for all strokes and mechanics, introduce match play.

Program 2: Intermediate – Strengthen strokes, develop more power and control. Examine match play strategies to improve competitive results.

Program 3: Advanced – Refine stroke production, increase power, and improve match play skills. Competitive drilling and match play.

Features of the Oregon Tennis Camp include:

Superior tennis instruction - 5:1 camper to instructor ratio

Campers are carefully grouped on court with players of their own level

Daily match play in a fun-spirited, team-oriented format

Personal, take-home skills evaluation

Special topics: tennis etiquette, strategy, sportsmanship, nutrition and fitness

Official Oregon Tennis Camp t-shirt and prizes

Oregon Tennis Camp

Agency: [UO](#)
Contact: Rani Gee
Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2245
Fax: 541-346-2244
Ages/Grades: Ages 8-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 1 week 06/26 - 07/01
Times: 8:30am - 5:00pm
Cost: \$350/day \$665/Overnight

A tennis camp offered by the university's men's tennis coach. Overnight camp includes meals.

Outward Escapes Camps

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Kim McManus
Mailing Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5312
Fax: 541-682-6332
Ages/Grades: Grades 5-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20/05 - 8/26/05
Times: 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Cost: \$145 per week

Get up, get moving and get ready to escape this summer into amazing adventures. Boring... no way. We've made some big changes and that means some fantastically-fun, extremely-energetic & absolutely-outrageous NEW adventures for you! You will still be hiking, swimming & playing games. But we have also added special guests, leadership skills, visits to the wetlands and camp themes that go way beyond just hanging outside. This year, you will want to come to every week! Campers need to bring a sack lunch, swimsuit/towel, water bottle, sunscreen and sturdy walking shoes (with extra socks) each day. Each session will be different so be sure to sign-up for more than one.. Please note all activities are subject to change due to weather or site conditions. Camp is open from 7:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m. with the bulk of our activities occurring between 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Brochures are available at Sheldon Community Center. This camp fills quickly, so register right away so

you can make the escape!

Safe at Home Baseball Camp/Sandlot Baseball Camp

Agency: [Robert Sposato](#)
Contact: Robert Sposato
Mailing Address: 2929 Ingalls Way, Eugene OR
Camp Address: held at Washington Park, 20th and Washington, Eugene, OR
97405
Phone: 541-683-1018
Ages/Grades: Ages 8-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Weeks in June and July
Times: Mornings until 12:30pm
Cost: Classic Camp \$135 / Sandlot Camp \$65 per week

24 Kids a week, fun drills and skills, full game every day...coaches pitch. Smaller groups, lots of practice. Very sound curriculum. Kids learn better baseball while having fun. Instructional and recreational baseball in a very supportive environment. Some call it "Baseball Heaven".

Sandlot is games only, three days a week. Kids run their own games with minimal support from adults. Kids pitch two innings each day maximum. Positions chosen by lottery each inning. "Baseball in the purest sense." Ages 10-14.

Sew Happy Summer Sewing Camps

Agency: [Sew Happy Studio](#)
Contact: Celeste Percy
Mailing Address: 3628 Wilshire Lane, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 23 W. 27th Ave, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-954-8940
Fax: 541-334-6504
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-teens
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/8-8/30
Times: 9am-4pm: 1, 2 ,3 or more hr time slots available
Cost: \$50-\$135 wk depending on hours you attend

Sew Happy has been teaching kids to sew since 1986. We create a positive atmosphere for kids to express their creativity through sewing. Our approach to sewing is modern and upbeat. All levels are welcome and each child is taught at their own pace. Our projects are customized for success and kids love them! Sew Happy also knows how busy parenting is and we are Parent Friendly! We feature: flexible scheduling, complete project kits, small class sizes (limit 6), sewing machines and most sewing supplies are provided. We take care of "this, that and the other thing" hopefully giving you a bit more time to relax. Sew Happy also offers, if needed, sliding scale fees for UO student parents.

Sign Language Day Camp for Beginners

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center,
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 5-10
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/4-8/8
Times: 1:00pm - 5:00 pm
Cost: \$70.

This camp welcomes hearing children 5-10 years old who want to learn basic sign language skills in a playful, activity-oriented environment. Activities include playing games, skits, and much more - all while practicing and learning sign language.

Sign Language Day Camp for Signers

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Hilyard Community Center,
Phone: 541-682-5311
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 4-9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/8-8/12
Times: 1:00pm - 5:00 pm

Cost: \$75.

This camp welcomes deaf and hearing-impaired children and their siblings. Activities will include recreational games, arts and crafts, drama, swimming and much more. Friday will be an all day trip to the coast.

Skate Park Camps

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Raquel Wells
Mailing Address: 870 Berntzen Rd., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Cal Young Skate Park and Meadowview Skatepark, See Below
Phone: 541-682-5521
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: All Ages
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27/05-7/1/05,7/25/05-7/31/05,8/1/05-8/06/05
Times: 9:00am- 1:00pm
Cost: \$20 per week

BEGINNING CAMP - Cal Young Skate Park

This camp is for skateboarders who want direct instruction from local experts. The camp will focus on balance, stance, momentum, basic tricks and dropping-in. Helmets required, full pads highly recommended. Bring water, sunscreen, and something to snack on.

Children up to age 6 require parents attendance. Children ages 7-9 require parents or an older sibling/caretakers attendance. Kids 9 and up do not need a chaperone.

INTERMEDIATE CAMP - Bethel Park Skate Park

Ages 10 and Up! Move beyond beginning! This camp is for skateboarders who want advance their skills in the skate park. Skaters who take this camp should be able to drop-in and skate transitions comfortably. Local expert skaters will provide one-on-one instruction and focus on helping you refine technique to take your tricks to the next level. Helmets required, full pads highly recommended. Bring water, sunscreen, and something to snack on. Located at the Bethel Park Skatepark behind Meadowview School.

Skyhawk Soccer Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)

Contact: Craig Smith
Mailing Address: 870 Berntzen Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 4640 Barger Drive, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5521
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27/05 - 7/1/05
Times: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Cost: \$111

Sports camps for all skill levels. Campers will be divided by age and skill. Pack a lunch!

Soccer Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Raquel Wells
Mailing Address: 870 Berntzen Rd., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Petersen Barn Park,
Phone: 541-682-5361
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: Ages 3-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27-7/1 and 8/29-9/2
Times: 9:00am - 10:00am and 10:00am - 11:00am
Cost: \$32 per week

This is a soccer camp for preschool age children.

Soccer Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Raquel Wells
Mailing Address: 870 Berntzen Rd., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Petersen Barn Park,
Phone: 541-682-5361
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-8

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 6/27-7/2 and 8/29-9/2

Times: 11:00am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$35 per week

This is a soccer camp for K-3

Soccer Camps, University of Oregon

Agency: [University of Oregon](#)

Contact: Mike Smith

Mailing Address: 2727 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR

Camp Address: University of Oregon,

Phone: 541-346-5292

Fax: 541-346-2244

Ages/Grades: dependent on camp

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: June 20-24, July 16-29, July 25-29

Times: varies with camp

Cost: varies with camp

Please see the website above for more details and a downloadable brochure.

Sport Conditioning Camp

Agency: [Eugene Swim & Tennis Club](#)

Contact: Amy Freeman

Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR

Camp Address: same,

Phone: 541-342-4414

Fax: 541-344-6764

Ages/Grades: Ages 11 to 16

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: June - August

Times: Mon & Wednesday 11:30AM-12:30PM

Cost: June \$65, July \$60, August \$65

This advanced fitness camp is a great way for athletic adolescents to enhance speed,

strength, and agility, and to prepare for Fall sports activities. Participants will be challenged with a variety of intervals and drills including plyometrics, running, agility and footwork, weight training, core strengthening, and sport specific activities. Classes will be divided into gender and age groups accordingly, with coaches who have experience in collegiate sports, injury prevention and rehabilitation, and exercise motivation for this specific age group.

Sports Adventures - Soccer, Basketball, Tennis & More!

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Kimberly McManus
Mailing Address: 2445 Willakenzie Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Sheldon Community Center,
Phone: 541-682-5312
Fax: 541-682-6332
Ages/Grades: Grades 4-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20/05
Times: 7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Cost: \$135

This camp is designed to instruct campers ages 8-13 yrs in basketball, soccer, tennis each day as well as take a dip in Sheldon Pool. Weekly clinics will also be offered in Frisbee golf, track, ultimate Frisbee and others unique sporting elements. Youth will be divided according to skill levels and ability. Game play, strategy and practice are included each day as well as having tons of fun hanging with friends. Leadership and sportsmanship training will round out our busy training schedule. Please bring a morning snack, sack lunch, athletic shoes/socks, tennis racket (we can provide one if you do not have one) water bottle. Camp is open from 7:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m. with the bulk of our activities occurring between 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Brochures are available at Sheldon Community Center. See page XX for registration information. Don't 'pass' this one up!

Sports Spectacular

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Roosevelt Middle School, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622

Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 2-3
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/26
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$110/member/week, \$130/non-member/week

Games, swimming, beginning skill instruction, team work, sportsmanship, field trips and fun are what make this camp so Spectacular! Activities focus on weekly sports themes. Trips by bus and by foot help campers explore their community. Campers swim twice a week at the YMCA. Each camper provides his/her own lunch, snack and water. Camp held at Roosevelt Middle School.

Camp Hours 9:00-4:00
Extended Care Available 7:30-6:00

Summer 2005

Agency: [Co-op Family Center](#)
Contact: Tami Brown & Alisa Stull
Mailing Address: 2250 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2250 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-7400
Fax: 541-346-5613
Ages/Grades: 5K-10
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/22-9/3
Times: 7:30am - 5:30pm
Cost: Call for information

The Co-op Family Center practices the Reggio Emilia Philosophy. Teachers follow the children's lead and facilitate their continued learning process. Children will be able to explore clay, wire, paper, paint and other art mediums. Water play, science and cooking will also be explored. Weekly swimming and field trips.

Summer 2005 Art Camps

Agency: [Maude Kerns Art Center](#)
Contact: Jessica Foote

Mailing Address: 1910 East 15th Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1910 East 15th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-345-1571
Fax: 541-345-6248
Ages/Grades: Youth 6-12 / Special Class for Ages 12-16
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July- August 2005
Times: 9am-5pm
Cost: \$145 Members \$160 Non-Members

Each week in July and August the Art Center offers an art camp for kids focusing on a different theme or medium. Camp themes range from Clay Animation to Painting, drawing, ceramics and more. Please visit us online at: www.mkartcenter.org to find more detailed schedules and information when it is available, or call: 541-345-1571.

Susi Larsen Scholarships are available!

Please call (541) 345-1571 for further information and registration.

Gallery Hours: M-F, 10:00am-5:30pm; Sat, Noon-4:00pm

Summer Arts Camps at Amazon Community Center

Agency: [Amazon Community Arts Center](#)
Contact: Jennifer Fogerty-Gibson
Mailing Address: 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5373
Fax: 541-682-5367
Ages/Grades: See Description
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Decsription
Times: See Description
Cost: See Description

Be a part of our fun visual and performing arts camps that are sure to inspire you. Campers of all abilities can learn, play and celebrate their own creativity through dance, theater and visual arts. Professional artists have designed activities to enrich, inspire and encourage creative expression. Summer Arts Camps at Amazon are coordinated by the University of Oregon's Youth Enrichment Program through the College of Education. Our fun camps have something for everyone-spend your summer with us!

You may reserve a space for your child with a \$25 deposit, with full payment due three weeks before the first day of camp.

Scholarships available. Call 682-5373 to enroll and inquire about scholarships.

All camps take place at Amazon Community Arts Center, 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene. Extended Care is available for campers.

Extended Care rates:

\$10/week for morning hours (7:30-9)

\$15/week for evening hours (4-6)

Pre-register with your camp enrollment form, available at Amazon Community Center. Call 682-5373 for more information.

CAMPS FOR CHILDREN

Ages 5-11

Each one-week session features a different theme, using a variety of arts media. Our creative activities encourage self-expression and collaboration while also providing campers the opportunity to learn more about the arts through fun topics. We'll make art to take home, paint murals, dance fun choreography, perform dramatic plays, swim in the pool twice a week (don't forget your swimsuit, sunscreen and towel) and eat one snack together each day. Please bring your own lunch and wear shoes with socks. You don't need to have any prior experience with art, drama or dance to have a blast with us this summer!

All sessions meet at Amazon Community Center.

Hip Hop/Jazz Dance Sampler

Learn the latest hip hop and jazz moves and make up some moves of your own. Paint a backdrop and create props for your performance and dance for your family on the last day of class. This camp sizzles.

July 5-9 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56970

Aug 23-27 M-F 9a-4p \$125 #56066

Magical, Mythical, Make-Believe

Make a wearable unicorn horn, a magic wand, and your own pet dragon. Explore a land of make-believe through exciting stories. All you have to bring is your imagination!

Jun 28-Jul 2 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56972

Aug 23-27 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56065

Amazon Kids Theater

Are you a budding actor? Or do you like to work behind the scenes? There is something for everyone in this fun drama camp. Learn acting basics, create costumes, characters, backdrops and props that are sure to WOW friends and family in the performance on the last day.

Jun 28-Jul 2 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56056

Aug 2-6 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56051

Creativity Explored!

Want to make your art 3D...give it moving parts...and create a big sculpture? This week anything goes as we create innovative art such as mobiles, kinetic art, plaster sculptures, and more! If you can dream it, we can do it in this fun camp that ends with a student art show on the last day.

July 12-16 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56052

August 2-6 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56055

The Art of Recycling and Reuse

What can you make with things we usually throw away or recycle? This week we'll make our own art buttons, construct recycled model villages, weave with telephone wire and more. A special visit from BRING Recycling will help us learn more about taking care of Mother Earth.

June 14-18 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56046

Aug 16-20 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56061

Underwater World

Take an adventure beneath the sea and explore the ocean like Jacques Cousteau! In this exciting camp we'll make large collaborative murals, sculpt our own ceramic sea life, make fish print t-shirts and more! Campers provide their own t-shirts.

Jun 14-18 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56048

Aug 9-13 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56971

Nature Art

Take inspiration from nature to make handmade paper for your own cards, journals and drawings. Press flowers, make wind chimes and more in this fun camp!

Jun 22-25 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56058

Jul 26-30 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56047

Mud, Clay, and Goop

Construct paper mache creatures, make goopy concoctions, wax candles and clay creations. This camp will fill your week with messy fun!

Jun 21-25 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56050

Jul 19-23 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56049

Animal Adventures

Go on safari or walk about and learn about lions, elephants, kangaroos, koalas and more. Learn about animal habitats and make dioramas for our animal sculptures. Explore animals through drawing, mural painting and mask making in this fun camp.

July 5-9 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56054

Aug 9-13 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56063

Clown College 101

Do you want to clown around? In this lighthearted camp, you'll learn about different types of clowns, how to make clown faces, how to juggle and do magic tricks. Then you'll create your own clown costume and face and perform for fellow campers.

Aug 16-20 M-F 9a-4p \$135 #56060

WIZARDRY CAMPS FOR CHILDREN AGES 7-12

(You may sign up for one Wizardry camp per summer and we recommend taking them in consecutive order)

Wizardry Summer School Week I (Ages 7-12)

Calling All Wizards! Headmaster Marcus Ambrosius and his staff invite you to participate in the wonder of going to Wizardry Summer School! Decorate your new broom, create your wand, and wizard hat. Try fun new science projects, and make your own Unicorn Patties and Wish-Craft Balls. Learn everything you've always wanted to know about slugs, and of course, play Quidditch!

July 12-16 M-F 9a-4p \$160 #56274

Wizardry Summer School Week II (Ages 7-12)

Wizard School is cool! Receive a new, handmade broom. Headmaster Marcus Ambrosius encourages you to create your own Magic, Mythical Bug. Enjoy the Dress Like a Muggle Fashion Show. Make a Secret Wizard Chest to hold your wizarding supplies, learn to write in Secret Languages, play Quidditch, and so much more!

Jul 19-23 M-F 9a-4p \$160 #56275

Wizardry Summer School Week III (Ages 7-12)

Attention Wizards One and All! Become a Dragon Master as you as you make a model and learn (almost) everything there is to know about Dragons. Discover the amazing World of Bats. Wizard Week Three brings many secret (and new) art and science projects! Come and make Owl Pellet Snacks; play Quidditch, and much more. Headmaster Marcus Ambrosius gives this camp a "Three Brooms Up"!

Jul 26-30 M-F 9a-4p \$160 #56276

Camp Invention (NEW!!)

Attention inventors, designers and dreamers! Camp Invention invites you to join us for five different adventures that will challenge your inventiveness, imagination and

creativity. Become an automobile designer in the Spills and Chills part of your day. Then join shipwreck survivors in SOS: Suddenly Shipwrecked. Still not enough excitement for you? Become an outer space pioneer in Problem Solving on Planet Zak. Camp Invention is a highly recognized summer program of the National Inventors Hall of Fame. It integrates science, math, history and the arts through hands-on experiences that foster creativity, teamwork, inventive thinking skills and science literacy.

August 30-September 3 M-F 9a-4p \$199

To enroll register online at www.campinvention.org or call 1-800-968-4332

TEEN CAMPS (AGES 12-17)

Each two-week session features a different discipline or emphasis in the arts. These camps are specifically designed for teens that are interested in exploring their creativity through the visual and performing arts. Classes are taught by professional artists from the community. Camp activities are primarily focused on the beginner, while also developing the interests and skills of more experienced young artists.

Fees are based on the amount of class time provided and some supplies cost. Most of the materials and supplies are included in the camp fee. At registration you will be informed if you need to provide additional materials.

All sessions held at Amazon Community Center,
682-5373.

Beginning Photography

Explore the wonderful world of light and shadow through a camera lens. Learn how to artistically capture a moment in time on film and develop and print those images yourself in our professional darkroom. Some cameras available for loan. Instructor: Julie Rudolph
Jul 12-23 MWF 10a-1p \$125 #56040

Japanese Manga

Learn the popular comic styling of Japanese Manga. With a pen and a piece of paper, anyone can make their own characters and story. Learn about eyes, hair, body proportions, and more. Work with pens, inks, watercolors, and markers. Instructor: Marianne H. Walker
Jul 26-Aug 6 MWF 10:30a-1p \$99 #56041

Computer Music Lab

If you are interested in computers and music, this camp is for you. Work in a state-of-the-art computer music lab with three music applications used for arranging, notating, and composing music. Create a CD of your own work.

Instructor: Carolyn Horn

Aug 4-13 MW 1-3p \$80 #56042

Hip Hop/Jazz Dance

Spend a fun and energetic week learning the latest hip hop and jazz moves. Perform for

your family and friends on Friday. This camp sizzles!

Instructor: Allison Franco

Jun 14-25 MWF 10a-12p \$80 #56043

Wheel Throwing for Teens

Learn the basics of wheel throwing and glazing. Create your own bowls, pots, plates, and other functional pottery items. Hand building techniques will also be introduced.

Instructor: Josh Mazet

Aug 9-20 MWF 10a-1p \$125 #56044

Knitting

Learn the basics of knitting and make your own scarves and hats! This fun camp is for beginners. Have fun and we warm this fall!

Instructor: Kathleen Kendrick

Aug 16-27 MWF 10a-Noon \$80 #56983

Summer Arts Program A Taste of Waldorf Kindergarten

Agency: [Eugene Waldorf School](#)

Contact: Robin Winfree

Mailing Address: 1350 McLean Blvd., Eugene OR

Camp Address: 1350 McLean Blvd, Eugene OR

Phone: 541-683-6951

Fax: 541-345-8774

Ages/Grades: Ages 4-7

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 7/18/- 7/29

Times: 9:00am - 12:30pm

Cost: \$115 per week session (if paid before May 21), \$125 per week after May 21.

A Taste of Waldorf provides a summer rhythm for children ages 4-7 of music, painting, handcrafts, baking, creative movement, outdoor activities, storytelling and puppetry. Registration after 5/21 is \$125/week.

Summer Arts Program Native American Arts and Culture

Agency: [Eugene Waldorf School](#)

Contact: Robin Winfree

Mailing Address: 1350 McLean Blvd., Eugene OR

Camp Address: 1350 McLean Blvd., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-683-6951
Fax: 541-345-8774
Ages/Grades: Grades 1-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/12 - 8/4
Times: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Cost: \$115 per week (\$125 after May 21)

Native American Arts, Ritual & Culture offers an in-depth experience of Native American culture through storytelling, crafts, games, weaving, drumming, bead and leather work, music, pottery, and rituals. Registration after 5/21 is \$125.

Summer By The Week!

Agency: [UO Vivian Olum Child Development Center](#)
Contact: Casie Moylan
Mailing Address: 5222 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1650 Columbia Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-6586
Fax: 541-346-6586
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 1-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/12
Times: 7:30 am - 5:45 pm.
Cost: Full day = \$145/week Half day = \$95/week, Transportation fee: \$13/week

Housed on the University of Oregon campus, the Vivian Olum CDC Summer by the Week! Camps for school-age children provide full and half day options for a variety of weekly sessions. Each session includes swimming, art projects, a local hike, campus visits/tours, picnics and food making. Noon UO Super Summer or UO Summer Sports Program pick up available for an additional fee.

Summer Camp Fair 2005

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG](#)
Contact: Rita Svanks

Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2700 Hilyard Street, Eugene Or
Phone: 541-346-1404
Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: all
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Call for details
Dates: April 24
Times: 1:00 - 3:00
Cost: Free

Win a free camp! Come to Amazon Community Center for our second annual Camp Fair and learn about the fantastic Youth Enrichment day camps and other programs we offer in the summer months. We'll have craft projects, door prizes and a drawing to win a free summer activity at Amazon Center. What a great way to learn about what we have in store, from NEW Wizard camps, to preschool art camps, Literature, Invention and Games camps! Learn about the Talented and Gifted summer camps - Summer Enrichment Program -a UO residential camp for grades 6 - 10 and Super Summer 2005 as well!!

Summer Extravaganza

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Enter Grades 4-6
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/19
Times: 9:00-4:00
Cost: \$140/member \$160/nonmember

Take your pick from the list of exciting summer activities! Mad Science, Sports Fun, Creepy Crawlers, Jewelry Studio, Under the Big Top, Scrapbooking and Stamping, Wonder Years, and Masterpeice Murals! Each session includes specialized instruction, swimming and field trips. Campers meet at the YMCA each morning before departing for daily trips and activities. Each camper provide his/her own lunch, snack and water. Camp hours are 9:00-4:00. Extended Care Provided 7:30-6:00.

Summer Guitar Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Age 8-17
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/18-7/22 & 7/25-7/29
Times: 9:30am - 1:30pm
Cost: \$195/week or \$350 for both weeks

All new for 2005! Acoustic Guitar Camp is held the first week, directed by Laura Kemp, and is designed to meet the needs of students at all levels and skills including beginning through intermediate.

Classes cover everything from the basics of tuning, strumming, and chords to more advanced techniques of finger picking, flat picking, and slide.

Electric Guitar Camp will be held the following week, directed by Tim McLaughlin, and will expose participants to electric guitar and other electric instruments in a broad range of styles including rock, jazz, ska and reggae.

Many students will elect to participate in both weeks, others will prefer one or the other. Either way is fine.

Summer Horse Camps

Agency: [Longacres Farm](#)
Contact: Marian/Greg
Mailing Address: 31365 Fox Hollow Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 31365 Fox Hollow Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-344-7320
Fax: 541-344-4306
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-14
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: All camps 1 week long. Call for camp schedule.
Times: 8:30am - 3:00pm

Cost: \$298 Beginner to Intermediate; \$90.00 non-refundable deposit per camp to reserve space.

Come join us for a week of fun! Camps will provide students with hands-on experience, including basic horse care and safety, daily riding lessons and horse-related activities, arts, crafts, games, and lots of fun educational activities. Customized daily horse activities and riding instruction for children, youths and adults.

Visit our web site http://www.longacresfarm.com/Doc/summer_camp_2005.htm where you can learn more and register.

Summer In the City

Agency: [Downtown Athletic Club](#)
Contact: Alyssa Cherbas
Mailing Address: 999 Willamette St., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 999 Willamette St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-4011
Fax: 541-484-2736
Ages/Grades: Grades K-6
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: 8:00am - 4:00pm, extended care available
Cost: Call for Information

SUMMER IN THE CITY KIDS CLUB CAMP

The "Summer in the City" Kids Club Camp is held at the Downtown Athletic Club, located in the heart of Downtown Eugene on the corner of Tenth and Willamette. The DAC's youth programs staff leads campers each week in daily swimming, park excursions, projects, games, theme-related activities, library visits, show and tell, Fun n' Fitness, field trips, and snacks.

WEEK 1: Tee Off into Summer (June 20-24)

*Fieldtrip: Camp Putt *FEE: \$5.00

WEEK 2: Outdoor Adventures (June 27-July 1st)

*Fieldtrip: Explore Mt. Pisgah *FEE:\$5.00

WEEK 3: NO CAMP (July 4-8)

WEEK 4: Movie Mania (July 11-15)

*Fieldtrip:We're Going to the Movies (Cinemark 17)! *FEE: \$5.00

WEEK 5: Summer Splash (July 18-22)

*Fieldtrip: Dive into Splash! *FEE:\$5.00

WEEK 6: Art-a-poolooza (July 25-29)

*A chance to create with local artists! *FEE:TBA

WEEK 7: Lights, Camera, Action (August1-5)

*Fieldtrip:Mad Duckling Theater FEE: \$5.00

WEEK 8: Roaring Rapids (August 8-12)

*Paddle a Kayak! *FEE:\$10.00

WEEK 9: Kid's on Strike! (August 15-19)

*Fieldtrip: Emerald Lanes *FEE:\$5.00

WEEK 10: Sunshine Melodies (August 22-26)

--We'll Make Some Music! FEE: None

WEEK 11: Wave Goodbye to Summer! (August 29- September 2)

*Fieldtrip:Amazon pool *FEE: \$5.00

*Indicates additional field trip fees.

Summer Jazz Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)

Contact: Laura Doles

Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR

Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR

Phone: 541-687-6526

Fax: 541-687-1589

Ages/Grades: Ages 12-18

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 6/20 - 6/24

Times: 9:00am-3:00pm

Cost: \$225/week

Designed to provide a week of intensive jazz training for young jazz students to expand and improve their knowledge, ability, and experience on their instruments and jazz music

in general. The students will gain experience in big band and small group settings, in addition to sectional, instrument, and stylistic instruction.

Skill Level: Ability to read music at a basic level on your instrument

Summer Junior Tennis Camps

Agency: [Eugene Swim and Tennis Club](#)
Contact: Don Patrick
Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Ave., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2766 Crescent Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-4414
Fax: 541-344-6764
Ages/Grades: See Description
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: \$38-\$68

E.S.T.C. offers Junior Tennis Camps beginning June 14th and ending August 5th. Camps are all one week sessions.

Ages 4-6 - Little Tennis
12:00pm - 12:30pm

Ages 7-10 - Getting Started
10:30am - 12:00pm

Ages 10-14 - Rookies
10:30am - 12:00pm

Ages 13-17 - Middle/High School
3:00pm - 4:30pm

Tennis Team (Monday and Wednesday)
12:00pm - 1:00pm

Summer Musical Theater Camp

Agency: [Arts Umbrella](#)
Contact: Richard M. Long, Program Director

Mailing Address: PO Box 5666, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Lane Community College, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0473
Fax: 541-342-2955
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 7-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 18-29 + overnight on 7/27
Times: 9 am to 3 pm
Cost: \$300, less \$15 if received before May 1

Join us for the area's oldest and most respected camp where all teachers are working professionals! All students sing and dance.

Summer Play Adventure

Agency: [City of Eugene](#)
Contact: Raquel Wells
Mailing Address: 870 Berntzen Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 870 Berntzen Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5521
Fax: 541-682-8192
Ages/Grades: Ages 3-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/27- 7/26 Session 8/8 will be an afternoon session
Times: 9:00am - 12:00pm Session 8/8 starts at 12:30p
Cost: \$67 - \$57 per session

Educational fun for pre-school aged children. Sign up for one session or all four. Play games, explore themes, sing songs, make crafts, have FUN! (There are four two-week sessions.)

Summer Playground Program

Agency: [Willamalane Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: 765 A Street, Springfield OR
Camp Address: Various parks and playgrounds throughout Springfield, Springfield OR

Phone: 541-736-4544
Fax: 541-736-4529
Ages/Grades: Ages 3-Entering 5th grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: Free

This summer, your child can have fun with other kids right in your own neighborhood park where trained program leaders will be leading supervised, wholesome, quality recreation activities. Kids will learn social and physical skills through recreation activities. But it's more than fun and games. The programs promote good citizenship among children, and the fun activities keep kids active and entertained.

2005 Playground Sponsor: TBA

PeeWee Playground

For Ages 3-Entering Kindergarten
M-Th . . . 6/27-8/18 . . . Program #3810 . . . Free
Registration begins May 23.

Activities at PeeWee Playground sites are designed specifically for young children and include singing, storytime, crafts, active games, and more! All children must be toilet trained or must attend with a parent or other caregiver. There is no fee to register! No program on Fridays. Playground sites TBA.

Summer Playground

For Kids Entering Grades 1-5
M-Th . . . 6/27-8/18 . . . Free
Registration begins May 23.

Spend the day outside enjoying arts and crafts, sports, games, special events, and more! There is no fee to register! No program on Fridays. Playground sites TBA.

Summer Science Adventures

Agency: [The Science Factory Children's Museum & Planetarium](#)
Contact: Tracey Edmundson, Director of Education
Mailing Address: PO Box 1518, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2300 Leo Harris Parkway, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-7888

Fax: 541-484-9027
Ages/Grades: Ages 5-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 5 - September 2
Times: 9am - 12pm, Lunch 12-1, 1pm-4pm
Cost: See Description

Cost:

Members: \$80 (grades 1-5), \$85 (grades 6-8)
Non-Members: \$100 (grades 1-5), \$105 (grades 6-8)

The Science Factory's Summer Science Adventure Camp offer children the chance to develop hands-on learning, problem solving and discovery in a stimulating and fun environment. Our location in Alton Baker Park provide a living laboratory for exploration and the chance to combine activities both inside and out.

Each camp is structured to provide a general overview of a particular topic, with hands-on learning and instruction as the basis for our content. Many of the camps make excursions around the city in our new Science Factory Van. Sample camps include: Brainstorming Challenge, Science Factory Survivor, Kitchen Chemistry, Comic & Cartoon Capers & more!

A complete description of all camps and classes can be obtained on the web.

Summer Session

Agency: [Far Horizons Montessori School](#)
Contact: Kerry Knust, Director
Mailing Address: 2490 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2490 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-485-0521
Fax: 541-343-4103
Ages/Grades: Ages 3-11
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: Call for Information

Come spend the summer at Far Horizons! Summer school dates are June 22 through July

29, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Any child currently enrolled in the school is eligible to attend, as well as children through age 11 who have attended Far Horizons in the past. We will accept new children, ages 3 through 10. We will have 2 classrooms, Primary (ages 3 through 6), Elementary (Ages 6-11). As usual, the summer session will be less academic in emphasis, however the Montessori materials will remain in the classroom and the children will be able to work sequentially through the curriculum. We plan to have a water table, woodworking area, daily art and crafts projects, frequent food preparation, gymnastics, and PE activities, science lessons, gardening, dancing, music and art appreciation, guest visitors, computer use, field trips, and picnics in our nearby park.

Summer Session

Agency: [Unity School, Inc.](#)
Contact: Carol Barton
Mailing Address: 580 N Garden Way, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 580 N Garden Way, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-484-0107
Fax: 541-484-6944
Ages/Grades: Ages 2-11
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Call For Information
Times: 7:00am - 6:00pm
Cost: Call For Information

Homey, farmhouse setting with large, shady play yard and organic garden. Staff ratios better than state standards with well trained, caring teachers. Program is a balance of structure and choice in each day. Materials and activities are planned to gently challenge each child: gardening, animal care, conflict resolution skill building, arts/crafts, computer skills, field trips.

Summer Sessions

Agency: [Educational Environments School](#)
Contact: Pamela Duvall & Leah Foy
Mailing Address: 5310 Fox Hollow Road, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 5310 Fox Hollow Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-345-1216
Fax: 541-484-5958
Ages/Grades: 3 months to 11 years - K-5th Grade

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 6/20-8/26. Call for weekly schedules and costs.

Times: 7:00am-6:00pm

Cost: Varies for half-day, full day, extended day. Call for details.

Activities include swim lessons and field trips. Weekly themes focus on science and math, computers, woodworking, theater, music, dance, arts & crafts. A fun environment. Noon pickup at UO Sports Camp. Flexible weekly enrollment.

Summer Skate Camp

Agency: [The Ice Center](#)

Contact: Cindy Jensen

Mailing Address: 796 West 13th Street, Eugene OR

Camp Address: Lane Events Center - ICE, 796 West 13th Eugene OR

Phone: 541-682-3615

Fax: 541-682-7368

Ages/Grades: Ages 5-16

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: 7/18 - 7/22 and 8/1-1/5

Times: 10:00am - 2:00pm

Cost: \$175per week

Three on-ice training hours per day to include dance, edges, moves in the field, spins and jumps, style and movement. One off-ice hour to include conditioning and ballet. Session #1 - Alpha through Freestyle 5. Session #2 - Alpha through Freestyle 5.

Summer SongFest

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)

Contact: Laura Doles

Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR

Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR

Phone: 541-687-6526

Fax: 541-687-1589

Ages/Grades: Ages 7-12

Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED

Dates: June 20-24; June 27-July 1, July 4-8, July 11-15

Times: 9:30am - 3:00pm
Cost: 1 wk-\$175; 2 wks-\$330, 3 wks-\$480; 4 wks-\$595

A series of four one-week theme oriented music enrichment camps designed to bring children into the world of American sounds through music, dance, visual arts & folktales. Including instruction on several different musical instruments such as ukulele, harmonica, penny whistle, spoons, jaw harp and rhythm instruments.

Each week of SongFest has a different musical theme:

Session 1: June 20-24 Songs of the Trail

Session 2: June 27-July 1 Streams to the River

Session 3: July 4-8 Hard Traveling

Session 4: July 11-15 Oregon Songs

Summer Youth Works Outdoor Explorations Program

Agency: [Northwest Youth Corps](#)
Contact: Chelsea Levesque
Mailing Address: 2621 Augusta Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2621 Augusta Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-349-5055
Fax: 541-349-5060
Ages/Grades: Ages 11-15
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Session I: 6/20-7/8; Session II: 7/18-8/5 and Session III: 8/15-9/2
Times: 8:40 AM - 3:40 PM
Cost: \$395

The Northwest Youth Corps Youth Works Outdoor Explorations program is actively recruiting students between the ages of 11-15 years old to participate in our summer outdoor explorations program. Three programs lasting three weeks each will be conducted over the summer. Students enrolled in the program will spend part of their time on community service projects such as trail maintenance, and part of their time exploring the Oregon great outdoors on a river rafting or hiking trip. A grand finale two-night/three-day camping trip is planned for the end of each session. For their hard work and efforts, students will receive a small monetary stipend. Tuition fees also apply.

Super Summer Gymnastics Camp 2005

Agency: [River Road Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Kennedy Fung
Mailing Address: 1400 Lake Drive, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 30043 Leghorn Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-688-8955
Fax: 541-688-3175
Ages/Grades: 6-12 years, 1st-6th Grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 20-24, July 18-22, August 8-12, 2005
Times: 9:00am - 3:00pm
Cost: \$100 per week

Open to beginners and intermediates, these camps promise a full range of exposure to fun gymnastics. Participants are grouped according to skill level. Elements will be taught on all gymnastics apparatus supervised by coaching staff. Wear loose-fitting comfortable clothes. Fee includes Gymnastics Northwest T-shirt.

Super Summer Program

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG Program](#)
Contact: Jody Barlow
Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1859 E. 15th, Eugene, OR
Phone: 541-346-1400
Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: Grades K - 5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Co-ed
Dates: 6/21 - 7/15
Times: See Description
Cost: Call for Information

This four-week enrichment program is designed for highly motivated children in grades K - 5 who love to learn. Courses are offered in science enrichment, computers, visual and performing arts, cultures, creative problem solving, language arts enrichment and mathematics enrichment during three class sessions.

2004 A Session 9:00am - 10:20am

2004 B Session 10:40am - Noon

2004 C Session 12:40pm - 2:00pm

Classes are offered Monday through Thursday. Students may choose one to three classes (morning recess and lunch break included). Structured activities are provided at extra cost before and after Super Summer classes at Club Summit with field trips on Fridays.

Program Cost:

1. Regular Program - \$154 per class; \$449 full program, \$25 application fee for new participants.

* The \$25 application fee must be received with your application. (This fee will be refunded to children who are not found eligible for the program at this time).

* Returning Super Summer or Super Saturday participants do not need to pay the \$25 application fee.

2. Club Summit, AM & PM Extended care for Super Summer is \$269 Monday - Thursday, 7:30 - 9:00am & 2:00 - 6:00pm.

3. AM Extended care - \$81 (\$5 for single day passes), Monday - Thursday 7:30 - 9:00 am.

4. PM Extended care - \$199 (\$15 for single day passes), Monday - Thursday, 2:00 - 6:00pm.

5. Friday Field Trips - \$140 for all three weeks (\$40 for a single day field trip). (6/25) (7/2) (7/9) (7/16).

Suttle Lake Adventure Camp for Senior High

Agency:	United Methodist Camp and Retreat Ministry
Contact:	Jane Petke
Mailing Address:	29551 Suttle Lake Rd., Sisters OR
Phone:	541-595-6663
Fax:	541-595-2818
Ages/Grades:	Ages 15-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys:	CO-ED
Dates:	August 7-12 (Sun-Fri)
Times:	See website: www.gocamping.org
Cost:	\$285

Enjoy backpacking in the beautiful Jefferson Wilderness, rock climbing, and white water rafting on the McKenzie River. Work together with other campers to prepare meals, navigate routes, set-up camp, care for the environment, and create campfire programs. Plus learn wilderness first-aid skills. Campers must be able to hike up to seven miles per day over easy to moderate terrain while carrying a 40 lb backpack. Suttle Lake camp is an American Camp Association Accredited Camp.

Suttle Lake United Methodist Camp

Agency: [United Methodist Camp and Retreat Ministry](#)
Contact: Jane Petke
Mailing Address: 29551 Suttle Lake Rd., Sisters OR
Phone: 541-595-6663
Fax: 541-595-2818
Ages/Grades: Youth camps (Grades 1-12) plus family & adult events
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Summer camps for children & youth. Year round retreats
Times: Check website : www.gocamping.org
Cost: Range \$160-\$290 for weekly events

Suttle Lake Camp is located 14 miles west of Sisters. Rich in plant and wildlife communities, Suttle Lake is a natural place to explore God's creation and experience Christ's love in a caring community. Enjoy waterfront activities such as swimming, canoeing or kayaking as well as hiking amongst the tall trees, laughing with new and old friends, and ending the evening at a traditional campfire. Suttle Lake camp is American Camp Association Accredited which is a stamp of excellence. Suttle Lake Camp is an equal opportunity recreation provider under special use permit with the Sisters Ranger District of the Deschutes National Forest.

Teen Challenge Camp

Agency: [Willamalane Park & Recreation District](#)
Contact: Matt Shelby
Mailing Address: 765 A Street, Springfield OR
Camp Address: Willamalane Park Swim Center
Annex,
Phone: 541-736-4544
Fax: 541-736-4529
Ages/Grades: Entering grades 7-9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/16-8/22
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$25 registration fee plus \$100 per week

Campers will learn team-building skills by participating and leading a variety of activities. The Teen Challenge camp offers ten weeks of outdoor recreation ranging from hiking, biking, ropes courses, swimming and rock climbing. 25% discount for additional child. Add 20% if out of district.

Teen Fitness

Agency: [Eugene Swim & Tennis Club](#)
Contact: Amy Freeman
Mailing Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2766 Crescent Avenue, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-4414
Fax: 541-344-6764
Ages/Grades: Ages 12 to 15
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 13-22, July 18-27, August 8-17
Times: Mon & Wed 10:30-11:30AM
Cost: \$40 T-Shirt Included

This class is designed to teach teens the basics of fitness to develop safe and effective exercise habits. Students will learn general muscle anatomy, exercise terminology, exercise recommendations and protocol, as well as use of aerobic equipment, resistance machines, and free weights. Upon completion of both a written and practical exam, students will receive a T-Shirt and Teen Fitness certificate.

Teens-N-Trail

Agency: [Northwest Youth Corps](#)
Contact: Youth Services Team
Mailing Address: 2621 Augusta Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Various locations in Oregon,
Phone: 541-349-5058
Fax: 541-349-5060
Ages/Grades: Ages 14-15
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Call For Information or look online at www.nwyouthcorps.org
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$595. Limited financial aid available

Ready for a challenge? Want to join a hard working team ready and willing to pound out some impressive work and make a difference? Are you ready to prove that you are resourceful and part of a powerful generation committed to doing a hard job well?

Teens-N-Trails (T-n-T) is a program about pride, friendship, discovery, fun, and hard work. With T-n-T you will spend four weeks with nine other 14 and 15 year olds camping-out and helping complete important recreation and conservation projects.

T-n-T'ers work hard, play hard, and occasionally even study hard! Wake-up is often at first light and crews are at work by 7:00 AM. For six solid hours the success of your crew depends on teamwork, cooperation, leadership and problem solving to get a new hiking trail built, a fence laid out, logs bucked or brush piled.

The first wave of afternoon heat usually means the work day is over and it's time to spend an hour or so examining issues related to the day's project. Perhaps you will circle-up near a creek to discuss fisheries management, or examine wildlife habitat in an old growth forest.

Back in camp, dinner again requires teamwork, individual responsibility and cooperation. There is no camp cook and you will work with staff to prepare dinner, make lunch for the next day, fill the water jugs and wash the dishes.

You will live and work with your crew 24 hours a day, seven days a week. In a month of working, traveling, and living together, you and your crew will feel like a family. With Teens-n-Trails, you will discover new muscles and earn a new level of confidence and self-respect

Tennis

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-15
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: call for dates...
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$145/member \$165/non-member

Lessons for Beginners, Intermediates, Advanced Intermediates, Advanced Tournament.
Each class has a student limit.
Camp runs Mon-Thur, 9:45-12:15.

Future Stars (Beginning) Session 1 June 20-30, Session 2 Aug 1-11

JR. Excellence (Intermediates) Ses. 1 July 5-14, Ses. 2 Aug 15-25

JR. Champs (Adv. Intermediates) Ses. 1 July 18-28

Tournament Champs (Advanced Trny) Ses 1 July 18-28

The 57th Annual Concert Band Camp

Agency: [UO School of Music](#)
Contact: Sarah Turley
Mailing Address: 1225 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 961 E 18th Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2138
Fax: 541-346-6188
Ages/Grades: Grades 8-12 (graduating Seniors welcome!)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 7/10-7/16
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$400 Tuition, room, all meals; \$240 Tuition only for commuters

The 58th annual UO Summer Concert Band Camp provides an excellent opportunity for outstanding wind and percussion players to enjoy an entire week of music making and music learning. The camp is under the direction of Mr. Todd Zimbelman, Associate Director of Bands. Students will participate in a number of elective classes (music theory, literature, jazz improvisation, etc.), attend master class instructional sessions by the region's finest artists/educators, large ensemble workshops, chamber ensemble sessions, evening recitals and performances, audition for an All-Star Jazz Ensemble, and participate in various recreational activities.

Application deadline: June 30, 2005, or until full.

The Jazz Academy

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-684-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Ages 13-19
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 31 - August 13

Times: 9:00am-3:00pm, plus evening events
Cost: \$350

This two week performance orientated summer jazz institute offers an extraordinary opportunity for students to study and perform instrumental and vocal jazz with internationally renowned guest artists in conjunction with Oregon Festival of American Music, one of the premier summer music festivals in the country, encompassing many styles from swing and the blues to musical theater and standards.

Skill Level: Intermediate to advanced performing arts competence is recommended.

Joe Ingram, camp director

The Song & Dance Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Ages 13-19
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: July 31 - August 13
Times: 8:30am-4:30pm, plus evening events
Cost: \$350

A two-week intensive music/theater arts experience for teens who crave the "smell" of the greasepaint and the roar of the crowd. Daily classes in vocal technique and repertoire, tap, ballroom dance, basic acting techniques will be enhanced by up close and personal encounters with Oregon Festival of American Music guest artists.

Skill Level: Serious interest in singing, dancing, and stage craft. Nancy Anderson, camp director.

THEATRE CAMP: The Ultimate Summer Theatre Experience

Agency: [Impact! Arts](#)
Contact: Katina Paxino
Mailing Address: 2520 Harris St., Eugene OR

Camp Address: Same,
Phone: 541-431-1177
Ages/Grades: Grades 4-12 (see below)
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: Register prior to May 15: \$275. After May 15: \$300. Membership Discounts: \$25.

The Ultimate Summer Theatre Experience!

A performance-based day camp with Roosevelt Middle School teacher and professional actor, Richard Leebrick

A full-time day camp, Theatre Camp combines the challenges of learning the craft with the rewards of actual performance. Spend the mornings gaining the techniques of how to be an actor through Theatre Games, Improvisation, Monologues and Scene Work. Afternoons are dedicated to rehearsing an actual play to be performed at the end of the session.

Monday - Thursday 9:30am - 4:30pm
Valley Baptist Church (2520 Harris St. Eugene)

Session 1: June 20 - July 2*, Grades 8-12

ROMEO & JULIET

by William Shakespeare

A unique spin on this classic tale of romance, intrigue and family feuds. The perfect camp for the committed young actor. Includes special performance at Art & the Vineyard.

Session 2: July 11 - 23*, Grades 4-8

RADIO DAZE

Revue sketches, serials, soap operas, commercials, and action/adventure tales from the Golden Age of Radio come to life right before your very eyes.

Session 3: July 25 - August 6*, Grades 7 and up

COMEDY JAM

Our most popular camp! Write, produce and perform your own comedy material. Study and create different comedic styles from Stand-Up to Satire and Parody. Enroll now! This camp fills up fast.

Session 4: August 8 - 20, Grades 7 & Up

MONTY PYTHON CAMP - Perform actual Monty Python sketches, improv and more.

*Performances run Thursday through Saturday of the second week only.
Campers are expected to commit to the entire run.

Timberlake

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Camp Whispering Winds near Philomath
OR,
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grade 4-6
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 8/21-8/27
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$300/member \$320/non-member

Campers will remember Timberlake forever! Each day is full of boating, arts and crafts, hiking, drama and swimming, with covered wagons and cabins to sleep in, and new adventures each day. Timberlake is more than a resident camp. It is a chance for each camper to learn about his/herself through goal setting and the exciting challenges they will encounter. Transportation provided.

Titan's Boys and Girls Basketball Camp

Agency: Lane Community College Men's Basketball
Contact:
Ages/Grades: Call for details
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: Call for details
Dates: Call for details
Times: Call for details
Cost: Call for details

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Titan's Boys and Girls Basketball Camp

Agency: [Lane Community College Men's Basketball](#)
Contact: Sharon Foster
Mailing Address: 4000 30th Ave, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 4000 30th Ave, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-463-5599
Fax: 541-463-3979
Ages/Grades: 2nd - 9th
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: August 8-11
Times: 1:30 - 5:00 pm
Cost: \$85 preregister / \$100 at the door

Come play, practice, and learn about basketball from the Lane Community College Men's Basketball Coaching Staff and players. You will have fun and improve your game. Campers will receive a T-Shirt, Report Card, and Awards.

Titans Basketball Camp

Agency: [Lane Community College](#)
Contact: Greg Sheley
Mailing Address: 4000 E. 30th Avenue, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Lane Community College Gym, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-463-3164
Fax: 541-463-3979
Ages/Grades: Grades 6-9
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: GIRLS
Dates: 7/11-7/14
Times: 1:00 - 4:00 pm
Cost: \$60

Instruction in individual and team play. Daily contests and games. Basic fundamentals on passing, dribbling, shooting, rebounding and defensive play.

Tripple Rise Horse Camp

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR

Camp Address: 85687 Pine Grove Road, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Ages 6-13
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description below
Times: Call for information
Cost: \$235/member \$255/non-member

This challenging camp experience takes place at Triple Rise Equestrian Center. Each day is filled with a total horse experience, include 1-2 hours of riding time, horse care, stalls, feeding, equipment, tack, and much more. Each child learns about ownership and caring for his/her horse for the week. Each session concludes with a horse show where the campers demonstrate what they have learned. Parents are responsible for transportation to and from camp.

Beginner Sessions: June 27-July 1, July 11-July 15, July 25-July 29
Beg/Intermediate: August 15-August 19

True Colors

Agency: [Wings Seminars](#)
Contact: Sherrie Potts
Mailing Address: 136 W 8th Ave., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-683-8540
Fax: 541-683-6904
Ages/Grades: Ages 13-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/19-6/24 and 7/31-8/5
Times: Sunday 5:00pm - Friday 6:00pm
Cost: \$725/includes food and housing

TRUE COLORS was named by the teens themselves, because the seminar freed them to discover who they really were, to show their "true colors." In this 5 1/2-day residential program, Teens 13 to 18 discover inner resources they never knew they had, and learn to apply these resources to making choices now, even in the face of peer pressure, that create the future they truly want. Facilitators and staff hold each teen to be lovable, capable, and whole, fully equipped to achieve the high standards and expectations of the TRUE COLORS seminar.

Teens have a blast while making friends more quickly and easily than they would have believed possible. They learn:

- ...to set goals for themselves and to solve problems together
- ...the power of integrity and accountability
- ...the fun of spontaneity and openness
- ...the rewards of clear communication
- ...how to make healthy choices
- ...how to talk so adults listen
- ...how parents think, and why they do what they do.

In TRUE COLORS teens take giant steps on the path toward adulthood.

Teens are consistently impressed with how much their parents have learned, grown, and 'humanized' during their time away, and the feeling tends to be mutual! Teens are excited to be actively engaged in their lives, putting their new skills to work, deepening friendships, achieving goals, becoming responsible leaders of their lives.

Of the things a parent can leave to a daughter or son, perhaps the most valuable is the confidence of "knowing who I am, what I value, and how to live my life accordingly." This is what TRUE COLORS offers to teens.

True Colors begins at 4:00 pm Sunday and continues until 6:00 Friday evening. Filled with activities including challenging games, interactive processes, and thought provoking lessons and stories, True Colors is a unique opportunity for Teens to acquire life skills that last a life time! There are times for listening and thinking, and times for high energy play.

TRUE COLORS is held at Lost Valley Educational Center, an intentional community and conference center southeast of Eugene. Dorms are rustic, and the meals are healthy, delicious and vegetarian. Adult 'dorm moms' and 'dorm dads' stay in the dorms with the Teens. Tuition includes all activities, materials, instruction, meals and lodging.

Tween Camp at South Coast

- Agency:** [Camp Fire USA Wilani Council](#)
- Contact:**
- Mailing Address:** 3575 Donald Street, Suite 230, Eugene OR
- Phone:** 541-342-6338
- Fax:** 541-342-6330
- Ages/Grades:** Grades 7-9
- Co-ed/Girls/Boys:** CO-ED

Dates: August 14-20
Times: Sunday -Saturday
Cost: \$375

Spend a week on the South Coast hiking, canoeing, biking, tide pooling and more. Pitch a tent under the stars cook s'mores with your new friends at the beach bonfire. Canoe the South Slough National Estuarine Reserve, hike the headlands. Come face to face with a sea anemone. Bike the coast range trails. Sand-board the towering dunes. Transportation from Eugene to the coast and back on Saturday. Space is limited, register early. Call for more details. Additional paperwork is required to participate in this session.

United States Basketball Academy

Agency: [United States Basketball Academy](#)
Contact: Paul Brothers
Mailing Address: 1623 21st Street Suite B, Springfield OR
Camp Address: 54705 McKenzie Highway, Blue River OR
Phone: 800-844-4947
Fax: 541-736-7514
Ages/Grades: Ages 11-18
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: Call for schedule
Cost: From \$185 to \$350. Call for specific prices.

June 19th - 23rd Girls 3A & 4A Varsity Team Camp - \$235.00 per player
 June 26th - 30th Boys 3A & 4A Varsity Team Camp - \$235.00 per player

High School Team Camp is \$235.00 per player. Teams must have a minimum of 10 players and a maximum of 12 players. Head coach is free, assistants \$100.00 each. Camp includes a raft trip down the McKenzie River, facilitated ropes course, games and clinics.

July 5th - 8th Girls 3A & 4A JV Team Camp

High School Girls Team Camp is \$185.00 per player. Teams must have a minimum of 10 players and a maximum of 12 players. Head coach is free, assistants \$75.00 each. Camp includes a raft trip down the McKenzie River, facilitated ropes course, games and clinics.

July 10th - 14th Girls 1A & 2A Varsity Team Camp
 July 17th - 21st Boys 1-A & 2-A Varsity Team Camp

High School Team Camp is \$235.00 per player. Teams must have a minimum of 10 players and a maximum of 12 players. Head coach is free, assistants \$100.00 each. Camp includes a raft trip down the McKenzie River, facilitated ropes course, games and clinics.

July 24th - 28th Boys Position/Shooting Camp - \$350.00 per player (ages 11-18)

July 31st - August 4th Girls Position/Shooting Camp - \$350.00 per player (ages 11-18)

Want to reach the next level? Learn extensive ball handling drills, breakdown and refine proper shooting technique, practice correct offensive and defensive footwork, and learn new offensive moves pertinent to the position you play. All this provided by an expert staff of college and high-school coaches in a fun and competitive environment. Groups conclude each day with 5 on 5 team games.

UO Boy's Basketball Camp

Agency: [UO Department of Athletics](#)
Contact: Staff
Mailing Address: McArthur Court, UO Campus, Eugene OR
Camp Address: McArthur Court, UO Campus, Eugene OR
Phone: 800-249-7209
Ages/Grades: Ages 8-17
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: BOYS
Dates: Session I: 6/20-6/24 Session II: 7/18-7/22
Times: Day Camp Only
Cost: \$240

"We teach more than just basketball. We help kids develop a winning attitude, learn good work habits, understand the importance of academics, and more importantly, learn the benefits of always doing their best."

Camps Include:

- *Camp T-shirt
- *Camp Basketball
- *Camp Photo
- *Instruction by the University of Oregon Men's Basketball Coaching Staff
- *Individual and team play at MAC COURT - Home of the Ducks!
- *Early and late supervision for working parents

Other Important Information:

- *Each camper must be insured by his parents or guardians to attend
 - *A certified trainer will be present and injuries will receive prompt medical attention.
- Please be sure to alert us to any medical conditions in the space provided on the

application form.

*Each camper will need to bring a sack lunch, gym shoes, socks, shorts and a t-shirt each day.

UO Sports O Rama

Agency: [UO: PARS Youth Sports](#)
Contact: Flo De Laney
Mailing Address: 1273 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 1273 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-2777
Fax: 541-346-3583
Ages/Grades: pre-K through completed 7th grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: One week sessions: June 27 through August 8
Times: 9:00am - noon
Cost: \$85/week; discount for multiple weeks

Sports O Rama will feature seven, one-week camps for families' flexibility. Swim lessons & free time for all age groups. Novices (pre-K to 1st) have gymnastics and games such as tag, mini-soccer, scoop-ball. Intermediates (2nd-7th) have variety: a little tennis, basketball, soccer, floor hockey, kickball, track, etc. Instruction and play time offered. Experienced sports specialists and highly qualified group leaders. Participants are grouped by grade for safety and fun.

UO Summer Enrichment Program

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG Program](#)
Contact: Cheryl Hunter, SEP Coordinator
Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-1405
Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: Students enrolled in grades 6-10 during the 2003/04 school year
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Session One: 6/26-7/9 Session Two: 7/10-7/23
Times: Call for details
Cost: \$1065 program tuition, \$25 non-refundable application fee.

Now in our 26th year, the University of Oregon Summer Enrichment Program (SEP) offers stimulating academic experiences and spirited social activities in a campus-based residential program for gifted and highly able students currently in grades 6-10. Challenge yourself and pursue your curiosity in a wide range of academic and arts-related classes. Join us for creative social and recreational activities that provide additional opportunities to make friends and spend time with other exceptional youth. Students live in University dorms in groups divided by age and gender with a counselor and junior counselor residing with each group. A staff:student ratio of approximately 1:10 creates a tight-knit community where a wide range of ages feels comfortable and safe.

Join us for two weeks full of learning, laughter, challenges and fun in a safe and supportive community where intelligence and creativity are truly valued! Thousands of students from the United States and overseas have returned year after year to share this unique experience, creating memories and friendships that last a lifetime.

For more information or to request a brochure, go to www.uoyouth.org or call (541) 346-1405.

UO Summer Games Camp

Agency: [UO Youth Enrichment/TAG Program](#)
Contact: Rita Svanks
Mailing Address: 5259 University of Oregon, Eugene OR
Camp Address: Vivian Olum Child Development Center, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-346-3084
Fax: 541-346-3594
Ages/Grades: Completed Kindergarten - 5th Grade
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: 9am-Noon, Noon-4pm or 9am-4pm
Cost: See website or call 346-3084

Hey! Do you love to play? Do you love challenges? Then you're invited to the UO Summer Games Camp! Games Camp is for long, sunny summer days. Games Camp is for relaxing with friends. Games Camp is for hanging out in a cozy corner of the UO campus. But, especially, Games Camp is for kids who LOVE to play games!

Session I: 8/15-19

Session II: 8/22-26

Students may attend one or two weeks.

Cost: See website or call

Upward Bound Camp for Persons with Special Needs

Agency: [Upward Bound, Inc.](#)
Contact: Jerry and Laura Pierce
Mailing Address: PO Box C, Stayton OR
Camp Address: PO BOX C, Stayton OR
Phone: 503-897-2447
Fax: 503-897-4116
Ages/Grades: Teen through geriatric
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: Summer, June 23 through September 10. Spring, Fall, Winter weekends and holidays.
Times: Year Round, Residential and Day Camp
Cost: \$245-\$425 per camp session, \$85 per day respite care

Forest, river Christian outdoor camping experience for persons with a primary label of developmental disabilities, ages 12 and older. UBC Residential camps begin in June and run through mid-September. Respite care is available year round. Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter camps for persons without a family. Personal day camps for campers that must bring own care provider due to special circumstances. Campers are guided through choice of activities: fishing, swimming, hiking, nature study, music, drama, archery and more. Trained and certified staff at 3-1 ratio. Three spring camps are offered from March through May. Site Rental available.

Vaudeville Camp

Agency: [OFAM's American Music Institute](#)
Contact: Laura Doles
Mailing Address: PO Box 1497, Eugene OR
Camp Address: The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts 868 High St., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-687-6526
Fax: 541-687-1589
Ages/Grades: Ages 7-12
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: August 1-13
Times: 9:00am - 3:00pm
Cost: \$310

From the Roaring Twenties and beyond, this fun and exciting Vaudeville Camp focuses on adapting small performance pieces such as song and dance numbers, juggling, magic, skits, and mime which are typical of the Vaudeville era. Vaudeville Camp is designed to embrace a broad range of musical skills and styles to give kids the building blocks for the performing arts. From singing and acting to dancing and stage presence, we'll learn them all from the pros! Denise Steele, director. Skill Level: All levels who want to have fun learning singing, dancing, and stage craft.

VIDEO CAMP: The Ultimate Summer Video Experience

Agency: [Impact! Arts](#)
Contact: Randy Lord
Mailing Address: 2520 Harris St., Eugene OR
Camp Address: Community Television of Lane County, Sheldon High School
Phone: 541-431-1177
Ages/Grades: Grades 6-8 and Grades 9 and up
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: See Description
Times: See Description
Cost: Register prior to May 15: \$275. After May 15th: \$300. Members receive \$25 discounts.

The Ultimate Summer Video Experience

A performance-based video production day camp with professional producer, director and actor, Randy Lord

In conjunction with Community Television of Lane County (CTV), VIDEO CAMP is a full-time day camp that offers great experience both in front of and behind the camera. Spend the mornings in the studio, gaining the techniques of Acting for the Camera (Solo and Scene Work), Storyboarding and Character Building. Afternoons are dedicated to Rehearsing, Filming and Editing an original teleplay to be broadcast over the airwaves. All campers receive a one-year membership to CTV and a copy of the finished show to take home.

Camp size is limited to 10 students. Early enrollment is recommended. Previous video experience is not required. Candidates should be creative, highly motivated team players. Don't miss this exciting and educational experience. Interview with instructor required prior to registration.

Mondays - Thursday 10:30am - 4:30pm
CTV Studios (behind Sheldon High School)

Session 1: June 20 - June 30
Grades 6 through 8

Session 2: July 11- 21
Grades 9 and up

Water Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene's Adaptive Recreation](#)
Contact: Molly Elliott, CTRS
Mailing Address: 2580 Hilyard St., Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2580 Hilyard Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-6307
Fax: 541-682-5460
Ages/Grades: Ages 16 & up
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: August 15-17, 2005
Times: 8a - 5:30p
Cost: \$200.

Spend three full days participating in a variety of water sports. Activities include white-water rafting, motor boat rides, water skiing, canoeing, kayaking, swimming, and much more. Designed for teens and adults with developmental disabilities.

Wayne Morse Ranch Day Camp

Agency: [City of Eugene, Youth and Family Recreation](#)
Contact: Gina Tafoya
Mailing Address: 2700 Hilyard, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 595 Crest Dr., Eugene OR
Phone: 541-682-5373
Fax: 541-682-5367
Ages/Grades: grades 1-5
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-9/2
Times: 7:30am-6:00pm

Cost: \$125

The most amazing and super fun summer is right around the corner. Your child will meet new friends and play outside all day under the guidance of experienced leaders. Each session features a different theme that will focus on learning through imagination, songs, play and hands on experiences in the natural world. There'll be swimming, crafts and a very special field trip each week. Campers can volunteer to read and tell stories to the R.E. A.D therapy dogs as a fun way to improve literacy skills. Outdoor play and exploration are the mainstays of our camp. Experienced leaders provide a secure environment for learning and stretching imagination and abilities. Discover nature and our amazing Oregon community with us this summer. We don't have horses, but we love to horse around!

Wilani SummerKids Day Camp

Agency: [Camp Fire USA Wilani Council](#)
Contact: Barbara Utt
Mailing Address: 3575 Donald Street #230, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-342-6338
Fax: 541-342-6330
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades K-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: June 16-20
Times: 8:15-5:15
Cost: \$100/members \$130/nonmembers

Back by popular demand! This 1-week day program is for girls and boys entering grades K-8 this fall. SummerKids will swim, play and experience all the pleasures of camp (except horses) in a safe, nurturing environment. Trained professional and volunteer staff will guide campers through developmentally-appropriate activities and games. Swimming, outdoor cooking, nature hikes on the Interpretive Trail, archery, rides on the zip-line swing, waterfront sports and folkcrafts are just some of the experiences that will leave your little camper grinning from ear to ear! Daily bus transportation to and from Day Camp is provided!

Day Camp Extras

Thursday Overnight Option

A special optional overnight stay is offered to SummerKids grades 4-8. This is a super opportunity for youngsters to experience the wonder of campfire circles and sleeping in a cabin or yurt. Dinner and breakfast will be provided. Cost: \$35 plus Day Camp fee.

Leadership Training Opportunities

Youth in grades 7 and 8 participate in Leadership Lab, where they will learn how to be a part of the Camp Wilani Leadership Team. They also participate in all other camp activities.

Y-Quest Camp

Agency: [Eugene Family YMCA](#)
Contact: Holly Kriz-Anderson
Mailing Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Camp Address: 2055 Patterson Street, Eugene OR
Phone: 541-686-9622
Fax: 541-342-4451
Ages/Grades: Entering Grades 6-8
Co-ed/Girls/Boys: CO-ED
Dates: 6/20-8/12
Times: 8:30-4:00
Cost: \$235/member \$255/nonmember 2 week sessions

Y-Quest will challenge your body and your mind! Camp focuses on self-discovery, travel, new friends, and enjoying the summer in Oregon. Each two-week session will include biking, hiking, river sports, challenge course activities and a two-night campout. Campers must have access to a reliable bicycle, helmet, tent and sleeping bag. Each camper provides his/her own lunch, snack and water. Dinner, breakfast and lunch are provided on all campouts. Campers meet in the YMCA Fun Club Room each morning.

[Work & Family Services](#)

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Directory Lists Area Summer Camps

< *Students get creative in the Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art's "Pop Boxes and Time Capsules: Create Art Warhol-Style" after-school studio class.*

Parents looking for fun and interesting activities for their kids during the rapidly approaching summer break should check out the [Directory of Summer Opportunities in Eugene/Springfield for Children & Youth](#). Work and Family Services, a program of UO Human Resources, has just completed updating an on-line list of summer camps and programs in the area.

The guide is a service provided to UO faculty, staff and student families, but is accessible and useful for the entire community. The site lists camps offered by UO departments and programs, as well as those provided by an array of area groups, including the City of Eugene, Girl Scouts, YMCA, Maude Kerns Art Center, Oregon Festival of American Music, Eugene Swim and Tennis Club, and many others.

Visitors can view the entire directory at once or search for camps by category, including arts, day camps, religious, residential/overnight, science/nature, special needs, sports/outdoors, UO-affiliated camps or "other." East listing includes the name of the sponsoring agency, contact information, age or grade appropriateness, cost, dates and times, and a brief description of the activity.

The directory is provided as an informational service only and is not a recommendation from the UO. Work and Family Services updates the directory as camp sponsors provide new information, however, parents are encouraged to contact the sponsoring agency directly to ensure that they receive the most current information.

The directory is one example of the UO's many "connections to community" that will be included on a "Connection" website, coming soon from the UO Office of Communications.

- *Kathy Madison, officer of communications*

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Alumni Couple Gives \$1 Million For Need-Based Scholarships

A Southern California couple who struggled to pay for college are making it easier for future students to attend the University of Oregon. Joel and Colleen McCloud of Torrance, Calif., dedicated their recent \$1 million pledge to scholarships for needy students.

"We believe that every kid deserves the opportunity to get a good education," says Joel McCloud, president of McCloud Property Acquisitions, who grew up in Portland and who earned his MBA from the UO in 1967. "We both came from working class families that had great difficulties trying to help us through school. And we were luckier than the kids today. Tuition back then cost only \$300 a quarter. With college costs rising prohibitively, it's become increasingly difficult for families.

"My dad was an oil burner repairman who died my senior year in high school," Mc Cloud adds. "I had to pay my way through school at Portland State and the UO with a few small scholarships and jobs ranging from convenience store clerk to ambulance attendant."

Colleen grew up in Sweet Home, Ore., where her father worked as a logger when work was available. "He sometimes worked only five months a year, but my mother made it clear from the time my brother and I were little that we were both going to college," says the 1967 UO speech graduate and retired executive vice president in the Los Angeles office of Foote, Cone and Belding advertising agency. "My senior year, my mom started putting a little aside so, with my parents' support, taking out loans and working for the Forest Service every summer, I was able to go to college."

"The McClouds are a wonderful example of the value of a university education to create a better life not only for college graduates themselves but for others," says UO President Dave Frohnmayer. "Their generosity will make it possible for hundreds of students to achieve what they did and give back to their own communities."

The McClouds met at a Friday night dance at the Erb Memorial Union on the UO campus when she was a junior and he was a graduate student. They married in 1968.

Colleen was inspired by the late Professor Glenn Starlin to find a career she loved and make the most of it. "I took his "Introduction to Broadcasting" course, which was at 8 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and you would fail if you missed a single class," she remembers. "The minute he started speaking, I fell in love. He had wonderful stories. He'd been around the world. He was a consultant to the USSR. Everything was interesting. Because of him, I went into speech and took advertising and broadcasting courses."

- Ann Mack, director of development communications



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Scene on Campus

Classified Employees, President Share Ideas



Taking a break from roundtable conversations with President Dave Frohnmayer and members of the UO administration are, from left, Jennifer Salvatore, accountant for facilities services, Diane Furmo, fiscal coordinator for the business affairs office, Manuela Park, purchasing assistant, and Lynne Harrell, purchasing research analyst.

They and about 200 other classified employees met with leadership April 21 at the biannual gathering, sponsored by the Classified Staff Training and Development Advisory Committee.

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We Want More!

By Cindy Ingram

It's funny how my life's path has brought me to the place I am today. I am often filled with pride and amazement with my own accomplishments. I can't believe that I am actually graduating this June from The University of Oregon. No one in my family has ever done this before. I always thought that college was for the lucky few. You know, the teens right out of high school with a college prep education, a trust fund, a bright future and a fast car. I've never been rich, a terrific student or a terribly confident woman. When my parents responded to my naïve dream of going to college with "Cindy, you know we can't afford to send you to college," I just settled into the idea that I wasn't so lucky. If only I knew then what I know now. It's not luck. It's a passion for wanting more. Over time I realized that I needed to make it happen. I want more!

Most of my life I've been "at-risk." An at-risk teen, a low-income single mother, and a survivor of domestic and sexual violence. My most salient resiliency, however, has been the connection I've found with others who struggle with their own barriers of success. Thank goodness I found something that brought me joy and a sense of personal accomplishment. I found this through the lifestyle of volunteering. By finding success in supporting others to realize their dreams, I eventually realized that I could support myself in realizing my own.

It all began with my 1st grade elementary school teacher, Ms. Olsen. She understood that I had a desire to help others (and an impatience for kids my own age.) When I finished my reading assignments well before the other students, and my boredom lead me to disrupt the other children, she made a wonderful decision that transformed my comportment entirely. Rather than sending me to the principal's office for punishment to join other "at-risk" students, she built upon my natural strengths. I was sent to the kindergarten class to read to the younger children where I found a world of acceptance, validation, appreciation and fun.

Each year throughout my entire elementary school experience, I continued to return to the previous grade levels to assist in reading. I wanted more. This lead me to volunteer in my community of Dublin, California at the local public swimming pool teaching "handicapped swim" lessons, and then at Kaleidoscope Activity Center, an after school program for children and teens with developmental and physical disabilities. Because of my dedication to family and human services, at age twelve I was awarded Volunteer of the Year for the state of California. I wanted more.

I found that after working with elderly, infants, teens, parents, families, disabled, mentally ill, homeless, and dying populations in residential, vocational and recreational settings, it didn't seem to matter much what specific group I was serving. I loved it all, and I was rewarded with mounting responsibility and leadership roles. I still wanted more.

In 1998 I took on the most challenging volunteer role of my life thus far. I became a mother. I thought that my volunteering career was over due to lack of time and energy. To the contrary! I found myself forming playgroups, parenting support groups, and eventually a new non-profit organization called Land of Awe. In two short years Land of Awe, a hands-on children's museum, grew to over 300 volunteers and community supporters. I realized that I had a natural leadership style that my community of Lane County appreciated. A fellow board member told me, "You have a talent for synthesizing the group voice and building a foundation of support for any project you set your mind to." My response to this compliment was visceral. It resonated with me completely. I am a leader! It's O.K. to say that out loud now. I wanted more.

This was when I returned back to school. It wasn't an easy choice, you see, before I had children I don't think I even knew anyone who had a college degree. I have a few cousins that I hear were good students, but I never had the chance to talk with them and see what it was like. My father dropped out of high school in his sophomore year, and my mother and sister were satisfied with the success of a high school graduation. I knew that I wanted to go to school and be one of the lucky ones who got to learn all day. I just didn't know how to go about it. It wasn't until I became a mother and was involved in community service that I had a realization. I had friends with degrees- Lots of them! Not only Bachelor's degrees, but also Masters and Doctorates. They seemed pretty normal. They were moms just as I was. They felt passionate about social issues as I did. They were smart; and so am I. If they could do it, then so could I!

I moved my family from a modest rental home to a tiny student family apartment to reduce my monthly bills. I spent countless hours filling out forms for financial aid and scholarships, applied for food stamps and our state's health plan for low-income families. I even sold my favorite books and cds at the local resale shop to help make ends meet. I decided that I was going to follow my passions of human services to the next level. I wasn't just going to get by anymore. I was going to carve out a future for me and my two preschoolers that will bring us joy and self-sufficiency. I wanted more.

My first step was to complete two years at the local Jr. College. This was actually the toughest part. Those hoops for me to jump through just kept on presenting themselves. At first I was a little bitter. I was mad that I had to take classes in subjects I felt I could teach my own class in. I must admit I complained quite a bit. Eventually I learned that no matter how loud I complained and how unfair I felt I was being treated, jumping through the hoops was still required. So, I made it a point to get really good at it. I became a little obsessed with learning to play the game. I stopped complaining and begun noticing.

I paid close attention to who made the rules and how they went about making them. What was the appropriate form for this and the required form for that. I got so good at playing the game that other non-traditional student friends that I made along the way began coming to me for advice. I directed them through the barrage of bureaucracy so that they could be heard. Together we learned a lot about policy and how it directly affected our lives. Now, not only did I want to gain skills and knowledge of how to help others directly, I also wanted to learn how to affect the policy that drove these services. I became increasingly aware of policies that hindered rather than helped the success of underrepresented populations such as the non-traditional students. I want more.

I soon transferred from Lane Community College to The University of Oregon. I had been admitted into the Family and Human Services Program, through the College of Education where I would achieve a Bachelors of Ed. I just couldn't believe it! I'll never forget the tears

of joy I cried the day my letter of acceptance came in the mail. In fact, I cried for days. I cried tears of fear of what unknown challenges lay ahead, and tears of victory for what I had accomplished thus far.

My first day of class was in Educational Studies 111. It was a classroom that looked more like a movie theatre than any classroom I'd seen before. The students were so young and hip looking with their name brand back packs, cell phones, and painted toe-nails. There were over a hundred of them. I remember scanning the room for anyone who looked over 25. There were a few of us and we smiled at each other from accross the room. What I remember most, however, was the roller coaster of emotions that rushed over me during that first class session. I felt unprepared, terrified, incredibly intelligent, scholarly, lonely, old successful, and different. I experienced intermittent bursts of laughter and sweeping feelings that I couldn't even label. At one point I imagined myself standing during the lecture, throwing my papers up into the air while the theme song to Mary Tyler Moore played "She's going to make it after all" as I spun with my strong arms stretched outward.

While at UO I found an implicate desire to serve issues related to gender, multi-culturalism and feminist pursuits within the human services. My classmates were often shocked when I would reveal that I was "a welfare mom" like the women we were learning about in our textbooks. I often felt as though I was a spokeswoman for my cohort who were not "lucky enough" to be in class with us. I was also elected into non-traditional student leadership roles, including Director of the Non-traditional Student Union. I wanted more.

I most importantly wanted to learn more about how to be a dynamic leader of a successful organization or program that addresses issues relating to feminism such as poverty, child abuse, sexism, classism, homophobia and violence against women. In an effort to practice feminist models of leadership and pedagogy I co-founded, and soon became President of my second non-profit, Network for Reproductive Options (NRO). NRO is a consensus based feminist 501c3 organization that funds abortions for women in need, and provides grassroots sexuality education and referrals. Enter politics.

Other than lobbying for Choice and occasional Peace activism, I have always felt ill when political discussions would arise. Dr. Dan Close, Director of the Family and Human Services Department here at the University of Oregon, has encouraged me to change my perspective. I adore policy. I think I always have. I love to write it, change it, and promote it. Dan reminded me that a huge component of policy is politics. I guess it's time for me to take this relationship between leadership and the political arena more seriously. Although a little trepidatous, I want more.

After volunteering as a member of the Board of Directors for Womenspace, Oregon's largest organization serving women and children affected by domestic violence, and becoming employed part-time (while I continued my studies), by the University of Oregon as Coordinator of the University's Suicide Prevention Task Force, I have enjoyed the opportunity to swim in the deep end of policy. My goal has been simple. Don't drown.

My long-range goals are to complete my Bachelors of Education in Family and Human Services this June, with a minor in Women and Gender Studies. Then move onto a Masters degree in Public Policy and Management, also at the University of Oregon. (I am thrilled to have already been accepted into this program.) Then of course, I'd like to get a job using these specialized skills. But then again, I refuse to dismiss earning my Doctorate as a possibility. I can't help it. I just want more.

I must admit that my primary goal for myself, and my two young children is to climb above the oppressive lifestyle of living under the poverty line. Each of these accomplishments that I have listed above have taken place while fighting to have enough food for my family to eat, warm clothes to wear and safe housing to make a home in. I am more than a Family and Human Service Provider, I am a direct recipient. I understand what it's like to be a bottom feeder while watching above at an ocean full of opportunities that are just out of reach. I ache to effect policy in order to ensure that it doesn't get any worse for families like my own.

Somehow the knowledge that I have become "one of the lucky ones" has kept me going. I have kept on moving forward no matter what. You see, on those bad days when the harsh reality of finances, childcare arrangements, late night study sessions, and when the snickers from the younger students in class are echoing in my head; I am close to the edge of insanity. Then miraculously, something clicks and helps me to keep it together. Somehow I get a hold of myself and I continue on. There is just too much to loose. I have fought so hard, and come so far to quit now. Whether I like it or not, I am a pioneer. Women just like me are watching. I want them to feel encouraged by my success. I want them to see that if I can do it, then so can they. We have something very strong in common. We want more!

Editor's note: Ingram welcomes comments and feedback from the UO community. Contact her by [e-mail](#).

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Featured Author



New Work Showcases Challenges, Triumphs of Nontraditional Students

< Cindy Ingram with son, Joaquin, and daughter, Daisy

One evening Cindy Ingram keyed in the phrase “nontraditional student” in a web search engine. One of the first things that popped up was Pennsylvania freelance writer Donna Talarico’s request for submissions for a book she was writing on the subject. The UO graduate student enhanced an essay assignment she had written in the College of Education’s Family and Human Services program and sent it to the author. The result is a compelling chapter titled [“We Want More!”](#) in the anthology *Kids, have you seen my backpack . . . ? and Other Inspirational Stories of Non-Traditional Students* (iUniverse, 2005).

Ingram, 32, fits well into the profile of a “nontrad” student. She is a transfer student from Lane Community College, a first-generation college student and mother of two. After two years of undergraduate studies at the UO within the Family and Human Services program, she is now working on her masters of public administration and wants to parlay that academic achievement into a leadership role with a non-profit social services agency.

“I want to affect public policy to ensure that things don’t get any worse for families like my own,” she says.

Currently, she is president of the [UO Nontraditional Students Union](#) and one of the inaugural participants in [New Leadership Oregon](#), a program that brings college women together with elected officials and community leaders.

“We are a very challenged group,” she says of herself and other nontraditional students at the UO. “We’re older and we tend to be socially awkward in adjusting to the college culture. Our professors certainly know who the nontrads are. We’re in the first row, raising our hands all the time and interacting a lot in class.”

“Yes, we tend to be a bit intense,” she adds with a smile. “But can you blame us? Most of us are the first members of our families attending a university. We tend to come from poverty and didn’t get handed a college education on a silver platter right



out of high school. We've overcome so many obstacles to be here, so of course, we are zealous in seizing our education. We truly understand the value and privilege it is."

According to Brenda Tuomi, coordinator of nontraditional student programs, the UO has 1,875 undergraduate students age 25 and older. "The criteria for a nontraditional student is nebulous," she explains. However, a common definition is generally that of an individual in the mid 20s or older with dependants other than a spouse, delayed enrollment and financial independence from parents, working full time.

"Cindy is a great role model and inspiration for the nontrads on campus," adds Tuomi. "She is undaunted by all the challenges she faces (which includes blindness in one eye that makes it difficult to use a computer). I highly recommend the book for her essay alone. But the entire anthology is an excellent glimpse at what motivates these amazing individuals to overcome tremendous odds to continue their education."

In addition to academic studies and leadership on numerous diversity-related campus and community groups, such as the Diversity and Human Rights Consortium, Ingram designed a skill-sharing model for human service professionals to better collaborate and share their resources with each other. Her effort was sponsored by the United Way and the Lane County Commission on Children and Families. Last spring, more than 150 community leaders in Lane, Multnomah and Douglas counties attended her "Building Bridges" training event to learn about and implement her innovative ideas. Ingram currently works as an intern with the Lane County Office of Administration's Community and Economic Development program.


"Cindy's essay is a wonderfully written account of a young woman who truly refused to give up, no matter what life threw at her," says Talarico, a nontraditional student herself. "Cindy begins her essay about how she was 'at-risk' most of her life, but quickly turned that around. I can feel her passion and enthusiasm jump off the pages as I read her essay again and again."

Submit Your Book

If you have published a book and would like to have it stocked on the UO Bookstore shelves and on its website, fill out this [online form](#) and the information will be sent directly to the books buyer.

Author events

If you would like to schedule a reading and signing for your book, fill out this [online form](#). Usually author events need to be booked three to six months in advance.

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WELCOME to the Non-traditional Student Union!!

This is a Website dedicated to the advocacy, support, education and service of non-traditional students at the University of Oregon. (To learn more about what a non-traditional student is the [\(Federally recognized definition\)](#))

Our goals for the school year of 2004-2005 have been to educate the campus community about non-traditional student issues, help students self-identify as a non-trad, and to provide education, advocacy and support for this special and "at-risk" population of students at the University of Oregon. (For data and research about non-traditional student issues click on the link to your left)

We are thrilled to have accomplished (so far) the following list of activities:

- Organized and completed a non-trad Advisory Board Retreat and planning session
- Recruited several new Advisory Board members representing the Rec. center, Office of Multi-cultural academic support, UO childcare centers, Career Center, LGBTQA, as well as others
- Successfully completed 3 bake sales, 3 tabling events, an open house, a week long celebration of National non-traditional student week, planning for Duckling day street fair, Planning for Non-trad Graduation, and several pot-lucks and social gatherings
- Created and published a new "Students of the Month" program, as well as an esteemed "Students of the Term" program.
- Advocated for student parents and older students in response to discrimination at UO sporting events
- Successfully completed, and was awarded an 8% increase in our 2005-2006 program budget
- Advocated for Non-traditional Student Issues with the Vice Provost of Diversity Institutional Equity, Associated Student Presidential Advisory Counsel (ASPAC), The ASUO Exec, Program Finance Committee and Student Senate
- Designed a new education and awareness poster campaign and raised a whopping \$750 to make it happen!
- Painted the NSU, obtained and updated new computers as a direct result of NSU member contributions, created a "Kitchen area" and program which provides free coffee, tea and snacks for non-trads and their kids
- Identified and recruited approx. 106 "non-traditional student Identification Cards."
- Kept the NSU open for students all day and into the night, with occasional weekends throughout the school year.
- First annual NSU family camping trip
- Worked together with Student Life Non-traditional Student Programs to create a non-trad student survey
- Achieved several favorable news articles and promotions in the ODE, Inside Oregon, Eugene Weekly, and local TV news channel
- Added the NSU to several lists of student groups and services related to diversity

There is much more to be done. Together with YOUR help, we can continue to improve the NSU. After

all, This is **YOUR** student union!

Please feel free to browse our [old page](#) or contact us at the number and email below.

Thank you,

The new nontrads

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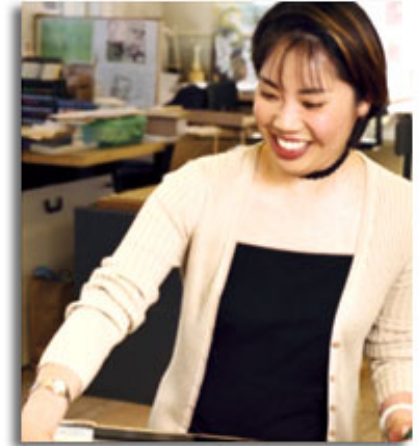
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The people of Oregon must be committed to building leaders today to solve the problems of tomorrow. The next generation of leaders will face growing list of complex issues and must be prepared to step forward with vision, courage, and the skills to meet the challenge.

Located on the campus of Portland State University within the Mark O. Hatfield School of Government are the beginnings of a bold new women's leadership initiative. National Education for Women's Leadership of Oregon (NEW Leadership Oregon) is dedicated to inspiring, educating, and supporting the next generation of women political leaders.

In partnership with Rutgers University, NEW Leadership Oregon is modeled after the award-winning leadership program designed by the renowned Center for American Women and Politics.



What is NEW Leadership Oregon?

NEW Leadership Oregon's goal is to develop a women-centered leadership program that will educate and encourage outstanding college women to develop career paths toward politics and public service.

NEW Leadership Oregon will teach leadership through action. Participants will:

- Practice public speaking, planning, organizing, and networking to address real social problems.
- Draw on the expertise of seasoned coaches and the experiences of women leaders in government, business, science, and the community.
- Learn a set of skills designed specifically to prepare young women for public leadership.

Why is NEW Leadership Oregon important?

Women are nearly 52 percent of the voting population in the United States yet remain grievously underrepresented at all levels of government.

- The 108th Congress finds women holding 59 seats, or 13.6 percent, of the 435 seats in the House of Representatives and 14 women, or 14 percent, of the 100 seats in the Senate.
- In 2003, eight women held seats in the 30-seat Oregon Senate and only 28 out of 90 seats in the Oregon House of Representatives for a 31.1 percent total legislative representation by women.
- In 2003, only one woman held a statewide, elective, executive office in Oregon.
- In 2003, only one woman represents Oregon in the U.S. Congress.

Women's involvement in elective office, public policy making, and all aspects of public service is a matter of justice and equity and is imperative for a vital democracy. We should all care deeply about the lack of women in political leadership roles both in the United States and globally. Women possess new perspectives and values that can revitalize and transform public debates and policy.

Mission

NEW Leadership Oregon is dedicated to inspiring, educating, and supporting the next generation of women political leaders.

Strategic Focus

To offer an annual, residential leadership training program to college women in the state of Oregon. In

selecting participants to the program, NEW Leadership Oregon will be dedicated to creating a diverse leadership environment; geographical, ideological, ethnic, social, and political diversity will strengthen the leadership skills of all involved. By developing networks with the political women in Oregon, college women in this state will build a path toward empowerment and leadership in the public sphere, ultimately increasing the presence of women in Oregon's public leadership. Through our connection to the Center for American Women and Politics at Rutgers University, college women in Oregon will become connected to political women across the country, developing their capacity to take their place within national leadership.

Long Range Goals

- Develop women leaders
- Create collaborative partnerships with political women
- Encourage women's participation in all forms of political life
- Inspire women to take responsibility for political change



"NEW Leadership is a tremendous program, with a proven national track record of building women leaders. The Hatfield School of Government at Portland State is the ideal location for this superb leadership school."

The Honorable Barbara Roberts
Governor of Oregon, 1991-1995

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Campus Briefs



Last Chance To See Warhol Exhibition

< Andy Warhol (1928-87), Mick Jagger (II. 146), 1975, screenprint on Arches Aquarelle (Rough) paper, 43-1/2 x 29 inches, from the collection of the Jordan Schnitzer Family Foundation

If you have been meaning to see the Andy Warhol exhibition at the University of Oregon's Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art, this is your last chance. "Andy Warhol's Dream America," which features more than 100 screenprints from the collection of the Jordan Schnitzer Family Foundation, is on view through Sunday, May 1.

Since the exhibition opened in conjunction with the museum's grand reopening in January, more than 24,000 patrons have visited the museum. This nearly doubles the average attendance at the museum prior to the museum's major renovation and expansion project.

"This exhibition has received rave reviews from a diverse range of visitors," explains museum director David Turner. "In fact, Tom Sokolowski, the director of the Andy Warhol Museum in Pittsburgh, highly praised the exhibition while attending the museum as a visiting lecturer in January."

After leaving Eugene, the exhibition continues to tour with stops in Texas, Colorado, Arizona and California. "Andy Warhol's Dream America" has been made possible by a major grant from the Jordan Schnitzer Family Foundation.

Following the Warhol show, "MFA 2005" will open at the UO's art museum on Friday, May 13 with a free, public opening reception from 6 to 8 p.m. The annual debut exhibition is the culminating event—constituting the equivalent of a master's thesis—for art students who are candidates for the Master of Fine Arts degree, the most advanced degree offered for studio work in visual art.

General museum hours are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesdays and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursdays through Sundays. The Marché Museum Café and Museum Store are open seven days a week. Museum admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for seniors, high school students and non-UO students. Museum members; children 13 and under; and UO faculty, staff members and students are free. Wednesday evenings from 5 to 8 p.m. admission is "pay-as-you-wish." The museum is located on the west side of campus at 1430 Johnson Lane.

For more information, call the museum at (541) 346-3027.

- Katie Sproles, public relations and marketing coordinator, Jordan Schnitzer Museum of Art

Summer Workshops in Proposal Development Offered To Faculty

Faculty members who have active research projects and seek external support may be interested in two workshops providing tips on how best to attract funding. The workshop takes place from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., June 15 and 29, and will be repeated from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sept. 9 and 21. The application deadline for the workshop, sponsored by the Office of Research and Faculty Development, has been extended to 5 p.m., April 29.

The sessions will focus on developing techniques and skills specific to proposal writing. Participants will share writing samples, review excerpts from real proposals that were both successful and unsuccessful and hear from UO faculty about their own experiences in seeking funding from external sources. The workshop will also provide information on successfully seeking out funding opportunities and introduce participants to university offices that support grant and research activity.

Faculty who participate in the full workshop (two sessions) will receive \$500 in summer salary. If participants submit a proposal to an external institution to support their research before Jan. 31, 2006, they may be eligible to receive an additional \$1,000 in either research support or summer salary (summer 2006). [For eligibility details, program guidelines and application material](#). For more information contact Mary Fechner, director of faculty development by [e-mail](#) or phone (541) 346-3196.

April 29 Brown Bag Lunch Features Legislative Update

You are invited to join the Officers of Administration Council for the next brown bag session at noon, Friday, April 29, in the EMU's Walnut Room, where the featured speaker will be Michael Redding, UO associate vice president for Public and Government Affairs. Redding will discuss issues in the legislative session that affect the UO. Feel free to bring your lunch; beverages will be provided.

Civil Rights Lawyer and Alumnus Wins Frohnmayer Award

Lawrence A. "Lare" Aschenbrenner, Oregon's first public defender and a partner in Oregon's first public interest law firm, has received the School of Law Alumni Association's fourth-annual Frohnmayer Award for Public Service.

Aschenbrenner, a retired director of the Alaska office of the Native American Rights Fund, was presented with the award at an April 15 banquet in Portland.

From 1960s Mississippi to 21st-century Alaska, Aschenbrenner has defended the poor and disenfranchised with energy and zeal. He was director of the Mississippi office of the Lawyer's Committee for Civil Rights in 1968. Aschenbrenner, who was born in Baker, Ore., and graduated from the UO School of Law in 1957, spent the last 20 years as head of the Native American Rights Fund in Anchorage, Alaska.

The Frohnmayer Award recognizes a graduate, faculty member or friend whose public service brings honor to the law school.

On-Line Pay System Coming for Students

The UO soon will introduce QuikPAY®, an electronic system for all students to view, print and make bill payments online. Through the new QuikPAY® system, an e-mail will be sent to each student's official UO e-mail address, and any authorized payer's e-mail address, every time a new billing statement is ready. As a convenience during the transition to QuikPAY®, students will receive both a paper and an electronic bill. [For more information.](#)

Daughters, Sons Have UO At Their Fingertips

Take Our Daughters and Sons To Work Day on Thursday, April 28, will literally open the myriad worlds of the UO to youngsters from the age of nine to thirteen.

After an 8:45 a.m. breakfast in the EMU's Fir Room, kids are off on an exciting day-long adventure. Depending on what "track" your child is on, that could entail garbage composting with UO's award-winning recycling program, hands-on action in the Knight Library Video Production Studio, creating digital posters at the Computing Center and more.

Campus activities are designed to expose our children to what the adults in their lives do during the workday and show them the value of education.

Pre-registration is required for breakfast and activity track choice. Contact Lilah Glick by [e-mail](#) or call her at (541) 346-2942.

In Memory: Former UO Dean Ken Ramsing

A memorial service will take place April 27 for Ken Ramsing, 70, a former dean of the UO Graduate School. He was a Fulbright Scholar and a professor emeritus of the School of Business.

Ramsing earned his master's degree in business administration and a Ph.D. from the UO. He started at the university as a professor in the mid-1960s and was associate dean of the business school from 1985 to 1987 and served as president of the university's Faculty Senate during that time. He was dean of the UO Graduate School from 1987 to 1990.

He officially retired from the university in 1998 but continued to teach classes for several more years. In addition, he was program director and visiting professor in the executive program at Kasetsart University in Bangkok, Thailand, following his retirement.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Kenneth Ramsing Endowed Scholarship Fund, University of Oregon Foundation, P.O. Box 3346, Eugene, OR 97403.

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Summer Workshop in Proposal Development

GUIDELINES: Includes eligibility requirements. Please read before filling out application.

MEMORANDUM: sent 3/18/2005

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Extended to April 29th, 2005 at 5:00 pm

Applicants will receive notification of program acceptance the week of May 16th, 2005.

Application forms: WORD or PDF

Application Notes: The WORD version can be saved and submitted via email. If you only have Adobe Acrobat Reader you will not be able to save and email the PDF version. However, if you have the full version of Acrobat 3.0 or higher you can save and email.

Workshop Information:

Further details will be provided the week of May 16th, 2005. Each workshop is comprised of two sessions that are two weeks apart.

Workshop 1: June 15th and 29th, 2005 from 10 am to 3pm

Workshop 2: September 9th and 21st, 2005 from 10am to 3pm

(Please note: Workshop 2 second session date has been revised from 9/23/05 to 9/21/05 since the original announcement on 3/18/2005. PDF application is not revised to reflect the date change.)

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Use the [coupon attached](#) and receive a 20-percent discount on any travel or coffee mug from the UO Bookstore. New styles have arrived, including a mini-sized travel mug with slide closure and a travel mug with a shaped handle. You may also bring the mug you purchase to the bookstore's Duck Stop Coffee Bar for a complimentary fill of house coffee or tea.

This offer is good today through May 15.

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UO by the Numbers



Dramatic Changes Seen in Choice of Majors

The last decade has witnessed significant changes in the enrollment of certain majors at the University of Oregon.

Business continues to be the most popular major, although it has lost some of its dominance of the early 1990s. By far, education has experienced the most change, with steep declines earlier in the decade followed by steady growth.

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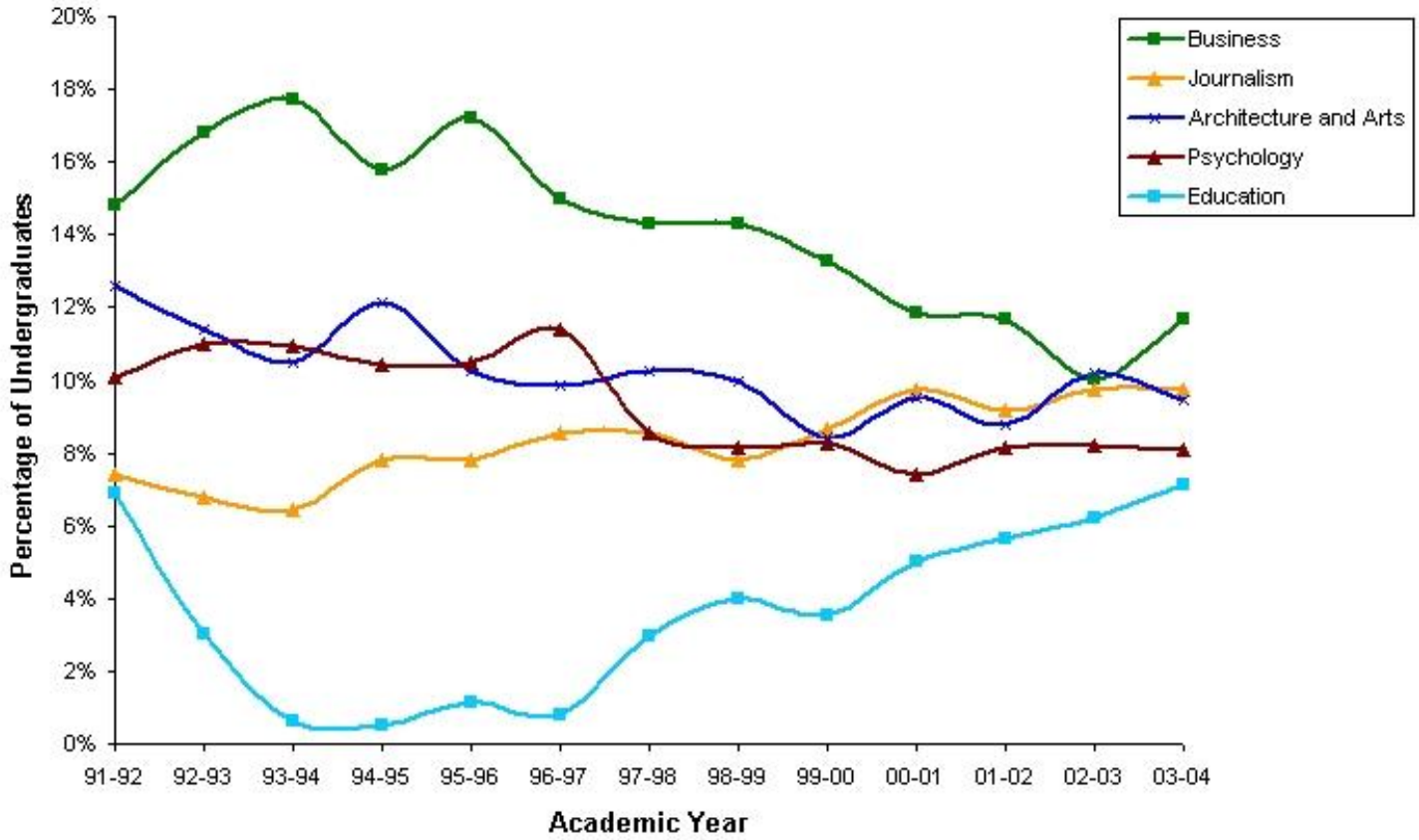
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Changes in the Top 5 Undergraduate Majors



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Streisinger Lecture is May 3

Alex Kolodkin, an internationally renowned researcher at The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and a former graduate student at the UO, will talk on "Molecular Mechanisms of Neuronal Growth Cone Guidance," at the 20th annual George Streisinger Memorial Lecture. The event takes place at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3, in Room 100 of Willamette Hall, 1371 E. 13th Ave. A reception is scheduled afterwards in Room 225 of Streisinger Hall, 1390 Franklin Blvd.

Streisinger, a biology professor at the UO from 1960 until his death in 1984, was regarded as the "founding father" of zebrafish research. He was the first ever to clone a zebrafish in 1981. More than 300 genetics and developmental labs around the world use mutant strains of the fish produced in Streisinger's UO lab. His research is carried on today by his colleagues at the UO Institute of Molecular Biology.

For more information, call the institute at (541) 346-5154.



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April 28 Faculty Artist Series Presents Oregon String Quartet

< From left are Kathryn Lucktenberg, Steven Pologe, Leslie Straka and Fritz Gearhart.

The Oregon String Quartet, along with several faculty colleagues, will give a Faculty Artist Series recital at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 28, in Beall Concert Hall, 961 E. 18th Ave. Tickets, available at the door, are \$9 general admission and \$5 for students and senior citizens.

The program includes "String Quartet in G Minor, Op. 10" by Claude Debussy; "Contrasts for Violin, Clarinet and Piano" by Bela Bartok, featuring Fritz Gearhart, Wayne Bennett and Victor Steinhardt; and "Four Indigenous Portraits for Flute and String Quartet" by William Grant Still, featuring flutist Nancy Andrew with the quartet.

The Oregon String Quartet, founded in 1982, is one of the School of Music's most prestigious ensembles and has performed to acclaim throughout the western United States. Members of the quartet—all associate professors on the UO music faculty—include violinists Fritz Gearhart and Kathryn Lucktenberg, violist Leslie Straka and cellist Steven Pologe.



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Campus Groups Plan Holocaust Awareness Week, May 1–6

Yom HaShoah, the annual Holocaust Remembrance Day, holds a special significance this year, the 60th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz death camp. In recognition of this event, the Jewish Student Union, Oregon Hillel and the Cultural Forum will present a week of events, beginning Sunday, May 1, and continuing through Friday, May 6. All events are open to the public and free of charge.

“Our goal for the week is not only to honor the memory of those who perished during the Holocaust, but also to raise awareness of genocides worldwide and to promote the acceptance of cultural diversity,” says Jodi Roth, Jewish Campus Service Corps fellow, who is coordinating the event through the Religious Directors Association.

A highlight of the events planned is a lecture Wednesday evening, May 4, by Tom “T.J.” Leyden, who spent 15 years as a white supremacist activist and recruiter until he had a change of heart. In his lecture, “Turning Away from Hate,” Leyden emphasizes the importance of appreciating the differences in all people, explains his transformation and helps listeners understand the culture he escaped and why he is so committed to fighting it today.

The Leyden lecture is co-sponsored by the Jewish Student Union, Oregon Hillel, the Cultural Forum, Greek Life, the Multicultural Center, the Women’s Center, the Associated Students of the UO, the Asian Pacific American Student Union, the Black Student Union, the Assault Prevention Shuttle, the Women’s Law Forum and the Residence Hall Association.

Other Holocaust Awareness Week events include the Litany of the Martyrs that begins on Sunday, May 1, during which community members will read the names of the six million people who died in the Holocaust. On Monday, May 2, the movie “Hotel Rwanda” will be shown. It recounts the 1994 Rwandan genocide in which one million Tutsis were killed. On Tuesday, May 3, two Holocaust survivors, Eva and Les Aigner of Portland, will share their stories. And on Thursday, May 5, Monique Balbuena, an assistant professor of literature in the UO’s Clark Honors College who is a scholar of Jewish literature and languages, will read Holocaust poetry.

The complete schedule of events is below. For more information, contact Roth at (541) 343-8920.

Litany of the Martyrs—6 p.m., Sunday, May 1, through 6 p.m., Monday, May 2, EMU

Amphitheatre

During this 24-hour Litany of the Martyrs, members of various multicultural campus and community organizations will read the names of six million Holocaust victims.

"Hotel Rwanda"—6:30 p.m., Monday, May 2, Room 100, Willamette Hall

The critically acclaimed film "Hotel Rwanda" depicts the Rwandan Genocide, an event that nearly went unnoticed by the rest of the international community. During a 100-day bloodbath in 1994, almost one million Tutsis were massacred by the ruling Hutu tribe. The story is based on the real-life experiences of Paul Rusesabagina, the Hutu manager of the Hotel des Mille Collines, who was directly responsible for saving the lives of more than 1,000 Tutsis and Hutu moderates by granting them asylum in the hotel and bribing the Hutu military to spare them.

Holocaust Survivors Panel—6 p.m., Tuesday, May 3, EMU Fir Room

Eva and Les Aigner of Portland will share the stories of their own Holocaust experiences. Eva was held at a Hungarian concentration camp, while Les spent time at multiple concentration camps throughout the region. The couple will give eyewitness accounts of the Holocaust and the magnitude of its affect on the lives of innocent victims.

"Turning Away from Hate," a lecture by "T.J." Leyden—7 p.m., Wednesday, May 4, EMU Ballroom

Tom "T.J." Leyden spent 15 years as a white supremacist activist and recruiter until in one profound moment he had a change of heart and turned him away from hate. He spent more than five years with the Simon Wiesenthal Center, where he taught about the culture of hate and the importance of fighting back against it. He now advocates that others embrace their prejudices and learn the importance of tolerance and diversity. Leyden has trained professionals at the Pentagon and the FBI, as well as at American military bases. He also has spoken to more than 650,000 students and was invited by former President Bill Clinton to be the featured speaker at the White House Conference on Hate.

Sephardic Poetry—3 p.m., Thursday, May 5, EMU Ben Linder Room

Monique Balbuena, assistant professor of literature in the UO's Clark Honors College, will read Holocaust related poetry. Balbuena is a scholar of Jewish literature and languages, specializing in Sephardic poetry written in Ladino. She has been published extensively and was honored as a Harry Starr Fellow in Judaica at Harvard University.

- *Kathy Madison, officer of communications*



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Graduate Students Share Diversity Research



Compelling local, regional, national and international social issues concerning diversity were explored April 22 at the third annual graduate research conference, sponsored by the Center on Diversity and Community (CoDaC) and the Graduate School.

Students showcasing their research are, from left, Thomas Swensen, standing, (M.A. candidate, English), Asako Kanazawa (M.A. candidate, psychology), Celia Tagamolila Bardwell-Jones (Ph.D. candidate, philosophy), May Lim (Ph.D candidate, counseling psychology), Assistant Vice Provost Carla Gary, Ayisha Yahya (M.A. candidate, international studies), Maylian Pak (M.A. candidate, geography) and Nancy Hiemstra (M.A. candidate, geography). Standing behind students are conference coordinators John Shuford, interim associate director of CoDaC, and Susan Hardwick, professor of geography and co-director for CoDaC research programs. Gary, assistant vice provost of institutional equity and diversity, gave the keynote address on the social significance of diversity-focused research. [Click here](#) for student abstracts.

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[Celia Tagamolila Bardwell-Jones](#)

Ph.D. Candidate Philosophy

Unsettling the Hegemony of Immigrant Settlers: Transnationalism, Provincialism and Native Hawai'ian Sovereignty

Hauanani Kay Trask in an impassioned essay entitled "Settlers of Color and "Immigrant" Hegemony" argues that all Asian immigrants in Hawai'i are what she terms "colonial settlers". In this presentation, I hope to complicate Trask's arguments and "unsettle" the hegemony of immigrant settlers by analyzing the transnational connections as experienced by many immigrants in Hawai'i and on the continent. I introduce Josiah Royce's philosophical notion of a "wholesome provincialism" which understands travel as a concept of mediation between different communities. Travel in this light underscores the transnational commitments of many Asian immigrants. I argue that while there is a potential for Asian immigrants to be colonialist in Hawaii, Asian immigrant status does not necessarily implicate a colonial status as Trask suggests. To this extent, Asian immigrants understood transnationally and provincially, would arguably support Native Hawai'ian sovereignty.

Nicholas Coronel-Viteri

M.A., International Studies; M.C.R.P., PPPM

The Movimento Sem Terra (MST): Cooperativism, Community Relations and Agrarian Reform in Rural Brazil

Brazil is the largest country in Latin America and a land of profound contrasts. It has one of the largest land concentrations in the world, with only one percent of the landowners owning forty-three percent of its territory. The struggle for land has marked the history of twentieth-century Brazil. The aim of this paper is to study the Brazilian Landless Peasant Movement (Movimento Sem Terra, MST), a movement that is attempting to resolve land inequalities in the rural regions of Brazil by providing its members with an alternative for a dignified life. Using social movements and radical planning theories, I develop an ethnographic study of one of the most important grassroots movements in the world at the present time. In addition, I discuss the practical implications of agrarian reform, and organic agricultural self-subsistence practices of the members of one rural site in the state Rio Grande do Sul.

[Nancy Hiemstra](#)

M.A. Candidate Geography

Latino/a Immigrants in Small Town USA: Race, Place and Community Transformation

Leadville, Colorado, has experienced rapid growth in its Latina/o population as the result of demands for low-wage labor at nearby mountain resorts. This research explores how spatial separations of immigrants and long-term residents reflect and reproduce deep social and economic differences. Understandings of place, enactments of citizenship, and daily social interaction are shaped by the politics of immigrants' legal status, as well as the sense of belonging and entitlement felt by many long-term residents.

[Hee-Jung Serenity Joo](#)

Racial Passings and Utopian Be/Longings: Race, Citizenship, and National Identity in George Schuyler's "Black No More" and Eric Liu's "The Accidental Asian"

My project investigates the implications of "racial passing" and miscegenation suggested in these two texts. The uncanny similarities between Schuyler's pre- and Liu's post- Civil Rights utopian fantasies of the nation articulate the embodied inevitability of race. A comparative analysis between them reveals how the visual assumptions of race impact Asian Americans and African Americans in different yet intersecting ways particularly in the context of citizenship, cultural legitimacy, and national be/longing.

Ph.D. Candidate Comparative Literature

[Asako Kanazawa](#)

Acculturation and Mood amongst International Students

This project examines the relationship between the expression of social anxiety (examining known cultural variations in symptom expression) and the levels of acculturation and ethnic identity reported by University of Oregon international students during their transition to a new environment. This research also attempts to understand the role of self-construal plays in how international students present emotional distress.

M.A. Candidate Psychology

[May Lim](#)

Path Analysis of Psychosocial Adjustment amongst Southeast Asian Immigrant Youth

Despite being the largest majority of the current 724,600 foreign-born Asians living in the U.S., few studies exist on the growing mental health needs of America's Southeast Asian population. A comprehensive model of psychosocial development that considers important cultural variables would better inform the design and implementation of therapeutic interventions for the Southeast Asian population. The following project proposes a developmental model for Southeast Asian immigrant youths by examining the role of youth acculturation level, family conflict, and peer relationships on adolescent psychosocial adjustment.

Ph.D. Candidate Counseling Psychology

[Maylian Pak](#)

Poverty, Race and Community Organization: Social and Environmental Justice in Eugene

Using the work of the Railroad Pollution Coalition (RPC) in Eugene, Oregon as a case study, this thesis examines the nature of community activism and citizenship among economically and racially marginalized groups affected by toxic soil and water contamination. This project analyzes the challenges of community organization among marginalized populations, exploring how race and class shape community activism. It contributes to environmental justice research, particularly geographic perspectives on race and class in the United States.

M.A. Candidate Geography

[Barbara Sutton](#)

"We Don't Have Racial Problems:" Racism, Whiteness, and Racialized Femininity in Argentina

Dominant ideologies in Argentina claim that racism is not a relevant social issue in the country. This perception is related to a national identity that conceives Argentina as a White-European society and that erases the existence of non-White subjects. In this paper, I contrast these ideologies with racialized constructions of femininity and the embodied experiences of racism narrated by women who do not conform to the hegemonic ideals of beauty and femininity.

Ph.D., Sociology

[Thomas Swensen](#)

A Memory beyond Authenticity: Alutiiq Cultural Display in Fort Ross

M.A. Candidate English

My research is on the representations of Alutiiq culture at Fort Ross, California State Historical Park during the park's "Cultural Heritage Day" on July 31, 2004. My project is a visual and textual study of the politics of memory, memorials, and ethnicity focusing on Fort Ross, a former 19th century outpost of the Russian empire. The research entailed attending the celebration, documenting the planned events through photography and a written journal, and studying the permanent exhibits at the park.

[Ayisha Yahya](#)

Cultural Synthesis through the Media: A Case Study of Kenyan Hip-Hop

M.A. Candidate International Studies

Global media are key propagators of Western cultural products around the world. In Kenya, a budding hip-hop industry built on local and foreign elements reflects the evolution of cultural hybridity among urban Kenyan youth not only in terms of music, but also identity. Kenyans are actively borrowing ideas from the West and "Kenyanizing" them by fusing the local with the foreign to generate their own unique multicultural products and perspectives. This hybridity challenges the notion that globalization and appropriation of foreign concepts in local contexts leads to mere Westernization and cultural destruction.

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Scene on Campus

Oregon Invitational Features Duck Debut For Galen Rupp



Galen Rupp in his Duck debut. Photo by Geoff Thurner

The UO track and field teams welcomed top West Coast collegiate and post-collegiate athletes April 23 at the Oregon Invitational at Hayward Field. Making his Duck debut at the meet was UO freshman Galen Rupp, who finished fifth in the men's 5,000-meter event, despite a mid-race fall.

Even in the wet conditions, several athletes posted excellent results. Senior Sofie Abildtrup won the 400 in 54.37 – a personal best – and met the regional NCAA qualifying standard (54.61) for the first time this season.

UO junior Roderick Dotts finished sixth place in the 800 meters with a time of 1:50.46 – his personal best as a Duck; red-shirt seniors Eric Logsdon finished ninth in the 1,500 meters with a personal record time of 3:46.50, and Brett Holts finished second in the steeplechase with a time of 8:47.22.

Finally, sophomore Kyle Alcorn, who logged a sixth-place finish in the steeplechase with a personal record time of 8:53.77.

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Faculty Get Media Tips on Research Findings



Richard Hill (at left), senior science writer for *The Oregonian*, chats with Brad Wible, a post-doctorate researcher in the UO Brain Development Lab.

Hill was on campus April 20 meeting faculty members and discussing considerations that determine how and whether faculty research findings earn coverage from *The Oregonian*. Hill is among the nation's most respected science writers and has been with *The Oregonian* for 17 years.

At the meeting, Hill mentioned that journalists hired to cover science and health today typically hold advanced degrees in scientific fields, a major change from when he began.

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