

## **Osprey coming and going from PDX during military training**

Portland International Airport watchers may see a strange-looking V-22/Osprey aircraft taking off and landing vertically at PDX from time to time during the rest of the month as military training flights by the aircraft, which also flies horizontally, are conducted outside the Vancouver-Portland area.



## **Forum at the Library takes up green power**

“Green Power: How Much Can We Afford?” is the subject matter of the Forum at the Library at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 15, in Library Hall in the Vancouver Community Library, 1007 E. Mill Plain Boulevard.

Presenters are as follows: **Patrick McGary**, power manager, Clark Public Utilities; **Ann Gravatt**, policy director, Renewable Northwest Project; and **Ruth Bennett**, chief operating officer, Bonneville Power Administration. Moderator is **Dan Ogden**.

There is no charge.

## **Magenta Theater’s *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe* opens Thursday**

Magenta Theater Company’s production of *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe* opens Thursday March 15, in its theater at 108 W 27th Street.

Written by C. S. Lewis, and dramatized by Joseph Robinette, the Vancouver production is directed by **Jaynie Roberts**.

Tickets in advance are \$10 to \$13, slightly higher at the box office. Show times are 7 p.m. Thursday and Friday, March 15 and 16, and 3 p.m. Saturday, March 17. For further information, call **635-4358** or go to [www.magentatheater.com](http://www.magentatheater.com).

## **Paddy Hough St. Paddy's Day Parade coming Friday**



One of Uptown Vancouver’s largest and most colorful parades, the annual Paddy Hough St. Paddy’s Day Parade, is 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 16.

The parade route is from the Hough Elementary School, 1900 Daniels Street north to 24th Street, east to Main Street,

south on Main Street to McLoughlin Boulevard and west to Hough Elementary. The parade, in its 16th year under current sponsorship of the Hough Foundation, is an annual tribute to Irish immigrant and educator Patrick Hough, who was principal of the Hough School and from whom the neighborhood got its name.

For further information, call **992-7060**.

## **Mystery of Love Dialogue Project to be convened twice this month**

Vancouver is one of ten communities in the United States participating in the Mystery of Love Dialogue Project, according to **Jeanne Kojis**, executive director of the Nonprofit Network, the local sponsoring organization. The project is funded nationwide by the Fetzer Institute Campaign for Love & Forgiveness.

The project is designed to explore how love is in action in our lives and in our community, says Kojis.

Two free facilitated programs will be presented in Vancouver, the first at 6 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, in the Battle Ground Senior Center, 116 NE 3rd Avenue, the second at 6 p.m. Thursday, March 29, in the Water Resources Education Center, 4600 SE Columbia Way.

The sessions are free. Registration is not required, according to Kojis. For further information, call **735-7110**, or go to <http://www.fetzer.org>.

**News brief**

The Vancouver Food Cooperative is seeking a logo design for its yet to be opened storefront. For further information go to the co-op's website, [www.vancouverfood.org](http://www.vancouverfood.org).

**Calendar**

A one-hour program of short skits and monologues about the impact of HIV/AIDS on women and girls in Clark County, produced by students at the Vancouver School of Arts & Academics, is at 5:30 p.m. this evening in the Royal Durst Theatre at the school at 3101 Main Street. There is no charge. ✂ The Vancouver City council does not meet today. ✂ The Neighborhood Associations Council of Clark County meets at 7 p.m. this evening in the Public Works Conference Room, 4700 NE 78th Street. ✂ The Vancouver-Clark Parks and Recreation Department will discuss parks and recreation accessibility at a forum at 7:30 p.m. this evening in the Firstenburg Community Center, 700 NE 136th Avenue. For further information, call **619-1130**. ✂ Clark Public Utilities' commissioners meet at 9 a.m. Tuesday, March 13. ✂ Port of Vancouver commissioners meet at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 13. ✂ Clark County commissioners meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 13.

**Monday on the air**

- Vancouver City Council Workshop (3/5)—4 p.m. CVTV
- Portland Beavers—4:30 p.m. FVTV
- Clark County Board of Health (2/28)—6 p.m. CVTV
- Northwest Indian News—6:30 p.m. FVTV
- Vancouver City Council (3/5)—7 p.m. CVTV
- Annual Port of Vancouver Report (2/21)—9:45 p.m. CVTV
- Vancouver Land Use Hearings (3/1)—11 p.m. CVTV

**Town Tabloids and the Weather**

**Stacey Johnson** helping making pictures perfect. ✂ **Barbara Harmon** getting tip o' the green hat. ✂ **Erika Hagensen** hobnobbing with the K Street folks. ✂ **Paul Helgason** ripping calendar apart in grand style. ✂ **Susan Wolff's** sharp eye finds solid gold. ✂ **Monday**, mostly cloudy, mostly showers, 54. **Tuesday**, continued showers, 52. **Wednesday**, showers tapering off, 62.