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CITY NEWS



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NEXT WEEK: THE MIXER WITH COURTNEY SHEEHAN

Next Wednesday, join us for The Mixer with special guest Courtney Sheehan, Executive Director at Northwest Film Forum. Courtney will share her expertise on the film industry and give guests a preview of this year's Local Sightings Film Festival, Seattle's only festival dedicated to Pacific Northwest films and filmmakers, coming up September 21-29. Join us and network with fellow creatives! The Mixer is free and all ages. See you Wednesday August 29, 5-7 PM, at SIFF Film Center.

Learn more at <u>The Mixer Seattle</u>

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TICKETS TO LOCAL SIGHTINGS FILM FESTIVAL ON SALE NOW

Get your tickets to the 21st Local Sightings Film Festival, coming up September 21-29. Local Sightings features new feature and short films, juried prizes, industry events, filmmaker workshops, live performances, and an opening night party.



Learn more and get your tickets

OPPORTUNITIES



encouraged to apply.

THE STRANGER HIRING ARTS INTERN

The Stranger is searching for an editorial intern to help cover Seattle's fall art and performance season, specifically nighttime arts events in the city (performance, music, art). The bulk of the fall arts internship will be attending shows around town and writing reviews (two to three per week). This position pays \$15 an hour and is 15 hours a week for 12 weeks. Women and people of color are highly

Learn more and apply



VERA PROJECT SEEKING RENTALS & OPERATIONS COORDINATOR

The Vera Project is looking for a Rentals & Operations Coordinator to serve as its front desk operator, office administrator, and point person for venue rentals. The Vera Project is a Seattle-based music and arts venue dedicated to fostering a participatory creative culture through popular music concerts, arts programs, experiential learning, and volunteer opportunities for all ages, especially young people. Submit your application by midnight tomorrow, August 24.

Learn more and apply



SCARECROW VIDEO & HUMANITIES WASHINGTON HOSTING HIP HOP HISTORY DISCUSSION

On September 6, Scarecrow Video is partnering with Humanities Washington to provide a free multimedia lecture and discussion on the Northwest's hip hop history and culture at Scarecrow's Screening Room. Led by author and professor Daudi Abe, discover how Northwest hip hop is a living document of our region's social and political movements, styles, energies, and ideologies, and how it embodies a unique sense of

community.

Learn more at <u>Scarecrow Video</u>

MEDIA DIGEST

NEW PERFORMANCE ARTS & AFFORDABLE HOUSING SPACE PLANNED FOR RAINIER VALLEY Seattle JazzED and Capitol Hill Housing have purchased property for a new building that will house a music school, a performance space, and 100 new units of affordable housing. Seattle JazzED, born out of Garfield High's nationally-recognized jazz band, works to create more equitable access to music education.



Read more at <u>Curbed Seattle</u>

BARSUK RECORDS CELEBRATES 20 YEARS

Over the past 20 years, Seattle-based Barsuk Records has become a hallmark institution for indie rock in the Northwest and beyond. Barsuk has worked with Death Cab for Cutie, Nada Surf, Phantogram, The Long Winters, David Bazan, and many more. KEXP celebrated the record label's 20th anniversary by counting down 20 of their favorite releases.



Listen at <u>KEXP</u>

KEXP PAYS TRIBUTE TO ARETHA FRANKLIN

KEXP played non-stop Aretha Franklin songs last week in memory of the Queen of Soul. This was one of many tributes from across the country and around the world that honored the legendary artist after she passed away last week.



Watch at KOMO News

NO RE-ENTRY AT BUMBERSHOOT THIS YEAR

This year, Bumbershoot attendees will no longer be allowed to leave the festival and come back. The rule change comes this year as part of an effort to improve safety at the three-day music and arts festival at Seattle Center. The festival is also adding metal detectors at its entrances and making other security changes. Bumbershoot is coming up this Labor Day weekend.

Read more at KIRO 7 News



ALICE IN CHAINS PERFORMING ON THE SPACE NEEDLE TODAY

Joining a long tradition of musicians ascending the Needle, Alice in Chains will be promoting their new album with a performance atop the Space Needle today. They will be the first band performing on the newly renovated glass floors.

Read more at the <u>Seattle Times</u>



AMAZON MAY ACQUIRE LOCAL THEATERS

Amazon wants to acquire the Landmark Theatres chain, which has 50 movie theaters in cities across the country. Landmark Theatres owned the Seven Gables and Guild 45th theaters, which shut down last year. As the Stranger reports, it is unclear whether these two theaters would be revived if Amazon acquires the chain.



Read more at the <u>Stranger</u>

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