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CITY NEWS



JIMI HENDRIX PARK NOW OPEN

After years of delay, Jimi Hendrix Park opened to the public on Saturday, June 17. Located in Seattle's Central District, the 2.5 acre green space includes Hendrix's lyrics etched into walkways, Hendrix-inspired sculptures, and a performance stage.

Read more at [Rolling Stone](#)



THIS WEEK ON ART ZONE WITH NANCY GUPPY

Cornish College of the Arts film students produce a piece on Seattle's Mary Lambert; a performance by Jason McCue; America's youngest drag queen RainBowGore Cake, and much more on Art Zone with Nancy Guppy. Catch the episode now on the Seattle Channel.

Watch new episodes on the [Seattle Channel](#)

INDUSTRY

THIS WEEK ON BAND IN SEATTLE: MY GOODNESS

From a two-piece blues rock band to a four-piece "indie reverb-drenched" machine, follow the evolution of Seattle rock veterans My Goodness. Hear a selection of songs from their new album 'Scavengers', Saturday night at 11 pm on KSTW, CW11.

[Watch More Episodes at Band in Seattle](#)



OPPORTUNITIES



CREATIVE TEENS: APPLY NOW FOR THE SEATTLE YOUTH COMMISSION

Seattle teens are encouraged to apply for the Seattle Youth Commission. The commission consists of 15 Seattle teens that are appointed by the Mayor and City Council to discuss issues Seattle's youth face among many other topics impacting the city. Youth Commissioners must be between the age of 13-19; deadline to apply is July 17.

[Read More at Seattle Department of Neighborhoods](#)



SUBMIT YOUR NEW WORK FOR NORTHWEST FILMMAKERS' FESTIVAL

The Northwest Filmmakers' Festival is accepting submissions for its 2017 festival. Northwest Fest draws more than 400 entries and includes a current northwest film exhibition and networking opportunities. All submissions are due by August 1.

[Read More at Northwest Film](#)

MEDIA DIGEST

SEATTLE'S WOMEN IN FILM: OPEN LETTER IN SUPPORT OF WA FILM INCENTIVE

Seattle's Women in Film authored a recent letter to Washington State House Democrat Kristine Lytton in support of Washington State's Motion Picture Competitiveness Program (MPCP). The letter notes the possible MPCP sunset date of June 30, 2017 and the potential impacts on the Washington film community.



[Read more at *The Stranger*](#)

SEATTLE FILMMAKERS FEATURED AT THE SHANGHAI INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

Big Sonia, a documentary by filmmaking team Leah Warshawski and Todd Soliday, and SJ Chiro's *Lane 1974* are featured at this year's Shanghai International Film Festival. Only a small selection of American-made films were selected, with *Big Sonia* being the only American-made documentary.



[Learn more about the *Shanghai International Film Festival*](#)

2017 BURIEN FILM FESTIVAL

The 2017 Burien Film Festival opens on Thursday, June 22 with a free showing of nine silent animated films with live musical accompaniments in Dottie Harper Park. The full festival runs June 22, 24-25.



[Learn More About the *Burien Film Festival*](#)

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