



Free Cultural Events

Get ya' life! Come down to the park and catch a vibe with free movies, concerts, festivals, and special events.

EAST PORTLAND SUMMER ARTS FESTIVAL

CELEBRATING BLACK EXCELLENCE

SATURDAY, JULY 8TH

BLACK PANTHER WAKANDA FOREVER

BLACK PANTHER: WAKANDA FOREVER (2022)
PG-13 • SEBE: KAN YOUTH AFRICAN DANCE

SUNDAY, JULY 9TH

PJ MORTON
LIVE IN CONCERT
MULTI GRAMMY AWARD-WINNING ARTIST,
SONGWRITER & PRODUCER

WASHINGTON PARK SUMMER FESTIVAL

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

NW DANCE PROJECT PRESENTS A NEW AND ORIGINAL DANCE CREATION FOR ALL TO ENJOY AND DANCE ALONG! 6:00PM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

PORTLAND CELLO PROJECT PRESENTS PURPLE REIGN: THE MUSIC OF PRINCE 6:00PM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

OPERA IN THE PARK PRESENTS AN OPERATIC CONCERT WITH A FULL CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA AMIDST THE ROSES! 6:00PM

WEBSITE:



"WE OUTSIDE"
An outdoor wellness event for BIPOC communities featuring games, exercises, and workshops!

Sunday, July 30 | 3:00pm
Luuwit View Park, NE 127th Avenue and Fremont Street

THE JEFFERSONS: LIVE!

A REENACTMENT OF THE CLASSIC TV SHOW,
PRESENTED BY PLAYWRIGHT KWIK JONES

SUNDAY, JULY 23RD

3PM

PENINSULA PARK,
786 N ROSA PARKS WAY





CONCERTS Begin at 6:30pm unless otherwise noted below.



MOVIES Begin after dusk Event begins at 7:30pm with free popcorn.



FESTIVALS Begin at varied times. Dance, music, movies, activities, and more!



SPECIAL EVENTS Begin at varied times.

DATE	LOCATION	CULTURAL EVENTS	PARTNER	TIME
Saturday, July 8	Ventura Park 460 SE 113th Avenue	East Portland Summer Arts Festival <i>Celebrating Black Excellence: Black Panther: Wakanda Forever</i> (2022) PG-13 + Sebe' Kan Youth African Dance + special events	Portland Parks & Recreation	4:00pm: Arts Activities 6:00pm: Movie
Sunday, July 9	Ventura Park 460 SE 113th Avenue	East Portland Summer Arts Festival <i>Celebrating Black Excellence: PJ Morton: Live in Concert</i> Multi Grammy Award-Winning neo soul, R&B and funk songwriter, singer & producer	Portland Parks & Recreation	4:00pm: Arts Activities 6:00pm: Main Event
Thursday, July 13	Mt. Tabor Park — Amphitheater SE 60th Avenue and Salmon Street	Bloco Alegria — A samba explosion & Brazilian dance party!	Friends of Mt. Tabor Park	6:30pm
Thursday, July 13	The Fields Park 1099 NW Overton Street	Woman in Gold (2015) PG-13	Chabad Young Professionals (CYP)	7:30pm
Friday, July 14	Lincoln Park SE 135th Avenue and Mill Street	Ben Fowler Quintet — Soulful, high octane take on modern jazz	Hazelwood Neighborhood Association	6:30pm
Friday, July 14	Colonel Summers Park SE 17th Avenue and Taylor Street	The Fifth Element (1997) PG-13	Buckman Community Association	7:30pm
Saturday, July 15	Sellwood Park SE 7th Avenue and Bidwell Street	Conjunto Alegre Latin Band — Salsa, Merengue, Bachata, and Chachacha	SMILE (Sellwood-Moreland Improvement League)	6:30pm
Saturday, July 15	Kenilworth Park SE 32nd Avenue and Holgate Boulevard	Muppet Treasure Island (1996) G	Creston-Kenilworth Neighborhood Association	7:30pm
Wednesday, July 19	Gateway Discovery Park NE 108th Avenue and Halsey Street	Micah and Me — Kindie dance party band playing upbeat originals and children's classic covers	Portland Parks & Recreation	11:30am
Thursday, July 20	Wellington Park NE 66th Avenue and Mason Street	Lyle, Lyle Crocodile (2022) PG — Spanish w/English subtitles	Roseway Neighborhood Association	7:30pm
Friday, July 21	McCoy Park 4677 N Trenton Street	Arietta Ward — Rip City Soul Funk Diva	Home Forward + New Columbia	6:30pm
Friday, July 21	Brentwood Park SE 62nd Avenue and Cooper Stret	Rogue One: A Star Wars Story (2016) PG-13	Brentwood-Darlington Neighborhood Association	7:30pm
Saturday, July 22	Fernhill Park NE 37th Avenue and Ainsworth Street	Tiger Tiger: A Celebration of Our AANHPI* Communities Music, art, food, & culture for the whole family!	Tiger Tiger *Asian American, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander	2:00pm
Saturday, July 22	King School Park NE 6th Avenue and NE Going Street	DC League of Super-Pets (2022) PG — English w/ Spanish subtitles	Northeast Coalition of Neighborhoods	7:30pm
Sunday, July 23	Peninsula Park 700 N Rosa Parks Way	The Jeffersons: Live! A reenactment of the classic TV show, presented by playwright Kwik Jones	Portland Parks & Recreation	3:00pm
Wednesday, July 26	Gateway Discovery Park NE 108th Avenue and Halsey Street	Olive and Dingo — Hilarious and joyful rockin' storytime	Portland Parks & Recreation	11:30am

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Thursday, July 27	Elizabeth Caruthers Park 3508 S Moody Avenue	The Incredibles (2004) PG	South Waterfront Community Relations	7:30pm	
Friday, July 28	K'unamokwst Park 5200 NE Alberta Street	Rae Gordon — High energy blues and soul	Cully Association of Neighbors (CAN)	6:30pm	
Saturday, July 29	Alberta Park NE 19th Avenue and Ainsworth Street	Pa'lante — Fiery salsa and Latin jazz!	Concordia Neighborhood Association	6:30pm	
Saturday, July 29	Earl Boyles Park 10740 SE Francis Street	A Celebration of Somali American Communities A cultural celebration of Black/ African refugees in the City of Portland	Somali American Council of Oregon (SACOO)	6:30pm	
Sunday, July 30	Luwit View Park NE 127th Avenue and Fremont Street	We Outside — An outdoor wellness event featuring games, exercises, and workshops	The Numberz FM	3:00pm	
Wednesday, August 2	Gateway Discovery Park NE 108th Avenue and Halsey Street	DJ Anjali & The Incredible Kid — High-energy Bollywood/ bhangra dance party! Learn a few South Asian dance moves!	Portland Parks & Recreation	11:30am	
Thursday, August 3	Essex Park SE 79th Avenue and Center Street	The Bayou Boyz — Reinterpreting the Great American Songbook with a Louisiana flair	Foster-Powell Neighborhood Association	6:30pm	
Friday, August 4	Laurelhurst Park SE 37th Avenue and Oak Street	Comedy in the Park Featuring live comedy from the PNW's favorite local and national comics.	Kickstand Comedy	6:00pm	
Saturday, August 5	Gilbert Heights Park 4209 SE 130th Avenue	Donna Jones and the Delegation — Sultry and soulful R&B	Powellhurst-Gilbert Neighborhood Association	6:30pm	
Saturday, August 5	Kenton Park 8417 N Brandon Avenue	Iron Prophecy — A message of unity through reggae music	Kenton Neighborhood Association	6:30pm	
Wednesday, August 9	Gateway Discovery Park NE 108th Avenue and Halsey Street	Ballet Folklórico Corazones Alegres — Traditional Mexican dances performed by youth from Latino Network	Portland Parks & Recreation	11:30am	
Thursday, August 10	Peninsula Park 700 N Rosa Parks Way	Dance United — World Music Festival & Dance Party	Dance United	6:30pm	
Thursday, August 10	Wilshire Park NE 33rd Avenue and Skidmore Street	Encanto (2021) PG	Beaumont-Wilshire Neighborhood Association	7:30pm	
Friday, August 11	Washington Park — Rose Garden Amphitheater 410 SW Kingston Avenue	Washington Park Summer Festival NW Dance Project presents a new and original dance creation for all to enjoy and dance along!	Portland Parks & Recreation	6:00pm	
Saturday, August 12	Washington Park — Rose Garden Amphitheater 410 SW Kingston Avenue	Washington Park Summer Festival Portland Cello Project presents Purple Reign: The Music of Prince	Portland Parks & Recreation	6:00pm	
Sunday, August 13	Washington Park — Rose Garden Amphitheater 410 SW Kingston Avenue	Washington Park Summer Festival Opera in the Park Portland invites you to enjoy an operatic concert with a full chorus and orchestra amidst the roses!	Opera in the Park Portland	6:00pm	

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Thursday, August 17	Alberta Park NE 19th Avenue and Ainsworth Street	 Jujuba — Ridiculously danceable Afrobeat music featuring Nojeem Lasisi	Black Parent Initiative (BPI)	6:30pm
Friday, August 18	Pendleton Park SW 55th Drive and Iowa Street	 Aaron Nigel Smith — Reggae fusion and sweet sounds	Hayhurst Neighborhood Association	6:30pm
Friday, August 18	Luwit View Park NE 127th Avenue and Fremont Street	 Jumanji (1995) PG	Argay Terrace Neighborhood Association	7:30pm  
Saturday, August 19	Wilkes Park 3655 NE 154th Avenue	 A Cara O Cruz Band — Latin band with influences in cumbia and rock	Wilkes Community Group	6:30pm
Saturday, August 19	Sewallcrest Park SE 31st Avenue and Stephens Street	 Hidden Figures (2016) PG	Richmond Neighborhood Association	7:30pm 
Sunday, August 20	Ventura Park 460 SE 113th Avenue	 Multicultural Kids Festival NW Showcasing the diversity of Slavic people in Portland. Explore different foods, cultures, and traditions!	Slavic Community Center of NW	12:00pm
Sunday, August 20	Overlook Park N Interstate Avenue and Fremont Street	 Soul (2020) PG	Overlook Neighborhood Association	7:30pm 
Thursday, August 24	Irving Park NE 7th Avenue and Fremont Street	 Mo Phillips and the Spaghetti Pants Dance Band — Hilariously good time of dancing like crazy	International Children's Arts Network (ICAN)	6:30pm
Thursday, August 24	Hoyt Arboretum — Vietnam Veterans of Oregon Memorial 4000 SW Canyon Road	 Dr. Seuss' The Lorax (2012) PG - English w/ Spanish subtitles	Hoyt Arboretum Friends	7:30pm 
Friday, August 25	Denorval Unthank Park 510 N Shaver Street	 Outer Orbit — Soul Funk Dance Party	Boise Neighborhood Association	6:30pm
Friday, August 25	Thompson Park NE 138th Place and Thompson Street	 The Super Mario Bros. Movie (2023) PG	Russell Neighborhood Association	7:30pm 
Saturday, August 26	George Park N Burr Avenue and Fessenden Street	 The Kidz Outside Festival Second annual family-friendly hip-hop event with interactive activities and vendors	Gentrification is WEIRD!	2:00pm
Saturday, August 26	Glenhaven Park NE 82nd Avenue and Siskiyou Street	 Cars (2006) G	Madison South Neighborhood Association	7:30pm 
Sunday, August 27	Rose City Golf Club 2200 NE 71st Avenue	 Community Day at Rose City Golf Course Celebrating 100th Year at Rose City Golf BridgeCity Soul — Old school and new school R&B, soul, and funk	Portland Parks & Recreation Golf	6:00pm 
Sunday, August 27	Laurelhurst Park SE 37th Avenue and Oak Street	 Providence Stage Band — Big band sounds from the 40s to today!	Providence Stage Band	6:30pm
Thursday, August 31	Woodstock Park SE 50th Avenue and Steele Street	 Medicine Robe — A dynamic quartet specializing in creative interpretations of modern jazz	Woodstock Neighborhood Association	6:30pm
Saturday, September 2	K'unamokwst Park 5200 NE Alberta Street	 Te Ata (2016) PG	Native American Youth and Family Center (NAYA)	7:30pm 
Saturday, September 2	Hamilton Park SW 45th Avenue and Hamilton Street	 Big (1988) PG	Neighbors of Bridlemile	7:30pm 

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