



# Columbia Association of Puppeteers

## November, 2006 Newsletter

Our Sunday November 26th meeting is from 2-5 p.m. at Kathy Karbo's Villa, 1835 SE 21st, Portland, OR 97214 (at Stephens & 21st, two long blocks south of Hawthorne. Blvd.)

Kathy's Phone is (503) 235-0211

It will be a shoemaking party. Bring decorations that could be included in making spectacular shoes.

As part of Tears of Joy Puppet Theater's Call for Artists.

An open call to artists who are interested in making shoes for Tears of Joy Theatre's new puppet production of *The Shoemaker and the Elves* (Feb, 2007). This show is about a shoemaker and the two elves who stumble upon his failing shop. The elves, desperate for a creative outlet, begin to build shoes at night. The play is set in midtown Manhattan in the late 1940's and therefore the style of footwear should reflect this era.

25 artists will be chosen to have their shoes featured either as props in the production, or in the accompanying exhibit which will be on display outside of the theatre.

The guidelines: Each artist will submit a pair of shoes (2) measuring not more than 7" long, 3" wide per shoe (for a total of 6" wide for the pair), and 6" high. All mediums are welcome, but must be relatively lightweight and sturdy. All entries will become property of Tears of Joy Theatre. Send a letter of interest to Kathy Karbo at [Kathykarbo@comcast.net](mailto:Kathykarbo@comcast.net). Deadline: 12/1/06.

### CAP December Meeting

Trails Tails & Company will present 'Twas The Night Before Christmas Saturday, Dec 16 & Sunday, Dec 17 at 12:30 and 4:00 p.m., as well as Saturday Dec 23 at 4:00 p.m.

at the Jantzen Beach Center, Portland, Oregon 97217.

For more information, call: (503) 286-9103

Our December meeting will be to view the Saturday December 23rd 4:00 p.m. performance at Jantzen Beach Center. We'll meet in the mall food court at 3:30, for a short business meeting and then watch the show.

Let's all turn out and celebrate the Holiday season in the absolute peak of Mall madness, the night before the night before Christmas.



Tears of Joy Theatre  
presents  
*Alice in Wonderland*  
December 1-3, 2006

Join Alice in a treasure-filled Victorian attic as she begins her wondrous adventure. You'll meet all your favorite characters including the sleepy Dormouse, the vanishing Cheshire Cat, the Mad Hatter, and of course, Tweedle-Dee and Tweedle-Dum. This madcap theatrical romp is performed with body puppets, rod puppets, masks, and a "real live" Alice. Songs and music by Richard Moore will enchant and delight audiences from three to ninety-three.

Opens Fri. Dec 1 at 7:30 p.m. Continues Saturday Dec 2 at 11:00 a.m. and Sunday Dec 3 at 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. at the Portland Center for the Performing Arts (PCPA) Newmark Theatre. For more information, call (503) 248-0557 or (360) 695-0477.



News from  
The Olde World Puppet  
Theatre

Steve & Marty are busily building the sets for their puppet video pilot of their production of *Witch Key*.

Seen at left is the Palace

Garden set with Sterling the

Court Jester and Royal Prince Aaron, two of the featured performers in the story.

We'll have more information on the construction of the sets and the refurbishing of the puppets on our website, [www.puppetmuseum.com](http://www.puppetmuseum.com) in the very near future.

**Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas!**  
**May the reason for the season fill your hearts**  
**with joy and happiness.**

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