



# Columbia Association of Puppeteers

## August, 2008 Newsletter



Our Friday August 22nd (at 6:00 p.m.) meeting is the ***Eighth*** Annual CAP Barbeque at Janet Bradley & Emily Alexander's Estate, 1510 SE Main St, Portland, OR

### Let's Fire Up The Barbie!!!!

Each year's summer barbeque is the best-attended meeting of the year. This year should prove to be a repeat.

You've got to help by bringing some of the food yourself. Janet will once again be supplying MEAT, (and a brand new grill to cook it on) so we all need to bring things like chips, pop, veggies, dessert, and/or obscure things that only you know how to make --you know the drill!!

Remember -- if you bring what you like to eat, you'll LOVE the food.

Be generous and bring some extra food to help feed your fellow (starving) puppeteers.

Get reacquainted with old friends and meet new ones!

Call Janet at 503-238-5581 for directions.



Hope you're all having a wonderful summer - now that it's finally here in Portland.

Puppetry in Portland usually takes a summer break, and we'll have more news of local puppet stuff in the next newsletter.

### Rolling Regional Festival

The last stop on the Rolling Regional Festival will be part of the **FringeKids Fest!**, Saturday August 23, 11 am - 4 pm Market Square Courtyard (Lower Johnson St) Victoria, BC Canada.

100% FREE fun and entertainment for kids and families, featuring Major Conrad Flapps, Face Painting, **Puppetry Guild challenge**, the ever popular Cardboard Castle, and more! Totally, totally free. Sponsored by Market Square, City of Victoria.

### 2009 P of A Festival in Atlanta

The 2009 National Puppetry Festival will be held July 14 – 19 on the campus of the **Georgia Institute of Technology** in Atlanta. The festival organizers are in the process of finalizing performers and workshop presenters. **Anyone wishing to submit a performance or workshop for consideration should do so immediately.**

Performance inquiries should be sent to Reay Schloss at: [reaypuppet@yahoo.com](mailto:reaypuppet@yahoo.com).

Workshop inquiries should be sent to Michael and Valerie Nelson at: [mail@magicalmoonshine.org](mailto:mail@magicalmoonshine.org).

The festival website, <http://www.nationalpuppetryfestival.org>, includes full information about registration, performances, and workshops.

### September CAP Meeting

The next CAP meeting will be on Sunday September 28th at 3:00 p.m. at the home of Samantha Anne Maggio, CAP's Vice President of Membership, at 8534 SE 16th Ave (Corner of Clatsop) in Portland.

Hopefully, it will be a bit cooler than for the last meeting planned at her house.

Call Samantha at 1-720-334-3853 for directions. (It's only about 6 blocks from Steve & Marty's shop, if that helps).

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