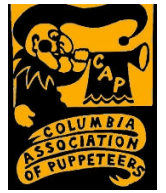




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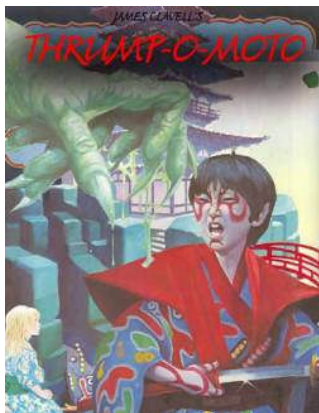
No meeting this month Oh, whatever shall we do???? How about going to a show!!!

Since most of the guild movers and shakers are out moving and shaking, it has been decided that the September meeting will not be held. Instead, we encourage you to go and see a live performance, three of which are listed here.

Support your local puppeteers, who are out there trying to build an audience, provide a different point of view, and also make a buck to keep the wolf from the door.

First up is Thrump-O-Moto, Saturday, Sept 27, 2003 - Time: 11:00 am & 1:00 pm Admission: \$5 or 4 for \$15 - Ages: All Place: The Shoe Box Theater, Main City Park, 219 S. Main Ave., Gresham, Oregon; (503) 267-2750 Directed and built by Jason Ropp, Dragon Theater Puppets

A story by James Clavell, Sponsored by East Metro Arts & Culture Council and the William Hurt Foundation. The story of a tiny Japanese Wizard whose "discombulated" magic sends him to the outback of Australia where he befriends a charming little girl named Patricia. She has a problem that Thrump-O-Moto can help her with, if only they could both go to Japan. Adventure, sword play, magic, new friends, and success are the outcome.



Next up, Gallery Theater presents Shakespeare's KING LEAR, Featuring CAP member Bruce K. Chessé as the big enchilada.

Through September 27th
Friday & Saturday, 8:00 P.M.
Sundays, 3:00 P.M. Gallery Theater, 210 NE Ford
McMinnville, OR Reservations: 503 472-2227.



Finally, the Olde World Puppet Theatre is venturing to Seattle to perform their madcap version of Pinocchio once again at the Festa Italiana at the Seattle Center on September 27 & 28 at 1 & 3 pm both days.



So, turn off your television, get in your car, or take a bus, and support your fellow guild members as they pound the boards.

You can tell us all about them at the October meeting.

Third nag: Your dues expired September first. Beat the rush and mail yours in today!!! Send them to Marty Richmond at the address below.

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