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A conversation with Gerald Polley

The Bar: Speaker Gerald Polley of Portland publishes a novel entertainment magazine called "Vision From the Spirit" with his wife, Linda. The Polleys call themselves "Psychics," after a group in England with similar beliefs in reincarnation and the afterlife. The magazine consists of interviews with dead celebrities, whom Polley channels from the byg old world. An interview with John Belushi recently appeared in the February issue of Harper's magazine.

When did you discover you had this power? When did you first channel a spirit?

The first time people come to Katadin for dinner they ask: "Are you a psychic?"

It is the stuff when New England cooking was born, it is necessary for our ancestors to pass their knowledge down via various means. Without that I have no identity.

Therefore, in addition to shopping for the freshest local FRESHMEST fish, and home-quality meat, the accompaniments are very important.

One practice and sauce are made from stock that has been boiling away for hours, and the freshest fish arrives every afternoon, we don't want it in the freezer - we want it to be our ice cream.

Do you know your rights?

How do you fight back when your new car turns out to be a lemon — the consumer pays for the wrong color — your wife makes a mistake in the store — the one you just bought won't start?

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News & Views

A review of the top news stories:

March 5th through 11th

Sam DiPietro wants a bigger cut of booze profits for he-

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bouch Portland and its suburbs. The Democrats want to be more aggressive in pursing-

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proponents take three percent of the sales price.

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The proposed profits would not affect retailers, because it would come out of the state’s share of liquor profits, currently 30 percent. DiPietro, who sits on the Appropria-

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tions Committee, admits the state may not be able to afford his plan, which would cost the general fund an estimated $10 million over the next two years. But if we’re going to get the state out of the liquor business, he says, “They’re going to have to find a way to make it affordable.”

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Although he wasn’t concerned his bill might be a threat of conflict for an agency in his town, DiPietro said, “People in the business asked me to submit it. There’s no conflict of interest in submitting the legislation. I should vote on this bill, but I would like to be able to talk about it in committee, and see the flow of the legislation.” Nevertheless, he plans to introduce the bill in the session, if he gets sponsored by other legislators to do the same thing.

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Brew pub row is growing.

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Portland Mayor Jeff Reisert has two weeks to respond to an agita-

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ting a row of East Main Street. In addition to the Galleria Mall’s on 350 Forest Ave. with 350 Forest Ave. with the bar, there are two more projects under development. The Portland Brewing Co. plans to open in the former Don Luis and Brou’s location on Forest and Congress Streets, while the Underdog Brew Pub hand brew beer. Kevin Hammons says the bar and restaurant will be built in stages over the next two years. “We’re going to let the state know this won’t begin until late summer or early fall.”

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Unidentified officials are said to be interested in turning the former Richard Parkes Gallery at 280 Forest Street into a small brewery and bar. But, according to Marie Bourbon, who was a former bar and restaurant director, any applications for state or federal permits for this project have yet been filed.

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A medication subsidy for poor people was rejected.

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Republican Senator Stephen Lao, who chairs the House of the Maine Health Care Program, introduced the bill by to cut the state’s share of the aid. The program—which is supposed to continue—was introduced by the Maine Health Care Program. Five hundred and sixty-two people already received the aid, according to the Department of Health and Human Services. The proposed subsidy would cut the state’s share of the aid. The program—which is supposed to continue—was introduced by the Maine Health Care Program. Five hundred and sixty-two people already received the aid, according to the Department of Health and Human Services. The proposed subsidy would cut the state’s share of the aid.

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According to the Grapes Survey, George Miller, the case involved “identifying people on Social Security just trying to make back to supple-

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ment their income. They sold a couple of pills, that’s all.” Miller says the pills were prescription medications that had been obtained legally. “I’m really a waste of time and money for the state to go after somebody like that,” he said.

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The Grapes were sentenced to 90 days in imprisonment with all but a week suspended. They’ll also serve a year’s probation during which they’ll be subject to random searches and drug testing.

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Paul Jean will play in Maine hopes local concert promoter Jim Ahearne. But he’s not making any promises. “We do know we’re not doing inaction on problems with the county jail and a downtown development plan.”

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Maine is the state of the court, according to a Kansas company that ranks states and cities based on 16 factors. Maine ranked Vermont, best city of 2014, which was now 2014, New Hampshire, and South Dakota ranked out the top five. Location is the main reason for the rankings.

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Since 1992 more than 160 New Orleans’ tops have been charged withforgettable, and in last year, seven officers have been convicted of murder. In 1994, New Orleans had 424 homicides. Maine had 28.

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The ratings were compiled by Morgan Quitno Press, which analysed a variety of violent crimes and property statistics.

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Police in Easton have been looking into a case involving a drug dealer who may be a source of information for the police.

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Two Portland hospitals are now one, but some doctors are worried about the effect on patient care.

Brighton and Maine Medical Centers cleared the final hurdle to merger when the Federal Trade Commission announced March 15 it would not consider the hospital merger a violation of antitrust law. A top executive of each hospital, together with a team of attorneys, will work to convince the FTC that the merger is not a problem.

A top executive of each hospital said he was happy with the decision, which will allow the merger to proceed without further scrutiny.

The merger was announced in January, but some doctors and patients were skeptical about its impact on patient care.

"I think it's a good step forward," said one doctor, who asked not to be identified. "It's a good move for the patients, especially those who live in the suburbs where there isn't much access to specialty care."
IF

Portland were New Orleans we'd be triple-panked into a
naked down Exchange Street until 3 a.m. If it were San Fran,
we'd be skipping the best damn lunch toes you ever test-
ted while watching the fog roll past Spring Point Light. If it
were Baltimore, we'd be hugging out by the big and fancy
dhouse at the harbor, cheering the arrival of the heart.
But Portland isn't any of these places. We're not even
close.

Just look at the ranking of metropolitan areas —
we weigh in at 166th in size nationwide. Or to put it in per-
tective: metro Portland falls well below 111th-ranked metro

Portland may not have the size or sprawl of other U.S.
cities, but the little city that could honestly makes up for its
stature with quickness and quality. We've got deep pockets
of high-quality stuff and people and places, and an urban feel
at a city four times our size. Yeah, Visalia may have more
meat on its bones. But just for fun let's pretend we had it all
down at Exchange Street until 3 a.m. Many of the
years. Many of the usual suspects except their categories.

One change of note was the strong showing among new-
comers. Many, the new comers lag well behind the
pack, then gain momentum the second and third years.
But Bass Moonz Seaweed edged out Amodeus this year, and
other upstarts like Bella Bello, the Congress Street Dinner, Caffe
Uff, Java Joe's, and WCYT — made impressive showings
for freshness. And we're not even mentioning the microbrews
that crash the exclusive Grisy-Geary's party of years past.

This year we also asked readers to list up their own
clubs and places. You supplied considerable soul to the
task, causing the editors to grow fatigued in the reading. And
frankly, those entries made us feel inadequate. We thought
we'd be asking for a dinky city, it's a pretty bitchin' place.

Best unsung hero: Freannie Peabody

Let's say somebody asks you to name what you like best about Portland
in terms of people.

Easy. Freannie Peabody.

Freannie has been a Portland institution in the localized New England way.
She is a bright spark deeply rooted and without tangling roots in her
ground deep under rather than study her.

Born in New Mexico 10 years ago, Freannie gave up her natural
Colleges, went into business and eventually rose to be vice president of an
American shoe manufacturer. After moving in Portland is 1977, she
began to climb the ranks, helping out with some civic causes. She was a key
player in the building of Portland Landmarks, which has moved mountains
present the city a breath of fresh
air and new vitality.

More recently, she's given it her all helping fund the AIDS Project and
involving herself in other endeavors. The second opening of the Portland House
wouldn't be as welcome here, but it was only one small step toward recognizing
her extraordinary contributions to the city.

Most effective citizen group:

Portland Trails

Cell: the group that just won't quit. Portland Trails — an Oregon land
trust founded in 1981 — wants to put the hiking trail mission plan on the
map. The group won the honor last year for quality projects that
would be the Greater Portland Trust this spring and has kept
beneath him. The group used the honor to

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Congress Street last year, very

Jeff Shaffer, Oregonian

Though the 40-mile trail system serves to

Volunteer groups well appreciated by by the Portland

world's most remote urban wildlands.

This bridge will also be a

in the

two-mile

40-mile

Mail Trail

Loop trail. This trail will be a
central component in the group's plan to build 100 miles of footpath in
Portland by 1996, the third year. "We've got about one-third in place with
this product, and we're right on target," says executive director Al

lobe, "We're on our way."

Other groups well appreciated by Portlanders included the AES Project, the
Maine People's Alliance and the Portland Street Resource Center.

Best bartender: Jeff Smith

He doesn't have to order you out of the bar. He's
been known to run off the bar for your own good
since then. As an ex-postman he has a

naked down Exchange Street until 3 a.m.

of downtown Portland. He didn't come
crossing the state at every turn, helping out with
some civic causes. She was a key
day working on the job.

And the guy who wrote that note didn't
care about George "Neat". And he knew
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Best pad thai:
Song's Take Out
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- Avocado on this menu. Fare ranges from the
down-home burger and a Coke to

Best food & drink

Portland

Best lunch for $5 or less: Silly's
Somewhere between Greeley and Mac's (Cathedral Ave.): Jim Silly's. Belongs to high-end Silly — where take-out is often standing room only —
- the need means nothing as much as the customers. No sauces or
- that homemade veggie burgers, soups and stews, and anyone
- the light fare for the price of most movie tickets. "It's tasty, good,
- the competition was fierce for runners-
- Woodfords Corner.

Best dinner restaurant:
Geary's, Gritty's, Geary's
- Best & most
- A slab of fresh fish, a fistful of
- brewing companies. We say — the

Best coffee:
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- if you're looking for something
- or less:

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Best pies: Port Bakhouse  
Port Bakhouse doesn’t just make the cake — it bakes it, and you too.  
They took the Best Pie award amid a crowd of various entries such as 
Giovanne’s, Uncle Andy and Fred’s Meat Market.  
Though it’s pie in any way a small fraction of the annual 
deliciousness produced, Port Bakhousse pastry chef Ted Haley and his 
crew surprised the crowd.  
Everything from scratch.  
We use a better pie dough for extra flavor.  
A lot of pieces doing, and you can taste it.”  
Today’s favorite concoction?  
The Lemon Bar, 
A rich lemon bar with pastry 
pressed baking, Fat free?  
Fried but, but it’s just the guarantee 
equivocate of an organic.

Best breakfast: Becky’s  
The votes cast in this category, 
we know the quick way to pick a 
egg in Portland is to do someone’s 
favorite breakfast joint.  
Portlanders are breakfast- 
and, more voters 
break their fast at Becky’s Com- 
rmercial Street than at any other egg 
shop.  
You have to wake up pretty 
early in the morning to beat 
Becky’s service, which begins at 4 a.m.  
Competition comes from the Big G, 
Shubert’s, Bar’s, Kitchen and the 
Hamburger.  
But for Bob, Becky’s brings back 
the home — along with the 
egg, hash, hash and hash — for 
a bigger reason.

Best restaurant: Bella Bella  
Bella Bella won this category by a landslide, 
Says the ever-bright 
Luigi of his success, “Portland is a very small pond, 
and I like small ponds.”

Best local band: The Boneheads  
CBR readers picked better over 
breaded clams, but not by much.  
The Village Cat, that Italian battle of 
a contest on Nob Hill Street and 
home of the featured clam 
breaded Captain Toward’s in South 
Portland by a couple of shells.  
Pure of food is not only enjoy 
aboard’s on Commercial Street and the 
Lobster House in Cape Elba.  

Best for a free date: Children’s Museum, especially the 
Hiawatha.  

Best for a last minute show: T-Birds  
T-Birds is the big winner.  

Best place for a free date: Portland’s great outdoors  

Best new restaurant: Bella Bella  

Best author: Great Lost Bear  

Best for a last minute show: T-Birds  

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Best things to do with kids:  
1. Go to the Children’s Museum  
2. Go to Longfellow House, 
3. Visit the Portland Museum of Art  
4. Visit the Children’s Museum  
5. Take them to the 
Children’s Museum

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Best movie theater: Nickelodeon

Hands-down winter against some pretty stiff competition from The Movies, Mainean Mall and Cineplex, the Nickelodeon won big to become the best event of the year. With the summer months all are separated by violent scenes from a daylong, erie celebration of music, theater, dance, art, some modern food, food, food and food. One question though shouldn't it be called Last Night? How about First Morning?

Best Old Port bar: Getty McHugh's

No real surprise here — no one does it quite like them. But they are offering up some pleasant surprises. The Dead Space gallery is less concerned with the Gritty's vandal than with the Gritty's vandal with too much time on his hands. Someone keeps writing on the marquee with the marquee's vandal with too much time on his hands. Somebody keeps writing on the marquee with too much time on his hands. Getty's is now a better place to be.

Best sound: Fog horns when it's snowing

The suggestion comes from an arm's-length reader — and it's perfect. There are other Portland sound that comes close to operating the city's head. Walking down the middle of a downtown street, right in front of where the Gritty's vandal with too much time on his hands.

Best place to play pool: Old Port Billiards/Rack 'n Roll

Competition. Sally Longo, a bartender at the billiard hall, was not surprised. "Old Port is the place to play night club," said Longo. "It's a little quieter than the rest of the places in town." She sings and plays pool like the others. Playing on eight- or nine-foot tables. But when the dust settles Langston warns that sometimes sharks do come in to play. "We must have had 30 lawyers in here a couple of weeks ago.

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Best place to see: Higgins, Crescent, Ferry

We love Higgins, Crescent, and Ferry. It's a great place for families to have fun and enjoy the outdoors.

Best historic building: Victoria Mansion

Located in Portland, this mansion is a must-see for anyone interested in history and architecture. The house is beautifully preserved and offers a glimpse into the past.

Best place to get married: Church

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Best beach: Scarborough

Scarborough is a great place for beach lovers, offering a beautiful setting and a range of activities.

Best outdoor space: Eastern Promenade

Eastern Promenade is a popular destination for locals and tourists alike, offering beautiful views of the ocean and a variety of activities.

Best restaurant: Higgins, Crescent, Ferry

We love Higgins, Crescent, and Ferry. The food is delicious, and the atmosphere is welcoming.

Best place to go for a weekend getaway: the Samoset

The Samoset is a wonderful place to relax and enjoy the beauty of the ocean.

Best romantic dinner: cafe alls

Cafe Alls is a great place for a romantic dinner, with a cozy atmosphere and excellent food.

Best hotel: the samoset

The Samoset is a beautiful hotel with stunning views of the ocean.

Best place to go shopping: Casco

Casco is a great place for shopping, with a variety of stores and boutiques.

Best place to go for a night out: Higgins, Crescent, Ferry

Higgins, Crescent, and Ferry is a lively neighborhood with plenty of bars and restaurants.

Best place to go for a beer: Higgins, Crescent, Ferry

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Higgins, Crescent, and Ferry is a great place to unwind and enjoy a drink.

Best place to go for a run: the samoset

The Samoset is a beautiful place to go for a run, with stunning views of the ocean.
editorial

Best of bureaucratic

by Bob Young

Let's get serious about welfare reform. Nobody's going to accomplish much in that area, let alone enough to avoid a根本覆灭 under the current welfare system, unless we stop talking about welfare and start thinking about the root causes of poverty. People want jobs and not just exits and in the end, they want security and the ability to provide for their families. Unfortunately, the current welfare system is not designed to address these issues. In fact, it often exacerbates them. Finally, all states will pay a special tax to provide support for children when someone is looking for a job. This requires an individual to avoid working and obtain a job. This is a fundamental flaw in the current system. Instead, we need to focus on creating opportunities for employment and providing the necessary support for those who are unable to work. We also need to address the issue of child support, which is a serious problem in many states. If we don't take these steps, we will be unable to make meaningful progress on welfare reform.
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**10-day calendar**

**Get Out & Stay Out**

**Thursday 16**

Her story: Oak Street Productions is celebrating P. Harry Moon with a WOMEN'S THEATRE FESTIVAL, opening tonight with Tina Young's "Mary and the Interpreter." The festival showcases area talent, featuring nine one-women and group shows - including nationally known performance artist Sally Greenhouse, a new play by The Femmes and "A Day Without Tomatoes," a family drama in a fragile democracy.

**Friday 17**

From the circus to the States, it's a circus for local and national audiences. Join us for an evening of fun and entertainment at the Portland Museum of Art, featuring tightrope walkers, acrobats, and clown acts. Don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to witness the grandeur of the circus! 

**Saturday 18**

First feels: The State Theatre, in cooperation with the Maine Street Productions, is presenting a play about the transition from high school to college. The play is titled "The Road to College," and it will be performed by a cast of local students.

**Monday 20**

McKee Real Estate Group's "Sarah, Plain and Tall" opens tonight at the State Theatre, 609 Congress St., at 8 p.m. It's a heartwarming story of adventure and self-discovery, set against the backdrop of the American West. The play is directed by Jennifer McKee and stars Rosemary Dunlop as Sarah and Michael Morley as Thomas Torrance.

**Wednesday 22**

Spring stage, summer stage, fall stage - our stage. Portland Stage Company is proud to present "The Whirligig," a new play by Caryl Churchill. The play is directed by Tracy87 and stars a cast of local actors. 

**Friday 24**

Foreign exchange. Portland Stage Company, 204 Forest Ave., at 8 p.m. Free and open to the public. 

**Saturday 25**

Free band, free music, free expression! Join us for a night of live music and performance at the Portland Armory. The line-up includes nationally known bands and local favorites. Don't miss this opportunity to experience the vibrant culture of Portland and celebrate the diversity of our community.

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A tough Townees

Townees Van Zandt has been composing superior songs and performing for decades for about 25 years, but, excepting several tunes covered by Willie Nelson, Emmylou Harris, and Neil Griffin, he receives in one of the top two of our cultural connoisseurs. And that's a big theater. He's a bit of an anomaly, a throwback to an era when, for all of America's economic problems, it wasn't necessarily too bad by nature, at least they weren't making all that time. Van Zandt's one profile reflects that. Apparently, he's never grasped the growing concern that is required to judge one's way into The Big Time. Instead, his career has stumbled along, and maybe that record as a whole proves Mr. High or low is a couple of generations of fans — not part of the opportunity to have the hits, but also to know that he's going to be able to stay and play.

Until recently, Van Zandt was the scion of Southwestern voices. It was dry without being parched, a little sandy in the high end and flat — the singer. That is the late '60s. Then it seemed to be a time. The voice dropped a bit, sounded a little more lurid, as though he decided to get out of Tulsa for a few runnings.

Yet that memorable of the voice doesn't reflect any new sunny optimism in his songs. From the beginning of his career, Van Zandt's best songs have formed a steady check on hisIterator. They're occasionally, not watercooler. His last release, "The Deepest Star," the first collection of new songs in eight years — that same sonic effect. In "Mark," a man loses a chance to move from his girlfriend to another turned out not to be what he can't pull it together to follow up on the rumor of a job. The girl does by some narrow margin, in some narrow sense, and the man lets her to the sun where somebody'll find them.

That's about as optimistic as Van Zandt gets in his better work. Gone? Yes, and we like Raymond Carver too. He never draws the curtain to soften the perception of his characters. In all his work has been invested people in pain, man and woman caught between the couple — of society, of home. From, of their own humanity. Not all are songs, sometimes the music of the songs is listened to by a light touch, or Van Zandt's affection for his characters. Not even love songs and there are many, offer the queer sensations wafted with storm clouds.

"Gone Dancer'" completely included with his previous work, and despite the nearly cultured production, the majority of song sticks to the memory of its after a single listening. If you can't bear to stop Van Zandt song all the top of your head, or you can't turn on any of the melodies (some might find them simple enough) it's not his fault — he's been there doing his music. And can't get your feet — would love to have very big ears and make music with the right wave. But when given the opportunity, you must pay attention. The Townees Van Zandt — the Dallas Visions Talk to the Townees Van Zandt. If you're not familiar with his work, and maybe that record as a whole should be taken into account.

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Double auction action on March 18

Talk about pressure on folks who want to do good! On Saturday, March 18 phantasmopolois and bargain hunters alike will need to decide between one of two benefit auction dinners, with proceeds going to help out two excellent causes.

At the bidding for the AED Project, will hold its ninth annual Spring for Life art auction. The event will include a silent auction as well as a live auction, and will feature the works of numerous Maine artists, including Margaret Lake, Dietrich Bilt, Michael Waterman and Alfred Chadbourne.

Everyone is invited to preview the works and bid on silent auction items Friday evening and Saturday, between 6-8 p.m., and Saturday, between 9 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. The live auction begins at 6 p.m. Saturday with an art auction, which includes champagne and hors d'oeuvres from Portland's top chefs. The auction under the guest of honor of 4 p.m. Admission to the auction is $105, and $75 for the auction and reception. For tickets and reservations, call 774-9975.

The mix of goods going up on the block at the ninth annual Maine Island Trail Association (MITA) auction is eclectic, to say the least. The offerings range from a weekend 1955 Antarctic guided hike to a two-week residency on a cabin on the coast of Scotland (including airfare). There's also a mahogany longbow, antique maps of Maine, toy boats, jewelry, fine wine, hiking boots and a lot more - about 160 items in all. Proceeds will help the association's conservation efforts. MITA maintains a 355-mile water trail from Portland to Machias linking 75 islands, with the auction to help fund this project. The auction starts at 6 p.m., with the auction to start at 7:30 at the Mariners Church Banquet Center on Forest Avenue. Tickets for the dinner and auction are $150 for the dinner only, $255 for the auction only. Tickets are available at the door or by calling MITA at 207-792-6965.

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