August: Panthers and Young Lords Gather in Ashland Oregon for Party People Performance

The performance group Universes will open for long running performance of Party People in Ashland Oregon, known the world over for its Shakespearean plays and other well known plays. Ashland is a lovely city (check it out on the Internet). For the over a year now Universes have been interviewing Panthers and Young Lords for input. They interviewed Bobby Seale, Ericka Huggins and myself as well as other Panthers. They came out to California for the Geronimo Memorial and performed twice once at East side Arts Alliance and the next day at Bobby Hutton Park.

In August 14th thru the 18th Panthers and Lords will arrive in Ashland for a 4 day stay. There will be workshops, a film series, and Photo exhibit. Panthers Emory Douglas, Ericka Huggins, Billy X with Cha, Cha, and Felipe, and Denise Oliver Velez of the Young Lords will be there.

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