

# This Week In

# Spokane

January 30 - February 5, 2012

## Major Events This Week

Phone numbers in the Spokane local calling area unless area code is noted.

### Northern Quest Resort & Casino

February 3, Chubby Checker; February 5, Big Game Party;  
NorthernQuest.com; TicketsWest.com; 800.325.7328

### Spokane Arena

February 3, Spokane Chiefs v. Victoria Royals; February 4,  
WWE Smackdown: Road to Wrestlemania; SpokaneChiefs.com;  
SpokaneArena.com; TicketsWest.com; 800.325.7328

### Martin Woldson Theater at the Fox

February 4, Spokane Symphony SuperPops: America's Favorite  
Cowboys - Riders in the Sky; MartinWoldsonTheater.com; 624.1200

### INB Performing Arts Center

February 3, Comedian Lisa Lampanelli; INBPAC.com;  
TicketsWest.com; 800.325.7328

### Bing Crosby Theater

February 3, Soul Salvation with Ruthie Foster and Paul Thorn;  
February 4, Irish Fiddle with Randal Bays Duo; BingCrosbyTheater.com;  
TicketsWest.com; 800.325.7328

### The MAC

Beginning February 4, *Dig It! The Secrets of Soil*; Through February  
25, *Seeing Impressionism: Europe, America and the Northwest*;  
Ongoing, Campbell House Tours; The Campbell House Visitor Center;  
*Lasting Heritage*; NorthwestMuseum.org; 456.3931

### Spokane County Fair and Expo Center

Through February 4, National Boat Show; SpokaneBoatShow.com;  
747.4604

### Knitting Factory

January 31, O.A.R.; February 3, Excision; February 4, In Flames with  
Very Special Guests; Sp.KnittingFactory.com; TicketFly.com;  
244.3279

## More Community Events

**Spokane Public Market;** February 2 - 4, 24 W Second Ave;  
SpokanePublicMarket.org; 624.1154

**Spokane Civic Theatre;** Through February 4, *The Best Little  
Whorehouse in Texas*; Through February 19, *Catfish Moon*;  
SpokaneCivicTheatre.com; 325.2507

**Interplayers Professional Theater;** Through February 4, *Tuna  
Does Vegas*, 174 S Howard St; Interplayers.com; 747.7045

**Spokane International Film Festival (SpiFF);** Through February  
4, Magic Lantern Theatres and AMC Theatres at  
River Park Square; SpokaneFilmFestival.org;  
720.7743

**RiverSpeak Collective: Only Time Will Tell;**  
Through February 24, Chase Gallery at City Hall;  
SpokaneArts.org; 625.6050

**Ice Skating;** Ongoing, Riverfront Park Ice  
Palace; SpokaneRiverfrontPark.com; 625.6601

## Dig Dirt!

Did you know there are more living creatures in a shovel-full of soil than human beings on the planet? It's true! You can learn this amazing fact and a lot more at *Dig It! The Secrets of Soil*, beginning February 4 at the Northwest Museum of Arts & Culture (MAC). This amazing interactive exhibit has 4,000 square feet of display revealing the complexity of soil and the hidden ecosystem that supports nearly all forms of life on earth. One of the stranger dirt dwellers is the Giant Palouse Earthworm. It is pinkish-white in color and can be up to 3 feet long. Strangely enough, it's said that the worm smells like lilies when handled. Tickets for the exhibit are \$7 and include a tour of the historic Campbell House. The MAC is open Wednesday - Saturday, 10am - 5pm. For more information visit NorthwestMuseum.org or call 456.3931. You're going to think about dirt in a whole new way!

## First-Rate Film!

Some of the best features, shorts and animated films from around the world are at The Spokane International Film Festival (SpIFF), through February 4, AMC and Magic Lantern Theatres. Tickets are \$10 per film. For more information and show times visit SpokaneFilmFestival.org or call 747.7743.

## Football Fun!

The New York Giants and New England Patriots are going to battle for the ultimate championship. Yep, we're talking about the "Big Game" on Sunday, February 5. Watch the game (and the commercials!) on large screens at Pend Oreille Pavilion at Northern Quest Resort & Casino. Tickets are \$40. You could be a lucky winner and take home one of the many prizes. For more information visit NorthernQuest.com or call 481.6700 to purchase tickets.

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