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Lively music, colorful arts and crafts displays, professional performances, and film presentations are all on tap for The Evergreen State College Spring Festival May 14, 15 and 16.

The three-day event, planned to coincide with dedication of Evergreen's new Laboratory Science/Arts Building, begins Friday morning at 10 o'clock when students and interested community participants open booths displaying and/or selling arts and crafts, food, books, jewelry, pottery and even kites. The booths will remain open all day on the main campus mall, weather permitting (If it rains, all activities move to the College Activities Building Mall).

Other Friday activities include the formal 11 a.m. Laboratory Dedication ceremonies; a noon concert by Evergreen Faculty Member Dumi Maraire's Marimba Ensemble; original music performed by students from 1 to 3 p.m.; and final performance of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," from 3 to 5 p.m. In addition, the Laboratory Building will be open for tours and demonstrations from 1 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m., and author/architect Peter Stevens will discuss "Patterns in Nature" at 8 p.m. Also at 8 o'clock, students in the Live and Recorded Coordinated Studies program will present their "Multi-Media Concert", combining music, dance and film presentations.

Saturday's activities kick off at 10 a.m. with booths and displays ready for public enjoyment. A bluegrass concert is set for noon, followed by poetry readings at 1 p.m., original music accompanied by dance performances from 2 to 4 p.m., a belly dancing performance at 7 p.m., and an all-campus dance featuring "Tropical Rainstorm," a local rock group, from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m.

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The new Laboratory Building will also remain open for tours, exhibits and demonstrations Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. In addition, videotapes and films from the Second International Computer Film Festival will be shown in Lecture Hall One from 4 to 6 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday, and the final performance of the "Multi-Media Concert" is slated for 8 p.m.

Sunday activities include three hours of jazz music featuring the Bill Smith Quartet from Seattle and "Marbles" a jazz band also based in Seattle, along with other local groups. Student-produced films will be shown in Lecture Hall Three throughout the afternoon, followed by more videotapes and films from the Computer Film Festival, screened from 4 to 6 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m. in Lecture Hall One. In addition, classical pianist Alberto Rafols will perform music of the masters at 2 p.m. on the fourth floor of the Evans Library Building, and booths and exhibits will remain on display throughout the day.