

Joyride

PRESENTS...

The January 7 First Wednesday Contra Dance

When: Wednesday, January 7, 2026 7:30 p.m.

Where: Polish Hall: 3832 N. Interstate Ave. Portland, OR

Admission: \$20+ to \$5 sliding scale

Joyride:

We're four friends who enjoy playing music together for contra dancers. Joyride has been playing for first Wednesday dances since October, 2006 and it's been a wonderful trip with our loyal Portland fans. You can read about each of us at our web site (see below) and see our schedule of upcoming events there as well. We'd love to see you at the Polish Hall on first Wednesdays.



Our caller:

Laurel Thomas is one of our local calling friends that we enjoy playing for very much. She has called extensively in the Northwest region including the Portland Megaband event. Laurel is ready with a collection of great dances she is eager to teach in her friendly and calm manner. She studies her craft and programs an evening which everyone enjoys. We're looking forward to January 7 and we're sure Portland dancers are as well. Join us as we welcome a new year of First Wednesday dances.

Covid Considerations:

Masks are **optional** for dancers and performers alike.

Proof of vaccination is **not** required for entry to the event.

You will **not** need to provide contact information and sign a waiver.

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