

Mel Blanc Lecture Series

June 8 - June 29, 2011/ Portland, Oregon

Oregon Cartoon Institute in partnership with Oregon Jewish Museum, Ethos Music Center, Oregon Historical Society, Portland State University School of Fine & Performing Arts and Oregon Cultural Heritage Commission

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Dear Steve Stone,

Thank you so much for your wonderful contribution to the Mel Blanc Project.

You and Gary Lacher are truly the reigning experts when it comes to Portland theater history. We were so fortunate to benefit from your years of research into this topic.

We learned from your talk on June 8, 2011 that, while Mel Blanc didn't grow up in Hollywood, he grew up in a city filled with movie theaters, and had plenty of opportunities to see films, first silent, then sound, and also to see live performances on the vaudeville stage.

Our grants from Kinsman Foundation and from Miller Foundation make it possible for us to offer you this small honorarium as a token of our appreciation of your lecture.

Sincerely,

Anne Richardson