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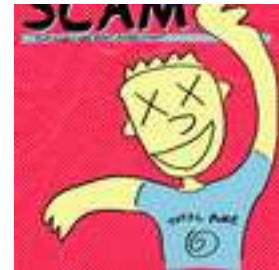
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San Francisco's Erick Lyle tours zine, "Scam," latest number, plus anthology at Olympia library

Erick Lyle, writer, musician, activist, and zine editor, is on tour with "Scam #7," the newest issue of his [zine](#), as well as his new anthology "Scam: The First Four Issues." He will be at the [Olympia Timberland Library](#) on Thursday, October 21 from 7:30 to 8:45 p.m. to read from and answer questions on his works. Copies of the anthology and the new issue will be available for purchase.



Lyle has edited *Scam* since 1991 featuring personal writing, politics, reports on protest events and interviews with activists and punk bands. He's been a frequent contributor to the San Francisco Bay Guardian, and a contributor to countless punk zines.

Scam is equal parts introductory guide on how to get things for free and punk memoir—youths experiencing train hopping, house shows and cross country tours that sought out swimming holes. From 1998 to 2003, Lyle worked at the Coalition on Homelessness San Francisco, an experience that informs much of his writing and political beliefs. Lyle is also a drummer and guitar player, playing in 16 bands that have released 15 records and CDs since 1991. He lives in San Francisco.

Lyle presented a program at the library in 2008, reading and discussing his book, [On the Lower Frequencies: A Secret History of the City](#).

The Olympia Timberland Library is a 313 8th Avenue SE, Olympia. For more information, call the library at (360) 352-0595 or go to www.TRL.org.

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