

CenterListings

November 2011

The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Community Center

208 West 13th Street
New York, NY 10011
(Between 7th & 8th Aves.)
gaycenter.org

Telephone

Main number: 212-620-7310
Fax: 212-924-2657

Building Hours

MON-FRI 9AM-10PM
SAT 11AM-10PM
SUN 11AM-9PM

Holiday Hours

THANKSGIVING
THU, NOV 24, & FRI, NOV 25
The building and all Center offices and programs are closed during the day; the building opens at 5pm for evening meetings.

Center Community Services

Center Recovery
Center Wellness
Center Families
Center Youth/YES
MON-FRI 10AM-6PM
DROP-IN OR BY APPOINTMENT
DIRECT DIAL 646-556-9300

David Bohnett Cyber Center

MON-FRI 11AM-9PM
SAT-SUN 12-9PM
\$3 PER HOUR

Pat Parker/Vito Russo Library

MON-THU 6-9PM
FRI-SAT 1-4PM
LIBRARY CATALOG ONLINE AT
GAYCENTER.ORG

The LGBT Archive

DROP-IN THU, 6-8PM; OR BY APPOINTMENT, CALL 212-620-7310 X205

For more information about all listings visit gaycenter.org.

CENTER EVENTS & PROGRAMS

To register for Center events and learn about all programs and volunteer opportunities, visit us online at gaycenter.org.

VOLUNTEERING

MON, NOV 7 & 14, 6PM Volunteer Opportunities

Interested in volunteering? Get more information about volunteering at the Center and at other LGBT organizations. Registration required. Visit gaycenter.org for details. Registered volunteers contact volunteer@gaycenter.org.

CULTURAL PROGRAMS

TUE, NOV 1, 8PM Pat Parker/Vito Russo Center Library Book Discussion Group

Join the Center's book discussion group to talk about *Funeral Rites* by Jean Genet. Genet's sensual and brutal portrait of World War Two unfolds between the poles of his grief for his lover Jean, killed in the Resistance during the liberation of Paris, and his perverse attraction to the collaborator Riton. Powerfully written, and with moments of great poetic subtlety, *Funeral Rites* is a dark meditation on betrayal and the mirror images of love and hate, sex and death.

FRI, NOV 11, RECEPTION 6PM LGBT Veterans Day Reception: A Celebration of Service

Help the Center celebrate the first Veterans Day when lesbian, gay and bisexual service members can openly and proudly serve in the United States military. Wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served. Free.

TUE, NOV 15, RECEPTION 6:30PM, PROGRAM 7PM Second Tuesdays Lecture Series presents

Jonathan David Katz

Jonathan David Katz is a co-curator for the show *Hide/Seek: Difference and Desire in American Portraiture*, which appeared at the National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution, in Washington, DC in the fall of 2010. A ground-breaking exhibit because it showcased LGBT art and artists in a federal institution, it also generated contro-

versy. A few people protested a David Wojnarowicz video, *A Fire in My Belly*, and The National Gallery removed the piece, leading to major protests by AA Bronson, who was also included in the show, and many others. Fortunately, the full, un-censored exhibit is coming to the Brooklyn Museum. The Center is very fortunate to be able to present Mr. Katz before the show, which will open in Brooklyn on Nov 18. \$10 donation.

DANCE 208

SAT, NOV 19, 9PM Furr Ball

Featuring DJ Severino and the Moustache Ballroom. \$8 online; \$10 at the door. Tickets at gaycenter.org.

CENTER COMMUNITY SERVICES

Center Recovery
Center Wellness
Center Families
Center Youth/YES
Direct dial: 646-556-9300

CENTER WELLNESS

Updates on group start dates at gaycenter.org/health/wellness.

CENTER TRAINING INSTITUTE (CTI)

Registration \$20 or students, \$40 for professionals, payable by cash, check or charge. To register, contact Levi Butcher at 646-556-9300 x248 or lbutcher@gaycenter.org.

MON, NOV 14, 10AM-1PM Substance Abuse and the LGBT Community

Workshop to educate and support service providers and the general public on substance abuse among lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people and their unique needs around treatment. Workshop will provide insight into some of the underlying causes that explain the higher rates of substance abuse among LGBT communities compared with the general population. Also covered will be issues that need to be addressed to help make differential assessments between substance abuse and mental health disorders, as well as to engage and retain clients. Workshop will also address the challenges that LGBT

people face when seeking services. Resources for appropriate referrals will be identified and reviewed. Trainer: Antonio Ruberto, Jr., LCSW, CASAC, Director of Center Recovery.

MON, NOV 28, 10AM-1PM Suicide Prevention Among LGBTQ Youth

Lesbian, gay, and bisexual youth face rates of suicide nearly 4 times that of their non-LGB peers, with nearly a third reporting having made an attempt. Among transgender youth, the numbers are even more staggering with nearly half having thought about taking their lives and over a quarter reporting making an actual attempt. As social workers, teachers, school administrators, youth workers, medical providers, and other helping professionals, we play a vital role in recognizing the signs of suicide risk and intervening to prevent potentially tragic outcomes among LGBTQ youth. Protective factors including school safety, peer support, positive adult role models, among others, have profound impacts on supporting young people at risk. Training will provide an overview of LGBTQ youth issues, offer skills to identify and intervene to prevent suicide, as well as explore strategies to help make your setting more LGBTQ-affirming. Trainer: Nicole Avallone, LMSW, Director of Youth Services

LESBIAN CANCER INITIATIVE

Serving Lesbians, Bisexual Women, and Transgender People. Sign up for the LCI e-newsletter at gaycenter.org/LCI. Find LCI on Facebook at facebook.com/lcithecenter

IMMIGRATION SUPPORT

THU, THRU DEC 8, 6-7:30PM NO NOV 24

Immigration Support Group English

Supportive space for LGBT immigrants (regardless of immigration status) to meet and discuss issues related to living in a new country. Group serves as a place for LGBT immigrants to get referrals to organizations that can help them adjust to their new life in New York and to meet others living in similar

CenterListings

circumstances. Drop-in. No registration required. Free.

**THU, THRU DEC 8, 7:30-9PM
NO NOV 24**

Immigration Social Action Group

In its seventh season, and comprising members from over 25 different countries, group helps organize LGBT immigrant events for fall 2011 and begins planning for 4th Annual LGBT Immigration Fair and Cultural Event for spring 2012. Drop-in. No registration required. Free. Gratis y no requiere registro previo.

LGBT SMOKE FREE PROJECT

For information and screening, call 646-556-9300 x485.

THU, NOV 17, 4-8PM,

IN THE CENTER'S MAIN LOBBY Great American Smoke Out

The Center's Smoke Free Project and The Manhattan Smoke-free Partnership provide information and Nicotine Replacement Therapy (patches) for LGBT smokers who would like to quit using tobacco. For more info visit gaycenter.org or call Adam at 646-556-9287.

GENDER IDENTITY PROJECT

*Find GIP on the web!
genderidentityproject.org
Sign up for the GIP e-newsletter at gaycenter.org/GIP
Find GIP on Facebook!
facebook.com/genderidentityproject*

All Gender Identity Project groups are drop-in. Drop-in groups allow you to come to as many or as few sessions as you want. However, please come on time.

FRI, NOV 18, 7-9:30PM

Trans Day of Remembrance

Join the Gender Identity Project to reflect on the lives of community members we have lost to oppression, stigma, and violence. Candle-light vigil, inspirational speakers, community speak out, and resource sharing. Free and open to transgender and gender non-conforming people, and their family, friends, and allies.

**WED, THRU DEC 14, 7:30-9PM
NO NOV 23**

Gender Drop-In: Trans/GNC Feminine Spectrum

Weekly drop-in group for those assigned male at birth who now identify as trans-femme, trans-women, women, trans-female, cross-dresser, drag queen, transsexual, femme queen, exploring,

etc. to explore and discuss their feelings and concerns about gender, trans-identities and their histories. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation. No one turned away for lack of funds.

**WED, THRU DEC 14, 7:30-9PM
NO NOV 23**

Gender Drop-In: Trans/GNC Masculine Spectrum

Weekly drop-in group for those assigned female at birth who now identify as trans-masculine, trans-men, men, trans-male, boi, gender-queer, AG/Aggressive, transsexual, androgynous, exploring, etc. to explore and discuss their feelings and concerns about gender, trans-identities and their histories. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation. No one turned away for lack of funds.

**1ST & 3RD WED, NOV 2 & 16,
7:30-9PM**

Trans Partners/Trans Amorous

Twice monthly drop-in group to provide support and community for people of all genders to discuss and explore their attraction to and relationships with trans-identified or gender non-conforming individuals. Open to people currently or formerly in partnerships with trans-people and those exploring their attractions. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation. No one turned away for lack of funds.

**2ND WED, NOV 9, 6-7:30PM
Trans Families & Friends**

Monthly drop-in group for family members and friends of someone who is transgender, transsexual, gender-different or gender questioning. Come together with other moms, dads, uncles, siblings, grandparents, friends and adult children of transgender individuals. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation. No one turned away for lack of funds.

TUE, 6-7:30PM

Yoga for People of All Genders

Weekly drop-in yoga workshop for people of all genders. Part of Center Wellness' transgender peer-driven services. Weekly attendance not required. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation. No one turned away for lack of funds.

CENTER RECOVERY

Center Recovery is the first NY State-licensed, intensive, outpatient substance abuse treatment program specifically designed for LGBT people and their significant others. Medically supervised, Center Recovery incorporates a wide range of holistic chemical dependency and tobacco cessation services, including individual, couples, family, and group counseling, medical assessments, psychiatric evaluations and psycho-tropic medication management, as well as supportive counseling for significant others, alcohol and substance abuse education, community outreach and education, and DUI Assessments.

Center Recovery offers morning and evening support groups to clients Mon-Fri, 10am-7pm. Intake, psychosocial assessment, medical assessment, individual counseling and group sessions required for all participants. To schedule an intake, call Center Recovery 646-556-9300

RECOVERY SUPPORT

MON, 7-8:30PM (Trans & Gender Non-conforming Focus)

**THU, 7-8:30PM (General Pop'n)
Connected in Recovery**

Weekly support group led by and for LGBT people in recovery. Drop-in. No registration required. General meetings for LGBT people. For more information, contact Joe Disano, 646-556-9300, jdisano@gaycenter.org

In Recovery with Resources

Case management services to help you find the resources you need to remain in recovery, such as welfare benefits, referrals to LGBT-competent providers, job placements and more. Free. For more info or services, contact Miguel Castillo 646-556-9300, mcastillo@gaycenter.org

En Recuperación con Recursos

Manejo de casos para ayudarle con los recursos necesarios para continuar en recuperación de abuso sustancias y prevenir recaídas. Le podemos ayudar con servicios aplicaciones para servicios sociales, seguros medico, vivienda, empleo, referidos a proveedores LGBT competentes y mucho mas. Servicios gratuitos. Para registrarse contacte Miguel Castillo 646-556-9300, o mcastillo@gaycenter.org.

CENTER RECOVERY GROUPS in alphabetical order

All Center Recovery groups are by appointment only and are open only to registered Center Recovery clients. For info about becoming a Center Recovery client, visit gaycenter.org/health/recovery or call 646-556-9300.

Center Recovery accepts Medicaid and private insurance (currently CIGNA, GHI, AETNA, Value Options & CHCS) in addition to out-of-net-work reimbursement and sliding scale payment options.

MON, 4-5PM

40+ and Over in Recovery

For adults 40 years old and above, only, to discuss topics related to this age group and being in recovery.

THU, 5-6PM

Creative Recovery

For clients to explore thoughts and feelings about addiction and recovery, and to identify options for a sober future. Members use art, writing, and other creative processes to generate new ideas and stimulate group dialogue.

**WED, 12-1PM
Crystal Meth**

For clients working on abstinence from crystal meth. Group focuses on physiological, social, and emotional issues specific to crystal meth use, addiction and recovery.

FRI, 3-4PM

Crystal Meth The First 60 Days

Group specifically designed to address the needs of clients in their first 60 days of abstinence from crystal meth.

**MON, 11AM-12PM; TUE, 6-7PM;
WED, 11AM-12PM**

Early Recovery

Required group for clients in first 90 days of abstinence. Members work together to strengthen abstinence, discuss basics of addiction and recovery, and learn critical relapse prevention skills.

FRI, 11AM-12PM

Early Recovery

Weekend Recovery Planning

Required group for clients to strengthen weekend relapse prevention skills. Members discuss challenges and obstacles to weekend abstinence, create sober opportunities and develop a relapse prevention plan.

CenterListings

TUE, 5-6PM

Emotional Wellness in Recovery

Group for clients to work with anxiety, stress, depression and other mental health concerns connected to or impacting recovery. Members discuss their current emotional state, gain insight, increase coping mechanisms, strengthen support networks and enhance well-being.

FRI, 12-1PM

Health & Wellness

Required group for clients in their first 90 days of abstinence. Members gain information critical to getting well and staying healthy through recovery.

THU, 11AM-12PM

Managing Your Anger & Frustration

Group helps clients manage frustration and anger with confidence and improve personal relationships. Group has primarily educational and skills-building components.

TUE, 12-1PM

Mindfulness

Group creates contemplative space for clients to examine habitual reactions to thoughts and feelings, especially those that lead to substance use. Members learn useful stress- and emotion-management techniques to improve day-to-day functioning and prevent relapse.

THU, 1-2PM

Orientation & Engagement

Required group for new clients that provides program overview, including policies, expectations, and requirements in the Center Recovery treatment program. Supports clients in resolving initial barriers to beginning treatment and connecting with program resources.

TUE, 3:30-5PM

Positive in Recovery

Group provides safe space for clients living with HIV/AIDS to explore thoughts and feelings associated with being HIV+ and staying sober.

TUE, 11AM-12PM; WED, 6-7PM

Relapse Prevention

Required group for clients who have completed Early Recovery and have at least 90 days of abstinence. Members apply skills from Early Recovery to their daily lives and prepare for completion of treatment.

THU, 12-1PM

Relationships

Clients examine impacts of their relationships on substance use and sobriety. Members discuss relationships to self, to significant others and to the community, building awareness and skills to strengthen abstinence.

FRI, 4-5PM

Sex, Crystal Meth & Recovery

For clients who are seeking to achieve a healthy integration of sex and intimacy in the context of recovery from crystal meth.

MON, 12-1PM

Sex, Sexuality & Recovery

Clients focus on connection between sex, sexuality, and substance use in their lives. Members discuss possibilities for sober, positive sexuality in an LGBT-affirmative and sex-positive environment.

FRI, 2-3PM

Women in Recovery

For female-identified clients to discuss issues relevant and applicable to women's experiences in recovery, including, but not limited to, relationships, sex, sexism, ageism, low self-esteem, and abuse.

CENTER FAMILIES

For more info – including dates and times for all up-coming events and support groups – contact centerfamilies@gaycenter.org

WED, NOV 9, 6:30-8PM

Parenting Partnerships

Group for lesbian women and gay men interested in making babies together, and raising them cooperatively. \$5 suggested donation per household.

THU, NOV 10, 6:30-8PM

Planning Biological Parenthood for Women

For women considering, preparing for, or currently in the process of conceiving through alternative insemination. \$5 suggested donation per household.

TUE, NOV 15, 6-8PM

Circle of Youth Returns

Resource group open to LGBTQ young people 15 to 21 years of age in the foster care system. COY's mission is to provide a comfortable environment in which foster, adoptive and kinship young adults/adolescents can come together to learn their rights, express their feelings, set a positive example and help each other achieve their goals. Free.

THU, NOV 17, 6:30-8PM
Pregnancy Support & Networking Group

Group for pregnant parents-to-be to connect through sharing experiences and resources. \$5 suggested donation per household.

SAT, NOV 19, 1-2:30PM

Family Play Date

This play date is brought to you by the wonderful staff at Gymboree, and will be a structured play hour where both care givers/parents and children get to engage in fun activities that promote bonding between kids and care givers/parents in a safe and LGBT affirming environment. Suggested donation \$20 per family at the door.

SUN, NOV 27, 12:30-2PM

Genderqueer & Transgender Parenting

Space for genderqueer and transgender parents and prospective parents to meet, exchange information, and share stories while offering and receiving support. \$5 suggested donation per household.

MON, NOV 28, 5-7PM

Family Law Clinic

By appointment only. An opportunity to have questions answered and concerns addressed by our resident legal expert. Cliff Greenberg has completed countless public and private same-sex adoptions, as well as second-parent adoptions, and he has more than 20 years' experience in family law. \$5 suggested donation. To reserve your spot, email centerfamilies@gaycenter.org or call 646-556-9297.

SAT, EVERY WEEK, 3-6PM

Foster and Adoptive Parent Trainings

You Gotta Believe! believes that every family could benefit from taking our Adopting Older Kids and Youth (A-OKAY) parent preparation class that some people know as GPS/MAPP II. This course is interesting, informative and a lot of fun. YGB understands that only you and your family can determine if adopting an older child is the right choice for you. We believe that it is our responsibility to provide you and your family with a forum where your questions and concerns can be fully explored. We invite you to join our classes any time you would like. We give a mini-orientation one half hour before every class begins and we then invite you to stay for the entire class. If you have an interest in

servicing teens, pre-teens, and sibling groups by parenting them forever or short term, we don't want you to wait. We want you to start right away. So please feel free to join our classes or come back to our classes any time you would like! Free.

CENTER YOUTH/Y.E.S.

WED, NOV 23, 5:30-8PM

Thanks for Being Queer A Thanksgiving Celebration for LGBTQ Youth

Free. Youth-only event (ages 12 to 21 only).

EVENTS BY OTHER GROUPS

TUE, NOV 1, 6-8PM

New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

Rev John Foran presents Prayer Intuition: Listening to Yourself and Trusting the Deeper You. This interfaith group is open to all. Suggested donation \$10. revjohnforan@earthlink.net.

THU, NOV 3, 6:15-7:15PM

Pride Toastmasters Inspire Your Audience

Learn how to connect with your audience so they really hear you. Membership is \$144 per year. Attend at least three free meetings before joining. 347-850-3253, info@pridetostmasters.com, pridetostmasters.com.

THU, NOV 3, 7-9PM

What's Fracking and Should We Be Worried?

Find out tonight! David Brancaccio video interviews Josh Fox about his Academy Award-nominated documentary *Gasland*. Invited speakers: Manhattan Borough President Scott Stringer, Senator Tom Duane, Assemblyman Danny O'Donnell, Yetta Kurland. Free. unitedforaction.org

SUN, NOV 6, 5-6PM

Procrastinators Anonymous Into Action Meeting

Anyone who thinks they may have a problem with compulsive procrastination is welcome to attend this weekly meeting. procrastinatorsNYC@gmail.com. procrastinators-anonymous.org

TUE, NOV 8, 6-8PM

New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

This interfaith discussion group is open to all. Rev John Foran presents on dreams. See Nov 1 for more info.

CenterListings

WED, NOV 9, 6:30-8PM SAGE Women's Dance Committee Open House

Interested in helping to produce the Best Women's Dance in NYC? Join us for a casual social event to find out more about the SAGE Women's Dance Committee. Women of all ages welcome. Questions? Call Carole 212-741-2047.

THU, NOV 10, 6:15-7:15PM Pride Toastmasters The Entertaining Speaker

Would you like to become a more entertaining speaker? Pride Toastmasters will give you all the tools you need. See Nov 3 for more info.

FRI, NOV 11, 6:30-9:30 Techno Contra!

Double Apex plays live at this friendly, alcohol-free Contra dance! Black light, glow sticks. LGBT people of all ages and descriptions want to dance with you! \$15. Carol 718-972-3191, lcfid.org/nyc

SAT, NOV 12, 5-7PM Moonfire Empowerment and Spirituality Network

All are welcome to attend the Acting for Non-Actors workshop facilitated by independent filmmaker Felix Rodriguez. Let the actor in you have full expression. \$6. Amethyst 212-222-2467, amethystsylviachild@gmail.com.

SAT, NOV 12, 8-10PM Wine, Women and Words Lesbian and Bisexual Women's Mixer

Explode your social circles, double your dates or meet your future wife at this structured singles mixer. \$22 early-bird special; \$25 closer to date. RSVP required: 212-989-8549, nyclavenderlounge.com.

SAT, NOV 12, 8-10PM Boyfriend Material Dating and Friendship Event For Single Men

Meet single men in discussion groups, one-on-one, and through mingling. Get your matches by the end of the night. \$15 in advance; \$20 at the door. 212-971-1084, bfmaterialny.com.

**SUN, NOV 13, 5:30-8:30PM
Gay Geeks of New York**
Make new friends and discuss your favorite comics, video games, TV shows, books and more with fellow geeks of all genres. Upcoming: Geek Taboo and Geek Win, Lose or Draw. \$5. facebook.com/pages/Gay-Geeks-of-New-York/ 132590113486032?sk=info

TUE, NOV 15, 6-8PM New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

Rev John Foran facilitates the discussion, The One Thing I Really Wish To Do. Interfaith group open to all. See Nov 1 for more info.

THU, NOV 17, 6:15-7:15PM Pride Toastmasters Public Relations

Want to promote your business, your current project, or yourself? Come to Pride Toastmasters and learn how. While you're at it, you'll meet some terrific people. See Nov 3 for more info.

SAT, NOV 19, 12-2PM Lesbian Widow Support Group

For women who have experienced the death of a female partner to create a safe environment in which to share memories, cope with sadness, acknowledge pain and remember joy. \$23. Lori Hannibal, LCSW-R. 516-208-7095, 917-494-2606.

**SUN, NOV 20, 1-2:30PM
SAL book Discussion Group
The Bonesetter's Daughter** by Amy Tan is up for discussion today. Newcomers always welcome to join in discussing classic and contemporary lesbian literature at this lesbian-only book group. \$3; exact change appreciated. groups.yahoo.com/group/salbookgroup.

TUE, NOV 22, 6-8PM New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

Rev John Foran presents on Thankfulness at this interfaith discussion that's open to everyone. See Nov 1 for more info.

FRI, NOV 25, 6:30-8PM Conscious Conversations by Soulful Connection

Conscious Conversations is a discussion group for those wanting to bring greater awareness and consciousness into their lives, relationships and communications. \$5 more/less if. 203-622-6004, Bernie@soulful-connection.com.

**SAT, NOV 26, 4:15-6PM
STONEWALL Veterans'
Association (SVA)**
Thanksgiving treats: NYPD Stonewall Cops, college students working on a Stonewall 1969 project make their presentation, Youth-4-SVA kids give reports. Free. 212-627-1969, SVA@STONEWALLvets.org, STONEWALLvets.org.

SAT, NOV 26, 5-7PM Moonfire Empowerment and Spirituality Network

Everyone is welcome to attend Marcia Berry's workshop Heal Yourself Naturally. Improve your health through a more natural diet, lifestyle, and food-based home remedies. \$6. Amethyst 212-222-2467, amethystsylviachild@gmail.com.

SAT, NOV 26, 6-8PM Aleister Crowley, Bisexuality and Thelema

A presentation on the importance of sexual identity in the modern hermetic and magical practice and in the Thelemic Path of Self Discovery. \$8. aiwass@thelema.org.

TUE, NOV 29, 6-8PM New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

Rev John Foran facilitates What I Really Want for Christmas. This interfaith discussion group is open to everyone. See Nov 1 for more info.

RECURRING MEETINGS & EVENTS

ACT UP (AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power) Individuals united in anger and committed to direct action to end the AIDS crisis. General Meeting Mon 8pm. 212-966-4873, actupny.org, actupny@panix.com

African Ancestral Lesbians United for Societal Change (AALUSC) Community space for Lesbians of the African Diaspora regardless of language, class or culture. Discussions, workshops, cultural events for Black Lesbians by Black Lesbians. Thu 6-8pm. facebook.com/home.php#/group.php?gid=53221651752, AALUSC1974@gmail.com

American Veterans for Equal Rights New York (AVERNY)

GLBT American armed forces veterans. VA medical benefits assistance, parade marching, oral history project, rights advocacy, community projects, social events, dinners. For schedule visit website or call 718-849-5665. averny.tripod.com, averny@nyc.rr.com

Art Group for Gay & Lesbian Artists 1st Tue 8-10pm, no Jun/Jul/Aug. 212-431-4532

Bi Perspective Social/discussion/support group for bisexual, bi-friendly, questioning men, women,

couples who live, work or play in NYC. 1st Sun 3-4:30pm. Michael 908-469-0966; Bi Info Line 212-459-4784, nyabn.org/BiPerspective, michaeltalmo@aol.com

Bi Request Topic-focused, moderated discussion group, followed by optional dinner. Ad hoc social activities throughout the year. 1st/3rd Thu 6-8pm. Birequest@yahoo.com, BiRequest.org

Bi Women of All Colors Discussion/social group for bisexual, bi-curious, and transgender bi women. Welcomes bi-friendly women who identify as lesbian, same-gender-loving (SGL), questioning or straight from all cultures and diversities. Discussion groups, dinners and brunches while providing safe spaces for women to share, eat, chat and make new friends. Sheela 917-583-1797, Donna 212-479-7886, or check the website for dates: myspace.com/biwomenofallcolors

Big Apple Softball League NY's only gay/lesbian softball league. 2nd Wed 6-8pm. 212-726-1518, bigapplesoftball.com

Brotherhood of Leathermen Of Color (BLOC) Working coalition of Leathermen of Color and their friends. We produce and promote social events that provide relevant experiences, enhance our collective image, and improve our lives as gay leathermen. All welcome who share our vision! 2nd Sun 5-7pm. 347-709-BLOC (2562), blocorg.weebly.com

Buddhist Meditation Group Buddhist discussion and practice group from Open Sky Sangha. Dharma talks, group dialogue, meditation instruction and practice. Learn to tame your thoughts, discover your true nature and develop peace of mind. All welcome regardless of previous experience or background. 1st Thu 6:30-8pm. \$5. 212-989-3456, openskysangha.com

Butch/Femme Society 3rd Wed 6:30-8pm. 212-388-2736, bfnsync@aol.com

Christian Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgendered & Others Fellowship Group singing, prayer, bible study, discussion. 2nd/4th Tue 8pm. 212-529-2365

Christian Science Group Study/discussion group offering safe space to explore sexuality and all life's issues in spiritual context.

CenterListings

Thu 8-9pm. 212-532-8379,
nycsgroup.com

Circle of Voices (C.O.V.)

Social discussions, event opportunities for LBT womyn of color and African descent empowerment groups. Seeking visual/electronic artists, guest speakers, community contributors. \$6. Refreshments. 5th Fri 6-8pm. circleofvoicesinc.org

City Cruisers, NYC Motorcycle Club

Riding club for gay male motorcyclists. 1st Thu 8-9pm. citycruisers.com, info@citycruisers.com

A Common Bond Support group for ex-Jehovah's Witnesses who are LGBT. Meets at the Center 6 times a year; check website for schedule. acbnyc.com

Contra Dance American folk dance. Friendly atmosphere, everyone welcome. Live music, easy-to-learn dances. \$12. 2nd Fri 7-9:30 pm. Brooks 347-275-7983, Carol 718-972-3191. lcfid.org/nyc

Dignity New York Celebrating the Eucharist, working for a time when LGBT people participate fully in all aspects of life within the Roman Catholic Church and society. **Steering Committee** 2nd Tue 8-10pm. **Liturgy Committee** 4th Tue 8-10pm. 646-418-7039, dignityny.org, dignityny@aol.com

Disclosure Network/New York (DNNY) UFO to paranormal topics. Speakers plus Q&A. All welcome. 1st Sun 2-5pm. \$8. 917-701-9033, dnnny.org, Nicknynyl@gmail.com

FIRE-FLAG, Inc. Peer support for gay firefighters, EMS and related professionals. 2nd Tue 6-8pm, followed by social at Ty's. Tom 888-763-0479, fireflag.net, fireflag1@aol.com

Gay & Lesbian Bible Study Study books of the Bible one by one. Mon 8-10pm. gerig@columbia.edu

Gay & Lesbian Independent Democrats (GLID) Progressive, open political club discusses events, endorses candidates, promotes education on lesbian and gay issues. 3rd Wed 6-8pm. glid.org

Gay & Lesbian Reading Group Discussion of LGBT experience through reading novels, plays, poetry, non-fiction. New-comers welcome. 2nd Thu 8-9:30pm. Jim 212-945-0709,

jclarkmedia.com/gaybooks,
jclark@jclarkmedia.com

Gay & Lesbian Yeshiva Day School Alumni Safe space to integrate Jewish and lesbian/gay identities in self-affirming, positive direction through discussion, socializing, activism. 4th Thu 8-10pm. **No meeting at Center in Oct, Nov, Dec.** 212-780-4656, glydsa.org, glydsa@hotmail.com

Gay Asian & Pacific Islander Men of NY (GAPIMNY) Safe space for gay, bisexual and questioning men and transgender people of Asian/Pacific Islander heritage. **General Meeting** 3rd Fri 8-10pm. **Steering Committee** 1st Mon 8-10pm. 212-802-7423, gapimny.org, gapimny@gapimny.org

Gay/Bi Dad's Group of New York Support/social group for gay and bisexual fathers and others in child-nurturing situations. **General Meeting** 1st Fri 8-10pm. gaybidads.org, info@gaybidads.org

Gay Men's Opera Club Celebrate opera and expand knowledge and appreciation through shared recordings and informative presentations. 2nd Fri 8-10pm (no Jul/Aug). denar55@aol.com

Gay Officers Action League (GOAL) Lesbian and gay criminal justice professionals. **Membership Meeting** 2nd Tue 8-10pm. 212-691-4625, goalny.org, goalny1@goalny.org

Genderqueer, GNC, Gender Exploring Drop-In Group Monthly group for those who identify as genderqueer, gender fluid, GNC, gender exploring, etc. Discuss personal gender identities and histories relating to family, dating/partners, community, identity, health, bodies, and related topics. People assigned male, female, or intersex at birth are all welcome. \$5 suggested donation, but no one turned away. 4th Thu 8-9:30pm. 267-304-5888

Grand Slam Bridge Group Relaxed game of duplicate bridge promotes social ties. Partner not needed; everybody who arrives on time gets to play. 2nd/4th Sun 2-5pm, no Jul/Aug, no Dec 25. 914-665-8862, 516-671-2095

Greater New York Gesneriad Society Learn about miracle houseplants in African Violet and Florist Gloxinia families. 3rd Sat

11am-2pm. 212-666-2395,
nygesneriad.org

Heritage of Pride/NYC Pride Organizers of NYC's LGBT pride events (Rally, March, Dance on the Pier, Pride-Fest). 2nd Mon 8-10pm. 212-80PRIDE, hopinc.org

Herpes Support Group For those living with HSV 1 or 2 who would like to meet others with the same condition for support or just to socialize. 3rd Wed 6-8pm. nycgayherpes@googlegroups.com

HI-fiVe (HIV/AIDS) Support Group Support group for gay men living with HIV and/or AIDS. Donations up to \$10 accepted. Sun 11:30am-12:45pm. Scott A. Kramer, LMSW, ACSW 347-620-LIFE, scottakramer@gmail.com

HIV+ and HIV- affected Gay Men Support Group (ACRIA) Thu 6:30-8pm, 212-924-3934, acria.org

Identity House Walk-In Peer Counseling Low-cost counseling for coming out, relationships, dating, all other life topics. Sat & Sun 6-8pm. info@identityhouse.org

Imperial Court of NY Social drag organization promoting self-respect and positive awareness while raising funds for community and AIDS service organizations. 1st Wed 7:30-10pm. 212-475-0838

Indoor Gardening Society of America Learn the joys of houseplant horticulture with the Metropolitan Chapter. 4th Tue 6-9pm, 3rd Tue Dec, no Jul/Aug. 212-877-9010

I.C.E. (Inner Child Experience) Offers progressive thinking and community wellness arts and crafts workshops. 4th Fri 6-8pm. theinnerchildexperience@yahoo.com

Instigate NYC Queer/trans led, anti-racist, anti-classist, pro-pervert BDSM/sex/kink infoshare. Open to all. Sliding scale. 3rd Sun 5-6pm. instigatenyc@riseup.net

Italian Conversation Group 2nd/4th Mon 6-8pm

Knit and Schmooze Sometimes your brain works better when your hands are busy. Bring needles and yarn. 1st/3rd Mon 6:30-8pm. Bernard berdd@earthlink.net.

Las Buenas Amigas Lesbianas Latinas en Nueva York Formed in 1986. US-born Latinas, immigrants from Latin

America, working-class women, mothers, students, professionals, artists, activists. 1st Sun 3-5pm. 718-596-0342 x44, lasbuenasamigas.org, lba@lasbuenasamigas.org

Latino PFLAG, NYC, parte de PFLAG FCA, NYC Se reúne el tercer domingo de cada mes de 1-3pm. Las reuniones son confidenciales. Todos son bienvenidos, incluyendo padres, amigos, familiares y personas gays, lesbianas, bisexuales y transgéneras con o sin sus familias. Para más información contáctese con las coordinadoras: Nila Marrone nilajoe@optonline.net, 914-787-8738, o Migdalia Santiago, florlatina123@yahoo.com, 718-749-8562

Leather Pride Night Committee Planning for annual charity auction in June to raise money for Heritage of Pride and other LGBT and s/m-leather-fetish beneficiaries. 1st Thu 8-10pm. 718-497-4994, leather-pridenight.org, lpnyc@aol.com

Legal Clinic Offered by Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Law Association Foundation of Greater NY. Free walk-in clinic provides general legal information, referrals. Tue, Sign-in 6-6:30pm. 212-353-9118, le-gal.org, info@le-gal.org

Lesbian & Gay Teachers Association General Meeting 1st Wed 6-8pm, no Jul/Aug. lgt@aol.com

Lesbian Sex Mafia (LSM) Fetish social group for women only. 3rd Fri 8-10pm. 212-726-3844, lesbiansexmafia.org, lsmnyc@hotmail.com

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Social Workers (NASW NYC LGBT Committee) General meeting and networking. 4th Wed, Jan/Apr/Oct, 6:30-8pm. 212-668-0050, lgbtmasw@yahoo.com

Life Drawing Monitored life drawing sessions, male models, short and long poses. Sat 11am-2pm, last Sat long poses. \$20. Bring own drawing material. All skill levels welcome. Steven Frim 201-815-0975

Living Soulfully NYC Men who have been to Easton Mountain Retreat, their friends, those curious about Easton Mountain meet for varied program of fun, fellowship, meditation, ritual, heart-to-heart

CenterListings

connection. Usually 1st Sun 4-6pm. 800-553-8235, eastonmountain.com

Males Au Naturel (M.A.N.)

Gay/bisexual men's nudist/naturist group for NY. Sponsors members-only, non-sexual, nude social events, parties at Center and other locations. Annual membership required for continued invites and discounted admission. Non-nude information session at the Center. Jul 14, 7pm. 212-898-0383, males.org

Manhattan Stuttering Group

Self-help support group for persons who stutter. 2nd/4th Wed 6-8pm. 201.823.1465

Marriage Equality NY

Coalition of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and allied individuals and organizations committed to ending discrimination against same-sex couples in civil marriage. Please contact us for specific dates. 877-772-0089, www.meny.us, info@meny.us

MAST Metro NY

Community inclusive support group for those who identify as owner/master/mistress or property/slave. Open to all genders/orientations interested in this lifestyle, regardless of relationship status. 1st Sun 2-5pm, 2nd Sun Dec. mspetal@gmail.com

Masters & Slaves Together

NY (MAST NYC) Support group for gay men interested or involved in Master/slave, Daddy/boy, other power-exchange relationships. Discuss concerns, share info, get to know the men behind the labels. 4th Sun 4-6pm. mast.net

Mateando NYC Social, cultural, human rights group for GLBT Argentineans and Uruguayans living in NY State and friends. 2nd Sun 2-5pm, no Jun/Jul/Aug. 718-766-7500, mateando_nyc@yahoo.com, mateandonyc.org

Meditation Class Learn practical techniques in meditation, mindfulness for spiritual, personal growth. Led by woman Buddhist monk. Tue 6-8pm. \$5. woman_monk@yahoo.com

Men of All Colors Together

(MACT) Striving to create multi-cultural community. **General Meeting** 1st/3rd/4th/5th Fri 8-10pm. **Board Meeting** 2nd Fri 8pm. 212-330-7678, mactny.org, secretary@mactny.org

Metro Gay Wrestling Alliance

Amateur freestyle wrestling practices. All welcome regardless of gender or sexual orientation, especially beginners. Sun 2-5pm. metrowrestling.org, mgwa@metrowrestling.org

Moonfire Empowerment & Spirituality Network

Diverse workshops, discussions on empowerment, healing, spirituality, metaphysics, creativity, entertainment. 2nd/4th/5th Sat 5-7pm, no Jul/Aug. \$6. All welcome. Amethyst 212-222-2467, amethystsylviachild@gmail.com

Natural History Group

Lesbian and Gay Naturalists of NY. Field trips, programs. 1st Thu 8-10pm. 646-469-4149

Network for the Realization of the Goddess (NRG)

Women's Dianic Wicca Spirituality Circle. Open to all women. Safe CR-like setting to learn. practice Goddess, Mother Nature-based rituals. 2nd Thu 8-10pm. 718-786-0145

New York boys of Leather

Leather social organization providing leather boys a forum to have fun, learn, educate, socialize, and support each other and leather community. Ask front desk for assistance in room location. 2nd Thu 8:30-10pm. nybol.org

New York Community Center for Spiritual Living

Weekly Spiritual Circle provides safe space for people to discover the God of their own understanding. Interfaith-based, non-denominational. Blends Western teachings with Eastern philosophies. Passionate and dedicated to helping you experience the Living Spirit in every area of your life. Tue 6-8pm. RevJohnForan@earthlink.net

New York Fashion Model

Drawing Meet-Up Designers, illustrators and enthusiasts sketch fashions from live model. \$15 per session, reservations required. 3rd Sun 12-3pm. meetup.com/NY-Fashion-Model-Drawing

NYC Gay Men's Shamanic

Circle Open circle for gay men performing shamanic journey work for healing on many levels, including ourselves, our community, the planet. \$10 suggested donation. 1st Sun 12-1:15pm. nycgayshamans.net

NYC Married Men's Support Group

For men who identify as bi or gay and are, or have been, in a mixed orientation marriage. Contact facilitator before attending. Jeremy Lees, jllees@verizon.net.

NYC Open Gay Men's Pagan Magick Circle

Celebrate queer spirit, honor the Earth and the Gods, raise joyfully creative healing energy. As Eclectics, we acknowledge, support diverse traditions, including Wiccan, Faerie, Egyptian, Druidic, Shamanic. Newcomers welcome. 3rd Tue 8-10pm. groups.yahoo.com/group/mag_pagan/

Other Countries: Black Gay Expression

Peer-facilitated writing workshop for black gay men to present their writing (fiction, non-fiction, drama, etc.) and receive/provide critiques. Those interested in presenting encouraged to confirm week prior, but walk-ins accepted. 2nd/4th Sat 6-9pm. kevmcgr@pipeline.com

Out Professionals

Gay, lesbian professionals organization. More than 1,000 members. Workshops, lectures, seminars, socializing for social/networking contacts in NYC. 3rd Wed 6:30pm and more; check website. outprofessionals.org

Philosophy Forum

Inquire into teaching of thinkers past/present, East/West. 2nd/4th Sat 3-5pm; no Jul/Aug. Call before attending. Warren 212-477-2827, paulinepark@earthlink.net

Photography Club

Amateurs, professionals meet to show work, receive comments. 3rd Thu 6-8pm. nycphotoclub.com, info@nycphotoclub.com

PFLAG for Families of Color and Allies, NYC (PFLAG FCA, NYC)

All welcome, including parents, friends, family members and gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people, with or without their families. Meetings are confidential. For more info write or call coordinators. 3rd Sun 1-3pm. Afro/Caribbean Coordinators: Anna Maria L. Thomas, 917-656-9816; Latino & Safe School Coordinator: Nila Marrone, nilajoe@optonline.net, 914-787-8738; Latino Coordinator: Migdalia Santiago, florlatina123@yahoo.com, 718-749-8562; Advocacy Coordinator: Linda Hellman, linda.hellman@gmail.com, 347-563-5985

Polyamorous NYC

Discussion group designed specifically for individuals, couples and groups who are part of the Gay, Lesbian, Bi & Trans community and who have an interest in long-term, romantically committed, multiple-partner relationships. 3rd Wed 8-10pm. Justen 212-543-9494, poly-nyc.com, info@poly-nyc.com

Prayer, Poetry & Meditation with Robert

Weekly group of believers and practitioners of prayer, people who enjoy reciting their own or others' poetry, song-writers, etc. Several versions of meditation discussed. A place for spiritual growth. Fri 5-6pm. Robert 212-533-3271

Pride Toastmasters

Want to improve your speaking, presentation and leadership skills in a gay-friendly environment? Only LGBT Toastmasters club on the East Coast affiliated with Toastmasters International. Learn skills that enhance self-confidence and personal growth. Expect a fun and outrageous time, while improving your public speaking. Membership \$125/year. Attend at least 3 free meetings before joining. Thu 6:15-7:15. 347-850-3253, info@pridetoastmasters.com, pridetoastmasters.com.

Prime Timers

Social club for mature men. **General Meeting** 2nd Sat 2-4pm. **Board of Directors** 2nd Sat 1-2pm. POB 1185, Lenox Hill Station, NYC 10021-1185. nyprime69@yahoo.com

Room to Write

Writing group open to all in LGBT community, novice or experienced. All subjects, styles of writing. 1st/3rd/5th Wed 7-9pm. 2nd/4th Fri 6-8pm, no Fri Jul/Aug. roomtowrite@live.com

SAL Book Discussion Group

Lesbian book group to discuss contemporary, classic lesbian literature. Newcomers welcome. 3rd Sun 1-2:30pm. groups.yahoo.com/group/salbookgroup

Scrabblers

All levels. Bring boards. English, Spanish, French, Italian. 2nd/4th Mon 8-10pm. 212-362-5889

Sirens Motorcycle Club

Tri-state area premier women's motorcycle club dedicated to promoting motorcycling as a sport among women emphasizing skill, safety, solidarity, support, friendship. 3rd Tue 8-10pm. sirensnyc.com, sirensnyc@hotmail.com

CenterListings

Sistahs in Search of Truth, Alliance and Harmony

(SiSTAH) Supportive/nurturing space for bi, lesbian, trans, same-sex loving womyn of colour. Special focus on health, wellness, social, educational issues. 3rd Fri 6-8pm. 212-479-7886, 917-623-7889

Sophisticated Aggressive Gents

Support group for women who self-identify as AG's/Butches/Studs/Aggressives for group discussions, advice, suggestions, networking, support. 2nd Fri 6-8pm. Paris 646-330-8641, myspace.com/aggressivegents

South Asian Lesbian & Gay Association (SALGA) Support Group

Social and political organization for LGBT people who trace their descent from South Asia. 2nd Sat 4-6pm. Mailing address: SALGA c/o LGBT Community Center, 208 West 13 Street, NY, NY 10011. 212-358-5132, salganyc@hotmail.com, salganyc.org

Stiff Competition Socialize and play some popular and some unique party games. Rules taught, different games at each meeting. Seating limited, latecomers may not be admitted. 2nd/4th/5th Wed 7-10pm. \$5, exact change appreciated. 212-246-6214 (evenings)

Stonewall Democratic Club

Special events, discussions on LGBT issues, candidate endorsements. 4th Wed 8-10pm. Tom Smith 212-330-6572, sdnyc.org

STONEWALL Veterans' Association (S.V.A.)

Legendary participants in historic 5-night Stonewall Rebellion eligible for membership. Non-Vet supporters and sponsors can join Friends of S.V.A. Youth-4-SVA: young folks and students who volunteer for S.V.A. Speakers Bureau provided for GLBT organizations, civic groups and schools. S.V.A. owns famous 1969 'Stonewall Car'. Last Sat 4:15-6pm. 212-627-1969, SVA@STONEWALLvets.org, STONEWALLvets.org

SUGAR: LGBT Diabetics

Drop-in support group for LGBT people living with diabetes. Connect with others who face the same struggles. Share 'food for thought' through personal experiences to help other members increase their quality of diabetic life. Spark discussions that lead to better dialogues between you and your doc-

tors. 4th Wed 6:30-8pm. Suggested donation \$5.

Sundance Outdoor Adventure Society

NY area gay outdoors club for men, women of all ages, abilities. Over 500 members enjoy outdoor non-competitive activities: backpacking, biking, boating, hiking, horseback riding, social outings, skating, skiing and more. All-volunteer Sundance run by members. Quarterly mixers. sundanceoutdoor.org

Support Group for Single Lesbians

Support/social group for single lesbians meeting in caring, safe space. Fri 6-7pm. Pauline 718-762-3473

TwentySomething

Social group for LGBT New Yorkers in/around their twenties (ages 18-33). Semi-monthly meeting to socialize and discuss important LGBT topics. \$5. 1st Tue 8-10pm. 20somethingNYC.com

VegOut NYC Vegan potluck for LGBT/queer-friendly vegetarians, vegans, friends. Bring dish to share (no meat, poultry, fish, eggs, dairy, honey) and \$5; \$12 without food. 3rd Sun 3-5pm, no Jun. meetup.com/vegout-nyc, vegoutnyc.org

Village Dive Club Gay, lesbian scuba diving club. Meetings, social events, dive trips. VillageDiveClub.com, VillageDiveClub@gmail.com

Village Playwrights Gay, lesbian playwrights, screenwriters present scripts for informal critiques leading to staged productions. 2nd/4th Wed 8-10pm. Emanuel 212-645-1514, Phryxus@aol.com, village-playwrights.googlepages.com

Women About, The Adventure Social Club for Lesbians

NY-based network for lesbians generating social, cultural, athletic activities in tri-state area since 1976. Quarterly meetings to plan events, mail newsletter. Yearly dues: \$15 singles, \$25 couples. PO Box 146, New York, NY 10011-0146. 212-642-5257, womenabout.org, info@womenabout.org

Zappalorti Society Lesbian, gay, transgender psychiatric survivors organized for peer support, self-help, mental health advocacy. Sat 1-4pm. 917-286-0616, bert_coffman@yahoo.com

SAGE AT THE CENTER

Services and Advocacy for GLBT Elders offers an extensive array of groups and programs at the Center. For more info, call 212-741-2247 or visit sageusa.org.

SAGE Community Services Office

Room 207 at the Center.

Walk-in hours Mon-Fri 2-5pm.

SAGE Administration and Clinical Services 305 7th Ave, 15th Floor, NYC 10001. *Send all SAGE mail to that address.*

SAGE SPECIAL EVENTS

Events take place at the Center unless noted otherwise. *Visit sageusa.org for more details about these events and many more!*

WED, NOV 9, 6:30-8PM Women's Dance Committee Open House

Interested in helping to produce the Best Women's Dance in NYC? Join us for a casual social event to find out more about the SAGE Women's Dance Committee. Women of all ages welcome. Questions? Call Carole 212-741-2047.

TUE, NOV 15, 12:30PM Lunch & Learn: Medicare Enrollment Awareness

The Medicare Rights Center discusses changes to Medicare taking place in 2012 and provides info on programs that help pay associated costs. Lunch served. \$2 suggested donation. Reservations required. Call Carole 212-741-2047.

THU, NOV 17, 1-3PM Thanksgiving Party

Let's share some joy (and some turkey)! Join us for our SAGE family tradition and the start of the holiday season with a Thanksgiving meal. No RSVP required. Just be ready to gobble gobble gobble up that bird and some tasty fixings.

SUN, NOV 20, 2PM ST. LUKE IN THE FIELDS CHURCH Interfaith Memorial Service

This memorial service to honor and remember those clients, members and friends of SAGE who have died over the last 3 years will combine various Christian, Jewish, Eastern and other traditions to memorialize our losses. Some of those remembered will be *Eleanor Cooper, Mary Jeanne Sanford, Jo Taibi, Thea Speyer, Nat Nevins, Rodger McFarlane, Frank Carter, Ira Jeffries, Jim Sneed, Selma Uslander, Bob Kaufmann, Jay*

Maiello, Ray Razee, Marilyn Tessler, George Cassa, Nunzio Pravata, Liz Ferris, Elliot Rabner, Frank Kameny, Paula Ettelbrick. For more information or to add a name to the list, call Bertis at 212-741-3592.

SAGE RECURRING EVENTS

Daily Drop-in Comfortable, casual space at the Center for LGBT seniors to relax and meet. Refreshments served. Mon-Fri 1-4:30pm.

Drop-In Groups (no registration)

Morning at the Opera Mon 10:30am-12:30pm

SAGERCIZE Tue/Thu 11am-12pm

Daytime Discussion Tue 2-3:30pm

Women's Group Wed 3:30-5pm

Men's 50+ Rap Wed/Fri 5:30-7pm

Booklovers' Discussion 1st Wed 7-8:30pm (*call for current title*)

75+ Discussion Thu 1-2:30pm

SAGE Singers Thu 5-6:30pm

Men's 40+ Rap Thu 7-8:30pm

Bridge Fri 12:30-3pm

Life Issues Beyond Retirement Fri 3:30-5pm

Gay Widowers' Support Group 2nd & 4th Sun 6-7:30pm

Groups Requiring Registration Call or stop in for more info. SAGEWorks Job Readiness (Age 40+), SAGECAP Caregiver Support, MS Support, Men's 50+ HIV+, Bereavement, and more.

Volunteer Orientation

2nd Wed 7pm. Call Bertis 212-741-2217.

CenterListings

12-STEP MEETINGS

Adult Children of Alcoholics
SAT, 11AM-12:30PM Struggle for Intimacy

Alcoholics Anonymous
Intergroup 212-647-1680, nyintergroup.org
TUE, 6-7:15PM Women Now
TUE, 7:30-8:45PM Westwingers
WED, 6-7:15PM Women Together Step Meeting

THU, 12-1PM Agnostics
THU, 9-10PM Westwingers
FRI, 6:30-7:30PM Big Book Meeting of S.L.A.A.
SAT, 6-7:30PM Women Together Closed Discussion
SAT, 8-9PM LAex
SAT, 9:30-10:30PM S/M Sober Miracles

SUN, 12-1:30PM High Noon
SUN, 4-5:15PM Village Agnostics
LAST SUN, 5:30-6:30PM Village Agnostics Step Meeting
SUN, 6:45-7:45PM Living Today
SUN, 8-9PM Living for Today Discussion

AI-Anon
Intergroup 212-941-0094
THU, 5:45-7:15PM Gay Men's Round Robin
FRI, 7:30-10PM Gay Men Beginners & Regular
SAT, 7:45-9:15PM GLAD Gay & Lesbian Discussion
SUN, 5:45-7:15PM Sundays at the Center

Cocaine Anonymous
Intergroup 212-929-7300
SAT, 6-7:30PM Gay & Lesbian Open Meeting
SUN, 11AM-12:30PM Serenity Sunday

Co-Dependents Anonymous
Intergroup POB 1509, NY, NY 10159-1509, codanyc.org
MON, 9-10PM CODA
FRI, 8:30-10PM Co-Dependents Anonymous

Crystal Meth Anonymous
Intergroup NYCMA, POB 1517, Old Chelsea Station, NY, NY 10011, 212-642-5029, info@nycma.org
MON, 6-7PM Relapse Prevention
TUE, 7:30-9PM New York Group #1 Beginners
WED, 8-9PM Conscious Contact
THU, 8-9PM Big Book Study Meeting
FRI, 8-9:30PM Crystal Clear Beginners

SAT, 11AM-12:30PM Saturday Solutions
SAT, 8-9PM Meditation Meeting
SAT, 9:30-10:30PM Relationships, Intimacy, Sex & Sobriety
SUN, 11:15AM-12:15PM Sunday Solutions
SUN, 6-7:15PM Sunday Step Meeting
SUN, 7:30-8:30PM Beginners

Debtors Anonymous
Hotline 212-969-8111, danyc.info
MON, 7:30-9PM Lesbian & Gay Step Meeting
WED, 11:45AM-1PM Step Writing to Abundance
SAT, 11:15AM-12:45PM Writers Group
SAT, 4:15-5:15PM Meditation Group
SUN, 12:15-1:45PM Creating Your Vision

Incest & Sexual Abuse Survivors (Men)
FRI, 6:15-8PM

Marijuana Anonymous
Hotline 212-459-4423, manewyork.org
WED, 8:30-9:45PM Marijuana Anonymous
3RD WED, 8-9:15PM Marijuana Anonymous District 8

Narcotics Anonymous
Hotline 212-929-6262
Area Service Committee nycasc.org
FRI, 5:45-7:15PM Recovery at Dusk
SUN, 2:15-3:45PM Serenity Sunday

Overeaters Anonymous
Intergroup oa.org
MON, 1-2PM Just for Today Discussion
TUE, 12:15-1:15PM Discussion
WED, 12:15-1:15PM Format Varies
THU, 12:15-1:15PM Big Book
FRI, 12:15-1:15PM 12-Step
SAT, 12-1:30PM Step Writing Workshop
SAT, 6-7:30PM Word of Mouth Open LGBT Meeting
SUN, 11:15AM-12:45PM Recovery from Relapse
SUN, 2-3PM Meditation Meeting
SUN, 5-6:30PM Sex, Love & Abstinence
SUN, 7-8PM Gay Men

Procrastinators Anonymous
Intergroup procrastinators-anonymous.org
SUN, 5-6PM Into Action (open to newcomers), meeting contact procrastinatorsNYC@gmail.com

Sexual Compulsives Anonymous
Intergroup 212-439-1123, sca-recovery.org/cities/newyork
MON, 12-1:30PM 4th Step Writing Workshop
MON, 5:45-7:15PM Unsafe Sex
MON, 7:30-8:30PM Big Book Step Study Meeting
MON, 9-10PM Sharing Towards Recovery
TUE, 12-1:30PM Tuesday Round Robin
WED, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
WED, 9-10PM Porn/Internet/Phone Sex
THU, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
FRI, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
FRI, 5:45-7:15PM Beginners
FRI, 6:15-7:15PM Sober Topics
FRI, 7:30-9PM Healthy Sexuality
SAT, 12-1:30PM Third Column
SAT, 2:30-4PM Committed Relationships
SAT, 6-7:30PM First Step Meeting
SAT, 7:45-9:15PM Characteristics
SUN, 12:30-2PM Intimacy Workshop
SUN, 5:45-7:15PM Sex, Drugs & Alcohol
SUN, 8-9PM Steps & Traditions
2ND SUN, 3-5PM Intergroup

Sexual Recovery Anonymous
Intergroup 212-340-4650; sexualrecovery.org
1ST MON, 6-8PM Intergroup
SAT, 11:15AM-12:45PM Step Meeting

Survivors of Incest Anonymous
Helpline 212-501-HEAL; sianyc.org
FRI, 6:15-8PM SIA Men's Group
SAT, 4:15-5:45PM SIA Double Winners (survivors only)

Underearners Anonymous
SUN, 11AM-NOON