

CenterListings

November 2009

The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Community Center
208 West 13th Street
New York, NY 10011
(Between 7th & 8th Aves.)
212.620.7310
212.924.2657 (f)
gaycenter.org

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

The LGBT Archive
DROP-IN TUE & THU, 6-9PM
OR BY APPOINTMENT, CALL
212.620.7310 X205

David Bohnett Cyber Center
MON-FRI 11AM-9PM
SAT-SUN 12-9PM
\$3 PER HOUR

Pat Parker/Vito Russo Library & Book Sale
MON-THU 6-9PM
FRI-SAT 1-4PM
LIBRARY CATALOG ONLINE

Except where noted, more information about all listings is available at gaycenter.org.

To submit your listings email centerlistings@gaycenter.org.

CENTER EVENTS & PROGRAMS

To register for Center events and learn about volunteering opportunities also visit us online at gaycenter.org.

CULTURAL PROGRAMS

Volunteer Opportunities

Interested in volunteering? Get more information about volunteering at the Center and other LGBT organizations. Attend Center Orientation, Nov 17, see below.

Open Call to Women Artists EXHIBIT FEB - JUN 2010

The Campbell Soady Gallery seeks exhibition ready artwork (photography, sculpture, music, video, paintings) that reflects the diverse experiences of queer women in the LBT community. For more information visit gaycenter.org/node/4434.

MON, NOV 2, RECEPTION 6PM, WORKSHOP 6:30PM

The Center and Babeland present Ass Play: A Workshop for Men

Babeland and The Center team up to bring popular workshops to you every month. In November, it's all about anal pleasure. Babeland Sex Educators will cover tips and tricks. For men only. \$10. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4515.

TUE, NOV 3, RECEPTION 6:30PM, PROGRAM 7PM

Center Voices presents Alex Dobkin

Join us for a book signing and performance by Alex Dobkin, author of *My Red Blood: A Memoir of Growing Up Communist*, *Coming Onto the Greenwich Village Folk Scene*, and *Coming Out in the Feminist Movement*. Tonight Dobkin chronicles her rise to fame as the first artist to record an openly lesbian album in 1973. \$10. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4516.

WED, NOV 4, 11, 18 (weekly), 11AM-12:30PM

Center Orientation presents Yoga Positive

Designed specifically for HIV+ men and women. Strong but gentle Yoga practice. A short presentation of potential benefits to individuals with HIV. Free. More information at gaycenter.org/node/4518.

THU, NOV 5, 12, 19 (weekly), 7PM

Queer Men's Erotic Art Workshop

Re-imagined, re-focused, re-energized and with a renewed sense of purpose. Harvey Redding's Queer Art Now with the Queer Men's Art Workshop. Reach beyond yourself to new heights of art making and display it to the world. \$20. More information at gaycenter.org/node/4519.

MON, NOV 9, RECEPTION 6:30PM PROGRAM 7PM

An Evening with Jane Lynch in conversation with NY Times book editor Billy Goldstein

Jane Lynch is a seasoned, versatile writer, actress, comedian and singer. She is currently starring to rave reviews in the Fox comedy

Glee as aggressive cheerleader coach Sue. Ms. Lynch will be joining the cast of Nora Ephron's *Love, Loss, and What I Wore*, playing in NYC for 12 weeks this Fall. General admission \$35; Center Members \$25; VIP seating & reception with Ms. Lynch, 6:15PM, \$75 (limited to 30 guests). Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4474.

WED, NOV 11, RECEPTION 6PM PROGRAM 6:30PM

Center Voices presents Working Authors

Katherine A. Gleason, freelance writer and editor has appeared in such journals as *Southeast Review*, *River Styx*, *La Petite Zine*, *Alimentum*, and *Mississippi Review Online*, while longer stories have been published in *Best American Erotica*, *Best Lesbian Erotica*, *Cream City Review*, and *X: The Erotic Treasury*. Walter Holland, Ph.D., is the author of two books of poetry *A Journal of the Plague Years: Poems 1979-1992* and *Transatlan-tic*, as well as a novel, *The March*. Curated by Steven Cordova. \$10. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4525.

FRI, NOV 13, RECEPTION 6PM READING 7PM

Center Voices presents Head Game by authors

Gail Ellington and KJ Thomas
A reading and book signing that takes us on a journey of love, hate, murder, and sexual exploration with Kia, Geneta, Crystal and Steven; and be careful of where you lay your head!! \$10. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4476

FRI, NOV 13, 6-9PM

Social/Support Group for People with Disabilities - Movie Night

Social/support group for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities who also identify as LGBT. 2nd Fri. Contact Tom Ott 718.768.0225. Free. More information at gaycenter.org/node/4526.

FRI, NOV 13, 7-9PM

Center Bingo

Hosted by Lady Clover Honey! Fun-filled night of cash and prizes. It's a Bear night. Play with the Bears the night before Fur Ball. \$12 online; \$15 at the door. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4533.

FRI, NOV 13, 9:30PM-12AM

The Center presents Bearapalooza New York

Center Bingo is immediately followed by Bearapalooza, a concert of musicians and performers from the bear community. \$8 online; \$10 at the door. Tickets at gaycenter.org.

SAT, NOV 14, 9PM

Dance 208 presents Fur Ball

It's that time of year again and the bears are out in full force! Don't miss one of the city's hottest bear events! 800 fun-loving bears. Where else would you be? \$8 online; \$10 at the door. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4529.

SUN, NOV 15, 11AM-1PM

Center Learning presents PowerPoint, Beginner and Intermediate Level

Free class to familiarize you with Microsoft Office PowerPoint 2007. From maneuvering through the program to creating a presentation from scratch and e-mailing it, we cover the basics, version differences, transitions, animation, all to further your ideas and projects. Instructor Myles J. Glynn, worldwidemyles.com. Free. Register at gaycenter.org/node/4530.

TUE, NOV 17, RECEPTION 6PM PROGRAM 6:30PM

Second Tuesdays presents Malinda Lo, author of Ash

Lo, an award-winning lesbian journalist and former managing editor of *AfterEllen.com*, said she was inspired to write *Ash*, a retelling of the classic Cinderella story after reading Robin McKinley's retelling of *Beauty and the Beast* and *Sleeping Beauty*. Lo is currently working on a companion book for *Ash*, set several hundred years prior to the story, due in the fall of 2010. \$10. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4528.

TUE, NOV 17, 6:30-8PM

Center Orientation

Are you new to NYC or new to the LGBT community? Center Orientation is an excellent way to find out about volunteer opportunities, social activities, and other LGBT organizations that serve our community. Free. More information at gaycenter.org/node/4527.

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**WED, NOV 18, 6-8:30PM
Cocktails with Content
presents Queer Women's
Networking Social**

Gather for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres to celebrate the unique experiences of professional queer women. Meet, greet and leverage the diverse education, careers and backgrounds of New York City's LBTQ professionals. Space limited. General Admission \$10; VIP \$20 (open bar). Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4531.

**FRI, NOV 20, RECEPTION 6PM
PROGRAM 6:30PM
Lesbian Cinema Arts
presents What's Cooking?
(2000)**

Thanksgiving serves as the focal point for this celebratory look at the modern family. Immerse yourself in this delightful comedy that interweaves the workings of four diverse Los Angeles households. Cast includes Julia Margulies, Joan Chen, Alfre Woodard, Kyra Sedgwick, Mercedes Ruehl and Lainie Kazan. \$8 online; \$10 at the door. Tickets at gaycenter.org/node/4532.

CENTER KIDS & CENTER FAMILIES

For more information visit gaycenter.org/families or email Ivy Belardo, ibelardo@gaycenter.org

**THU, NOV 12, 6:30-8PM
Lesbian Family Building:
A Discussion of the Medical,
Emotional and Legal Aspects
of Building a Lesbian Family.**

What women need to know about having babies (practical and emotional issues in family-building), presented in conjunction with Re-productive Medicine Associates of NY. Donations welcome!

**SAT, NOV 21, 2-4pm
Family Play Day, Family
Scrapbooking**

Let's get crafty! Join us at the Center for some fun catching up with memories. Adults can scrapbook photos and memorabilia, and kids can do the same (or just draw or paste down magazine pictures they like!). We'll have glue and glue sticks, scissors, and some supplemental supplies like stickers and trims, but bring your own books and special materials. We'll snack and paste together! \$20 donation/family.

**THU, NOV 5, 8-10 PM
Wannabe Dads and Moms**

Group for LGBTQ people exploring the possibilities of becoming parents through adoption. \$5 donation/household.

**WED, NOV 11, 6:30-8PM
Parenting Partnerships**

Co-ed group for those interested in making babies together and raising them cooperatively. \$5 donation/household.

**THU, NOV 12, 6:30-8PM
Planning Biological
Parenthood for Women**

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

**MON, NOV 16, 6:30-8PM
TLC for Women TTC**

Support group for women who have been trying to conceive through alternative insemination for 6 months or longer.

**WED, NOV 25, 6:30-8PM
Planning Biological
Parenthood for Men**

Informational seminar about biological parenting for gay men via surrogacy. \$5 donation/household.

**SUN, NOV 22, 4-5:50PM
NEW GROUP Genderqueer and
Trans Parenting**

Group provides space for gender-queer and trans parents and prospective parents to meet, exchange information, share stories, offer and receive support. \$5 donation/household.

CENTER CARE

**THU, NOV 19, 6:30-9PM
The C-Word: Coming
Together Around Cancer**

The Lesbian Cancer Initiative's 6th annual community forum and networking event for lesbians, bisexual women, transgender people living with cancer, cancer survivors and care partners. Featuring a talk and Q&A by Elizabeth Lorde-Rollins, MD, (topic to be announced); and a meet & greet with Glendda Testone, the Center's new Executive Director. Free

**FRI, NOV 20, 6-10PM
Trans Day of Remembrance**

Join the Gender Identity Project in reflecting on the lives of community members we've lost to oppression, stigma and violence.

**MON, NOV 30, 10AM-1PM
Substance Abuse and the
LGBT Community**

Facilitators: Andres Hoyos, LMSW and David Rogers, LCSW-R. Workshop to educate and support service providers as well as the general public on substance abuse among the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender communities and their unique needs around treatment. The workshop will provide insights into some underlying causes for higher rates of substance abuse among the LGBT people compared with the general population; issues to be addressed to help engage and retain clients; and challenges that LGBT people face when seeking services. Resources for appropriate referrals will be reviewed. \$20 for students, \$40 for professionals. To register, contact Kaden Milkovich, kmilkovich@gaycenter.org, 212.620.7310.

Center CARE Recovery Fall Group Schedule

All Center CARE Recovery groups are by appointment only and are open only to registered Center CARE Recovery clients. For information about becoming a Center CARE Recovery client, please call 212.620.7310 ext 248.

Early Recovery Group For those with fewer than 90 days abstinence. Mon 11am-12pm, Mon 6-7pm, Wed 11am-12pm, Thu 6-7pm.

Sex, Sexuality & Recovery Group Sexuality and substance use. Mon 12-1pm.

Tobacco & Recovery Group Smoking cessation and recovery. Mon, 4-5pm.

Integrating the 12 Steps and Substance Abuse Treatment Group Examines meaning and purpose of the 12 Steps in relation to substance abuse treatment. Mon 5-6pm.

Relapse Prevention Group For those with 90 days or more abstinence. Tue 11am-12pm; Wed 6-7pm.

Mindfulness Group Examines habitual reactions to thoughts and feelings related to substance abuse. Tue 12-1pm.

Emotional Wellness Group Examines difficult emotions that contribute to substance use. Tue 5-6pm.

Crystal Meth Group For those dealing with crystal meth use. Wed 12-1pm.

Creative Expressions Group Use of art and other creative processes to stimulate new ideas and attitudes to recovery. Wed 1-2:30pm.

Managing Your Anger & Frustration Group Examines alternative means of expressing the frustration and anger that can lead to substance use. Wed 5-6pm.

Relationships Group Examines relationships with self and others in connection to substance use. Thu 12-1pm.

Weekend Recovery Planning Group Developing relapse prevention strategies for weekends. Fri 11am-12pm.

Health & Wellness Group Information about relationship between health issues and substance use. Fri 12-1pm.

Young Adults Group Examines substance use related to youth (18-25). Fri 2-3pm.

Center CARE Wellness Fall Group Schedule

GENDER IDENTITY PROJECT All Gender Identity Project groups are drop-in. Come to as many or as few sessions as you want. However, please come on time and leave on time. **Sign up for the GIP newsletter at genderidentityproject.org**

**TUE, NOV 3, 6-7:30PM
Transgender Health Initiative
of New York (THINY)** Monthly drop-in advocacy group working to create a community-based trans-access to healthcare movement. THINY is for transgender, gender non-conforming people and allies. Hosted by the TLDEF, GIP, and NYAGRA. Drop-in. No registration required. Free.

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WED, NOV 4, 6-7:30PM

Trans Events Committee

Ongoing, monthly drop-in working group that organizes, plans and produces Center events of relevance to the trans-communities. Open to transgender, gender non-conforming people and allies. Drop-in. No registration required. Free.

WED, through DEC 16, 7:30-9PM
no meeting NOV 25

Gender Drop-In: 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 feelings and concerns about gender, trans-identities and histories. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation, but no one turned away.

WED, through DEC 16, 7:30-9PM
no meeting NOV 25

Gender Drop-In: 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 feelings and concerns about gender, trans-identities and histories. Drop-in. No registration required. \$5 suggested donation, but no one turned away.

WED, NOV 4, 7:30-9PM

Trans Partners Trans Amorous

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, but no one turned away.

WED, NOV 11, 6-7:30PM

Trans Families & Friends

Monthly drop-in group for family members and friends of people who are 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, but no one turned away.

WELLNESS: BEREAVEMENT, HEALING & COACHING

TUE, through DEC 15, 6-7:30PM
Yoga for People of All
Genders

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

TUE, 7:30-9PM

Positively Poetic

Do you have something to say? Write it in poetry! You don't have to be a good writer. You don't have to have ever written anything at all! Do you have unexpressed feelings around being HIV positive? Explore them and your experiences through poetry – the expression of your true self. Intake required. Open to people of all genders. Free.

RECOVERY SUPPORT

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 many more. Free. For more information or services, contact Miguel Castillo, 212.620.7310 x258, mcastillo@gaycenter.org.

En Recuperación con Recursos

Manejo de casos gratuito para ayudarle con los recursos necesarios para continuar en 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, 212.620.7310 x258, mcastillo@gaycenter.org.

TUE, 3:30-5PM; THU, 7-8:30PM

Connected in Recovery

Weekly support group led by and for LGBT people in recovery. Drop-in. No registration required. For more information contact Joe Disano, 212.620.7310 x485, jdisano@gaycenter.org.

MIÉRCOLES, 3-4:30PM

Conectados en Recuperación

Grupos de apoyo semanales en Español, dirigidos por y para personas LGBT en recuperación. Estos son grupos de asistencia voluntaria, por lo tanto no requieren registro previo. Todos los Miércoles de 3 a 4:30pm. Para mas información, por favor comuníquese con Andrés Hoyos, 212.620.7310 x253, ahoyos@gaycenter.org.

IMMIGRATION SUPPORT

TUE, NOV 10 & 24, 6-7:30PM
Immigrant 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 also serves as a place to get information about and referrals to organizations that help LGBT immigrants adjust to their new life in New York and to meet others who are living in similar circumstances. Drop-in. No registration required. Free.

MARTES, NOV 3 & 17, 6-7:30PM

Grupo de Apoyo para Inmigrantes (en Español)

Un espacio seguro donde Inmigrantes LGBT, (sin importar su estatus migratorio) se reúnen cada otro martes a discutir asuntos relacionado con el ajuste emocional de mudarse a un país nuevo. Este grupo servirá como un lugar donde inmigrantes LGBT pueden recibir información sobre organizaciones que te pueden ayudar ajustar a su vida nueva en New York y donde tienen la oportunidad de conocer otras personas que están viviendo situaciones similares a las suyas. Gratis y no requiere registro previo.

TUE, through DEC 8, 7:30-9PM
Immigration Social Action
Group

In its third season, and comprising members from over 25 different countries, this group conducts outreach and organizes events for the LGBT immigrant community of NYC. For more information email George Fesser at gesser@gaycenter.org. Drop-in. No registration required. Free. Gratis y no requiere registro previo.

EVENTS BY OTHER GROUPS

MON, NOV 2, 6-8PM

CLAGS-IRN Seminars in the City: Axes of Desire: Gender, Sexuality & Human Rights

Class sponsored by the International Resource Network, focusing on the theme of sexuality and human rights around the world. Free. clagsevents@gc.cuny.edu.

THU, NOV 5, 6:15-7:15PM

Pride Toastmasters: The Ice Breaker

First words make first impressions. Overcome your fear of public speaking. Membership \$120 per year. Attend at least three (free) meetings before joining. info@pridetoastmasters.com, pridetoastmasters.com.

FRI, NOV 6, 7-8:30PM

Out in Alaska, Adventure Slide Show and Reading

Punctuating the *slideshow*, Bob Smith reads from his novel, *Selfish and Perverse, which is set in Alaska*. Refreshments provided. Free. Tim@outinalaska.com, outinalaska.com.

SAT, NOV 7, 9:30am-4:30PM

Beyond Resentment Workshop

A day on love and action with Jim Roi. Spiritual dis-ease has only one source – resentment! Bring your symptoms and your resentments to this workshop. \$80. 212.529.0636, jimroi.com.

SAT, NOV 7, 5-7PM

Emotional Freedom Technique Workshop

This technique combines ancient Chinese healing with Western self-talk for removing negative emotions, behaviors, and pain. Taught by Lillian Fimbres, Advanced EFT Certification. Free. 347.515.3396, lillian_fimbres@hotmail.com.

SAT, NOV 7, 8-10PM

Qwik Dates: Men Ages 30s/40s Night

Speed-dating! Meet lots of guys one-on-one for a series of three-minute dates, then get a free mingling period to meet anyone else in the room. \$20. 212.971.1084, qwikdates.com.

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MON, NOV 9, 6-8PM
The Dialog Resumes:
Christian de la Huerta on
Using Sexuality for Spiritual
Growth

The author of *Coming Out Spiritually* views the LGBT community as particularly prepared to bring about a spiritual change in society. OP Members \$5, nonmembers \$10. outprofessionals.org.

WED, NOV 11, 8-10PM
Village Playwrights' One-
Minute Play Workshop

You'll be given ten minutes to write a specific 500-word play, then your script will be read by actors and critiqued by the group. \$3. 212.646.1514, villageplaywrights.googlepages.com.

THU, NOV 12, 6:15-7:15PM
Pride Toastmasters:
Organize Your Speech

Learn how to organize your thoughts and communicate them effectively. Unleash your inner voice! For membership and contact information, see Nov 5.

FRI, NOV 13, 7:30-9:30PM
Dating Madness: Men 30's,
40's Night

Tired of the bar scene? Come to this relaxed, pressure-free dating event to meet new friends, or ignite passionate romance! Find compatible matches based on values and interests. \$20. 212.989.8549, nyclavenderlounge.com.

FRI, NOV 13, 6:30-9:30PM
Contra Dance Party

Beginner intro and pre-dance schmooze 6:30, dance 7. Caller Lisa Greenleaf. Music by Lise Brown and Friends. No partner or experience needed. Everyone welcome. \$12. Brooks 347.275.7983, Carol 718.972.3191, lcf.org/nyc.

SAT, NOV 14, 5-7PM
Moonfire Empowerment &
Spirituality Network

Carol Cannon facilitates an introductory lecture on *The Urania Book*, which conveys a slice of the Grand Universe within which we evolve. All welcome. \$6. Amethyst 212.222.2467, amethystmoonfire@hotmail.com.

SUN, NOV 15, 1-2:30PM
SAL Book Discussion Group
All lesbians are welcome to attend this monthly discussion of lesbian

literature. Today's book is *The Sweet In Between* by Sheri Reynolds. \$3 suggested donation. groups.yahoo.com/group/salbookgroup.

SUN, NOV 15, 3-5PM
Music Salon Thanks Giving
Warm Up Party

Celebrate the warmth of music and laughter with a great company of friends. Music Salon is the way to start your long run through the holidays. \$15. xanga.com/musicsalon.

TUE, NOV 17, 7-9PM
The Good Men Project:
Reading and Discussion with
Cary Wong and Jesse
Kornbluth

Authors read excerpts from their new book about modern manhood. Tickets free, but please RSVP: theygaycenternycreading.eventbrite.com, info@goodmenproject.org.

WED, NOV 18, 8-10PM
Board Stiff: Secret Identity
Game Night

Is your secret identity a wealthy and powerful Rail Baron, or a treacherous Thief or Assassin? Please arrive on time – games may not be available to latecomers. \$5. BoardStiffNY.org.

THU, NOV 19, 5:30-7:30PM
The Women's CoffeeHouse
Alix Dobkin reads from her memoir *My Red Blood: A Memoir of Growing Up Communist, Coming Out Onto the Greenwich Village Folk Scene, and Coming Out in the Feminist Movement*.

Women only. \$7. roby2@verizon.net.

THU, NOV 19, 6:15-7:15PM
Pride Toastmasters: Get to
the Point!

Do you ramble on and on? Learn how to get to the point. For membership and contact information, see Nov 5.

SAT, NOV 21, 8-10PM
Make Me A Match: Ultimate
Lesbian Dating/Social Mixer

Get a date, ignite romance, and combat loneliness while connecting with interesting women. Marilyn makes this a relaxed, uplifting experience. \$25 at the door; \$22 early bird discount online. 212.989.8549, nyclavenderlounge.com.

SAT, NOV 21, 8-10PM
Boyfriend Material:
Professionals Night for
Single Men

Fun, unique way to meet men you're compatible with, increasing your odds that a relationship could take hold. \$20 at the door. 212.971.1084, bfmaterialny.com.

FRI, NOV 27, 6:30-9PM
The New Painted Boy Gay Art
Fair Gala Reception

View thousands of exciting, erotic, imaginative and original pieces of gay art. Meet new artists, as well as established members of the community. \$35. thepaintedboy.com.

SAT, NOV 28, 5-7PM
Moonfire Empowerment &
Spirituality Network

Justin Pugliese facilitates Evolutionary Psychology, the theory of natural selection, as it applies to what our mental functions have been selected for. All welcome. \$6. Amethyst 212.222.2467, amethystmoonfire@hotmail.com.

SAT, NOV 28, 4:15-6PM
STONEWALL Veterans'
Association

Some election month winners will be stopping by with thanks. Co-chaired by SW-Vetz Williamson, Jeremiah, Storme and Ruthy. 212.627.1969, 347.404.4427, sva@STONEWALLvets.org, STONEWALLvets.org.

SAT, NOV 28, 12-7PM and
SUN, NOV 29, 12-6PM
The New Painted Boy
Gay Art Fair

Do your Christmas shopping early. Buy erotic, imaginative and original pieces of gay art. Meet new artists, as well as established members of the community. \$20. thepainteboy.com.

REGULAR 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. 2nd Sun 2-3:30pm. 718.849.5665, averny.tripod.com, glbtvetsnyc@yahoo.com

Art Group for Gay and 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 908.355.4051; 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

Big Apple Softball League NY's only gay/lesbian softball league. 2nd Wed 6-8pm. 212.726.1518, bigapplesoftball.com,

Bisexual Women's Support
Group Support/discussion group for bisexual and bi-curious women only. 1st/3rd/5th Wed 6:30-8pm. cindytrue@msn.com

Board Stiff Exotic and unusual card and board games. Beginners happily taught. \$5, \$3 students. 1st/3rd Wed 8-10pm. boardstiffny.com,

Butch/Femme Society 3rd Wed 6:30-8pm. 212.388.2736, bfsnyc@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. 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.

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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

Club Frottage NYC Social, meet-and-greet, network group for frottage men. 4th Sun 4-6pm. groups.yahoo.com/group/ClubFrottageNYC

A Common Bond Support group for ex-Jehovahs Witnesses who are LGBT. 3rd Sat 5-6pm. acbny.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 8-10 pm. 646.418.7039, dignityny.org, dignityny@aol.com

Disabled Queers of New York (DQNY) Social/support group for disabled gay men and gay men with chronic illnesses. Being a minority within a minority isn't easy, but DQNY will help you to feel good about yourself. 1st Sun 6-8pm. 718.389.8180, atrocchia@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, Nicknyny1@gmail.com

Easton Mountain Retreat 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 connection. Usually 1st Sun 4-6pm. 800.553.8235. eastonmountain.com

Fifth Wednesday Gaming Group Different games at each meeting; latecomers may not be admitted. \$5, exact change appreciated. 5th Wed 8-10pm. 212.246.6214

FIRE-FLAG, Inc. Peer support for gay firefighters, EMS and related professionals. 2nd Tue 6-8pm, followed by social at Tys. Tom 888.763.0479, fireflag.net, fireflag1@aol.com

Filmmakers' Club All invited, novice to pro, mac or pc, covering cinematography and lighting thru

festival distribution. \$5. 2nd Tue 8-10pm. cinematographyclubnyc@gmail.com

French Language Club For beginners/intermediates who wish to upgrade ability to speak but lack opportunity to practice. Not a class. Relaxed, round table discussion to enjoy using what you already know. \$5. 1st/3rd Wed 6-8pm, no Jul/Aug. 212.772.3511

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. Newcomers 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. 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 Fri 8-9:30pm. 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 Listen to and discuss recordings. 2nd Fri 8-10pm. Charles 212.691.5993

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

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. 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 Organizers of NYC's LGBT pride events (Rally, March, Dance on the Pier, Pride-Fest). 2nd Mon 8-10pm. 212.80PRIDE, hopinc.org,

HIV+ and HIV- affected Gay Men Support Group (ACRIA) Thu 6:30-8pm, 212.924.3934, acria.org

HIV+ Gay Men Support Group (ACRIA) Fri 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 Language Club For beginners and intermediates who wish to upgrade their ability to speak. Not a class. Relaxed, round table discussion. \$5. 2nd/4th Mon 6-8pm. 212.772.3511

Just Prayer For LGBT persons of Christian persuasion who find themselves in need of Just Prayer or wish to have a place to Just Pray. All welcome. Sat 11am-noon.

Knit and Schmooze Sometimes your brain works better when your hands are busy. Bring needles and yarn. Led by Barbara Drainin. 1st/3rd Mon 7:30-9pm. Email registration to bdrainin@aol.com, type "knitting" in subject line.

Lambda Car Club - Empire Region Gay international non-political group that likes all types

of special interest and old automobiles. Meet "fellow" car enthusiasts and plan monthly events at other locations. 1st Tue 6-8pm. Sam 440.563.6527, lccbaron@aol.com

Language Classes for Beginners Learn to speak French, Spanish or Italian. 10-week program. Emphasis on conversation, good understanding of basics. Congenial atmosphere. For beginners and those with some knowledge to review and upgrade what they already know. 75-minute classes. Info and enrollment 212.772.3511

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 Gay Men of New York General meeting for Latino gay, bisexual, transgender men to explore their total beings without closeting sexuality or feeling discriminated against because of cultural heritage. 1st Fri 8-10pm, no Aug. 212.367.0342, lgmny.org, info@lgmny.org

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, leatherpridenight.org, lpnny@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, le_gal@earthlink.net

Lesbian & Gay Teachers Association General Meeting 1st Wed 6-8pm, no Jul/Aug. Jonathan 212.933.4544, Catherine 646.660.3303, lgta@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, lgbtnasw@yahoo.com

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Less AIDS Lesotho Forum for African LGBT people, friends, supporters. Both educational and entertaining: discussions of issues affecting African LGBT community, sharing resource information, watching films portraying African LGBT lives, concerns. 1st/3rd Fri 6-8pm. Kele 646.361.0891, lessaids@yahoo.com

Life Drawing Monitored life drawing sessions, male models, short and long poses. Sat 11am-2pm, last Sat long poses. \$10. Bring own drawing material. All skill levels welcome. Steven Frim 201.945.5134

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 Oct 14, Jan 13, Apr 14, 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 and non-gay individuals and organizations committed to ending discrimination against same sex couples in civil marriage. 1st Wed 6:30-7:30pm. 877.772.0089, marriageequalityny.org, info@marriageequalityny.org

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. sirlarry@sirlarry.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 information, 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. \$6. All welcome. Amethyst 212.222.2467, amethystmoonfire@hotmail.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, support each other and leather community. 2nd Thu 8:30-10pm. newyorkboysofleather.com

NorthEast Two-Spirit Society Social, recreational, cultural group serving LGBT and Native American-identified community of NYC. 2nd Wed 6-8pm. Harlan Pruden 646.351.7360, hpruden@gmail.com

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. 1st Sun 12-1:15pm Feb/ Apr/Jun/Aug/Oct/Dec. \$10. nycgayshamans.net

NYC Latino PFLAG, parte de PFLAG FCA, NYC Todos son bienvenidos, incluyendo padres, amigos, familiares y personas GLBT con o sin sus familias. Primer domingo 1-3pm. Las

coordinadoras: Nila Marrone 914.787.8738, nilajoe@optonline.net; Migdalia Santiago, 718.749.8562, floralatina123@yahoo.com.

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, jlrees@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/

Old Lesbians Organizing for Change (OLOC) Organization confronting ageism in our own and larger community and challenges racism, classism, ableism, sexism, religious intolerance. Most 2nd Sun 2-4 pm, no Jun/Aug. Confirm dates with Myra 212.535.9633

Onyx NY M.C. Brotherhood of Men of Color into BDSM/ Fetish lifestyles. Support, community, education for members, associates, applicants. Voice, presence, impact in the Leather/BDSM community. 2nd Sun 6-8pm. onyxny.org

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 are accepted. 2nd Sat 5-8pm. Kevmcgr@pipeline.com

Out For Profit Socially-conscious investment club with queer bent. 10-year track record. Monthly meetings focused on doubling money every 5 years. Currently considering new members. outforprofit.com, info@outforprofit.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. Call before attending. Warren 212.477.2827, paulinepark@earthlink.net

Photography Club Amateurs, professionals meet to show work, receive comments. nycphotoclub.com, info@nycphotoclub.com

Polyamorous NYC Discussion for individuals, couples, groups of all orientations, genders interested in long-term, romantically committed, multiple-partner relationships. 3rd Wed 8-10pm. Justen 212.543.9494, poly-nyc.com, info@poly-nyc.com

Pride Toastmasters Improve speaking, presentation skills! Mutually supportive, positive learning environment; every member has opportunity to develop communication, leadership skills, fostering self-confidence, personal growth. Thu 6:15-7:15pm. 646.548.7414, info@pridetoastmasters.com, pridetoastmasters.com

Prime Timers Social club for mature men. General Meeting 2nd Sat 2-4pm. Board of Directors 2nd Wed 5-6pm. POB 1185, Lenox Hill Station, NYC 10021-1185. nyprime69@yahoo.com

Psychology Discussion Group Grow with other men, women in atmosphere of support, challenge. Discuss homosexuality/creativity, gender/identity, masculinity/femininity, more. Experienced facilitator. Door closes at 8pm. 1st Fri 8-10pm Mar/Jun/Sep/Dec. \$10. 718.473.0702, ninthstreetcenter.org/schedule.htm

Queer Justice League Topic discussion, socializing, queer activism. 1st Thu 8-10pm, no Jul/Aug. Joey 973.412.7743, changebuilders@msn.com

Room To Write Writing group open to all in LGBT community, whether 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-only 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

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Tue 8-10pm. sirensnyc.com,
sirensnyc@hotmail.com

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

SoulforceNYC Movement committed to ending spiritual violence perpetuated by religious policies, teachings against GLBT people. Network of volunteers, staff researching, teaching, applying principles of nonviolence as taught, lived by Gandhi and King on behalf of sexual/gender minorities. All welcome. Last Tue 6:30-8pm, no Jul/Aug. 212.777.8444, soulforce.org, soulforcenyc@aol.com

South Asian Lesbian & Gay Association (SALGA) Social, political group for LGBT people who trace their descent from South Asia. 2nd Sat 4-6pm. 212.358.5132, salganyc.org, salganyc@hotmail.com

Spanish Language Legal Clinic Offered by Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Law Association Foundation of Greater NY. Free walk-in clinic for Spanish speakers provides general legal information, referrals. Spanish translator always available. 3rd Mon sign-up 6-6:30pm. 212.353.9118, le-gal.org, le_gal@earthlink.net

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 Participants in legendary 5-night 1969 Stonewall Rebellion eligible for membership. Friends of SVA last Sat 4:15-6pm, no Dec. 212.627.1969, 212.889.4262, stonewallvets.org, sva@stonewallvets.org

Stop the False Arrests Campaign Organizing to end false arrests in LGBT community. 4th Wed 7:30-9pm. stopthearrests@aol.com

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). \$5. 1st/3rd 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 5-7pm, no Jun. 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, villageplaywrights.googlepages.com

West Village Trans-Legal Clinic Name Change Project Free information, assistance to transgender identified people interested in obtaining legal name changes. Drop-in. 1st Mon sign-up 6-6:30pm. 212.353.9118, le_gal@earthlink.net

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

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
SAT, 6-7:30PM Women Together Closed Discussion
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

Al-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 CMA New York Group #1 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 CMA Sunday Solutions
SUN, 6-7:15PM CMA 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
THU, 7:30-9PM Recovering from Underearning
SAT, 11:15AM-12:45PM Writers Group
SAT, 4:15-5:45PM Recovering from Fear of Success 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
2ND WED, 8-9:15PM Marijuana Anonymous District 8

Narcotics Anonymous Helpline 212.929.6262
Area Service Committee nycasc.org
TUE, 5:45-7:15PM Narcotics Anonymous (Tue)
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, 6-7:30PM Word of Mouth Open LGBT Meeting
SUN, 7:30-9PM Gay Men

Sexual Compulsives Anonymous Intergroup 212.439.1123, sca-recovery.org/cities/newyork
MON, 12-1:30PM 4th Step Writing Workshop
MON, 4:15-5:30PM Living Sober
MON, 5:45-7:15PM Unsafe Sex

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MON, 9-10PM Sharing Towards Recovery
TUE, 12-1:30PM Tuesday Round Robin
WED, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
WED, 7:30-9PM Creativity
WED, 9-10PM Porn/Internet/Phone Sex
THU, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
THU, 7:30-9PM Step Tradition
FRI, 12-1:30PM Round Robin
FRI, 5:45-7:15PM Beginners
FRI, 7:30-9PM Healthy Sexuality
SAT, 2:30-4PM Committed Relationships
SAT, 6-7:30PM First Step Meeting
SAT, 7:45-9:15PM Characteristics Workshop
SUN, 12:30-2PM Intimacy Workshop
2ND SUN, 3-5PM Intergroup
SUN, 5:45-7:15PM Sex, Drugs & Alcohol

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
SAT, 4:15-5:45PM SIA Double Winners (survivors only)

Underearners Anonymous
SUN, 11AM-NOON

SAGE AT THE CENTER

SAGE - Services and Advocacy for GLBT Elders offers an extensive array of groups and programs at the Center. For more information, 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 are located at 305 7th Ave, 6th Floor, NYC 10001. *Send all SAGE mail to that address.*

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 necessary)

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

SAGERCIZE Tue & Thu 11am-12pm

Daytime Discussion Tue 2-3:30pm

Women's Support 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

Scrabble & Bridge Fri 12:30-2pm

Life Issues Beyond Retirement Fri 3:30-5pm

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

Groups Requiring Registration

Caregiver Support, MS Support, Men's 50+ HIV+, Creative Writing, Bereavement, and more. Call or stop in for more information.

WED, NOV 4, 7-9PM new date! MORE Homoerotic Art – Slideshow & Lecture

SAGE member/art lecturer/world traveler Elliot Rabner's second presentation on artwork with homoerotic themes, focusing on world art from Ancient Times to the 21st Century. All ages welcome. (Rescheduled from Oct 4.) \$5 suggested donation.

SAT, NOV 7, 5:30-7:30PM Women's Coffee House

This week, a special rap group/open discussion exclusively for older lesbians (60+). \$5 door charge. Coffee/tea/dessert included. robby2@verizon.net

SUN, NOV 8, 3-5PM SAGE Women: Our Spiritual Journeys

A comfortable, structured space for women to explore the vast category we call "spiritual." Group meditation 3-3:30, topic-based discussion 3:30-5. Attend either or both parts.

THU, NOV 12, 6-9PM 1970's Women's Liberation Revisited

A special discussion/Q&A event looking at the Feminist past and how it reflects on the present. Panelists include Alix Dobkin, Liz Abzug, Dr. Phyllis Chesler, Noreen

Connell, and Joanne Steele. Presented by the Women's Coffee House and SAGE History & Heritage; sponsored by the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Community Center.

MON, NOV 16, 6-8PM Safety and Benefits Series: Veterans' Benefits

Information to protect yourself and loved ones toward the end of life. This month: Veterans' benefits; make sure you know all the benefits you're entitled to, and how to access them. Light refreshments. All ages welcome.

THU, NOV 19, 5:30-7:30PM Women's Coffee House

Special guest Alix Dobkin reads from her memoir, *My Red Blood*. \$7 door charge. Coffee/tea/dessert included. All ages welcome. robby2@verizon.net

FRI, NOV 20, 1-3PM SAGE Thanksgiving Party

An early Thanksgiving dinner and community event for SAGE members and all LGBT seniors. Free! Please RSVP to Bertis at 212.741.3592 by Fri, Nov 13.

FRI, NOV 20, 7:30-9:30PM SAGE Women: Our Birthdays, Our Stories

Gather to hear the life stories of women with November birthdays, and then celebrate! Newcomers welcome. Info: Alex 212.741.2247. To share your story: Amy 212.206.3737.