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Pink Triangle Community Calendar

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NOVEMBER 1989

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

a not-for-profit monthly publication serving the lesbian/gay community in Kitchener, Waterloo, Guelph and Cambridge.

Womyn Coming Together — Once Again

In February of 1988, the "Women's Social Discussion Group" was formed by a small but dedicated group of women. From these meagre beginnings, The Womyn's Group has hosted some of the largest women's events this community has ever experienced.

When we began, our focus was on discussions of lesbian issues and casual socializing. But we wanted to be able to reach a larger group of women and help create more of a women's community in the K-W area. We changed our name and began holding larger events, like numerous movie nights, a Women & Aids Evening, our smash presentation of *Born In Flames*, and more recently, *Lesbian Tongues*. Lesbians began falling from the woodwork!! (Yes, it was messy!) We tried continually to get women out to GLOW dances. When we succeeded (in December '88) at getting a 50/50 turn out, it was time, we thought, for a womyn's dance — the first one in five years.

The rest, shall we say, is "herstory"! Womyn's Night Out 1, 2 and 3 were all tremendous successes. We gave away up to 10 prizes per dance, all donated from women's organizations. We witnessed almost 100 women screaming wildly in conga line. And we had to throw people out of the bar at 2.30 am after having them refuse to leave by standing on the dance floor and chanting until we played more music.

The Cabaret, where the dances were held previously, is now closed. But we don't give up that easily. On Friday November 3 at the Robin's Nest in Cambridge, we will be holding Womyn Coming Together. We would love to have you, your energy, and your support at the dance. We promise absolutely NO POLKAS — this is not just another night at the Robin's Nest. All proceeds go to local organizations, including this very publication. So support your community and have a great time. We'll see you there.

Calendar of Events

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▼ GENERAL NOTICES ▼

Guelph Gay Equality holds social meetings every Tuesday in University Centre Room 536, University of Guelph, 8 pm. See Tuesdays in the Calendar for details.

Gay and Lesbian Liberation of Waterloo (GLOW), holds a coffeehouse every Wednesday in Campus Centre Room 110 at the University of Waterloo from 9-11 pm. Come out and meet other gays and lesbians in a comfortable and friendly environment!

The Womyn's Group meets every Thursday from 8.30-11 pm, Campus Centre Room 135 at the University of Waterloo.

Grand River Free Spirit Community Church. Regular Sunday service at the Robin's Nest, 2 pm.

▼ RADIO SHOWS ▼

we are everywhere, a fifteen minute program on issues concerning lesbians and gay men airs Wednesdays at 12.30 and 5.15 pm (Nov. 1, 15 & 29). CFRU-FM 93.3.

Nowhere to Hide, a gay radio show, airs every Wednesday on CKMS-FM, 94.5 or 95.5 on cable, from 6-7 pm.

For Women, a program of music, news and events of interest to women can be heard on CKMS-FM, 94.5 or 95.5 on cable, Wednesdays 7-9 pm.

Feminist Frequency is a program dealing with issues of importance to womyn. Thursdays, 5.30-6 pm, CFRU-FM, 93.3.

The Leaping Lesbian Radio Show airs Thursdays 6-8 pm also on CKMS-FM, 94.5 or 95.5 on cable. Music for womyn, by womyn and about womyn.

▼ NOVEMBER EVENTS ▼

Friday November 3

The Womyn's Group hosts a dance, "Womyn Coming Together," a benefit for the Womyn's Group, the For Women and Leaping Lesbian radio shows and the Pink Triangle Community Calendar. Tickets are \$4 and include a free raffle ticket. At the Robin's Nest, 9 pm. Call 884-GLOW for directions. The DJs promise "No Polkas" — this is not just another night at the Robin's Nest!

Friday November 4

The Robin's Nest hosts Teran Blake & Co., a drag show from London. 8 pm.

Sunday November 5

Spelunking and hiking on the Bruce Trail. Explore caves with hardy WOODs women. Car pool meets at 10 am in Kitchener. Don't forget your flashlight. Call Lisa 579-█ for details.

Tuesday November 7

Guelph Gay Equality Movie Nite

Thursday November 9

The Womyn's Group will be showing slides of Lesbian and Gay Pride Day, June 89, and discussing lesbian (in)visibility. Campus Centre Rem 135, 830 pm.

Saturday November 11

GLOW, Gay and Lesbian Liberation of Waterloo Fall Dance. 9pm-1am, Hagey Hall, Rooms 373-378 at the University of Waterloo. Tickets at the door, \$2 members, \$4 non-members. Call 884-GLOW for more information.

Sunday November 12

ACCKWA hosts a membership brunch. New members are always welcome. RSVP by calling 741-8300. Starts at 11 am.

Tuesday November 14

Guelph Gay Equality holds a social evening.

Gay and Lesbian Youth of Kitchener-Waterloo meet at the Global Community Centre, 89-91 King St N, 7.30-9 pm. Call 747-█ for more information.

Friday November 17

ACCKWA holds a benefit dance at the Robin's Nest. Doors open 8 pm. Tickets are \$5 at the door. Admission includes a tasty buffet.

WOODs Games Night. Bring your own munchies and join WOODs for fun and games in Cambridge. Call Deb at 623-█ for details.

Monday November 20

Deadline for submissions to the Pink Triangle Community Calendar, December issue.

Tuesday November 21

Guelph Gay Equality holds a discussion night with visitors from PFLAG, Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays.

Wednesday November 22

WOODs plays volleyball at 7.45 pm. Call Lisa or Deb at 579-█ for details.

Friday November 24

Guelph Gay Equality November dance. United Electrical Workers' Hall ("Schoolhouse"), 611 Silvercreek Pkwy N, Guelph. 9pm-1am, \$4 non-members.

Sat/Sun November 25, 26

ACCKWA sponsors the Ontario AIDS Network Conference at Conestoga College, Waterloo Campus. All sessions are open to the public and billets are needed for out-of-town delegates. Please call ACCKWA for building and room number, or to offer billeting. 741-8300.

Tuesday November 28

Guelph Gay Equality goes bowling! Town and Country Bowlerama, 3 Victoria St N, Guelph at 8 pm. Call David S., 821-█ for more info or a ride.

Gay and Lesbian Youth of Kitchener-Waterloo meet at the Global Community Centre, 89-91 King St N, 7.30-9 pm. Call 747-█ for more information.

Friday December 1

WORLD AIDS DAY. ACCKWA host a multicultural luncheon. Come out and gain more information on AIDS in developing countries and ACCKWA's African twin! Cost and location to be announced. Call ACCKWA, 741-8300 for more information.

Saturday December 2

WOODs goes skating at Columbia Icefields, 1-3pm (betcha we'll eat afterwards). Call Lisa for directions 579-█.

WRONG!
POLISH HALL

Organizations

Aids Committee of Cambridge, Kitchener-Waterloo and Area (ACCKWA)

886 Queen's Blvd.
Kitchener, Ontario
N2M 1A9
(519) 741-8300

Office Hours — 9 am-5 pm,
Volunteers staff phone 7-11
pm

ACCKWA provides support
services for HIV positive indi-
viduals. Drop by between 9
and 5, or phone between 9 am
and 11 pm.

Aids Committee of Guelph & Wellington County

Suite 202, 73 Delhi Street
Guelph, Ontario
N1E 6L9
(519) 763-2255

Hours — Monday to Friday,
9 am - 5 pm.

Gay and Lesbian Liberation of Waterloo (GLOW)

Campus Centre Room 209
University of Waterloo
Waterloo, Ontario
N2L 3G4
(519) 884-GLOW

Hours — Monday to Thurs-
day, 7-10 pm, answering
machine at other times.

GLOW provides peer coun-
selling and community infor-
mation.

Gay and Lesbian Youth of Kitchener-Waterloo

747-████

Volunteers staff phone Mon-
day to Friday, 7-10 pm, and
some Saturday and Sunday
afternoons. Regular meeting
the second and last Tuesday
of every month, 7.30-9 at
Global Community Centre,
89-91 King Street North,

Waterloo (across from Har-
mony Lunch).

Gays Out Of Doors (GOOD)

P.O. Box 2751
Kitchener, Ontario
N2H 6N3

Discreet mixed gay and les-
bian social club. Write for
more information.

Guelph Gay Equality

Mailing Address:
P.O. Box 773
Guelph, Ontario
N1H 6L8

Office:
Room 537
University Centre
University of Guelph

The Gay line, (519) 836-4550,
is staffed Monday to Wednes-
day, 7.30-9.30 pm, with a re-
corded message at other times.

Grand River Free Spirit Community Church

Regular Sunday service at the
Robin's Nest, 2 pm. Contact
Larry McLean, 741-8300
(ACCKWA).

The Womyn's Group

The lesbian discussion group
that does more than just talk
holds weekly meetings in
Campus Centre Room 135,
Thursdays, 8.30-11 pm. Con-
tact Karen at the Women's
Centre, University of Water-
loo, 888-3457.

Women Out Of Doors (WOODS)

10-54 Weber Street South
Waterloo, Ontario
N2J 1Z7
(519) 579-████

AIDS Committee of Cambridge KW and Area

886 Queen's Blvd
Kitchener, Ontario

target group education and support services for
individuals, partners, families and friends infected
or affected by HIV/AIDS

"You can talk to us"

Too late for Hallowe'en
And not quite Christmas...
Guess it's time for a

GLOW DANCE

Saturday,
November 11,
1989
Hagey Hall
Rooms 373-
378
9pm - 1am

Classifieds

Xtra! your free gay guide to
Toronto is now available in
Kitchener-Waterloo at the
Half and Half Club, GLOW,
Global Community Centre,
Wordsworth books and Dr.
Disc.

"Hey ladies, how would you
like to come back to my place
for some Cherry Kool-Aid on
ice?" Ask for Tracey at the
Womyn's Dance Nov. 3.

Clubs

The Robin's Nest

26 Hobson Street
Cambridge, Ontario
(519) 621-2688
Saturday nights only

The Half and Half Club

223 1/2 King Street West
Kitchener, Ontario
N2G 1B1
(519) 743-6731
Entrance off Hall's Lane,
Mon. to Sat., 8 pm - 1 am.

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Buttons. Call Lisa █████

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Kitchener, Bookshelf Café, Guelph.

Our new, permanent mailing address is:

PTCC, P.O. Box 986,

Waterloo, Ontario N2J 4S1.

Telephone (519) 579-████.

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