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## *Pink Triangle Community Calendar*

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# Pink Triangle

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

a not-for-profit monthly publication serving the lesbian/gay community in Kitchener, Waterloo, Guelph and Cambridge, available at the Half & Half Club, Robin's Nest, GLOW, Guelph Gay Equality, Guelph Women in Crisis, UW Women's Centre, ACCKWA, Wordsworth Books, Dr. Disc, Bookshelf Café, Surrender Dorothy, Blueleaf Bookshop, Pogo's Late Night Café, Princess Cinema

The PTCC can use more volunteer help; please contact us: P.O. Box 986, Waterloo N2J 4S1 579- (Lisa)

### Secrets

## AIDS AWARENESS WEEK

The Ontario Ministry of Health and the Ontario AIDS Network have proclaimed October 15-21 as this year's AIDS Awareness Week. The theme for the week will be "OutLiving, OutLoving, OutLasting AIDS." In order to raise community awareness of the disease, and increase compassion and understanding for those infected by the HIV virus, the AIDS Committee of Cambridge, Kitchener-Waterloo and Area (ACCKWA), the Waterloo Region Health Unit AIDS Program and the AIDS Committee of Guelph and Wellington County have arranged a number of educational events for the Waterloo and Guelph/Wellington regions.

One of the more innovative ideas during AIDS Awareness Week is the presentation of a play called *Secrets*, at the

Humanities Theatre on Monday October 15. *Secrets* was written by Patricia Loughrey for younger audiences and families. Developed by the Kaiser Permanente Medical Centre of Northern California, this production illustrates how easily AIDS can be transmitted and details methods of prevention.

The show will commence at 8 pm. Admission is free, but ACCKWA will be accepting donations at the theatre and tax receipts are available. Following the show, there will be a question and answer session focussing on the issues in the play with the cast members and ACCKWA's education director.



# Calendar of Events

# PTCC

## ▼ GENERAL NOTICES ▼

**Guelph Gay and Lesbian Equality (GGLE)** 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)** coffeehouses resume biweekly in Campus Centre Rm 110, University of Waterloo, 9-11 pm.

GLOW could always use more phonenumber volunteers, particularly womyn. Please leave a message for Ian during staff hours at the phonenumber 884-GLOW.

**The Womyn's Group**—weekly meetings on Thursdays in Campus Centre Room 135 at the University of Waterloo, 8.30 pm.

**Thursday Night Volleyball League** at Eastwood Collegiate on Weber St E in Kitchener. Call Steve at 576- for more information. All are welcome.

**The AIDS Committee of Guelph & Wellington County** is putting together a Speaker's Bureau. Training program commences September 13 for 8 weeks. Call Marnie Neve at 763-2255 for an interview or more information.

Family and Friends Support Group and the Body Positive Support Group will be starting again soon. Please call Deborah at 763-2255 for more information.

## ▼ 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 8-9 pm.

**WomenSpin**, formerly called **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 6-8 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.

**WomenWise** on CKWR-FM 98.7, 97.7 cable, 10.30-12 pm Wednesdays.

## ▼ OCTOBER EVENTS ▼

### Tuesday October 2

Guelph Gay and Lesbian Equality (GGLE) holds a Movie Night. The theme is Classic. UC 536 at 8 pm.

### Wednesday October 3

GLOW coffeehouses resume biweekly in Campus Centre Rm 110, University of Waterloo, 9-11 pm.

### Thursday October 4

Lucie Blue Tremblay at the Princess Cinema, 7.30 pm, tickets \$13 advance, \$15 at door from the Princess, Dr. Disc (Kitchener) and Macondo Books (Guelph).

### Friday October 5

GOOD comedy video night. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

### Saturday October 6

Oktoberfest at the Robin's Nest.

### Tuesday October 9

GGLE presents **Be GLAD: Bisexual, Gay and Lesbian Awareness Days**. The speaker this evening is Svend Robinson (Canada's only "out" MP), in Peter Clark Hall at the University of Guelph, 8 pm. Or, Drop-In at UC536, 8 pm.

### Saturday October 13

Viewing of *Video against AIDS* at Ed Video. 10-12 am.

Oktoberfest at The Robin's Nest.

### Sunday October 14

WOODS is going hiking along the Niagara Escarpment. Starts at 9.30 am. Call Lisa at 579- for more information.

Larry McLean of ACKWA is the guest speaker at the Free Spirit Community Church.

AIDS Committee of Guelph and Wellington County (ACGWC) presents *Our Mission: OutLiving, OutLoving, OutLasting AIDS*, a benefit concert from 3-4.30 pm at Chalmers United Church in Guelph.

GOOD goes horseback riding. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

### Monday October 15

ACKWA and the Waterloo Regional Health Unit AIDS Program invite you to attend *Secrets*, a drama about AIDS at the Humanities Theatre, University of Waterloo, 8 pm. Minimum donation of \$5 is appreciated.

### Tuesday October 16

GGLE and ACGWC are holding a Hot Rap workshop, designed to eroticize safe sex. Geared to both lesbians and gay men. UC 442, University of Guelph, 8 pm.

Multimedia educational display at the University of Waterloo Campus Centre, 10 am-2 pm. Evening presentation of the film *Sex, Drugs and AIDS* at UW Cinema Gratis.

### Wednesday October 17

GLOW coffeehouse, Campus Centre Room 110, University of Waterloo, 9-11 pm.

AIDS Awareness Week activities:

- multimedia educational display at Conestoga College Doon Campus, 8.30 am-2 pm
- candlelight walk from Waterloo Cenotaph to Unitarian House, 7 pm
- Interfaith Memorial Service, 8 pm at Unitarian House, 136 Allen St. E., Waterloo. Refreshments served.
- benefit presentation of the film *Common Threads: Stories from the Quilt*, 9.30 pm at the Princess Cinema, Waterloo

### Thursday October 18

Multimedia AIDS educational display at Wilfrid Laurier University Concourse.

### Friday October 19

Women's Night Out at the Robin's Nest.

WOODS is eating again! Dining out Chinese-style. Call Lisa at 579- for meeting place.

### GLOW

Dance at Circles, Kitchener's newest gay dance bar. Call the GLOW phonenumber for more information (884-4569).

Volunteer fair, multimedia AIDS educational display and dramatic presentation at Fairview Mall, from 9.30 am-3.30 pm.

### Saturday October 20

ACGWC holds a benefit dance, *OutDancing AIDS*, at the Loft, 1 Carden St. in Guelph, 9 pm-1 am. Tickets are \$5 advance, \$7 at the door.

Volunteer fair and multimedia educational display continues at Fairview Park Mall in Kitchener.

**ACKWA holds a community dance from 9 pm-1 am at Weaver's Arms Community Centre, Waterloo Cooperative Residence, 268 Phillip St., Waterloo.**

### Sunday October 21

WOODS goes horseback riding. This is for all those frustrated cow-womyn! Call Lisa at 579- for meeting details.

GOOD is off to the races—the horse races, that is. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

Country-Western afternoon at the Robin's Nest, 4-10 pm.

Ian Taylor, district representative for the Metropolitan Community Church is the guest speaker at the Free Spirit Community Church. His topic will be "Inclusive Language."

### Tuesday October 23

GGLE has a Social Night, UC 536.

### Wednesday October 24

GOOD steering committee meeting. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

### Friday October 26

KYDE Dance Co-op presents *Not a Halloween Dance*, a dance for women, 8.30 pm-1 am at the Royal Canadian Legion on Ontario St., one block north of King Street in downtown Kitchener. \$4 at the door, sliding scale available.

GGLE Halloween Dance at the Polish Hall, 5 Empire St., Guelph, 9 pm-1 am.

### Saturday October 27

Halloween at The Robin's Nest. \$4, tickets in advance only!

### Sunday October 28

GOOD Games Afternoon. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

### Wednesday October 31

GOOD Murder-Mystery dinner. Limited availability. Call Steve, 576- for more information.

### Upcoming Events

Dec. 1 – World AIDS Day. Theme – Women & AIDS. Further details to be announced. Contact Waterloo Region Health Unit - AIDS Program, 741-3825, Dianne Roedding.



## Organizations

**Aids Committee of Cambridge, Kitchener-Waterloo and Area (ACCKWA)**  
886 Queen's Blvd.  
Kitchener, Ontario N2M 1A9  
(519) 741-8300

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

Support services for HIV positive individuals. 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 — Mon to Fri, 9-5.

**Gay and Lesbian Liberation of Waterloo**

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

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

GLOW provides peer counselling and community information. GLOW also offers the use of a reference library.

**Gays Out Of Doors (GOOD)**  
P.O. Box 2751  
Kitchener, Ontario  
N2H 6N3

Discreet mixed gay and lesbian social club. Write for more information.

**Guelph Gay Equality**  
Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 773  
Guelph, Ontario N1H 6L8  
Office: Rm 536, University Centre, University of Guelph

The Gay line, (519) 836-4550, is staffed Monday to Wednesday, 7:30-9:30 pm, with a recorded message at other times.

**Free Spirit Community Church**

P.O. Box 191, Stn C,  
Kitchener N2G 3X9  
570- [redacted]

Sunday services 7 pm, 136 Allen St. E., Waterloo.

**Women Out Of Doors (WOODS)**

P.O. Box 986,  
Waterloo, Ontario N2J 4S1  
(519) 579- [redacted]

## Clubs

**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.

**The Robin's Nest**  
26 Hobson Street  
Cambridge, Ontario  
(519) 621-2688

**Circles**  
24 Charles Street West  
Kitchener, Ontario  
(519) 570-4566  
Wed. to Sun.

## Classifieds

**Thistledown Bed & Breakfast**, Elora. Two double rooms, shared bath. Full breakfast. Wanda, 519-846- [redacted] leave

message, or 416-231- [redacted]

**Mature female housemate** wanted to share 3 bedroom furnished townhouse with female

couple. Victoria and Westmount area, Kitchener. Available Nov. 1. \$300 plus utilities. Call Lynn, 888- [redacted]

**Keep your eyes open  
for special events at  
The Robin's Nest**

Oct 6/13 Oktoberfest  
Oct 19 Women's Night Out  
Oct 20 Regular Evening  
Oct 21 Country-Western Dancing (4-10pm)  
Oct 27 Halloween Dance (\$4 advance tickets only)



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Nest**

26 Hobson Street  
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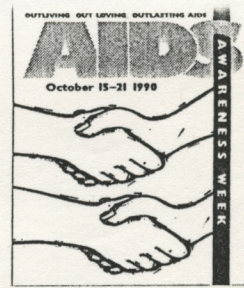
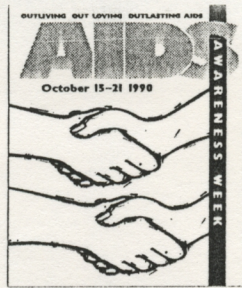
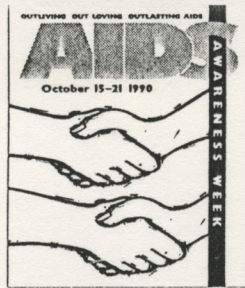
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--Community Dance, 9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. at Weaver's Arms Community Centre, Waterloo Cooperative Residence, 268 Phillip St. Waterloo.

Look for the following events:

--Community film presentation hosted by Temple Shalom Synagogue at Church of the Good Shepherd, 116 Queen St. N. Kitchener.  
--Book displays at local independent bookstores and public libraries.  
--Phone-in Show and other AIDS programming on Roger's Cable TV channel.

For more information call:

ACCKWA 741-8300

AIDS Program (Kitchener) 741-3825  
(Cambridge) 621-6110



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