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Pink Triangle Community Calendar

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Changes to the PTCC

The Pink Triangle Community Calendar (PTCC) has been out of circulation for the past few months. It has now, however, begun publishing once more with a new author (me). Though publishing in itself is not new to me, some of the particular difficulties involved in researching information for a gay publication are. Hopefully I'll learn fast. Here's to a long and successful run of the PTCC!

News

This year, GLOW is celebrating its 25th anniversary, which makes it the oldest continually operating gay and lesbian university support group in Canada (others were established earlier but eventually collapsed). In honour of the occasion, GLOW will be having a reunion/celebration on Saturday, March 9, 1996. Svend Robinson has been confirmed as the Dinner Speaker for the night.

See 'Events' for details on participating in this most exciting event!

Events

Saturday, March 9:

GLOW's 25th Anniversary Celebration. Saturday, March 9, 1996. If you are now or have in the past been involved with GLOW/WUGLM and would be interested in attending, please drop us an email at

gllow@watserv1.uwaterloo.ca. Also, if you know a former member, please pass this information along to him or her, as we are hoping to contact as many former members as possible. More details will follow as they become available.

Wednesday Nights:

GLLOW Coming Out Discussion Group. Topics for this month include 'Coming out to yourself and others' (Jan. 10), 'How Do I Meet People?' (Jan. 17), 'Peer Groups' (Jan 24). The group meets every Wednesday night from 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. in Rm. 104 of the UW Modern Languages Building (**please note the room change**).

GLLOW Social Night. The social night follows the discussion group Wednesday nights in Rm. 104 of the UW Modern Languages Building. All are welcome!

Movies

If you're looking for queer content, the movie pickings are slim this month. At the Princess Cinema, you can check out 'Wild Reeds' at the following times:

Wild Reeds

Set in Southwest France, 1962, at the end of the Algerian War, WILD REEDS centers on the relationships formed among a group of teenagers (two local boys, Serge and Francois, and a girl, Maite) facing the pressures of their maturing sexuality, the formation of their political ideals during a turbulent period in French politics, and the stress of completing their Baccalaureate exam. Tension is brought to a head when Henri, an older, militant Algerian-born "Pied-Noir" refugee (an Algerian born French national), begins attending the same boarding school as the two boys. His radical politics and more sophisticated sexuality creates a disruptive element in their quiet provincial milieu.

Friday January 19 7:00 p.m.

Saturday January 20 7:00 p.m.

Monday January 22 9:00 p.m.

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Wednesday January 24 9:15 p.m.

ORGANIZATIONS

AIDS Committee of Cambridge, Kitchener, Waterloo and Area (ACCKWA)
123 Duke Street East. Kitchener. Phone: 570-3687

AIDS Committee of Guelph and Wellington County (ACGWC)
Phone: (519) 763-2255

Cambridge, Kitchener-Waterloo Bisexual Liberation (CKWBL)
P.O. Box 28002, Parkdale Postal Outlet, Waterloo, Ontario., N2L 6J8

Gay and Lesbian Liberation of Waterloo (GLLOW), c/o Federation of Students, UW, Waterloo N2L 3G1. Office: Rm. 2129, Student Life Centre. Phone (519) 884-GLOW (4569), Monday to Friday, 7:30-9:30 p.m., messages other times. E-mail: gllow@watserv1.uwaterloo.ca GLLOW provides peer counselling, a library, a housing registry, discussion groups, social evenings, general information, a speakers bureau, and other services. More information is available through UWinfo under student groups.

GGLBE, Guelph Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Equality group meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m. in University Centre 536 at University of Guelph.
For details: (519) 822-4550

Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) has a local chapter centred in Guelph that meets every third Friday of the month. For more information, call Grace at 1-519-822- or Barb at 1-519-853-.

Waterloo Region Alliance for Equal Rights is a Social Justice organization that is concerned with issues of concern to Lesbian Gay and Bisexual People in the Region of Waterloo. For more information please call 886-.

Women out of doors (WOODS) a lesbian social and recreational club. For more information call the GLLOW phonenumber during staffed hours.

Women's Centre, c/o Federation of Students, UW, Waterloo, N2L 3G1. Phone: 888-4567 x3457 The Women's Centre Provides Library resources for Lesbians and Bisexual womyn as well as community calendar of gay/lesbian events/organizations.

BOOKSTORES

Kitchener:

Blueleaf Bookshop, 93 King St. West 570-0950

The KW Book Exchange, 306 King St. West, 742-1261

Words Worth Vol. 2, 220 King St. West. 741-9414

Waterloo:

Provident Bookstore, 140 University Ave. W. 746-2872

Generation X, 69 Regina St. N. 888-GENX

UW Bookstore, 200 University Ave. W. 885-1211

Words Worth Books, 100 King St. S. 884-2665

Guelph:

The Bookshelf, 41 Quebec St. 821-3311

Note to Readers

If you know of an upcoming gay event or one which would be of interest to the gay community and you'd like to see it advertised here in the PTCC, please call 884-4569 or e-mail gllow@watserv1.uwaterloo.ca and let us know!