

# OUT *About Town*

## PUBLIC INTEREST

**Windfire** is a gay, lesbian and bisexual youth group. It is one of the most exciting things in Portland if you're 20 years old or younger. Growing up gay in a heterosexual environment is very difficult. Windfire provides peer support in a non-judgmental atmosphere. Besides peer support, if you're looking for fun, Windfire is most definitely for you. Windfire sponsors picnics, parties, pot lucks, special events and weekend camping trips.

Meetings are held on Thursday evenings at the Multnomah County Library, meeting room E, 801 SW 10th, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. The second weekly meeting is on Saturday at Old Wives Tales restaurant, 1300 E. Burnside, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

If you need more information, call 233-1169.

**Parents Flag** meets the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Justice Building, 1111 SW 2nd Ave., at 7:30 pm.

Mass in Time of AIDS. Mondays at 6 p.m. at the Campus Ministry at PSY, 633 SW Montgomery and Broadway. All are welcome.

**The Bisexual Community Forum** meets the second and fourth Monday of each month, at Old Wives Tales at 8 pm in the Banquet Room. Exploration, rap, and social group open to women and men.

**The Gay Bridge Club**, a rap and social group for young adults 18 and up, meets every Wednesday at the First Congregational Church on SW Madison and Park at 7:30 PM. Use side entrance on Madison. Call 244-3225 for more information.

**Feminist Gay Men:** Here's a chance to meet men like yourself and to discuss issues relating to the gay male experience from a feminist perspective. Our potluck and discussion group meets every third Friday at 7 pm. Call 233-4148 or 284-2134 for location information.

**United Methodists** who are concerned about the full inclusion of lesbians and gay men in the church have now organized to create a support network and fellowship group.

"Affirmation: United Methodists for Lesbian and Gay Concerns" includes family and friends of gay and lesbian persons, others who support the struggle for justice, as well as gay men and lesbians.

Interested persons may write to Affirmation, P.O. Box 12673, Portland, OR 97212; or call (503) 790-0698.

Bradley-Angle House is pleased to announce the formation of a **support group for battered lesbians**.

For more information, call 281-3540, and leave a name and number where you can be reached.

**Ongoing Lesbian Therapy/Support Group** meets Monday, 7:30-9:00. For more information, call Laney, 234-5124.

**Overeaters Anonymous (O.A.)**, a self-help program for people with eating disorders, now has two meetings oriented towards the Lesbian/Gay community. On Tuesday evening there is a Men's meeting at 7:30 and on Thursday evening there is a Lesbian-Gay meeting also at 7:30. Both meetings are held on the second floor of the Live and Let Live Club on 2403 SE Ankeny. For information, contact Kay, 236-6710 or Tom, 222-5194.

Sarah Cook and Sue St. Michael invite you to an evening of discussion on topics raised by Suzanne Pharr's workshop on **Internalized Homophobia**. We anticipate that these discussions will help us as we think and prepare for the coming Lesbian Community Conference to be held in October. All lesbians are welcome at these discussions. Attendance limited to twelve per discussion. Please call 223-3827 and leave your name, number, and the sessions you plan to attend. We

will provide assistance in arranging child care for those who need it. Please indicate you need.

**FUN????!!!!\*\*** — August 5, 1986, Tuesday.

**VISIONS** — August 12, 1986, Tuesday.

**Gay Students of Southern Oregon (GSSO)** is a social/support group in Klamath Falls, and serving all of Southern Oregon. For further information, send SASE to GSSO, PO Box 43, Klamath Falls, OR 97601.

**Cascade Union Of Educators (CUE)**, a social/support group for gay and lesbian teachers, and others involved in or interested in education, meets each second Thursday throughout the school year. Potlucks, parties, and interesting speakers and programs provide a congenial atmosphere. For further information call Kathy Bambeck at 245-2634.

**Men of All Colors Together** announces workshops on the dynamics of interracial relationships.

**August 5th:** "The Gay Community's Response To Interracial Relationships" What has your personal experience been in other cities? In Portland?


**August 12th:** "Family Response to Interracial Relationships" In a supportive environment, share with others your personal



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