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## C OMMUNITY

**ACT UP/Columbia** is the AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power and is committed to direct action to end the political and social causes of AIDS. (PO Box 5034, Portland, OR 97208.)

**Advocates for Gay and Lesbian Equality** is an organization founded to advocate for lesbian and gay equality, and to devise and implement activities which promote positive images of gay and lesbian people. Monthly meetings are held on second Tuesdays. (7 pm, Quartersaw Gallery, 528 NW 12th Ave., 775-5920.)

**American Indian Association of Portland** is meeting the first Friday of every month to discuss special projects, including plans for a cultural center. It is also a time to get acquainted with other community members, both Indians and non-Indians. Children are always welcome and light refreshments will be served. (5:30-7 pm, upper board room, Eastmoreland Hospital, 2900 SE Steele St., 249-0296.)

**American Friends (Quakers) Service Committee Gay and Lesbian Program** works for full inclusion and equality for gays and lesbians. (Dan, 230-9427.)

**Asian and Pacific Islander Lesbians and Gays** is a local social support group for Asians and the Pacific Islander community. (232-6408.)

**BiNet: Oregon** is a social, political and educational support network for bisexual women and men, their partners and other bi-friendly people. Support/discussion group meets the first and third Tuesdays of every month. (7-9 pm, Laughing Horse Bookstore, 3652 SE Division St.) Business meetings are held the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month, to plan socials, fundraisers, outreach, etc. Check us out! (6:30-8:30 pm, call 236-4941.)

**Bisexual Community Forum** is an informal discussion group and social network for bisexuals and their friends. (7:30 pm, second and fourth Wednesdays, Valentino's, 2651 E Burnside St., Laury, 285-4848.)

**Bisexual Women's Group** is an informal gathering for women who identify with, support, or have questions about bisexuality. (Call Marky, 287-8737.)

**Bonneville Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Resource Group** is for mutual support and to address diversity and employment issues at Bonneville Power Administration. Other federal employees welcome. (Group information, 230-4733 or 631-7767.)

**Brother to Brother**, a social and political group for African American gay and bisexual men, is now forming. Get involved and help set the group's agenda. (Call Reggie, 497-4900, or write 950 Lloyd Center, Suite 50, Portland, 97232.)

**Closet Cleaning Group** is an ongoing coming out group with weekly meetings sponsored by Phoenix Rising. (Call 223-8299.)

**Coalition for Human Dignity** is an anti-fascist organizing group concerned with monitoring, exposing and confronting far-right and new-right political groups. (7 pm, first and third Thursdays, Metropolitan Community Church, 1644 NE 24th Ave., 335-0207.)

**Drop-in Center** for gay, lesbian and bisexual youth offers a safe place to hang out. Activities include videos, dances, art space, pool and foosball tournaments. (7-9 pm, Fridays, 2617 NW Saver St., on bus lines 15 and 77, call Shannon for details, 244-2292.)

**Electronic Political Action in the Gay Environment (E-PAGE)** offers computer-based support to Oregon political activists. Contact us about help with mailing lists, donor databases, communicating with other organizations, desktop publishing and more. We are also looking for computer-able volunteers. (E-PAGE, PO Box 19851, Portland, OR 97280, 727-7243.)

**Employees Association of Gays and Lesbians of US West (EAGLE)** is an informal group of gay, lesbian and gay-supportive phone-company employees. The group provides support for members, and acts as a resource for US West. (636-5243.)

**Equity Foundation** is an Oregon-based, non-profit, public foundation existing to ensure the prosperity of gay and lesbian health, cultural and service organizations. (PO Box 5696, Portland, 97228, 220-0628.)

**First Interstate Gays and Lesbians**. Let's get together to discuss domestic partnership and related issues. (Walt, 735-4922.)

**Forest Grove Lesbian and Gay Support Group** welcomes all lesbians, gays and their supporters. Meets first and third Mondays. (7:30 pm, United Church of Christ, 2032 College Way, call Maureen for details, 985-3593.)

**Gay and Lesbian Parents Coalition International** offers resources and support to lesbian mothers, gay fathers and their children, including information on local chapters. (GLPCI, PO Box 50360, Washington, DC 20091, or call 202-583-8029.)

**Gay and Lesbian Resource Line** is a voice mail service designed to keep you in touch with all the happenings in gay, lesbian and bisexual Oregon. Callers can choose from a dozen categories, including health, women's issues, entertainment, bars and restaurants. To add your information choose the "administrative desk" option and leave your name and number. (331-0406.)

**Gay and Lesbian Youth Forum** meets weekly. All those 21 and under who wish to learn more about themselves and what it means to be a part of the gay community are welcome. (8 pm, Thursdays, The City Nightclub, 13 NW 13th Ave., 224-2489.)

**Gay Men's Community Project** is a newly formed group, dedicated "to advance and enrich the general welfare of the gay and bisexual men's community and their friends." (797-8282.)

**Gay Men's Discussion Group**. (Rollin, 235-3267.)

**Hispanic (Chicano/a and Latino/a) Gay and Lesbian Support Group** for fun, friendship, advocacy, cultural awareness and more! 18 years and older. Group meets twice a month, every other Saturday. (2:5 pm, Phoenix Rising, Suite 710, 620 SW 5th, 223-8299.)

**"In Our Twenties"** is a new support group for lesbians, gay men and bisexuals between the ages of 18 and 30. Discuss a variety of issues with folks who understand. Sponsored by Phoenix Rising. (6-7:30 pm, Mondays, Suite 710, 620 SW 5th Ave., free, call Michele or Margo, 223-8299.)

**International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission**. (2978 Folsom St., San Francisco, CA 94110, 415-647-0453.)

**Knights of Malta** is a leather and Levi gay and lesbian service organization. (2:30 pm, first Sunday of the month, Embers, 110 NW Broadway, PO Box 8375, Portland, 97207.)

**Lavender Labor Coalition** meets every third Sunday to work on lesbian, gay and bisexual workers' job rights. Unionists concerned with equal and fair treatment of all workers are encouraged to join. (11



The Comedy of Errors plays at the Intermediate Theatre through Feb. 5

am, OPEU offices, 212 SE 18th Ave., Madelyn, 287-7848 or Becky, 230-9231.)

**Lesbian and Gay Democratic Club** is a political club of registered Democrats doing outreach. All Democrats are welcome to join. (PO Box 36, Sherwood, OR 97140, 625-5795.)

**Lesbian Avengers**. We recruit. And our fuse is short. Politics with a vengeance and parties with a sense of humor. (7:30 pm, first and third Thursdays of the month, Laughing Horse Bookstore, 3652 SE Division St., 452-5408.)

**Lesbian Community Project** provides outreach, networking and other services to the lesbian community. (223-0071, TDD, or 248-7985.)

**Lesbian Gift-Giving Group** is a nonexchange economy network. Meets the first and third Sundays of every month. (7-9 pm, Laughing Horse Bookstore, 3652 SE Division St., 284-4576.)

**Lesbians living with cancer** is a support group for lesbians, as well as their partners, family and friends. This group will be geared towards mutual support and encouragement. Write for meeting times. (Cathy, PO Box 40674, Portland, OR 97240-0674.)

**Lesbians Wishing Welcome** seeks information on available housing or jobs for women moving to Portland. (Ginger, 281-5386.)

**Lesbians and Gays of Middle Eastern Descent**. Let's meet! Iranian lesbian is interested in forming a group to celebrate our cultures, provide resources, offer support, and have fun. (Meroc, 235-3597.)

**Log Cabin Federation** is a nationwide coalition of gay and lesbian Republicans whose goal is to protect individual rights. Meets on the fourth Monday of every month. (Lee, 642-7292.)

**Love Makes a Family** serves lesbian and gay families through public education and outreach. Three support groups meet every fourth Wednesday, during monthly P/FLAG meetings. School-aged children are invited to join an art group. P/FLAG sponsors a Rap Group for teenagers, and lesbian, gay and bisexual parents meet to discuss issues of their own. (7-8:30 pm, Augustana Church, Northeast Fifteenth Avenue and Knott Street, or write, PO Box 11694, Portland, 97211, 288-4306.)

**Metropolitan Human Rights Commission** is dedicated to promoting and educating about civil rights. (MHRM, Room 516, 1120 SW 5th Ave., Portland, 97204-1989.)

**Multnomah County gay and lesbian employees** meet on the fourth Monday of the month at 5:30 pm. (Call Chris, 248-3030, or Kathy, 248-3308.)

**New Jewish Agenda** serves as a progressive voice in the Jewish community, and a Jewish voice in the progressive community. All welcome. (Joan, 235-2556.)

**Northwest Gender Alliance** is open to people who cross-dress and act the opposite gender to express their other selves. Monthly meetings for youth and adults. (PO Box 4928, Portland, OR 97208; 774-8463, or call, 289-5283.)

**Northwest Boycott Committee** organizes and educates regarding Infant Formula Malnutrition and the Nestle Corporation. (PO Box 40821, Portland, OR 97240, or call 244-3726.)

**Oregon Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty** is a program of Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon. (PO Box 361, Portland, OR 97207-0361, 221-1054.)

**Oregon Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Cultural Resource Center Task Force** is trying to facilitate the creation of a gay and lesbian community center for Oregon. (PO Box 6012, Portland, OR 97228, or call, 295-9732.)

**Oregon Gay and Lesbian Law Association** is a statewide professional organization comprising gays, lesbians and bisexuals in the field of law. (PO Box 876, Portland, OR 97207.)

**Oregon Sexual Minority Youth Network (OSMYN)** is run by for and with gay, lesbian and bisexual youth (24 years old and younger) and serves as a network for individuals and organizations dedicated to supporting the needs and concerns of gay, lesbian and bisexual youth. Ongoing projects include starting a statewide youth phone line, newsletter publication, social activities, drop-in center, outreach to schools and rural areas. Next general meeting is Jan. 31 in Portland. (Write PO Box 162, Portland, OR 97207-0162, or call Aaron, 243-0538 [beeper] or Rachel, 497-3016 [beeper].)

**Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (P/FLAG)** provides love and support for all family members and friends of lesbians and gay men. Meets every fourth Wednesday of the month. (7-8:30 pm, Augustana Church, Northeast Fifteenth Avenue and Knott Street, or write, PO Box 8944, Portland, OR 97207, 232-7676.)

**Phoenix Rising** is a lesbian and gay service center providing professional counseling on a sliding-scale fee, information and referrals, social growth activities, an education program and speakers' bureau. (Suite 710, 620 SW 5th Ave., Portland, OR 97204; 223-8299.)

**Pink Panthers** street patrol conducts training seminars the second Saturday of every month beginning at 2 pm and general Pink Panther meetings on the third Thursday of every month. (The City Nightclub, 143 NW 13th Ave., 282-4174.)

**Portland Awakenings** is a youth support group. (6:8 pm, Wednesdays, Harry's Mother, 39th Avenue and Southeast Hawthorne Boulevard, 223-8299.)

**Prisoner's Support** group wants to help anyone who feels like they're in prison. We do care! Confidential. (David Fair #8095275, 777 Stanton Blvd., Ontario, OR 97914.)

**Radical Women** is active in the daily struggle against racism, sexism, anti-gay bigotry and labor exploitation. Meets every third Thursday. (6:30 pm, Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett St., 228-3090.)

**Right to Privacy Political Action Committee** endorses and raises money for candidates who are supportive of lesbian and gay rights, and work for the civil rights lesbians and gay men deserve. (Suite 518, 921 SW Morrison St., Portland, 97205, 228-5825.)

**Rose City Discussion Group** is an informal "talk only" meeting, once a month, for support, socializing and networking for "discreet alternate lifestyle" singles and couples of all orientations and interests. (650-7052.)

**Rose City Gender Center** has support groups for transsexuals. (PO Box 12714, Portland, OR 97212; 230-1036.)

**The Special Righteousness Committee** lobbies for inclusion of the entire set of 3,000-year-old ritual holiness laws from Leviticus in our state constitution. (PO Box 1851, Portland, OR 97207.)

**Stonewall Northwest** holds community meetings the third Tuesday of every month. Help plan for the Lesbian and Gay Pride Festival. (6:30 pm, Suite 432, 408 SW 2nd Ave., 223-1656.)

**Stopping Violence Against Women** is a direct action and education group that recognizes pornography and prostitution as extremes on a continuum of violence against women. (Jane, 777-2796.)

**Tektronix** gay and lesbian employees meet monthly. Some workplace issues discussed. Confidentiality assured. (232-3440.)

**The Uniformed Services Activity** is a professional resource, referral and support network for active duty military, civilian defense employees, law enforcement and emergency services personnel, veterans, ROTC students and officers and cadets of the Civil Air Patrol. Associate benefits include a monthly newsletter, corporate discounts, grants, directory of associates, computer bulletin board, educational grant program and much more! (The Uniformed Services Activity, Suite 101, 2725 13th St. NW, Washington, DC 20009.)

**Veterans for Human Rights**. (Call for details, 223-1373.)

**Windfire** is a social and support group in a supportive, non-confrontational atmosphere for people under 21 who are gay, lesbian, bisexual or unsure. Meetings are small and informal. (For meeting times and locations, call Phoenix Rising, 223-8299.)

**The Women's Dinner Collective** shares tasty weekday cooking in members' homes. (Call for details, 236-5272.)

## C RISIS

**Alcohol and Drug Helpline** (232-8083 in Portland) and **YouthLine** (233-1113 in Portland) give free, unbiased and confidential assistance. Call 800-621-1646 from elsewhere in Oregon. Service of the Oregon Council on Alcoholism and Drug Addiction.

**The Anti-Semitism Hotline**, 295-0330, takes messages from victims of anti-Semitic incidents. All calls will be returned within 48 hours. Organized by the American Jewish Committee.

**Battered Lesbian Support Group** is a confidential group for lesbians and bisexual women who have been physically, sexually or emotionally battered in their relationships with women. (Womanspace, Eugene, 485-6513, ask for Chell or Vema; out of Eugene, 1-800-281-2800.)

Call the **Bias Crime Unit** of the Portland Police at 823-0434 if you feel you have been a victim of any type of bias crime in Portland. Shirley Zahler and Frank Jolly are the bias-crime detectives. If you are in immediate danger, call 911.

**The Bradley-Angle House** provides a weekly, confidential **Battered Lesbian Support Group** with lesbian facilitators. Child care provided. Donations accepted. (Sandi Clark, Transition Program Coordinator, 232-1528 or 232-7805.)

**92% of early breast cancers are curable**. **Cancer Helpline** gives information on free mammograms for limited-income women. (800-227-2345.) **Komen Helpline** answers questions about breast cancer and gives out materials on self-exams. (800-462-9273.)

**Clackamas Women's Services** provides emergency shelter and safe homes. They are currently looking for compassionate and caring people who are willing to open their homes to women and children fleeing domestic violence, to be used when the CWS emergency shelter is full. (Mary Ann, 654-2807.)

Call the **Fair Housing Council** hotline if you suspect that you have been discriminated against in housing. **800-424-FAIR**

**A Gaybashing hotline** has been set up by the Department of Justice. Call **1-800-347-HATE** if you have witnessed or been the victim of homophobic violence.

The **Homophobic Violence Reporting Line** at 706-1703 helps compile statistics on hate crimes and gives victims a chance to talk to someone sympathetic. **Outside of Portland, call 800-706-1703.** A service of the Lesbian Community Project.

Prevent child abuse. Call the **Parent Hotline** for support in a crisis or to get advice on reporting possible child abuse. (238-8819.)

**Portland Women's Crisis Line**, 235-5333, is available 24 hours a day for women dealing with rape issues who need crisis counseling, information and referrals, and for victims of rape, sexual assault, domestic violence, child sexual abuse, incest and sexual harassment. PWCL also provides transportation for victims from a dangerous situation to a safe place.

**Una Vida Positiva** es un grupo de apoyo para personas infectas con el virus del SIDA. Nos reunimos cada dos semanas a las 5:30 pm, en Portland. Organizado por Latinos Unidos Contra el SIDA. (Para más información llame a Liliana, 248-3700, o Marcos, 669-8350.)

## G ALLERIES

**Greystone Gallery** features five painters and five jewelers who work in a variety of mediums. Ann Altman, Jackie Aspaas, Jeanne Charles, Michael Ireland, Scott Johnson, Betsy Benson, Luzon Birdsong, Madeline Janovec, Sarah LaJoie and Debra Olson. Through Feb. 27. (10 am-6 pm, Tuesday-Sunday, 3279 SE Hawthorne Blvd., 238-0651.)

Portland Art Museum offers permanent art collections and seasonal exhibits. Margulis Jewellers sponsors a display of 50 pieces of **English silver** from the Museum's collection, including pieces embellished with wood and gilt. Through February 1994. The Native American Art Council's Centennial Exhibition, **Po'otah: Pride of Passage**, highlights abalone-inlaid finlets and dramatic dance regalia. Through April 1994. (1219 SW Park Ave., 226-2811.)

The Interstate Firehouse Cultural Center features a series of black and white photographs by Sandra Peters, entitled **Women and Their Work: PCC Success Stories**, through Jan. 29. **Great Black Heroes** opens Feb. 3 and includes a series of airbrush acrylics by Joseph Conroy, including Shirley Christholm, Miles Davis and Rosa Parks. (Reception, 6-9 pm, Thursday, Feb. 3, gallery hours, Noon-5 pm, Tuesday-Friday, Noon-4 pm, Saturday, 5340 N Interstate Ave., 823-2000.)

**Photos by Steve Beals** showcase his enigmatic yet strangely familiar images. Through Jan. 29. (Noon-6 pm, Friday-Saturday, Studio 210, Acanthus Gallery, 120 NW 9th Ave., 224-5475.)

Recent sculpture by **Joan Livngstone** and photography by **Gerald Robinson** are on display at the Hoffman Gallery, through Jan. 30. **Ethnic Arts from Latin America** opens Feb. 3. (Reception, 5:30-8:30 pm, Thursday, Feb. 3, gallery hours, 11 am-7 pm, Mondays-Thursdays, 11 am-5 pm, Fridays, 10 am-5 pm, Saturdays and Sundays, Oregon School of Arts and Crafts, 8245 SW Barnes Road, 297-5544.)

**Blue Sky Gallery** presents color photography exploring issues of "home" and self by Vincent Borrelli, and images of Lithuanian folk musicians by Klaidius Driskius. Through Jan. 29. (Noon-5 pm, Tuesday-Saturday, 1231 NW Hoyt St., 225-0210.)

January brings the **Gypsy and Calendar Show** to Galleri 8, featuring the images from Galleri 8's calendar as well as photography by Skip Williams and Paulette Flees Denis, leader of the local dance group Gypsy Caravan. Through Jan. 27. February ushers in the **Annual Erotic Group Show**. 25 artists show hot, sensual photography representing all sexualities. Through Feb. 25. (Reception, 6-11 pm, Thursday, Feb. 3, gallery hours, 2-6 pm, Tuesday-Thursday, Studio 8, Myker Artz Building, 314 SW 9th Ave., 224-7876.)

**The Visual Chronicle of Portland** is a city-owned collection of art that portrays the vitality and constant change of city life. New works are commissioned annually. The theme for the 1992-93 acquisitions was "Insiders/Outsiders" featuring work by Jack McLarty, Debra Beers, Susana Santos, Bette Lee, Rich Rollins and Lawrence Shlim. View their work at the Portland Building. (Metropolitan Center for Public Art, 2nd Floor, 1120 SW 5th Ave., 823-4196.)

## MUSIC

**Bridges**, Portland's Lesbian and Gay Choral Ensemble. (Call 242-1675.)

**Portland Gay Men's Chorus** meets most Monday evenings, September through June. (PO Box 3223, Portland, OR 97208, 284-5386.)

**Portland Lesbian Choir** always needs non-singing friends to assist in productions. (PO Box 8212, Portland, 97207.)

**Rose City Gay Freedom Band** is a concert band open to lesbians, gay men and supportive friends. Bring your instrument, and a music stand if you have one. (5-7 pm, Sundays, Metropolitan Community Church, 1644 NE 24th Ave., or call Joanne, 236-5952, mailing address, PO Box 1082, Portland, OR 97207, information line, 790-2170.)

Don't play an instrument or sing, but still want to join in the fun? Become a part of the Rose City Gay Freedom Band's **performance flag corps**. (Ed, 238-0199.)

## R ECOVERY

**Agoraphobic Support Group for Gays and Lesbians** is starting to meet weekly. Geared toward gays and lesbians whose anxiety and fear control their lives. (Todd, 234-8963.)

The Center for Rational Thought/Atheist Community Center sponsors a **Rational Recovery group** for those interested in a substance abuse recovery program which emphasizes personal re-