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Two of the many faces of Mark Davis, who appears with Lisa Koch Oct. 28 at the Clinton Street Theatre.

Southwest Washington Health District HIV/AIDS Program offers a range of services to Clark, Skamania and Klickitat counties. These include anonymous testing and counseling, case management, client advocacy, one-to-one counseling, community and professional education. (2000 Fort Vancouver Way, Vancouver, WA 98668; for confidential HIV testing and counseling, call 206-696-8425; for referrals regarding information and assistance, etc., call 206-696-8098.) (11/4)

BROADCAST

AIDS Forum presents programming for people with AIDS. Tune in on Portland Cable Access, Channel 11 (Channel 2 in parts of Clackamas County). (8-9 pm the second Wednesday of each month.) (11/4)

Detour is a weekly radio program by and about gay men and lesbians, featuring the nationally syndicated *This Way Out*. (4 pm Wednesdays, KBOO 90.7 FM.) (11/4)

Gay and Lesbian Video Access Project. (Jack Cox 284-6807.) (11/4)

The **Heart of Portland: A Capitol Report** is a monthly show hosted by state Rep. Gall Shibley. A variety of timely news issues are discussed. (Shown on: Channel 11, 7 pm, third Fridays; Channel 33, 7:30 pm, third Mondays.) (11/4)

The Lavender Menace airs live on Cable Access. Produced and hosted by Satya Riversong, the program features a diversity of lesbian, feminist, queer and general interest guests; call-ins; entertainment and general truth-revealing and rabble-raising. (Paragon Channel 33, 8 pm Thursday; repeats on Channel 27, 10 pm Saturday; Channel 11, 10 pm Monday. To participate in production call 238-8564.) (11/4)

Love Makes a Family is a radio program about lesbians, gay men, and family values. (7-9 am Wednesday, KKEY 1150 AM.) (11/4)

Nightscene is an award-winning gay and lesbian variety and talk show. The public is invited to *Nightscene* videotaping, every second Monday of the month. (6:30 pm, The City Nightclub, 13 NW 13th Ave., free.) (10 pm Sundays, Portland Cable Access, Channel 11; repeats in Multnomah County on Channel 33 at 11:30 pm Tuesdays.) (11/4)

The **Snickers LaBar Show**, with talk for gay men, lesbians and bisexuals. (Shown on: TVCA Channel 59, 9:30 pm every Friday, 5:30 pm every Saturday, 3:30 pm every Monday; CAN Channel 11, 11:30 pm Friday, Oct. 28; MCTV Channel 21, 10 pm Saturday, Oct. 22 and 10 pm Tuesday, Nov. 8., 727-2491.) (11/4)

CAMPUS

All-Hill Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual Alliance meets the last Tuesday of every month. OHSU, VA and Shriners staff, faculty and students are all welcome. (Call Diane, 774-0503.) (11/4)

Cascade Union of Educators is open to educators at every level in Oregon and Washington for networking, discussions, speakers and support. Meetings are held every second Wednesday from September through December, and every second Thursday from January through May. (Write to PO Box 2122, Beaverton, OR 97075, or call Martha 777-5167, or Dray 227-6324.) (11/4)

Educators for Equity is open to anyone with an interest in securing safe and supportive school environments for school personnel, students and their families regardless of sexual orientation. It meets in Portland on the third Thursday of each month during the school year. (Write to PO Box 29051, Portland, OR 97210, or call Ron, 282-9394.) (11/4)

GALA of Clark College is a new support group for gay, lesbian and bisexual students. (Noon-1 pm Tuesdays, for room location, call advisors Jim Archer 699-0305, or Kathy Bobula 699-0328.) (11/4)

GALA of Eastern Oregon State College meets twice each month. (7 pm, second and fourth Tuesdays, Hoke Hall 309, La Grande.) (11/4)

GALA of Western Oregon State College meets Tuesdays. (7:30 pm, upstairs, Wallowa Room, Werner College Center, Monmouth, 838-8000.) (11/4)

Gay and Lesbian Community Alliance in Ashland is a student organization that seeks to educate the nongay community on lesbian and gay issues while providing services not available elsewhere in the Rogue Valley to gay and lesbian students. (GALACA, c/o Stevenson Union, Southern Oregon State College, Ashland OR, 97520, or call Josef Lyons 552-7702.) (11/4)

GLOBAL: Gays, Lesbians or Bisexuals at Law is a support and advocacy group (straight friends included) for students at Northwestern School of Law and Lewis & Clark College. Frequent meetings and social events, on and off campus. (10015 SW Terwilliger Blvd., Portland OR, 97219.) (11/4)

Homophile is a gay, lesbian and bisexual support group for the Lewis & Clark College community that meets Mondays in the Gender Co-op Room. (5:30 pm, Stewart dorm basement, LC Box 158, 0615 SW Palatine Hill Road, Portland OR, 97219.) (11/4)

Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Alliance of Portland State University meets every other Friday for lunch. (Smith Memorial Center basement, 725-4452.) (11/4)

Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Alliance of Oregon State University meets Mondays. (7 pm, Women's Center, Benton County Annex, 737-6363.) (11/4)

Reed College Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Union is for all students, faculty, staff and other Reed community members. (LGBU, 3203 SE Woodstock Blvd., Portland, 97202.) (11/4)

Stonewall Student Alliance is a Mount Hood Community College gay, lesbian and bisexual student group open to the community. (Ridge 235-2983.) (11/4)

Western States Chiropractic College Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Alliance meetings are open to the chiropractic community. (Western States Student Affairs Office 251-5707.) (11/4)

Willamette University Gay and Lesbian Alliance sponsors support groups, social groups, and weekly meetings for men only, women only, and mixed groups. Open to students and community members. (Office of Multicultural Affairs, 900 State St., Salem.) (11/4)

COMMUNITY

Advocates for Gay and Lesbian Equality is an organization founded to advocate for lesbian, gay and bisexual equality and to devise and implement activities which promote positive images of lesbians, gay men and bisexuals. Call or write for information. (PO Box 5222, Portland, OR 97208, 286-0191.) (11/4)

American Indian Association of Portland is meeting the first Friday of every month to discuss special projects. Cultural center board meetings are second Wednesday of the month (6:30 pm). 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. (232-9818.) (11/4)

American Friends (Quakers) Service Committee Gay and Lesbian Program works for full inclusion and equality for gay men and lesbians. (Dan, 230-9427.) (11/4)

Asian and Pacific Islander Lesbians and Gays is a local social support group for Asians and the Pacific Islander community. (232-6408.) (11/4)

The **Atheist Community Center** is an organization committed to educating the community about the irrationality and the dangers in supernatural beliefs. Gay and Lesbian Atheists of Oregon meet on the second Sunday of each month. (7:30 pm, 415 SW 13th Ave., 241-9268.) (2/17)

BiNet Oregon offers social, political and support groups to the bisexual community, its supporters, and bi-curious people. Halloween Costume Party and Potluck (7 pm Saturday, Oct. 29, 286-0986 or 231-5755). Queer Night at La Luma benefits BiNet of Oregon (9 pm Monday, Nov. 14, 215 SE Ninth, S3, 241-LUNA). Mixed-gender group meets first and third Tuesdays. (7 pm, Laughing Horse Books, Bi-Line: 299-4764.) (4/7)

Bisexual Community Forum is celebrating 14 years of service to bisexual women and men, their families and friends. Socials held on second and fourth Wednesdays. (7:30 pm, Cafe Valentino, East Burnside and 27th Avenue, Laury: 285-4848.) (4/7)

Bisexual Men's Group is a support and discussion group that meets on the second Friday of each month. (7 pm, Laughing Horse Books, 231-5755.) (4/7)

Bisexual Women's Group is an informal gathering for women who identify with, support, or have questions about bisexuality. (Call Marky, 287-8737.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

A book reading group is forming to read and discuss works by Latina writers. Scheduled to meet the first Sunday of each month. No cost. All are welcome to attend. (7:30 pm, In Other Words bookstore, Celeste 235-7351.) (4/7)

Brother to Brother is a social and political group for African American gay and bisexual men. Get involved and help set the group's agenda. (Call Reggie, 497-4900, or write 950 Lloyd Center, Suite 50, Portland, 97232.) (11/4)

Closet Cleaning Group is an ongoing coming-out group with weekly meetings. Also offered is a **Closet Cleaning Women's Support Group**. Bring your issues for airing out. Sponsored by Phoenix Rising. (223-8299.) (11/4)

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., 281-5823.) (2/17)

Employees Association of Gays and Lesbians of US West 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. (Contact Sue Salmon 242-8272.) (11/4)

Equity Foundation is an Oregon-based, nonprofit, public foundation existing to ensure the prosperity of gay and lesbian health, cultural and service organizations. (PO Box 5696, Portland, 97228, 220-0628.) (11/4)

Families Political Action Committee recently formed to represent diverse family structures. Efforts will focus on the freedom of families of all types, the integrity of a democratic educational system, and the safety of all children. (PO Box 1485, Sandy, OR, 97055, 503-253-8160 or 503-288-4306.)

Gay and Lesbian Americans of Oregon is a diverse, nonpartisan coalition of grassroots advocates committed to civil rights for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered people, and to a cure for AIDS. Group members will set the agenda for our network of action. (GLA of Oregon, 2305 NW Kearney, Portland, 97210; Message line: 452-5972.) (11/4)

A Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation outpost has been established in Portland to challenge the myths, stereotypes, misinformation and homophobia in our area, and to mobilize rapid responses to media insensitivity and bigotry. GLAAD needs volunteers. (239-7062 or e-mail "glaadpx@aol.com.") (11/4)

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, 202-583-8029.) (11/4)

Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Physicians of Oregon. (Call or write GLBPO, PO Box 4874, Portland OR 97208-4874, 241-0886.) (11/4)

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." (241-4214.) (11/4)

HIV Support Group for people 17-21 who are dealing with HIV in their lives. Sponsored by Phoenix Rising. (4:30-6 pm Wednesdays, Suite 710, 620 SW Fifth Ave., free, 223-8299.) (11/4)

"In Our Twenties" is a 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 Fifth Ave., free, 223-8299.) (11/4)

International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (2978 Folsom St., San Francisco, CA 94110, 415-647-0453.) (11/4)

Iranian lesbians and gay men: you are not alone! **Hasha**, a group dedicated to serving the Iranian lesbian, gay and bisexual community, would like to hear from you. The group functions as a resource center, support group, and educational forum. They also publish a seasonal newsletter. (PO Box 13714, Portland, OR 97213, or call San Francisco, Calif., 415-905-5620.) (11/4)

Keaton Lowery Democratic Club is a political club of registered Democrats doing outreach. All Democrats are welcome to join. (PO Box 36, Sherwood, OR 97140, 684-4469.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

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 am, OPEU offices, 212 SE 18th Ave., Madelyn, 287-7848 or Becky, 230-9231.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

Lesbian Community Project provides outreach, networking and other services to the lesbian community. (223-0071, TDD, or 248-7985.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

Lesbian Mothers Group is for women interested in networking, social gatherings, or meetings with other lesbian moms, to discuss questions and issues relevant to lesbian motherhood. (Contact Lesbian Community Project 223-0071.) (11/4)

Log Cabin Republicans, part of a nationwide coalition of lesbian and gay Republicans. (6:30 pm, third Tuesday of each month, Hobo's, Lee 642-7292.) (3/17)

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: an art group for school-aged children, a discussion group for teen-agers; 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.) (11/4)

Metro Bisexual Women's Group: for bisexual women to meet and share support and information. Not sure? Come anyway. All women welcome. (7-9 pm, second and fourth Fridays, It's My Pleasure, 4526 SE Hawthorne Blvd., free, Holly 236-0505 or Deborah 283-6433.) (3/17)

Metropolitan Human Rights Commission is dedicated to promoting and educating about civil rights. (MHRC, Room 516, 1120 SW Fifth Ave., Portland, 97204-1989.) (11/4)

Multnomah County GLEE is an organization of gay, lesbian and bisexual Multnomah County employees that focuses primarily on workplace issues. (Maurice 248-3658 or Chris 248-5240.) (11/4)

The National Coalition for Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Youth is a new organization of groups and individuals formed to serve the needs of queer youth across the country. Current projects include the development of a national database of resources. (PO Box 24589, San Jose, CA 95154-4589.)

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, 646-2802.) (11/4)

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, 295-9732.) (11/4)

Oregon Gay and Lesbian Law Association is a statewide professional organization of gay men, lesbians and bisexuals in the field of law. (PO Box 876, Portland, OR 97207.) (11/4)

Oregon Sexual Minority Youth Network 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. (522 SW Fifth Ave., Suite 818, 228-5976; 1-800-OSM-YNET, or write PO Box 162, Portland, OR 97207-0162, or call Aaron, 243-0538 [beeper] or Rachel, 497-3016 [beeper].) (11/4)

A group for **parents of gays and lesbians** will meet. (8 pm Monday, Nov. 7, 236-4022.) (11/7)

Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gay Men 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.) (11/4)

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. Groups for sexual minority youth include **Windfire** (meets downtown), **VOICES** for youth not living at home (meets at Outside In), **Awakenings** (meets at Harry's Mother on the East side), and **Q-Crew** (meets Saturday afternoons at Harry's Mother). (620 SW Fifth Ave., Suite 710, Portland, OR 97204, 223-8299.) (11/4)

Pink Link is a 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. (241-9769; administration, 243-3424.) (11/4)

Portland Awakenings is a youth support group sponsored by Phoenix Rising. (6-8 pm Wednesdays, Harry's Mother, Southeast 39th Avenue and Hawthorne Boulevard, 223-8299.) (11/4)

Portland Bisexual Women is a discussion group for bisexual women or any woman who may be wondering about her sexuality. A forum for exchanging ideas, feelings, resources and information about bisexuality. Women of any age, race, culture encouraged to attend. (7-9 pm, second and fourth Fridays, It's My Pleasure, 4526 SE Hawthorne Blvd., preregister: 236-0505 or 283-6433.) (4/7)

Portlandia's Pride: Gay and lesbian employees of the city of Portland, Multnomah County and Metro meet downtown once a month for lunch, networking and socializing. (245-2634.) (4/7)

Pride Northwest is an ongoing organization that plans Lesbian/Gay Pride and other Pride-associated events. (PO Box 6611, Portland OR 97228, 295-9788.) (2/17)

Prisoner's Support group wants to help anyone who feels like they are in prison. We do care! Confidential. (David Fair #8095275, 777 Stanton Blvd., Ontario, OR 97914.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

Rainbow is a positive peer-support group, primarily for sexual minority youth of color, sponsored by The Urban League of Portland. (280-2600)

Right to Privacy Political Action Committee endorses and raises money for candidates who are supportive of lesbian and gay rights, and works for the civil rights lesbians and gay men deserve. (Suite 518, 921 SW Morrison St., Portland, 97205, 228-5825.) (11/4)

Roots and Branches, a program of the Network, provides positive mental health counseling tailored to the needs of lesbian, gay and bisexual youth. Services include individual, family, and group therapy as well as consultation, advocacy and referral. In addition to accepting private insurance and Medicaid, Roots and Branches offers a sliding scale to make counseling low-cost or free, depending on ability to pay. (2020 SE Powell, Portland, OR 97202, 238-0780.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

Rose City Gender Center has support groups for transsexuals. (PO Box 12714, Portland, OR 97212, 230-1036.) (11/4)

Sisters of Providence Health System Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Employees Group now organizing. Interested employees from St. Vincent's, Providence, Providence-Milwaukie, the Health Plans, Primary Care Division and Shared Services are encouraged to make confidential contact. (Bob 236-6915 or Susan 239-4336.) (11/4)

Somos Orgullo Latino is a bilingual group of Latino gay men and Latina lesbians who meet once a month to discuss ideas for outreach to Oregon's Latino/a gay, lesbian and bisexual community. SOL regularly hosts informative talks featuring guest speakers and organizes many events, including social gatherings and potlucks. Business meetings are held on the second Sunday of each month, and potlucks, socials, and guest speaker presentations are held on the fourth Saturday of the month. (For meeting times and locations, call 233-9895 or 699-9355.) (11/4)

Southwest Washington Fairness Coalition/Hands Off Washington (1701 Broadway, #138, Vancouver, WA 98663, 206-695-1002.) (11/4)

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.) (11/4)

Tektronix gay and lesbian employees meet monthly. Some workplace issues discussed. Confidentiality assured. (232-3440.) (11/4)

Together Works: a support group for lesbians, gay men, bisexuals and friends. Activities include discussion on timely topics and social activities. Meet others in a neutral, safe environment. (7:30 pm, second and fourth Mondays, First Baptist Church, McMinnville, Ore., 503-434-6266 or 503-434-8699.) (3/17)

The Uniformed Services Activity is a professional resource, referral and support network for active-duty military and 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.) (11/4)

Veterans for Human Rights (223-1373.) (11/4)

Windfire is a social and support group in a supportive, nonconfrontational 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.) (11/4)

Women in Black, originally formed by Palestinian and Israeli women, is now an international group that "stands against the tragic delusion that war is ever a solution." Weekly vigils for peace are held, in solidarity with the women of the former Yugoslavia. (Noon-1 pm Wednesdays, Pioneer Courthouse Square, mailing address: Women in Black, C/O Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, 1819 NW Everett St., Portland, OR 97209.) (11/4)

The Women's Dinner Collective shares tasty weekday cooking in members' homes. (236-5272.) (11/4)