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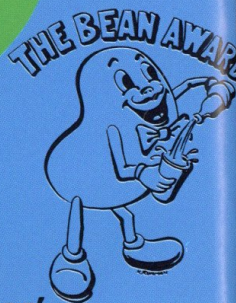
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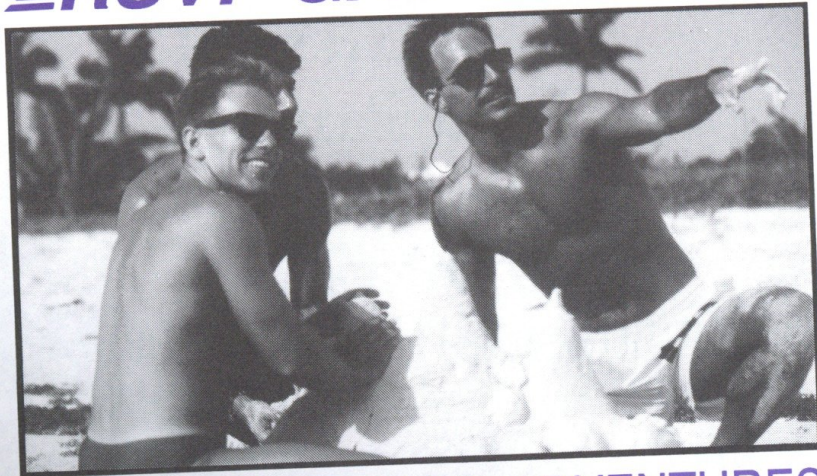


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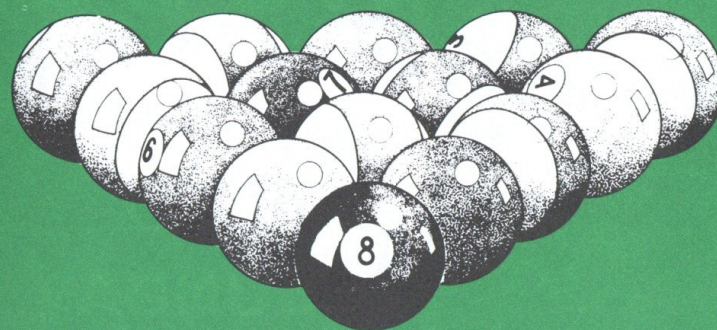
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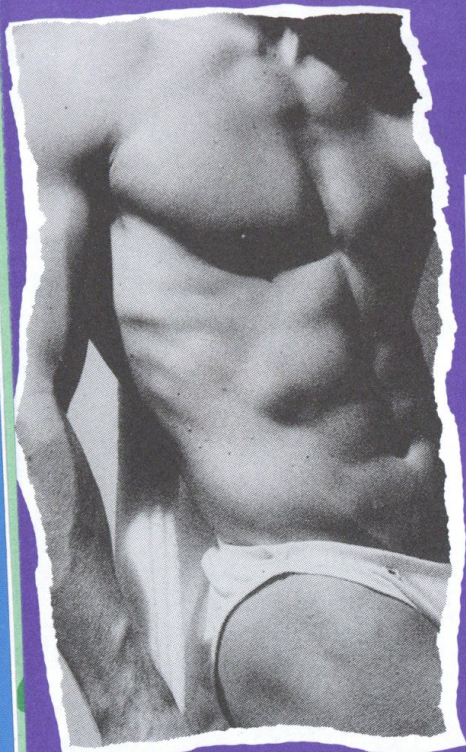


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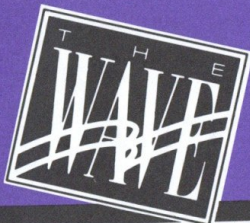
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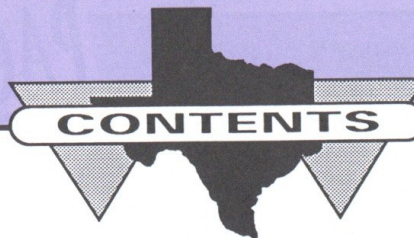
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If you've never been on the high seas before, all of your notions about cruising, like mine, may have come from watching late night reruns of *The Love Boat*—and, to be sure, there are similarities. But on RSVP cruises, instead of Gopher, you'll find a Nordic god as your yeoman purser, and the only resemblance that cruise director Danny bore to Julie McCoy was in the way she carried her clipboard. And guess what, not a single Vickie Stubing in sight. Each minute detail had been arranged with the gay and lesbian traveler's every need in mind.



The minute we embarked, all of our preconceived notions went overboard. As I've already stated, I had it in my mind that there would be nothing but gorgeous, young, beautiful people aboard and, make no mistake, there were certainly plenty of them to be seen. But the 700 passengers aboard the S.S. Enchanted Isle who were about to depart the Port of San Diego for a one-week cruise of the Mexican Riviera were, in fact, a widely varied cross-section of gay life as we know it. With visions of the S.S. Minnow dancing in my head, I took a look at my fellow cruisers. There were Gilligans and there were Mary Anns. Several Thurstons and Loveys, a professor or two—even a couple of Skippers. Our fellow passengers were young, old; male, female; couples, singles; butch, femme; cowboys and leathermen; and I was thrilled to discover that I wasn't the only Ginger aboard. Believe it or not, I wasn't even the oldest passenger, let alone the largest! If you could've seen the guy that yelled "All aboard!," you'd understand why we hoped they meant more than just the ship.

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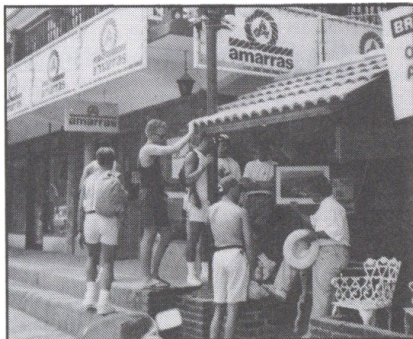
Pool games provide fabulous fun in the sun.

The first order of business was the bon voyage party, replete with everything you'd expect: music, dancing, streamers, cock-tails and fun, fun, fun. Once underway, we settled into our cabin, which had all the comforts of home: a private bath (small, but fully equipped), comfortable twin beds, pre-programmed music and an intimate seating area—even a telephone. The only difference between our cabin and a room at a Sheraton was that we had a porthole with an ocean view instead of a window. We immediately became entranced by the gentle rocking motion of the ship, which was almost hypnotic (the days of seasick-ness, by the way, are long past—you now wear a patch for the duration of your cruise and queasiness is never a problem). Our cabin steward had already stowed all of our gear (put away our clothes, for all of you landlubbers), so with cocktail in hand, we returned to the promenade deck to watch the Southern California coastline fade from view.

Among the most appealing things about a cruise vacation is the fact that the price of one's ticket includes everything: transportation, accommodations, entertainment, shipboard activities and all meals. The only things not included are alcoholic beverages and gambling, for those who care to indulge. Even tips and gratuities have been taken care of, although we felt inclined to proffer a little more due to the exemplary service we received in the dining room and from our cabin steward.

Now, let's talk about the food aboard ship. Not only is it delicious; not only is it the finest in gourmet cuisine; but there is so much of it that it is not to be believed. In addition to three sit-down meals per day, there are also three help-yourself buffets and three between-meal snacks. Don't feel like going to the dining room or buffet? Not to worry—your steward will serve you in your cabin. No charge, of course.

Each RSVP cruise has different entertainment of special interest to gays and lesbians. On our trip, Martha Wash performed one evening, Bob and Rod Jackson-Paris gave a seminar one afternoon and Gloria Loring vocalized as well. There were daily bingo games, "pool" games (water sports), unlimited sunning, screenings of different motion pictures every night and dancing on deck under the stars nightly. The high point of our cruise was the masquerade ball—so fabulous, in fact, that we wished we had taken the advice of more seasoned travelers and taken along costumes. Even though we didn't participate, it was great fun people-watching, and some of the costumes were as elaborate as those you'd find at Mardi Gras. They included the Doublemint Twins, Gumby, drag running the gamut from camp to serious, a Karen Carpenter (complete with headdress/headstone reading "I'm Back and I'm Hungry"), men in various stages of undress and everything in between. It lasted into the wee hours of the morning.



Shopping in Cabo San Lucas.

The absolute best thing about cruising is the fact that, every morning, you awaken in a different exotic port-of-call. Unlike a traditional vacation, in which you have to pack and unpack and taxi to the airport over and over, the ship serves as your hotel as well as your transportation.



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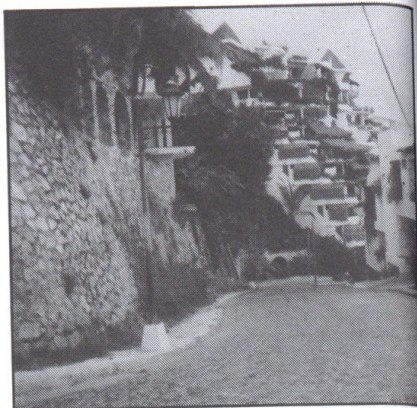


Brad, Alan, Steve & Tom at Senor Frogs in Mazatlan.

lighted by an impromptu line conga dance and fueled by power-gun-propelled margaritas shot by a rainbow-wigged ghostbuster character who took aim at anyone with an open mouth. As if that weren't enough, it was then on to Valentino's, Mazatlan's premiere disco, where the staff rolled out the red carpet for our party.

Our final South-of-the-Border destination, Puerto Vallarta, is known as the jewel of the Mexican Riviera, and for good reason. Cut out of the lushest tropical jungle you can imagine, the town retains the quaint charm of a small fishing village, yet is home to world-renowned designer boutiques and a cosmopolitan nightlife. After a whirlwind day of nonstop frivolity, it was time to say "Adios" as our ship headed northward toward San Diego and home.

As the world's largest gay tour operator, RSVP charts entire ships for their exclusive use, assuring you the privacy and intimacy that you desire. You'll have to experience an RSVP cruise to truly understand what I mean when I say that the level of comfort and freedom for the gay traveler is unparalleled. Never have we felt so at ease outside of our own home or favorite gay bar. Not only did we run into friends we knew from home, but we made new ones we still keep in contact with.



Beautiful, scenic Puerto Vallarta.

Over 20,000 passengers from all over the world have sailed with RSVP on 25 all-gay cruises since 1986. They offer an itinerary and price for every budget. In addition to the Mexican Riviera cruise that we took, these excursions also ply the waters of the Caribbean, the Greek Isles and the Eastern Seaboard. They even have special-interest cruises planned this season for single men, for women only and for aficionados of leather.

To further secure its position as the premiere gay cruise line, RSVP recently acquired its own ship, the M/V SeaSpirit, an intimate gay environment for 100 passengers that blends the elegance of a classic luxury liner with the comfort of a private resort. The SeaSpirit's smaller size enables it to visit exclusive yacht harbors and secluded beaches while providing its privileged guests with the luxuries and attentive staff they've come to expect from RSVP. All accommodations are first class, outside staterooms.

While RSVP Cruises provides its guests with everything they need for a complete vacation at sea, the trip itself can be as relaxing or as exciting as you want it to be. All in all, we found our RSVP cruise to be the absolute best travel bargain of any trip we've ever taken and would highly recommend them to anyone.

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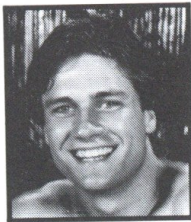
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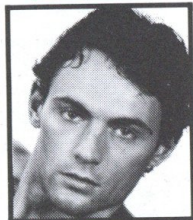
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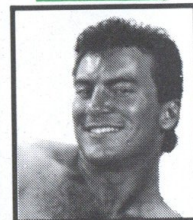
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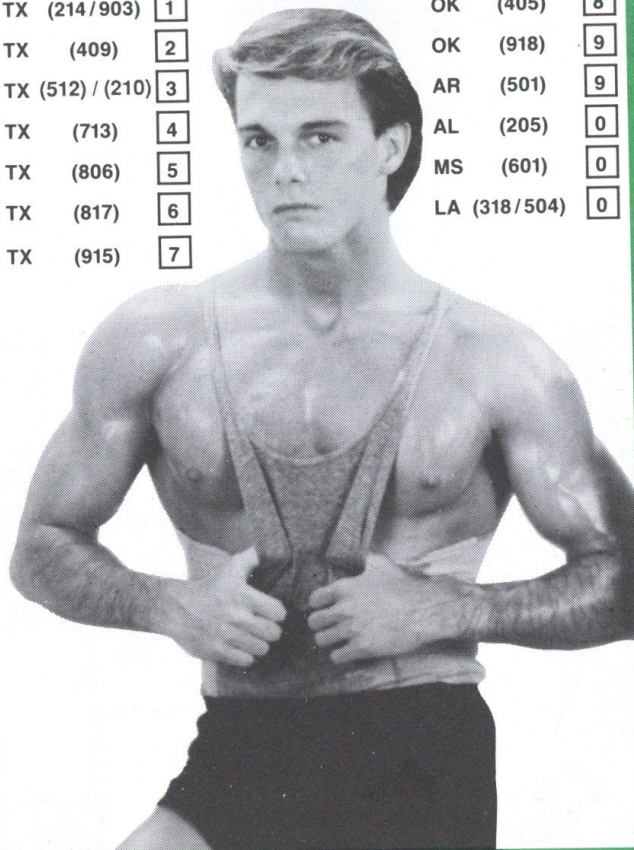


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BY NANCY FORD

Let me tell you what. There's nothing like sitting down with a cup of coffee and the morning newspaper and reading your own obituary to wake a person straight up.

Here's what happened. Last Friday, there I was, minding my own business, flipping through one of the local dailies. No new news from Waco, no interesting coupons to clip. Slow news day. Soon my eyes were diverted to a very prominent listing in the Death Notices section. In a nutshell, it reported that Nancy Ford, 40, of Tomball had died two days earlier in an automobile accident. Services were to be held that afternoon. Period. No other details. No family info, no employment or educational history, nothing. Nice, big, boxed ad, though.

Before I go any further, let me offer my very sincere sympathy to the family and friends of *that* Nancy Ford. As one who well knows the unmatched pain of the senseless loss of a loved one—more than 50 senseless losses now since 1984—I understand your suffering. She was too young. My best, most gentle prayers are with you, and I hope something, anything will help your sorrow to be alleviated as soon as possible.

But I would be lying if I implied that I'm

not very, very happy to be the wrong party in this case of mistaken identity.

Yikes. As I read my death notice in bold black and white, I turned quickly to make sure Rod Serling wasn't looking over my shoulder, nor some tall guy in a black hooded cape with a reaping sickle. Nope. I was alone. Just me and my mortality staring me in the face.

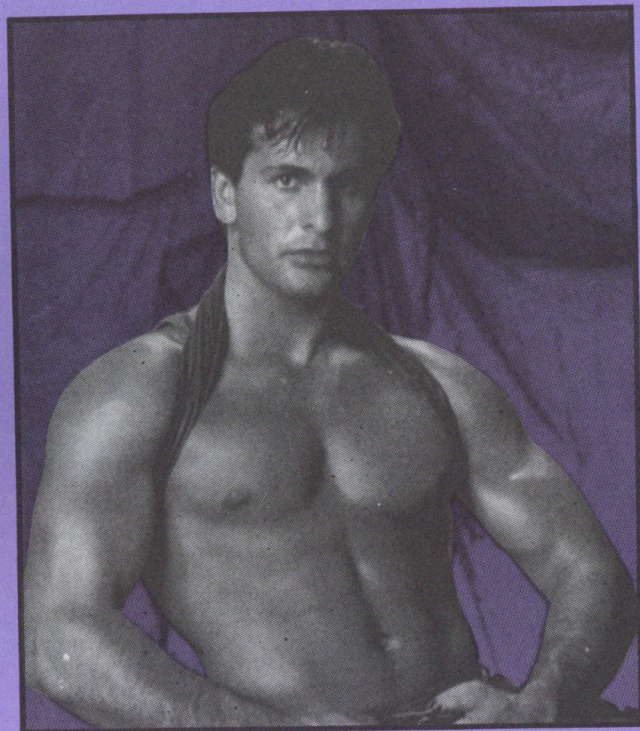
Well. Soon it became evident that quite a few more people saw it as well. I was thrilled to learn that so many of my peers do indeed read a newspaper, rather than relying exclusively on *People* magazine as their primary source of information.

The calls started coming in. The reactions ranged in intensity from "Oh, Nancy, I'm so glad to hear your voice" with great wailing and gnashing of teeth to "You bitch! Don't ever scare me like that again." My personal favorite was "I'm standing here in a dress ready to go to your funeral." And he wasn't kidding.

I understand shock and panic and how, in times of grief, otherwise rational individuals sometimes step outside the bounds of logic. But anyone who really knows me would know that this was a different Nancy Ford.

First of all, I'm not 40, thank you very much. Being in the declining portion of my 30s, every moment counts. Let's not push it. Secondly, if I lived in Tomball, I wouldn't have died in an automobile accident. I

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would have committed suicide.

Immediately, I raced home to check my messages. There were way more than the usual number of hang-up calls. I hate that. Believe me, once people think you're dead, telephone etiquette pretty much becomes a thing of the past. I changed my answering machine message to something reassuring like "Thanks for calling. I'm not dead. Maybe a little bored at times, but still very much alive. However, to help my traumatized friends deal with any adverse left-over emotion, I welcome cash contributions in lieu of flowers."

Now I know how Elvis feels. Perhaps Nancy Ford sightings will come into vogue, with *Weekly World News* or *The National Enquirer* paying handsome stipends to amateur phantom paparazzi. "I know she's supposedly dead, but here's a photograph of her walking into Burger King. Give me a thousand bucks."

And now I know how Lawrence Welk felt. George Bush, in a 1992 campaign interview, said, "I'm all for Lawrence Welk. Lawrence Welk is a wonderful man. Or used to be, or was, or—wherever he is now, bless him." At the time, Lawrence

was quite alive. He's dead now, though. Isn't that just the way?

If there is an upside to this situation, it is this. How often do we think, when we hear of the death of a friend or associate, "Damn, I wish I had told (him/her) that (fill in the blank). But now it's too late"? Well, this has happened to me, except inside out. For whatever reason, I've been given a glorious Huckleberry Finn-type experience of metaphorically, vicariously attending my own funeral.

All I can say is, thanks. I love you, too.

Houston entertainer Nancy Ford has performed extensively throughout the Southwest in comedy clubs, cabarets, theatres, laundromats and anywhere else gay and lesbian people gather to have a good time. She does a one-woman show every other Thursday at the Ranch (next performance is March 25), and in April will be taking her show on the road with her "1993 Road to Washington Comedy Tour" leading up to the 1993 March on Washington. Ford will also be doing a monthly column of wit, wisdom and belly laughs for TWT.

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San Antonio's Wellness Connection

HEALING AND EMPOWERMENT



It's a small, ordinary brown frame structure, not unlike the surrounding small businesses lining Hildebrand Avenue. The main difference is the absence of a sign announcing a sale or lights describing the business inside. Undoubtedly, however, in this ordinary building, extraordinary things are taking place, acts of love and healing.

As co-founder and massage therapist Carolyn Marroulis tells it, the idea for San Antonio's Wellness Connection began four years ago while she was involved in an attitudinal healing group. Marroulis is a slight woman with large, expressive brown eyes that light up when she listens or talks. A visit to the Austin Immune Health Clinic so impressed her and several others in the group that they were inspired to create a similar facility in San Antonio.

They envisioned a free clinic staffed entirely by volunteers where clients could pursue any treatment which they believed could increase self-esteem and strengthen their immune systems. The founders of the Wellness Connection believed that through the empowering of HIV-positive people, PWAs or those living with any disease to take part in their healing, traditional medicine could be aided in improving and lengthening clients' lives.

The beginnings were in a classroom at the Unity Church in early 1990. Desks and milk crates were used as massage tables, covered with sheets donated by the Wynd-

ham Hotel. At that point, there were five clients.

As the organization's caseload grew, so did the need for a larger space. For

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awhile, the Wellness Connection operated out of the River City Metropolitan Community Church, which had offered them the use of the congregation's sanctuary. The Connection then moved to the Alamo Area Resource Center, and finally found a space of its own last August at 731 W. Hildebrand.

Services provided by the Wellness Connection fall into four major categories. Body work includes programs focusing on physical conditioning intended to promote wellness. These treatments include massage, reflexology, ortho-bionomy (a non-invasive form of chiropractic), reiki (a manipulation of energy fields by the practitioner's hands) and polarity therapy.

"Hug therapy is dispensed freely," Marroulis observes, echoing the conviction that hugging is a beneficial form of therapy.

Counseling emphasizes the improvement of self-esteem and the management or elimination of negative thoughts in order to create a positive approach to living. This may include psychotherapy, support groups, substance abuse counseling and peer counseling. Of the latter, Marroulis says, "Clients arrive early for their appointment and may stay for hours afterward."

While waiting in the lounge, clients seem to feel free to discuss not only the different therapies and their results but also to talk honestly about their personal lives, their fears and worries, and to offer encouragement to each other.

The unstructured atmosphere is designed to empower clients to investigate, evaluate and choose their own therapies.

The non-Western therapies offered by the Wellness Connection are intended to stimulate the mind, body and spirit. Treatments include acupuncture, acupressure and hatha yoga.

In addition, workshops are offered to assist clients in creating their own self-healing strategies. The classes cover such topics as nutrition, herbology, supplements, yoga and neurolinguistic programming.

All of these activities and services are provided by volunteers. When asked about the feeling that the place seems so informal and safe, Marroulis comments, "There are no 'bosses' here, and the only requirement we ask from the volunteers is that they come from a loving space, whether they're therapists or doing cleaning. Even sweeping the floors can be done lovingly."

The unstructured atmosphere is designed "to empower the client to investigate, evaluate and choose their own therapies," she explains. "All therapies can work in their own way. If someone really felt that they needed a witch doctor, I'd probably help them find one."

Another service the Wellness Connec-

tion provides its clients is education in the side effects of prescription drugs they may be taking. By using a computer program that lists the side effects of drugs taken singly or in combination, clients can become better informed and perhaps communicate more effectively with their physicians.

It is important to note that the Connection does not in any way discourage the use of traditional medicine. Although they may "step outside the medical mainstream," as massage therapist Steve Botts puts it, "we don't go head to head with [traditional medicine]."

Asked why he volunteered and what it has been like working with the center, Botts continued, "[The clients] here have more of a trusting spirit, as opposed to regular paying clients. I enjoy helping the PWAs and relieving them of their pain. I'm glad to be a part of their healing. I don't pity them because they may have a terminal disease; don't we all? It's called life.

"We're all teachers and students, and those clients have as much to offer me as I have to offer them."

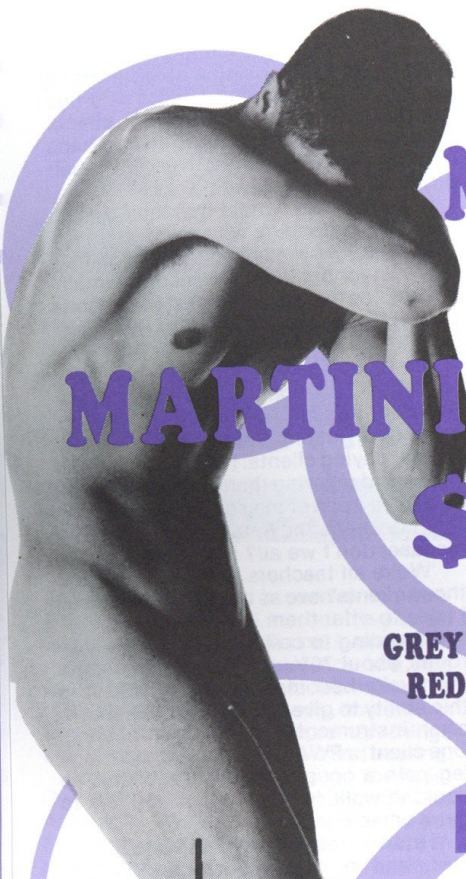
According to co-founder Carolyn Marroulis, about 70% of the center's clients eventually become volunteers, and it is this ability to give something back that is often instrumental in their own healing. One client, a PWA, was wracked with such leg pain a couple of years ago that he couldn't walk. His doctor advised him to get a wheelchair.

"I started treatments here instead," he said, "and one month later I was okay." Today he takes classes in massage himself and volunteers at the Wellness Connection as many hours a week as he can. That client, and indeed the entire Wellness Connection, are testaments "to the devotion of people helping people," as the center's brochure reads.

Further testament to the important role the nonprofit organization plays comes in the form of donations, grants and "love offerings" from clients. The Ryan White Care Act has also provided some funding, making the Wellness Connection the first holistic health clinic in the country to receive federal funds.

In the final analysis, though, more than money, materials or a building, it is the spirit of people giving in a loving way that is at the heart of the Wellness Connection's care. The future can only see a growth in the healing power of such a place.





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VIEWPOINT

Why I'm Supporting Ed Oakley for Dallas City Council District 14

BY HUGH CALLAWAY

The election to represent Dallas City Council District 14—which includes the Oak Lawn and East Dallas sections of the city—has all the feel of a real Texas-style political contest, complete with six-shooters and a healthy dose of the ever-present mud. In order to make an intelligent choice in the election, I ask readers to look for substance, evidence of real commitment. Remember that actions speak louder than words. Ask yourself if you want a representative on City Council who will “go along to get along” in an effort to advance his or her career by keeping the behind-the-scenes backers happy. Or would you rather have an aggressive, assertive coalition-builder who owes nothing to the backroom boys who have been pulling the proverbial strings for so long in Dallas? If you answer the latter, then you might want to consider Ed Oakley.

Oakley is new to Dallas politics, becoming involved as a direct result of his presidency of the Oak Lawn Concerned Citizens Coalition [OLCCC]. OLCCC was formed in response to the Dallas City Council's decision to push the Oak Lawn Plan through the city's Planning Commission without any real participation from those living and working in the area to be affected. Many called the plan discriminatory because its zoning changes appeared to be burdensome to gay businesses.

Oakley was able, however, to bring the

various factions involved in the dispute together and was instrumental in mediating a compromise plan which kept businesses in Oak Lawn while satisfying the Planning Commission's intent to improve the quality of life in the neighborhood.

Under Oakley's leadership, OLCCC now serves as a community watchdog, monitoring the physical and emotional health of the Oak Lawn neighborhood. It has spearheaded efforts to increase crime patrols staffed by off-duty Dallas police officers—an effort that has reduced crime 37% since its inception—and it has orchestrated a beautification project that brought new tree plantings to Cedar Springs, and a fresh coat of paint to the temporary buildings on the grounds of Sam Houston Elementary School. The goal of both Oakley and the Coalition is an improved quality of life for all people who live and work in Oak Lawn.

Ed Oakley, a native of Oklahoma, came to Dallas in 1984 with a Bachelor's Degree in Industrial Education from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. His company, Oakley Construction, has operated in Dallas for 15 years, and is responsible for the remodeling and restoration of many fine old homes in neighborhoods in and around Dallas. He is a member of the Dallas Gay and Lesbian Alliance, the Lesbian/Gay Political Coalition of Dallas, the Human Rights Campaign Fund, the Dallas/Fort Worth Federal Club and the Stonewall Business and Professional Association—Dallas' gay chamber of commerce.

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In addition, Oakley sits on the Board of Directors of Caven Enterprises—a fact which has already drawn its share of detractors. Some feel that because of his position with Caven, Oakley is “in the back pocket of bar owners.” Such comments are to be expected in any political campaign, but the record simply does not support this allegation. Through OLCCC, Oakley helped avert zoning regulations that would have been an unreasonable burden on gay and straight businesses alike. Oakley realizes that, since Oak Lawn is the heart of the Dallas gay community, it must remain healthy for our community to stay healthy. To do that, all concerned interests of the neighborhood must be protected and supported, which is exactly what Oakley has done.

During our discussion, I found Ed Oakley very passionate and committed to his goal of bringing the many factions of District 14 together to the benefit of all. In the short time that he has been involved in local politics, he has accomplished much toward making Oak Lawn a better place to live. Ed Oakley truly is a candidate who is not business as usual.



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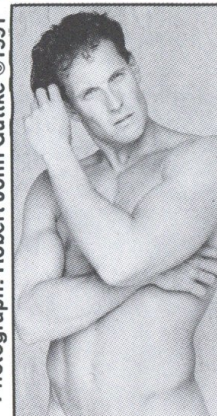
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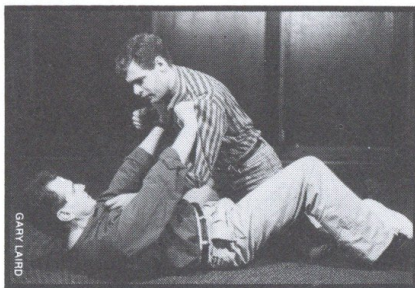
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PATRICK SCHMIDT

'The Doppler Effect'
at Houston's Curtains:

Naked Honesty and Intensity

Gary Laird's *The Doppler Effect*, a world premiere which recently opened at Houston's Curtains, proves to be very satisfying theatre. Its bold mix of humor, wit, satire, intensity and pathos carries its audience through deeper and deeper layers of vulnerability and honesty.



Mark Scott (Steve Salzman, top) and Jerry Bloom (John Tate) in *The Company We Keep's* production of Gary Laird's *The Doppler Effect*, at Curtains theatre in Houston through March 27.

Laird's play, set in a Houston art gallery, concerns new photography artist Jerry Bloom's first show. Bloom is a bundle of anxieties, concerned about his acceptance as an artist, as a student of his mentor Mark Scott and as a homosexual. The world of art provides an apt metaphor for the facades and artifice that often surround our deeper identities.

Robin Goodale and Randall W. Jobe are marvelous as the gallery owner/director and Bloom's best friend. The two have some of the funniest dialogue in the play. Goodale and Jobe openly discuss the "business of art" and know the job of giving the customers what they want.

Elva Evans and Kenneth Scott Friedman are representative of the art-going couple, who offer Bloom support but also revel in the company and drinking of an art



opening. Rusty and Keith (Zack Zippriani and Jeffery Marshall), two queens, confront the young photographer about who he truly is and push him into a compelling argument against stereotyping and prejudice.

Steven Salzman as Mark Scott, Bloom's mentor, and Marilyn K. Arnodo as Darla, Scott's wife, successfully display the awkwardness and discomfort of viewing Bloom's photography that too closely resembles life and that holds a deeper secret.

John Tate's performance as Jerry Bloom is especially effective. Tate tosses clever one-liners but projects Bloom's inward fears and vulnerability in subtle and well-controlled body movement, gestures and facial expression. Yet in Act II, Tate displays the ability, like the camera's bright flash, to disclose the stark truth in a taut scene with Scott late in the play.

Another powerful scene is the play's opening. In it, a nude model is exposed by a bright strobe-like camera flash. The effect is riveting and sets the tone for the play's moments of revelation.

Like the play's title, *The Doppler Effect*, the characters' intensity increases as they confront one another and as their message confronts us.

Patrick Schmidt, a community college English instructor and actor, has studied theatre at Oxford and Stratford-upon-Avon.

What: *The Doppler Effect*

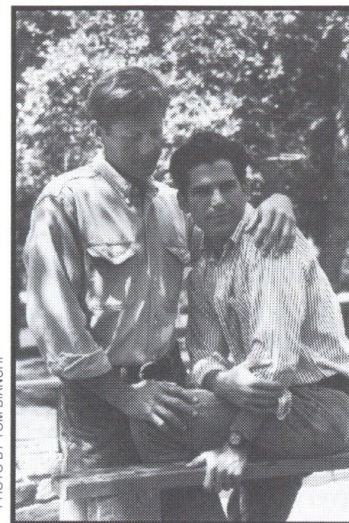
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ALVIN

Last month, a new **AIDS coalition** was formed in Alvin [Brazoria County], Texas, to provide services to all the public in that area. Director is Mary Lou Harris, who tells **TWT** that any help/advice/comments are greatly appreciated. The address is AIDS Services of Alvin, Texas, 1404 West Snyder Street, Alvin, TX 77511. The phone number is (713)331-1689.

AUSTIN

Beginning this month, **AIDS Services of Austin** offers a six-month, bimonthly gay men's support group. Participants will have the opportunity to openly and safely express their views and experiences on issues of concern in a nonsexual, chemical-free environment. Also planned are potluck dinners and other social events. Topic for the March 24 gathering will be "Self-Esteem in Gay and Non-Gay Relationships." Open and free to all gay men regardless of HIV status. For more details, call Oscar R. Lopez, Gay Community Educator/ASA, at (512)406-6165.

An Austin chapter of **Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Veterans of America** is being formed to meet the special needs of veterans, reservists and active duty personnel in Central Texas who are gay, lesbian or bisexual, and to give them a stronger voice in the ongoing debate over the military gay ban. The first organizational meeting will be held next Thursday, March 18 at the Riverside Branch Library, 2410 E. Riverside, at 7 p.m. Participation is open to all gay, lesbian and bisexual former and current military members, their friends and supporters. For more information, please contact (512)370-4601.



The Central Texas Parapsychology Association is sponsoring a **Psychic Fair** tomorrow and Sunday, March 13 and 14, at the Embassy Suites Hotel, I-35 and Hwy. 290. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. both days, with \$5 admission at the door. Featuring palmistry, graphology, astrology, aura and water readings and clairvoyance; crystal, jewelry and art sales; and lectures. A portion of the proceeds go to **Project Transitions, Inc.**, Austin's residential hospice for individuals in final stages of AIDS.

DALLAS

Make a difference in the life of a person living with AIDS by volunteering to become a member of **Oak Lawn Community Services' Buddy Project**. You'll be asked to give a great deal of yourself, but will get so much more in return. Training for this very worthwhile endeavor is next weekend, March 19-21, at the OLCS offices, 3434 Fairmount. The program is also open to anyone wishing to learn more about HIV. To register, or for additional information, call (214)520-8108.

The annual **Betty Ford Clinic Cotillion for Debutantes and Celebutantes**, benefiting the **AIDS Resource Center**, is tomorrow, March 13 beginning at 8 p.m. at 431 Sixth Street in Oak Cliff. Underwritten by clinic staff members, the soiree will feature local performance artists, a raffle, hors d'oeuvres and an open bar. Attendees are asked to contribute a donation of \$5. For additional information about the event, contact Susan Odum at (214)8232-6846.

Friends Associating and Relating [FAR] is a support group offering educational and social activities that provide gay men and lesbians a chance to meet and socialize. The group meets on Tuesday nights at 7:30 for various cultural and in-home events around Dallas. Membership is free and open to all interested parties. Call (214)

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F O R T W O R T H

The Arlington/Mid-Cities **AIDS Outreach Center** presents "Hot, Horny & Healthy—Eroticizing Safer Sex," a program for all gay and bisexual men who want to put the sensuality back into their sexuality. The seminar takes place at the Center, 1179 Corporate Drive West, Suite 103 in Arlington on Saturday, March 20 from 2–6 p.m. There is no charge for the event, but reservations are strongly recommended. Contact the Center at (817)335-1994 for information or to confirm attendance.

In response to a demand for more diverse, high-quality choral music in Fort Worth and Tarrant County, a steering committee has been organized to create the **Fort Worth Men's Chorus**, a unique new choral group for Cowtown arts supporters. Tenors, basses and everything in between are needed to launch the group's first season. Contact Michael Toole at (817)731-0122 to learn more about the group.

H O U S T O N

The next meeting of **Houston Gay/Lesbian Pride Week '93** is next Tuesday, March 16 at 7 p.m. at the Metropolitan Multi-Service Center, 1475 W. Gray. On the agenda are nominations for this year's Grand Marshals and discussion of the rally at Spotts Park. Grand Marshal nominations may be submitted at the meeting, or mailed to HGLPW, P.O. Box 66071, Houston, TX 77266-6071 (must be received by April 19). This Monday, March 15 is the deadline for submitting booth applications for the Pride Rally. For more information, call the Pride Line at (713)529-6979.

Liaison persons are needed for the African-American, women's and Hispanic HIV communities to assist the **Thomas Street Citizens' Advisory Council** with outreach to clinic clients in those communities. Interested persons should contact David Haller or Scott Norris at (713)942-0685.

The **Bering Community Service Foundation** is currently looking for volunteers to help with various events and activities throughout the year. Their next major project is "An Evening of Hope" at the Alley Theater in April. Those interested in offering their time and talents to help people living with HIV and AIDS are urged to contact the Foundation at (713)529-6071.

A Better Way, Inc., a nonprofit organization seeking to provide housing and support to HIV-positive chemically dependent men in the Houston area, will be holding a raffle this month. Volunteers will be at the Kroger store at 3300 Montrose every Friday from 5–9 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10 a.m.–5 p.m. through March 27; and at the AppleTree store at 1938 W. Gray on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 5–9 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m.–5 p.m. selling raffle tickets and providing referrals. The raffle will be held March 27 at A Better Way, Inc., 4802 Caroline at 1 p.m.

Teenagers who feel different from others because their mom or dad is gay may be interested in **Just for Us**, a newly formed social organization for teenagers with gay or lesbian parents. The group will provide teens with a safe place to have fun, talk about their feelings, go to the mall or the movies. For more information, call Dawn or Ray at (713)666-8256.

S A N A N T O N I O

San Antonio's **AIDS Resource Center**, previously known as the Alamo Area Resource Center, offers a variety of programs and services to people with HIV/AIDS. The **HIV-Positive Support Group** meets Monday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at the Resource Center, 2515 McCullough. For more information on the Center's new **HIV Hearing-Impaired Support Group** conducted in both English and Spanish, call Ray Ramos at (210)340-1282. To take part in the ARC's hospital visitation Buddy program, call Fran at (210)735-2437.

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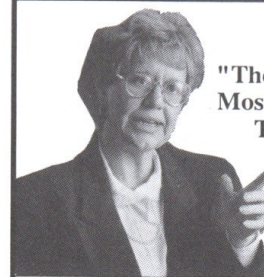
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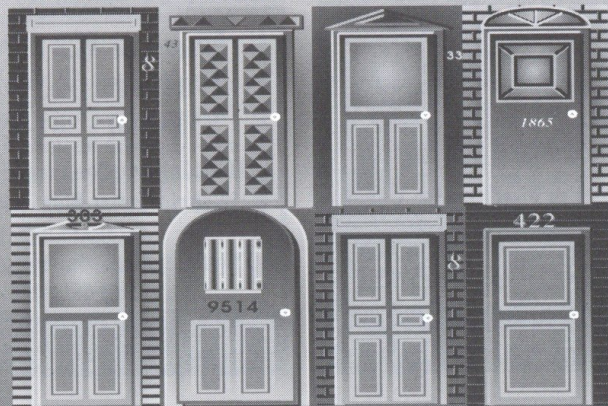
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BriarPatch Follies This Weekend

Dear TWT:

The BriarPatch Follies owes its beginning to a late-night dinner at Doneraki with a few of the piano bar regulars. Someone said, "Why don't we sit around the piano, sing a few songs and collect some money for charity?" Well, didn't that idea just explode into "Hey, kids, let's get together and do a show!"

Everyone in the club joined in donating their individual talents. One of the professional musicians offered to be the musical director, and a professional dance instructor donated his time in an attempt to get the boys in the chorus to raise their legs in unison. Every man in the club with a Singer was soon working feverishly on some stunning XXXL-sized sofa covers to be used as costumes. Well, after all, what is a sofa cover without rhinestones and feathers?

Instead of just raising money on the night of the BIG show, it was suggested that we should host a silent auction. Since we all know that excess is best, it was further suggested that we should raffie off a Jeep. Well, several barbecues, bake sales and fajita cook-offs later, we had a good fund-raiser on our hands.

By show time, the place was packed, the stage was lit in a complimentary pink gel (thank you), and we were singing and dancing our child-bearing hips off. The results of our first efforts was a whopping \$20,000 +.

In the past three years, the BriarPatch Follies have raised \$100,000 in support of Stone Soup, Omega House, MacAdory House, the Assistance Fund and the Colt 45's TroubleFund. Not one single dollar raised has ever gone toward any production costs.

Well, boys and girls, it's that time of year again! As you are reading this, there



are fairies over at the BriarPatch tagging everything from a designer pickled pine armoire to a full-length "nature sensitive" fur coat. We have lamps, furniture, exercise equipment and much more in the General Store Silent Auction.

This year, our Grand Prize is 100,000 air travel miles on a Continental Airlines One Pass Account. Buy your raffle ticket, pack those steamer trunks and take the ultimate Grand Tour of a lifetime (subject to Continental Airlines' One Pass Account rules, regulations and conditions).

The Silent Auction ends at midnight Saturday, March 13. Please dig through your closets (since we know that you're not in them!) and bring items for the auction. We can always use more!

Show time for the BriarPatch Follies is 7:30 p.m. this Sunday, March 14. Come in early! It is always crowded and we do start the show on time, since we want you to get to work on time the next morning and earn more money to help us help our friends and loved ones in need!

Wayne Gray
Houston, TX

Tarrant County GPW Needs Volunteers, Support

Dear TWT:

First of all, I would like to thank Miss Beverly Winn and Mr. Jerry Jones for putting on the Mardi Gras party Saturday, February 20 at the Corral Club. I thank the community for your generosity.

For those of you who do not know or understand the purpose of the Tarrant County Gay Pride Week Association, I would like to fill you in. Throughout the year, the officers of GPW put on different functions and benefit shows to raise money to put on the annual Gay Pride Picnic in June, a day out of the year that gay men and women of Tarrant County can

come out and have fun, be proud of who they are and what they are.

Every year, the picnic draws more and more people, and as the crowd grows, the cost to put on the picnic grows. When I first took office, I said I wanted to have the best picnic ever. Many people have approached me since I was elected and asked me why we don't do this or that. Well, I have noticed that a lot of people are interested in the picnic, but when we have a benefit show for GPW, they are not around to support us.

Our meetings are on the third Sunday of every month and are open to the community. For us to hear the ideas and/or complaints of the people of this community, people need to be at our meetings; that is the

only way we will know what people want. If you are interested in getting involved to insure that this year's picnic is the best ever, contact one of the officers. We need hard-working people who are willing to give a little of their time. Let's join together and show the other cities in Texas that Fort Worth and Tarrant County have a lot of pride.

On a final note, to the Cowtown Leathermen, our sincere and deepest sympathy at the passing of Carl Thorp.

Ricky Martinez
Vice-President
Tarrant County Gay Pride Week
Association
Fort Worth, TX

Fitting Tribute to Larry Lacey

Dear TWT:

A memorial tribute to Mr. Larry Lacey was held Saturday, February 27 at El Jardin, Texas' oldest gay bar. A total of \$428 was raised and donated to the San Antonio AIDS Foundation [SAAF] in the name of Larry Lacey.

Although Larry did not die of AIDS, his dedication to the fight against this disease was well known in San Antonio. SAAF would like to thank all of the people who packed into El Jardin to celebrate Larry's life and enjoy a show put on by some of his friends and fellow entertainers.

Appearing in the show were Trixie De La Rue, Auntie Mame, Shelly Jean, Tommy Manhattan, Blair, Miffy Dolebare, Tica De La Rue, Kraven Morehead, Alexis Nicole, Devine Mike, Maxee and Sammy Fong. SAAF expresses its deepest thanks to these entertainers and also to Leo Harper and Jose Garcia, owners of El Jardin.

Larry was always there to help out in any way he could, and it was great to see so many friends come out to remember him in the way he would have appreciated the most, by helping SAAF.

Derek B. Childers
Director, Public Relations and Fund-Raising
San Antonio AIDS Foundation

Support Galveston Benefit

Dear TWT:

My sixth annual AIDS benefit is being held tonight (Friday, March 12) at the New Kon Tiki, 315 23rd St. in Galveston at 10:30 p.m. All proceeds will benefit the AIDS Coalition of Coastal Texas and Galveston's AIDS food pantry.

We will have talented entertainers, food and drawings for various items. I'm asking local as well as out-of-town businesses for the following donations: bar tabs (night clubs), dinners for two (restaurants), haircuts, perms (beauty salons) and gift certificates (grocers).

I need a sponsor for this year's benefit, as I do each year. Anyone wishing to help out may do so by donating a covered dish, paper plates, spoons and forks, or even a helping hand. Come on, we need to stick together; I can't do this alone. This is a battle we all have to face.

Entertainers wishing to participate can do so by calling me at (409)763-4267 or by

calling the Kon Tiki at (409)763-6264 and leaving a message.

I would like to thank Shawna Brooks for offering her time, and for making Galveston her home. She will always be more than welcome; I also enjoy working with her.

Let's not wait for the life of another famous entertainer, actress, actor or professional to be taken from us. You need to support this and every benefit that you can.

Until we meet again, wish everyone the best of health, and if you are HIV-positive, keep your head high and remember, you have a friend in me.

Misty Valdez
Galveston, TX



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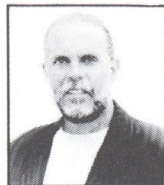
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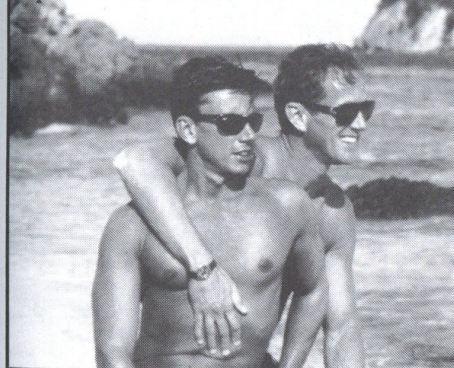
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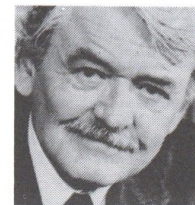
Texas Christian University's Alpha Psi Omega and Chi Tau Epsilon present a very special AIDS Benefit Concert in the Studio Theatre of the Ballet Building on TCU's Fort Worth campus on Friday and Saturday, March 26 and 27, at 8 p.m. Dramatic readings interspersed with interpretative dance numbers and new and original songs will highlight the performances, which benefit the AIDS Outreach Center Food Pantry. A \$5 donation is requested. For more information, contact Andy Parkhurst at (817)924-8376.

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Neil Simon's Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy *Lost in Yonkers*, the story of two young brothers left in the care of their domineering grandmother after their mother dies, opens at Houston's Jones Hall April 6-11. Simon's play makes important points about the nature of family and togetherness, and how it can be a source of strength and warmth, but also of strain, hurt and resentment. Tuesdays-Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdays at 2 and 8 p.m., and Sundays at 2 and 7 p.m. Tickets range from \$32-\$38, and are available at all Ticketmaster locations. To charge by phone, call (713)629-3700.

Returning to Houston's Curtains Theatre March 31-April 11 is the Moonstruck Theatre production of **Robert Chesley's** *Jerker*, the graphic and moving story of two men's love for each other in San Francisco during the 1980s. Wednesdays-Sundays at 8 p.m., with Saturday and Sunday matinees at 2 p.m. Curtains Theatre is located at 3722 Washington Avenue. For reservations and ticket prices, call (713) 862-4548.



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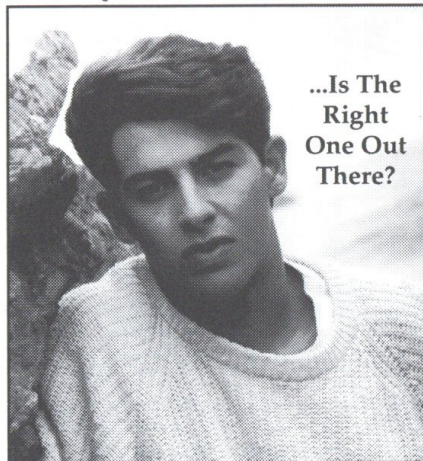
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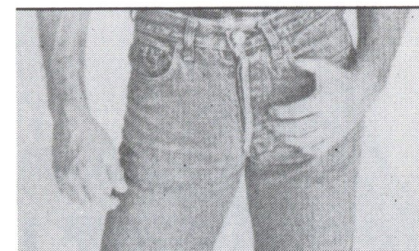
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- 2.) This immensely popular disco diva, who toured Texas gay bars many times, donned "Warm Leatherette" whenever she "Pull(ed) up to the bumper." Name her.
- 3.) The year is 1982. HEB is across the street, the Peppermint Palace is next door and Lady Margo is performing inside. Where in San Antonio are you?
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- 7.) Once a year, sun-worshippers from across the state gather on the rocks in Austin and the sand in Galveston for one of gaydom's most festive parties. What is it?

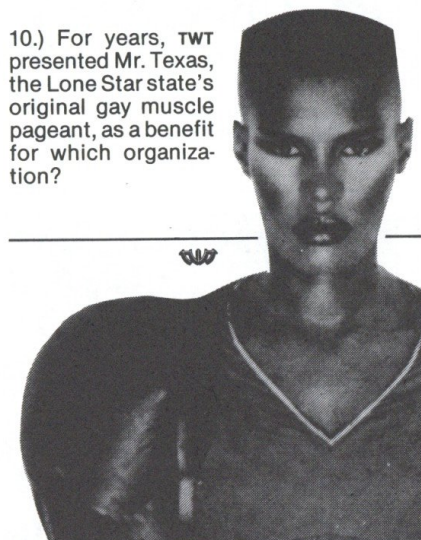


9.) The standard attire for a late '70s gay "clone" included a T-shirt, short hair and moustache, tennis shoes and what other item?

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8.) This box office disaster was the first mainstream film to present a positive depiction of a gay couple. It starred a former "angel" and a future "lawyer." Name it.



1.) By "hangin' out at the discotheque"; 2.) Grace Jones; 3.) Sunset Boulevard; 4.) The first National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights; 5.) Either drag or male dancers fit the bill; 6.) Old Plantation; 7.) Splash Day; 8.) Making Love; 9.) Levi's 501s; 10.) Texas Human Rights Foundation

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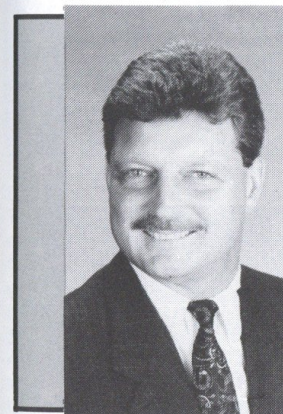


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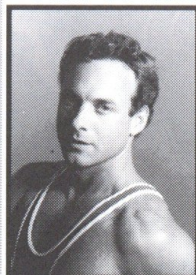
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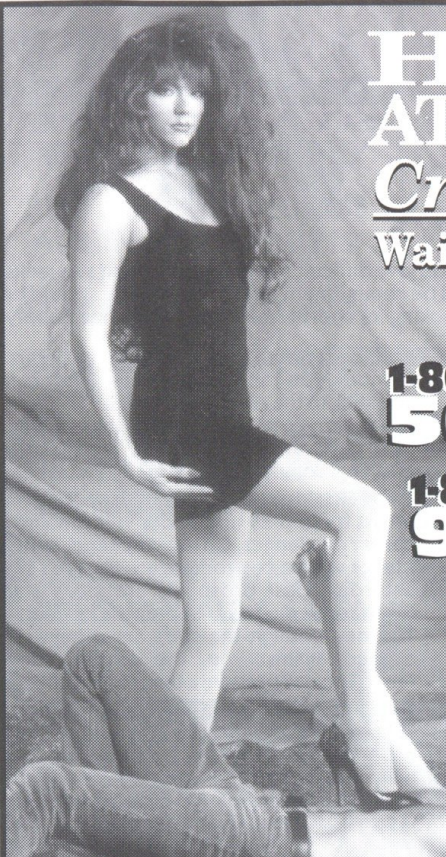
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SCORPIO: (Oct 24 - Nov 21) During the next three weeks, a particularly ugly aspect between Saturn and Pluto makes it wise to avoid all unnecessary risks, whether from strangers or friends, and especially when going out. Best romance prospects Friday night. Sunday evening, don't let doubts nag you away from wrapping up business. Monday, make a change in your environs and in the way you entertain yourself. Tuesday, your input is accepted if gracefully provided. Best days: Monday and Tuesday.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov 22 - Dec 21) This weekend, what happens, happens for the better. Sunday, decisions made now should be adhered to. Monday, you need time alone. Tuesday evening, a breather is needed as nothing goes right. Wednesday, distance yourself from others as your attitude and judgment become disagreeable. Thursday, enjoy the company of friends; in the sex hunt, don't put the shot on model types, as your ego is too touchy now to risk rejection. Best days: Saturday and Sunday.

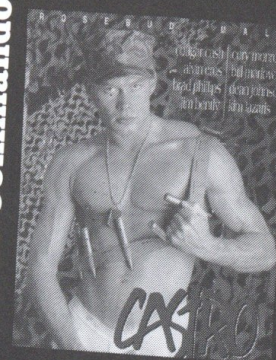
CAPRICORN: (Dec 22 - Jan 19) What's said of Scorpio applies to you and vice versa: be aware of dangerous or compromising situations; blackmail is a threat now. Friday night is good for working things out. Time away from the crowd is needed Saturday. Sunday, keeping a promise becomes an issue. Monday, control of small frustrations leads to control over other areas of life; a Sun/Saturn aspect helps you in the workplace. Wednesday, letting down your guard improves a relationship. Best days: Monday and Tuesday.

AQUARIUS: (Jan 20 - Feb 18) Take a firm hold of ideas occurring Friday under an influx of creative power. This weekend, a short trip or other change of surroundings is needed to freshen the feeling for your regular places. Sunday, again a need for something different and uplifting. Monday, a tendency to impulse buying. Tuesday night, you expect much from others, in vain, of course. Wednesday, you get along with others more, and begin to realize why your expectations of them went awry. Thursday, more energy tempts you to again make demands. Best days: Friday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Next Week: Sun enters Aries with the Vernal Equinox Saturday night: Mercury goes direct; New Moon in a demonstrative Aries.

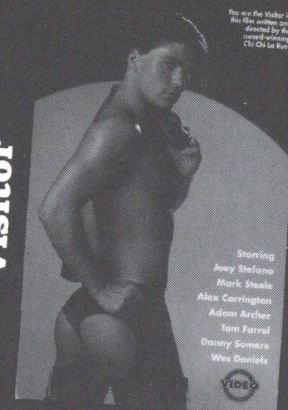
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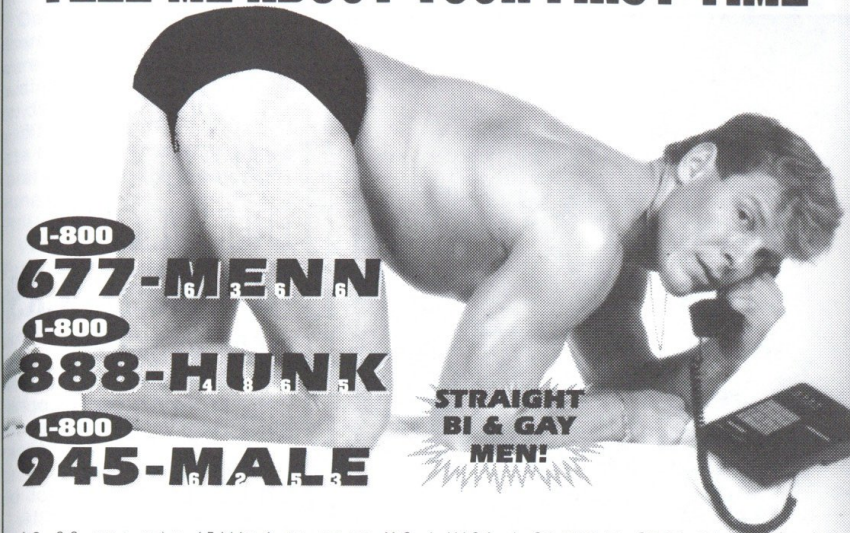
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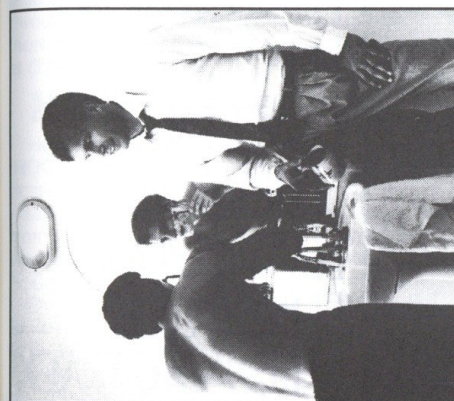
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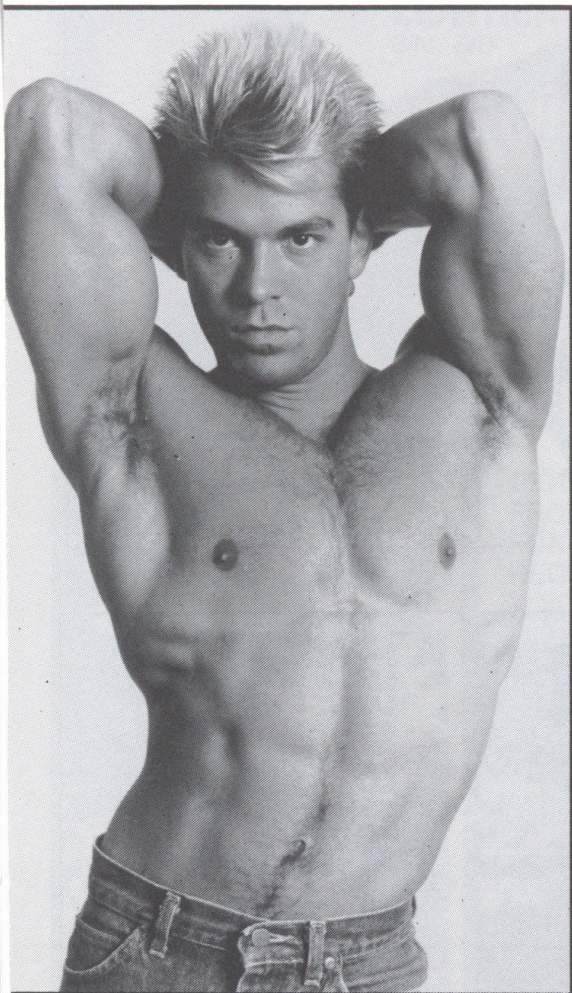
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TEAM DALLAS

Dallas — At the February meeting, new officers were elected and newly-written bylaws were ratified. "With that bit of important business out of the way, Team Dallas now intends to go into high gear with plans to send a 150-member contingent of athletes and artists to Unity in '94: Gay Games IV and Cultural Festival to be held in New York City in June of next year," reports Team secretary Phil Johnson.

With the Games just 14 months away, Team Dallas' immediate plans are to increase membership and generate financial support for a team that will represent not only Dallas, but Fort Worth, Denton and the entire North Texas area. As the Gay Games motto is "All who participate are winners," the athletes will range from world record setters to those of modest abilities and will include people of all races, ages, religions, creeds and sexual orientations. "We do not discriminate," added Johnson.

Although membership in Team Dallas is not required to participate in the Games, Festival or March, members will benefit from reduced air fare and hotel accommodations plus parties and merchandise. Membership through 1994 is just \$20. Those interested in more information are urged to call Johnson at (214)821-1653.

HOG HAPPENINGS

Houston — The Houston Outdoor Group [HOG] will mount up for their monthly horseback outing on Sunday, March 21 at Heather Hollow Stables. It's less than an hour from town on FM249 with over 150 acres of western-style riding in groups and lessons for novices.

On March 26-28, the HOGs will take a trip to Boykin Springs for camping. Activities will include hiking the Sawmill Trail, roasting chestnuts by the fire and deer- and bird-watching.

For more information on these and other HOG activities, call (713)KAMPOUT.

SOCCER CLUB

Dallas — The new Dallas Soccer Club hosts a sign-up party at La Supreme Restaurant in Las Colinas tomorrow, Saturday, March 13. Men and women interested in taking part in the league's spring season are encouraged to attend.



Soccer is fast becoming the world's most competitive sport, and this is a chance for Dallas gay men and lesbians to form a league of their own. For more information, call Bejae Taylor at (214)622-9087.

GAY SKATING

Houston — The next Lambda Roller-skating Club's skate night is this Monday, March 15 at the Trade Winds Roller Rink, 5006 West 34 at Highway 290. Admission is \$5, which includes skates.

The fun lasts from 7:30-10:30 p.m. and benefits the Houston Institute for the Protection of Youth. For more information, call (713) 862-4875.

MONTROSE SOFTBALL

Houston — The Montrose Softball League is laying plans to form expansion teams for the 1993 playing season, league secretary Ray West told TWT SPORTS. The league is interested in expansion teams from San Antonio and Austin for both the competitive and recreational divisions.

These teams would travel to Houston to play on the league's regularly scheduled playing days and teams from Houston would alternate traveling to those two cities to play for the day. Persons in either of these cities interested in playing on an expansion team should contact Jerry Chaffin at (713)867-3913.

The 1993 playing season for MSL will begin on Sunday, April 18 and end on Sunday, June 20. Anyone interested in joining the fun and camaraderie of gay softball is invited to contact the league at (713)867-3913 for more information.

GAMBLER'S BOWLING

Austin — The Gambler's Bowling League reported the following standings to TWT SPORTS as of March 2:

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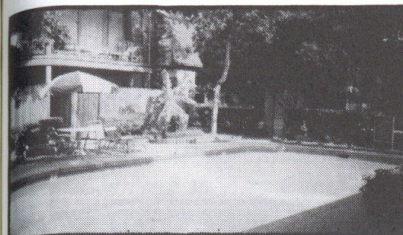
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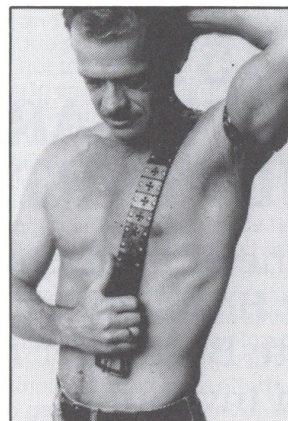
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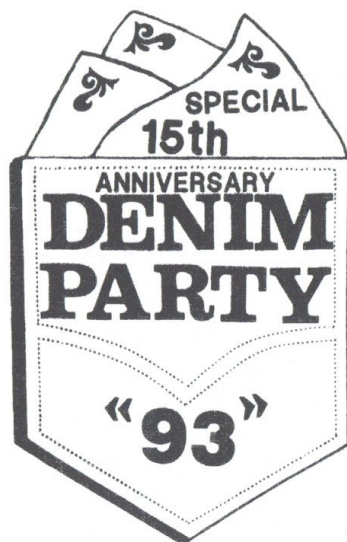
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BOB KRUEGER NOT WINNING SUPPORT OF GAY GROUPS

*Austin Caucus Throws Endorsement
To Gutierrez, While Houston GLPC
Refuses Nod to Any Candidate.*

TEXAS — Two of the state's most important gay and lesbian political organizations dealt blows in the last couple weeks to Sen. Bob Krueger's efforts to hold on to his seat by refusing to endorse him. The Austin Lesbian/Gay Political Caucus [ALGPC] voted instead to throw its support to one his Democratic opponents, Jose Angel Gutierrez, while Houston's Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus [HGLPC], chose not to endorse any candidate in the race.

Gutierrez, a Dallas attorney, addressed a meeting of the Austin group on Monday, March 1, and won ALGPC's endorsement on its second ballot. Jim Mattox, another Democratic hopeful for the Senate seat left vacant when President Bill Clinton appointed Lloyd Bentsen to be Treasury Secretary, also addressed the Austin caucus, but at the time had not yet decided whether he was officially in the running. Krueger did not address the Austin group.

Three days later, HGLPC took up the issue, and after impassioned statements from Krueger supporters and opponents, voted not to endorse him. A subsequent motion to endorse Gutierrez, who had also screened with the group, was voted down overwhelmingly.

Krueger had attended a screening meeting held jointly by HGLPC and Lesbian/Gay Democrats of Texas held three days earlier. That meeting came on the heels of a quickly arranged weekend gathering, held in New Braunfels, between Krueger, top campaign aides and a group of gay and lesbian leaders from around the state. At that meeting, the senator agreed to a personal screening with HGLPC and LGDT and said his campaign would make efforts to reach out to gay voters for financial and other support.

Many gay and lesbian leaders have criticized Krueger for his perceived lack of decisiveness on the issue of gays in the military as well as his vote against allowing HIV-infected immigrants into the U.S. His gay supporters have countered that he has a strong record of support for human



rights issues was not being well served by campaign managers who made no effort to reach out to gay and lesbian voters on their candidate's behalf.

Gutierrez was pleased with ALGPC's vote to endorse him. "I welcome the support and endorsement of gay and lesbian organizations. I consider it a boost to my campaign to represent and work for all the voters of Texas. It's an endorsement that Bob Krueger and Jim Mattox sought, and I won."

Some recent polls have shown support for Gutierrez to be growing. A Republican poll conducted in early January pegged the candidate at only 3%, while a *San Antonio Express News* poll showed him moving into double digit support. A soundings conducted by GOP candidate Kay Bailey Hutchison's campaign gave Gutierrez 12%.

TGRA DALLAS PRESENTS CHECKS

*\$11,000 Divided among Four
AIDS Service, Education Groups.*

DALLAS — It would be impossible to mention every individual, business or organization that has answered the battle cry during the more than ten years the gay community has fought AIDS and the prejudices surrounding it. Without the countless numbers who have, however, there would have been more deaths, and more horror stories of discrimination and rejection.

Among organizations that have played a role in fighting AIDS, the Texas Gay Rodeo Association [TGRA] stands out as a significant contributor. In its ten years of existence, the group has entertained countless numbers, and funded many of the agencies providing assistance to persons living with AIDS.

Each year the TGRA produces a widely

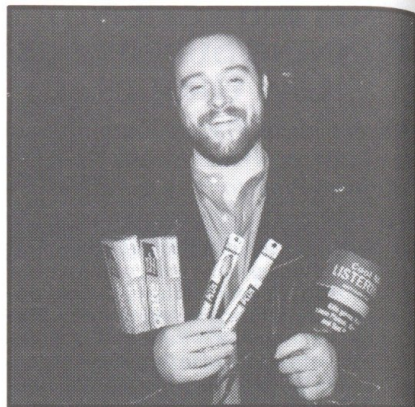
acclaimed rodeo that draws participants from the state's large gay and lesbian community. Proceeds from the event are distributed to local chapters in five Texas cities—Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio—for disbursement to AIDS and service organizations in those cities. This year, Dallas' portion of the profits, totaling \$11,000, were earmarked for four AIDS-related groups: AIDS Funding Association, AIDS Services of Dallas, AIDS Resource Center Food Pantry and the NAMES Project Dallas. Checks in the amount of \$2,907 were presented to representatives from each of these organizations during a ceremony held at the group's monthly meeting at the Brick Bar last weekend.

While organizers admit that this year's event in Dallas was not as profitable as last year's, it is still viewed as a tremendous success, particularly given the state of the economy and overall trends in fund-raising and charity events. It is also important to note that, while attendance figures and net receipts from the rodeo itself may fluctuate, fund-raising efforts by TGRA royalty candidates and members of each chapter contribute funds from various events they hold directly to charities in their city. Now in its tenth year, the Texas Gay Rodeo Association can proudly report that combined totals from local efforts and the state rodeo exceed \$1 million.



Dallas chapter of TGRA presented checks totaling \$11,000 to AIDS organizations last week. TWT NEWS photo.

Along with last week's check presentation, TGRA Dallas honored Gil Flores, President of the Dallas Invitational Volleyball Association, with a certificate of appreciation for his efforts in coordinating the first annual President's Day fund-raiser, held recently at Village Station. During the event, the presidents of 12 social service and charitable organizations joined together to present a variety show benefiting the AIDS Resource Center Food Pantry.



Members of Dallas TGRA contributed toothpaste and other items for dental clients of the AIDS Funding Association. TWT NEWS photo.

Another aspect of the TGRA assistance effort is spearheaded by the group's Community Service Committee. Each month, the committee targets the specific needs of a local charity and requests that the general membership contribute time or tangible goods to meet those needs. In the past, the committee has assisted the Food Pantry in its remodeling efforts and has "adopted" and redecorated individual apartment units at the Revlon House facility operated by AIDS Services of Dallas. This month, the committee selected the dental clients of the AIDS Funding Association. Members were encouraged to bring toothpaste, toothbrushes and dental floss to the meeting.

The Dallas chapter of TGRA is at the forefront of fund-raising efforts in North Texas. Far from being just a bunch of cowboys with backpatches, TGRA is in the trenches fighting the war on AIDS. This group, however, prefers the rodeo arena as its battleground.

HOUSTON PHYSICIANS DONATE \$10,000 TO STATE GAY LOBBY

*Funds Will Go to LGRL's Efforts
During Current Legislative Session.*

AUSTIN — The Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas [LGRL] announced that it has received a \$10,000 donation from Houston physicians and AIDS specialists

Drs. Gary Brewton, Gordon Crofoot, Jorge Quesada and Adan Rios. Executive Director Laurie Eiserloh said her organization will use the funds to help fight for lesbian/gay rights during the current legislative session.

"I am deeply grateful to the doctors," Eiserloh said. "They've shown a real commitment to lesbian/gay rights issues in our state."

"There is great potential this session," she stated. "This financial help and moral support will help us fulfill some of that potential."

Eiserloh noted that LGRL had recently blocked an attempt in the state Senate by the Legislative Budget Board to cut AIDS funding by \$32 million. This loss in state funds would have caused the state to lose over \$18 million in federal funding, thereby decimating the state's AIDS program.

"Drs. Brewton, Crofoot, Quesada and Rios' support was absolutely crucial in helping us to block this attack on AIDS funding."

"Lobbying at the state level is not glamorous work," Eiserloh said. "But despite its humble appearance, state lobbying work is very important to the success of our community. It takes real visionaries such as these doctors to realize the importance of state lobbying and to support our efforts here in Austin."

LGRL will also be using a portion of the \$10,000 donation to work on hate-crimes issues, passage of the lesbian/gay civil rights bill recently introduced by State Rep. Glen Maxey and the repeal of Section 21.06 from the Texas Penal Code.

Those interested in helping the Lobby in its efforts may send donations [checks payable to LGRL] to LGRL, P.O. Box 2579, Austin, TX 78768.

'DANCE FOR LIFE' TO RAISE FUNDS FOR AIDS IN DALLAS

*Proceeds from April 17 Event
Will Benefit North Texas Groups.*

DALLAS — In the ongoing battle to find a cure for AIDS and bring an end to one of the most devastating health crises ever to affect the world, new and innovative fund-raising methods are continuously devised and adopted by AIDS service organiza-

tions which find themselves competing for ever-shrinking charitable donations. One method, which has proven extremely popular and successful in major cities across the country, is the pledge dance.

This year, Dallas will play host to its first Dance For Life, a six-hour pledge dance benefiting the AIDS Resource Center and other AIDS service organizations. The Dance, which will take place at Deep Ellum's Bomb Factory on April 17 from 3-9 p.m., will showcase the music of regional live bands along with a variety of music programmed by some of the city's hottest deejays.

Sara Hickman, internationally known singer and songwriter, has been named Honorary Chairperson and will attend the event. Co-chairs are Celia Barshop and John Rogers.

Dance For Life is open to the general public. Dancers can open as individuals or as part of a team. Participants will obtain pledges of various amounts from family, friends and co-workers for every hour they dance. Prizes will be awarded to individuals and teams for categories ranging from who raises the most money to who dances the longest. Commemorative T-shirts will be given to participants raising \$100 or more in pledges.

Proceeds from the event will be divided among various AIDS organizations, with 75% of the monies raised being earmarked for the AIDS Resource Center. The balance will be divided between various North Texas AIDS service organizations based on the number of dollars each organization and its teams generate for the event.

John Thomas, Executive Director of the AIDS Resource Center, told TWT NEWS, "AIDS is all of our challenge, and creating additional incentives for the other AIDS service organizations will add participation and enthusiasm."

Sponsors for the event include ABC affiliate WFAA-TV Channel 8, Sound Warehouse, the Coca-Cola Bottling Company, Budweiser, Evans-Harris Realtors and IBM. Registration forms are available at all Sound Warehouse locations in the Dallas/Fort Worth area and at the AIDS Resource Center, 2701 Reagan at Brown.

"Life is very precious," Sara Hickman observed. "I have seen the devastating effects of AIDS on adults and children, but I have also witnessed the power of the people. Nothing short of miracles occur when human beings come together to raise con-

ciousness, and funding, for others. We have the capacity right now, every day, to be a major factor in the key to a cure."

For more information about this event, call Tony Stevens at Metro (817)268-8128 or Susan Jacobs at (214)750-4661.

OAKLEY SEEKS ADDITIONAL POLLING PLACE IN DISTRICT 14

*Dallas City Council Candidate Says
Existing Locations Discriminate
Against Gay Voters.*

DALLAS — Citing what he terms "discrimination" in the selection process used to determine locations for early polling places for the upcoming Dallas city elections, District 14 City Council candidate Ed Oakley has petitioned the City Secretary to put a voting site at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church, a location Oakley feels is more convenient to the majority of the district's voters in the East Dallas, Oak Lawn and Turtle Creek neighborhoods.

The reasons for Oakley's concerns become evident in looking at a map of District 14—a district that stretches from East Dallas through Oak Lawn and Love Field to the northwest. In some places, the district is several miles wide, while in others, only several blocks.

There are two polling places allotted to the district, one at Samuel Grand Park and the other at the Dallas Independent School District Administration building. Neither of those, Oakley says, "is convenient to the majority of District 14's voters who live in Oak Lawn, Turtle Creek and East Dallas."

According to Oakley, restriction of access to voting violates the Federal Voting Rights Act, and inconvenience, it can be argued, limits accessibility. "It's very difficult for East Dallas and Oak Lawn residents to vote early, and we feel that that's discriminatory. Voters have the right to convenient voting locations.

"Oak Lawn and Turtle Creek have the second highest voter turnout in the district; it's a diverse district with Hispanics, Asians, blacks, gays and lesbians, all from varying economic backgrounds. We need to make it convenient for all the voters, no

matter how they ultimately vote."

During preliminary negotiations, representatives of Holy Trinity Church have expressed support for the idea, but Oakley assures TWT NEWS that an alternate site will be found if that location is not deemed workable.

Support from the district's current City Councilmember, Lori Palmer, seems probable, particularly since gay and lesbian voters in the district have always been supportive of her. It was Palmer who recommended the current early polling places to the City Secretary.

PLANNING SESSION FOR TRANSGENDER LAW CONFERENCE MOVED TO D.C.

*Prelude to 2nd Annual Gathering
August 26-29 in Houston.*

HOUSTON — Attorney Phyllis Randolph Frye, Executive Director of the International Conference of Transgenderal Law and Employment Policy, Inc. [ICTLEP] has announced that the planning meeting for the second conference, originally scheduled for April 24 in Denver, has been moved to the Washington, D.C. area.

"This will be our third regional planning meeting for the second ICTLEP, to be held this August 26-29 in Houston," Frye stated. She noted that the rescheduling places the planning session in the nation's capital the same weekend as the March on Washington for Lesbian, Gay and Bi Equal Rights and Liberation.

Frye told TWT NEWS that ICTLEP has published a 327-page book containing the proceedings from last year's conference, covering transgender issues in the areas of military, housing, insurance, probate and civil commitment, employment, health, criminal, discrimination and family law. Included are transcripts of presentations made by Judges Eric Andell, Alice Oliver-Parrot, Fred Biery and Charles Baird, as well as Houston activist Ray Hill.

Also included in the book is the winning entry in last year's Phyllis Randolph Frye Endowed Writing Competition, established by Frye to encourage students at the University of Houston Law Center to explore areas of the law covering transgendered persons and other sexual minorities.

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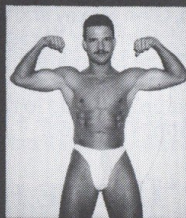
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"This planning meeting in Washington will finalize plans for the August ICTLEP," Frye explained, "We will build on the last conference in the areas of military, insurance, employment, health and family law."

This year's Transgender Law Conference will also explore the areas of legal intervention, a proposed transgender bill of rights, education, identification and imprisonment law. For more information on the April planning meeting in Washington, contact attorney Marla Aspen Rothblatt at (301)495-0172.

CHAMPION RODEO ANIMALS DONATED TO HOUSTON PANTRY

*Businessman Jim McIngvale's Gifts
Will Benefit Clients of
AIDS Foundation's Stone Soup.*

HOUSTON — Local businessman Jim McIngvale made a unique, Texas-style contribution to the fight against AIDS last week when he announced that he is donating prize-winning livestock from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo to AIDS Foundation Houston's Stone Soup food program. McIngvale's gifts to the PWA assistance program include the grand champion pig, lamb, turkey and broiler chickens and the reserve champion steer.



Houston businessman Jim McIngvale donated prize-winning livestock to AFH Stone Soup food pantry. TWT NEWS photo.

"Mattress Mac," known to local television audiences for his appearances in wacky but endearing commercials advertising his furniture business, told TWT NEWS, "I just think it's very important that we reach out to people and help them, and that's what we're doing."

AFH Executive Director Joyce Yost was

thrilled with McIngvale's generosity.

"It is very gratifying to have someone like Mr. McIngvale supporting AFH, and we're looking forward to working with him."

"We've got a hundred ideas about what to do with the donations, but we want to take some time to think about it so we can use them to everybody's benefit."

Attorney John Paul Barnich, who volunteers with AFH, said McIngvale's gifts would help brighten the lives of people with AIDS in the Houston area.

"Many PWAs have a difficult time just making it through each day. When they hear that someone from outside the community has been this generous, it has to be a real boost for them."

McIngvale had made an earlier donation of furniture to Houston's Bering Care Center.

'TEXAS 2-STEP PARTY' IN D.C. TO BENEFIT STATE ORGANIZATIONS

*State Rep. Glen Maxey,
Dallas Mayor Pro Tem Chris Luna
Honorary Hosts of April 24 Event.*

TEXAS — The 1993 March on Washington has announced a special pre-March celebration benefiting the March and Texas' two leading statewide gay and lesbian rights organizations. Proceeds from the "Texas 2-Step Party," scheduled for April 24, will be divided between the March organization, the Texas Human Rights Foundation [THRF] and the Lesbian/Gay Rights Lobby of Texas.

Honorary hosts for the event are State Rep. Glen Maxey of Austin and Dallas Mayor Pro Tem Chris Luna, who is on the THRF board.

The party will be held from 6-10 p.m. at Tracks, 1111 First Street. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased by sending a check or money order payable to the March on Washington, 1993, to Texas 2-Step; c/o March on Washington, 1993; P.O. Box 34607; Washington, DC 20043-4607.

THRF representatives are inviting Texans and others to march with them on Sunday, April 25. Those interested should meet at 10 a.m. at the Marvin Center Ballroom of George Washington University, which is located at 800 21st Street, Northwest, at the intersection of 21st and H Streets.





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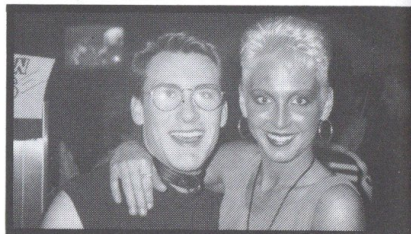
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DALLAS TEA — Here's what's happening **THIS WEEK IN DALLAS** from Big D **HOT TEA**....

Sue Ellen's dynamic management team, perennially perfect Kathy Jack and her newly goateed and gorgeous assistant manager Jeff Portell, contacted the club's world headquarters recently to obtain the Top Ten Reasons why Sue Ellen's is the number one lesbian bar in Texas. **HOT TEA**, in its effort to keep Lone Star gays informed, provides you with five of them today: 10) TABC figures don't lie; 9) Kathy Jack shows her tits on Thursdays; 8) There's no cover if you know Kathy Jack; 7) \$3 Sterling martinis on Wednesdays; 6) the photo booth works! Another reason might be the special treatment birthday celebrants receive from the club's staff. Just ask former **TEA**totaler Vicci Stewart, below second from right, pictured with [l-r] Village Station manager Terry Schmidt, Vicci's squeeze du jour Rosalyn Miers and Kathy Jack. Ms. Jack, from



what we understand, is currently looking for a new stopwatch to track her ever-changing marital status, a fact we're somewhat puzzled about given her well-documented attributes....

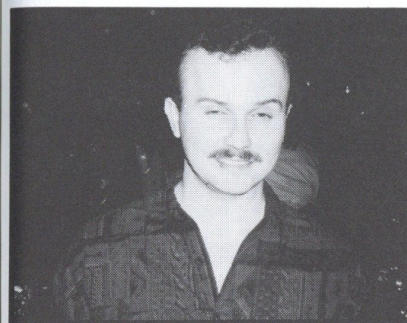


Joey Stefano and Karl Thomas weren't the only gorgeous people reveling in the excitement of the Wave's recent Brief Encounter underwear party. Beautiful men and women abounded at the marvy Maple nitespot, both in front of and behind the bar. Well, isn't that what you'd call handsome Richard Walker and the lovely Kim Huffstutler [above]? While you can't see it in

the picture, we assure you that both Richard and Kim actively participated in the Encounter by sporting their newest and finest pantalettes, thereby proving the old Dolly Partonism, "you got a nice package, you might as well show it off." We feel confident that Mr. Walker and Ms. Huffstutler will both be sporting even newer and more intimate designs to welcome viderotic film star and King of the Mountain Lex Baldwin to the club on March 26. This is one man you just won't want to miss....

Speaking of men you don't want to miss, John Foster can now be found melting ice cubes and the hearts of his customers at Brick Bar, the cruise capital of Maple Avenue. During the club's flashlight party last week, attended by both pizza and John lovers alike, Mr. Foster was spotted sporting oh-so-revealing Calvin Boxers, a harness and combat boots in the back bar. According to our sources, a flashlight was just not necessary to view Mr. Foster's rather obvious attributes....

Trumormongers are still mongering over the plethora of construction types seen hanging around Crews Inn lately. You might wager that the erector set members were performing a major overhaul on popular bartender "Spanky" Studer's newly short coif. Closer inspection of the club, however, indicates that the Fitzhugh party palace is the object of the redo. We wonder if that's what forced Miss Jerry Washburn out onto the patio for the first time in her illustrious

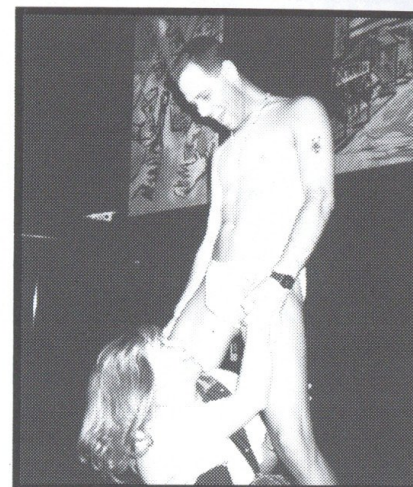


career? By the way, the handsome man pictured above is previously item'd stud muffin Tom Harris....

With all the excitement the Doublelip Twins generate, we sometimes overlook the gorgeous men that dance in their next-to-nothingness at Damewood'z. How we ever



overlooked breathtakingly handsome David Rexroat, shown below right with the club's assistant manager Peggy Smith, we'll never



know. We've been told by a reliable source that all the club's employees have signed a pact to remain tobacco-free. Do you think it's the lack of nicotine that's causing Peggy's apparent switch to heterosexuality? Wonder what the hot, fabulous blonde Ms. Smith's been seen with lately is going to say? In any event, we can't wait to see David and Peggy sporting both leather and chains for the Leather and Chains Ball coming up at the club on the 19th. We get first dibs on lacing up Mr. Rexroat's chaps....

There's no need to travel to Waco to become a member of a cult, thanks to the party planners at Village Station. Just swing by the mega-dance hall on Cedar Springs next Friday, March 19, for the exclusive Dallas appearance of comedienne extraordinaire Judy Tenuta, she of the love slave set. Judy reigns supreme as the leader of Branch Judydian, and the only membership

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the inimitable Donna Day [above], who hosts her Big Break talent contest on that night. It's always hard to tell whether Ms. Day or the acts on stage register higher on the laugh-o-meter. Thursdays with Donna Day—only at Village Station....

Don't forget that the fabulous Hot Chocolate returns to Dallas and The Cabaret Club next Tuesday night, March 16, for a very special benefit performance for former Miss Gay America Jimi Dee, who passed away Valentine's Day. Joining Chocolate will be Valerie Lohr, Tandi Andrews and a host of the finest femme mimics from across



Texas. Greeting the anticipated masses at the door will be the club's handsome manager, Wayne Clark, pictured above [r] with popular clubber Tiffany Blake [l]. Make it a point to be there for this exciting event....

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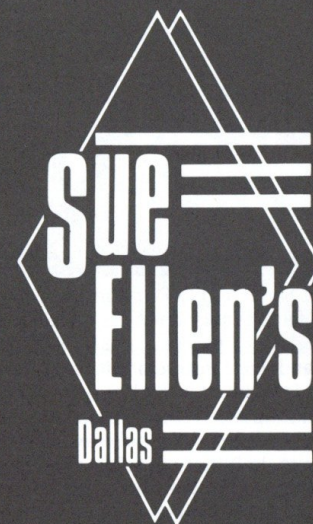
the event are [l-r] last year's winner Kourtney Wells, Ebone Sanchel, winner Dyan Michaels, Miss Gay Texas Whitney Paige, first alternate Celeste Martinez and second alternate Kofi. Both Dyan and Celeste are now qualified for the official Miss Gay Texas Pageant to be held in Dallas later in the year. Congratulations from HOT TEA....

As if gorgeous Rick Dixon wasn't enough reason to stop by the Round-Up; as if the hot C&W dance music played by the club's staff of expert deejays couldn't lure you

through the big red door; and as if the view of several hundred well-placed Wrangler logos on the posteriors of an equal number of well-formed cowboys wouldn't make you drop everything to make a beeline for the club, word now comes to us from club manager Tom Davis, via ship-to-shore radio communication, that a very special natalversary soiree for the grande dame of all do-gooders, Jan Barton, will take place in the well-appointed gaming salon of the boot-scootin' palace on Tuesday, March 16 at 7 p.m. Even though *Dateline* and Jane Pauley keep putting the divine Ms. B on hold, we feel quite certain that there will be a multitude of her friends, supporters and admirers present who do put her at the top of their list.

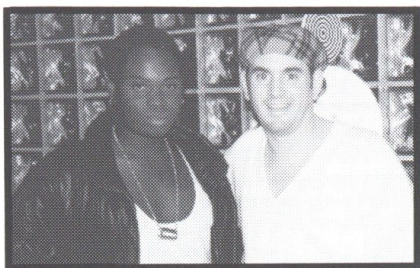
HOUSTON HOTTea — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN HOUSTON** from Bayou City **HOT TEA**....

The costumes are finished, the sets are built and every number has been choreographed to perfection for the fifth annual BriarPatch Follies. This Sunday, the lights go up at 7:30 sharp on the season's biggest live musical revue. You'd better get there early,



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as they turn them away when the house is full. This year's show benefits the Stone Soup Pantry and features a grand prize drawing for 100,000 air travel miles on Continental Airlines....

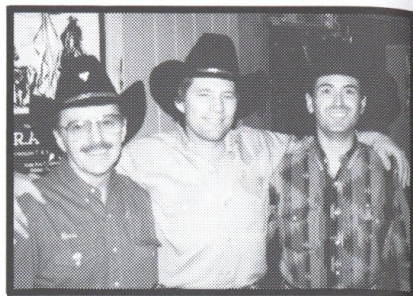


The recent Cupid's Ball at Rich's hosted by Eduardo Bennett [above, l] and club promotions director David Hemmer [r] raised over \$2,300 for AIDS Foundation Houston. Congratulations to the House of Glamour and all of the designers and models who made the show such a success. Every Saturday in March, Rich's saves you money as you march in early with reduced cover and drink prices. On Sunday, March 28, the club hits the skids when they present the "White Trash" White Party. A surprise special guest is soon to be announced....

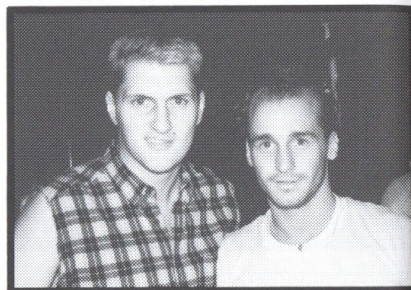


Pacific Street and Q-Patrol recently hosted a self-defense workshop at the club. Founder of the Houston chapter of the Guardian Angels and guest instructor Kit Van Cleave [front, r] is pictured with class participants. The workshop received such positive response that they've decided to hold it again in the near future. In honor of St. Patrick's Day, Pacific Street offers you a chance to "go for the gold" next Wednesday. At midnight, they will release a \$1,000 balloon drop filled with hundreds of free lottery tickets. Don't forget: every Thursday, you can join the Men with Muscles and receive free entry when you show your gym card....

Gentry is celebrating St. Patrick's Day with fabulous drink specials and a Leprechaun Strip Contest at 10:30 p.m. This holiday is also the tenth anniversary celebration of Papa Del's 39th birthday. The hot studs of the Lone Star Male Revue dance every Friday, Saturday and Sunday, while Paivi spins the Wheel of Cash three times every Tuesday....



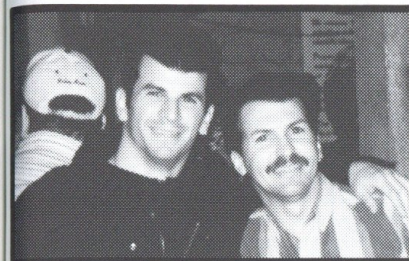
The Brazos River Bottom kicked off its weeklong 15th anniversary celebration with a special appearance by Clint's just as handsome brother Brian Black [above, c]. Club managers Beau Hughes [l] and Rick Chew [r] were definitely all smiles about the huge crowd that attended Brian's performance. The party continues tonight with Boots and Boxers, tomorrow night with a Levi and Leather Party featuring a leather fashion show at midnight, and culminates on Sunday with a special anniversary Denim Party beginning at 5 p.m....



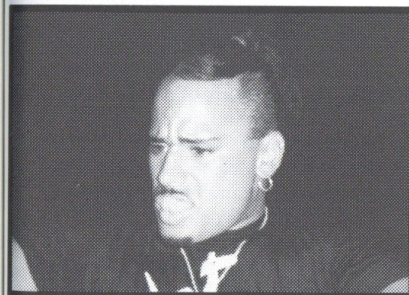
Sexy Heaven bartenders Rick Bounds [above, l] and Andy DePalma [r] have to keep on their toes to serve all the enthusiastic customers who are "truckin' on down" to the club every Wednesday for Disco Inferno. Next Wednesday, St. Patrick's Day, Heaven presents Bonnie Pointer performing her disco hits "Heaven Must Have Sent You," "Sugar Pie Honey Bunch" and many more. Bonnie's performance is the first in a series

of dance diva appearances the club is scheduling throughout the spring and summer... Houston band Machine in Motion, who hit the international dance charts with their mega-hit "World in Fascination," will return to their hometown to perform a special live concert at Heaven on Saturday, March 27. The group, which was discovered and promoted by Power 104 radio, has been compared to the Pet Shop Boys and Erasure....

Every Thursday beginning March 25, the cutting edge video dance club at 810 Pacific will be transformed into "Country Heaven." Highlights include country-themed decor, free dance lessons, reduced prices on ice cold beverages and no cover all night long. Guest deejays will play country videos by all your favorite country music stars for a truly contemporary visual experience....



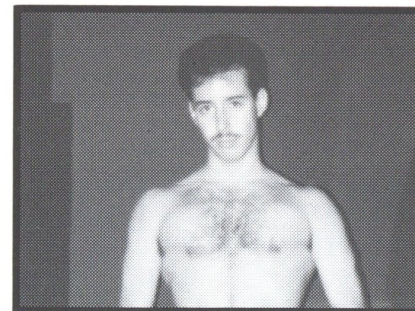
JR's Bar & Grill celebrates "Spring Break '93" every Sunday in March. In response to the latest trend, the club will present a drawing for a pair of roller blades during their Sunday night Swimwear Strip Contest. The CRUISE CAMERA captured Jonathan Crowell [above, l] and Scott Callahan [r] working the club's newest attraction, the Santa Fe Beer Bar, which is open every Friday and Sunday....



KWS lead singer London [above] rocked the house with a sensational performance at

Boy Bar last week. The downtown hotspot continues to pack in a terribly trendy crowd every Thursday. Keep an eye out for more special events coming soon....

The Club Body Center hosts a St. Patrick's Day bash beginning at 11 p.m. tomorrow night and continuing well into Sunday morning and possibly afternoon. They'll have free food and drinks as well as door prizes all night long. On Thursday, March 25, AIDS Foundation Houston presents its monthly Safe Sex Seminar at the fabulous fitness facility....



When you're in southwest Houston, stop by Rubi's nightclub and say hello to handsome assistant manager Miguel Acta [above]. The club offers exciting drink specials on Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays as well as a super showcase revue on Fridays and Saturdays....

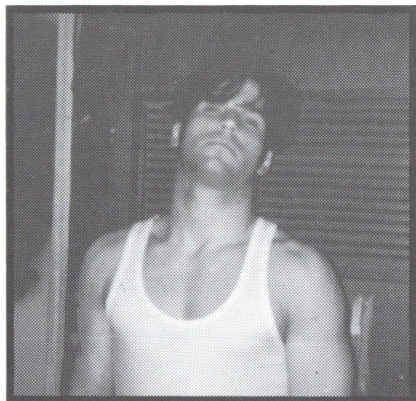


Houston NAMES Project Workshop Manager Pete Martinez gave **HOT TEA** a peek at the recently completed Houston signature panel that will go on display with other portions of the National AIDS Memorial Quilt the weekend of the March on Washington. People who wish to memorialize loved ones lost to AIDS but will not be able to create individual quilt panels may inscribe their tributes on the signature panel. For more information, call the NAMES Project Workshop at (713)52-NAMES....

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Tomorrow afternoon, Bill O'Rourke and the Imperial Court present their annual St. Patrick's Day benefit for Kolbe House. The celebration includes a dart tournament at 2 p.m. and the Mr. Leprechaun contest at 4 p.m. Come on by and get nasty with Paddy....

Every Friday at the Lazy J is Latin Night with a special South of the Border Revue at 10 p.m. The club's Saturday night Super Show stars Lady Channel, Frankie Lane, Miss T T, Tracy and Dyan Michaels. Coming soon to the Lazy J: an Outlaws reunion and the third annual Cajun Belle Fest.



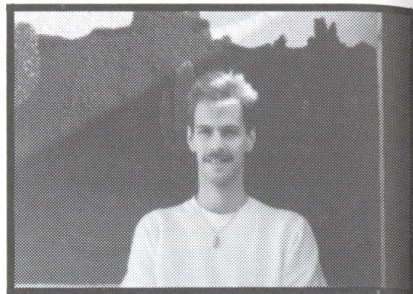
SAN ANTONIO TEA — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN SAN ANTONIO** from Alamo City **HOT TEA**....

Adult video star Joey Stefano [above] was a sensation at the Wild Club during his recent San Antonio appearance... March is a busy month at the club and includes a big St. Patrick's Day celebration with drink specials. Coming up March 28 is Wild Club's big second anniversary blowout. Watch for details....

Northwest San Antonio's favorite party place, Memories, throws a birthday bash for owner Miriam Ferrer tonight. Munchies and surprises are on tap all evening. Happy birthday, Miriam, from **HOT TEA**!... Thursday, the Miller Lite Girls are special guests with an autograph party and photo shoot. The regular three luscious ladies and one hot

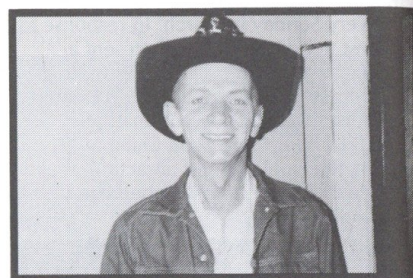
hunk are also included in the evening's bill of fare with special guest emcee Pauletta Leigh....

The Nite Owl hosts the Chain of Command's second anniversary party this weekend. Tonight, enjoy snacks, cocktails, donation drawings and a male dancer. The celebration continues tomorrow with demonstrations from 1-4 p.m. followed by an evening buffet, belt buckle drawings and



drinks. Sunday, you're invited to Justin's birthday party with new bartender Jeffery Williams [above], who's always ready to serve you....

The oldest gay bar in Texas, El Jardin, plans green specials all day this Wednesday in honor of St. Patrick's Day... The Larry Lacey benefit show raised \$428 for the San Antonio AIDS Foundation....



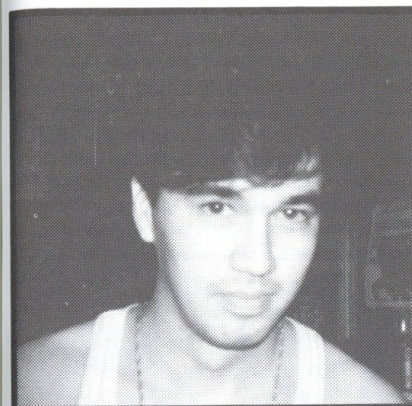
Bamboleo's Latin Fever has really taken off thanks to the efforts of owner Raye Martin [above]. Coming up March 21, it's the Miss Bamboleo's Latin Fever Pageant....

The Country Club is the location of the first annual dart tournament March 13 and 14. All proceeds will benefit the AIDS Resource Center....

The Paper Moon Super Sunday Show is joined by Rhapsody this week. Miss February Jasmine Black is special guest in Pauletta's Talent Night this Tuesday. Miss Gay Travis



County/USA Jenny McCall and Miss Gay Barbie Doll Cristy DeAngelo are appearing in the Super Thursday Variety Show, during which beautiful Beth Evans was captured by the **CRUISE CAMERA** [above]....



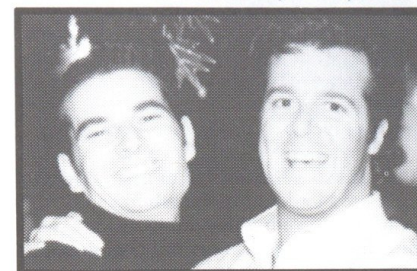
The 2015 Place has booked the Royal Sovereign and Imperial Court of the Alamo Empire, Inc. for a very special show on March 21, when the club's new bartender Harry Stone [above] will be serving up your favorite beverages....

Favorite bartender over at Ab's Westernaire, Edward Baker just returned from a sojourn to Toronto, Canada. Check out Edward, Ab and special guests in the Wednesday night all-male revue at 11 p.m....

Arts for Life will present the premiere showing of *Together Alone* at Santikos Theater in the Crossroads Mall on March 18 at 8 p.m. Proceeds benefit SAAF and the Wellness Connection.

AUSTINteaCIOUS — Here's what's going on **THIS WEEK IN AUSTIN** from Capital City **HOT TEA**....

It seems Mardi Gras stories are still coming to the surface around the capital city. Word



has it that Oilcan Harry's employee Kent Epperson, shown above with fellow staffer Glen Fillmore, spent the prime days of M.G.

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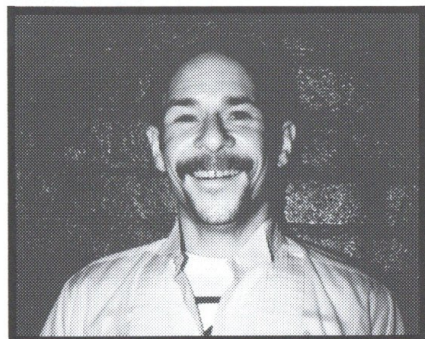
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in New Orleans and received the fanciest beads for "showing his" around the city. Supposedly, the one with the prettiest receives the best beads... hmmm. Oilcan's will hold its "Greco-Roman Bacchanal" on Friday, March 19, a celebration, toga-style, benefiting the Capital City Men's Chorus. Can you picture all those handsome men who hang out in the club in a Roman atmosphere? Wear your favorite toga... Aren't we always looking for something different to wear? Next Wednesday, St. Patrick's Day, the club will hold a wine and cheese taster from 5-9 p.m. Sounds like fun...

Fifth Street Station informs us that the music festival *South by Southwest* (which takes place all over the city) has contacted the new club for a place to hold some of their events. This city-wide festival begins in mid-March, about the same time Fifth Street Station hopes to open. Sounds like a great way to open a bar. We'll give the date as soon as it's announced...



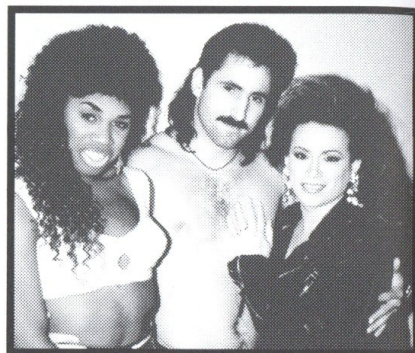
Check this smiling face closely. Garold Bates [above] finally let us take his picture. At the Crossing, Garold's the happy-go-lucky one who helps make the place feel like home. If you've ever sat and watched him work, you'll understand... St. Patrick's Day is always a big event around the Crossing, and since it lands on hump day this year, that means even more fun is in store. Employee David Ing always has special tricks up his sleeves for St. Patrick's Day. Wonder what he's got planned this year?...

Auntie Mame's is always an adventure when we stop by to check out what's going on. An unidentified childhood friend of owner Cynthia Clark told us she's led a "blameless life." If you know her, you can picture this as the perfect description for such a sweet person... News flash! Paula

Scoggins is joining Kindell to create the Paula and Kindell happy hour. What a match! Kindell tells us they've tried to get together for ten years and now it's going to happen. As the world turns, good things come to those who wait! Don't forget about Mame's great Friday buffets...

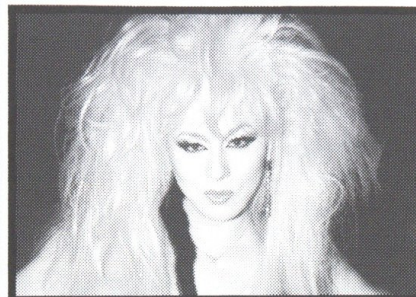


The **CRUISE CAMERA** found leather men [above, l-r] Daddy Doug, owner Mike Williams and Rick West at Chain Drive, a great little shop nestled inside the Drive. Austin has needed a local leather store of this caliber for a long time. Don't forget the Capital City Riders' cookouts on the club's patio every first and second Sunday of the month. These guys are serving up some good cooking, so stop by and take advantage of whatever they're offering...



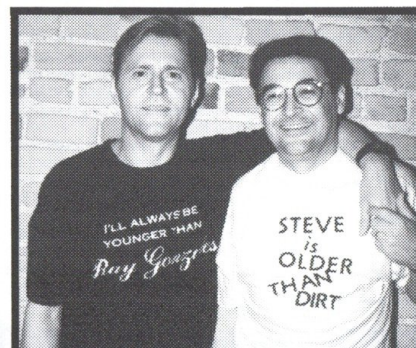
Look at the pretty people we found entertaining at Charlie's. Jame Perry [above, l], Javier [c] and Vanessa Ray [r] are part of the club's great shows on Sunday nights. The beefy works of Muscles in Action will always lift one's spirits... The annual BEAN Awards are coming up on March 23 for bar employees from all the local clubs, and this event is not to be missed. The employees are honored as well as humiliated. The humiliating ones are the ones they'll have to live with all year, maybe even the rest of

their lives! Welcome Matthew Montgomery back from one of his vacations. Like Ray Gonzales, Matthew seems to have a vacation every time the seasons change...



Tasha Kohl recently hit the stage at the 404. From the look of the above picture, you can tell she gave a "top of the line" performance. Tasha always brings a new look to every show she does in the capital city and that's what makes her so special. Alexander/Fox Productions will host Miss Travis County on Sunday, March 21. Special guests will include Miss Gay Texas Whitney Paige. The 404 is planning their anniversary this spring and Tim Groovy tells us the event promises to be so hot that he can't wait to spill it. We'll see when he slips...

Recently, Oilcan Harry's had a birthday party for head bartender Steve Higgenbotham. Longtime friends Ray Gonzales and Steve have had a rivalry going for years about who's older. On the night of the event, Oilcan Harry's employees wore shirts saying, "I'll always be younger than Ray Gonzales." Getting word of this ahead of time, Ray and some of Charlie's employees also wore special shirts. Theirs said, "Steve is older than dirt." These two are such clowns that neither one can get anything up on the other. It was a great party! When asked to show ID, both ran [see below]...



San Fran Cisco's is the place we found young cowboys Rob Burns, Jack Leineweber, Doug Whately and Don Bates [above, l-r], enjoying the beautiful weather out on the patio. Miss Cookie was serving up good times behind the bar. Cisco's has announced a new format: Every Thursday they'll have a character show. This means one entertainer doing one person. Sounds like a great idea...



'Bout Time employees Kim Hicks and David Hertless [above, l-r] were celebrating their birthdays together when the **CRUISE CAMERA** snapped 'em. Seems the entire bar was celebrating for these two. Freedumb Productions and the club present the Miss Universal Thang Comedy Pageant on April 24. The preliminaries will be on April 10. If interested, call (512)832-5339. Application deadline is March 19, so don't delay. They request everybody to "drag" themselves north for this one...

On Thursday, February 25, The Octopus Club/ASA hosted an Austin premiere of *Together Alone*. The evening was held at the Presidio Village Cinema Art and was hosted by Steve Davis, film critic for the *Austin Chronicle*. *Together Alone* won best feature at the 1991 S.F. Lesbian & Gay Film Festival and at the 1992 L.A. Gay & Lesbian Film Festival. Co-host, Lew Aldridge told **HOT TEA** over 200 people attended, raising \$1,200 for the Paul Kirby Fund. The Octopus Club members were pleased with the turnout, and thank everyone who attended.

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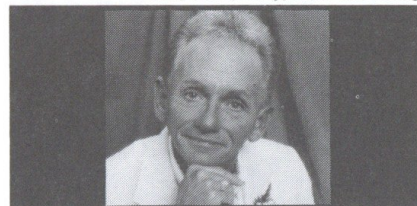
Douglas Christopher Capps (above)
April 18, 1960 - March 12, 1992

Doug grew up in the Aldine Bender, Houston area. He devoted much of his life to the care of animals as a veterinarian technician. Living in Atlanta, Georgia in 1987 and Austin, Texas in 1989, he made many friends, both people and animals alike.

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Dan, Don, Brad, Bill, Richard,
Jim, John, Tony, Mike and Doug



Ron Davis (above)

Ron Davis made his transition 3/1/93. He left behind twin brother Don Davis, his stepmother in St. Louis, Missouri and natural mother in Cairo, Illinois. Ron was the founder and director of the Center for a Positive Lifestyle. His memorial service will be at the Center, now called the Montrose Palace (1505 Nevada at Commonwealth), this Sunday, March 14 at 6 p.m.



Steve Romero (above)
aka Stevie Nicks
Miss Space City 1991
4/6/55 - 3/1/93

Steve passed peacefully after a lengthy illness. He moved to Houston in 1980 from Lafayette, Louisiana, where he became one of the top floral designers in the state, well known and loved. He could always get a smile from everyone he met. He will be loved and missed by his life-mate of seven years, Blane Kuropata, and his parents, two sisters, one brother and many relatives and friends, who will always love and remember him.

All of our love...

I will take great comfort in knowing that Steve will meet all of us in a better place.

I love you—Jay Head



Jeff E. Smith (above)
April 17, 1959 - February 3, 1993

Jeff was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin with a BA degree in 1982.

Jeff was an experienced homebuilder/contractor in Houston and San Antonio as well as an active fitness enthusiast.

Jeff is survived by his mother Nell, brothers John and Mike, sister-in-law Jarrott, nephews Preston and Phillip, and many loving friends.

After a short battle with AIDS, Jeff's resting place is in Placid, Texas.



Terry DuBois (above)
November 13, 1963 - February 23, 1993

Thank you for coming... for stopping... for touching every life you met. We will miss you dearly. Your inspiration will lead us on; your presence will be missed.

Soar gracefully and bless the heavens with your talent, wit, charm and genuine caring for people. May God keep you in his arms, and may you be a guardian angel for us all.

Have a peaceful journey, and know you are loved. Services celebrating the life of Terry DuBois were held March 6 at MCC-Dallas.

Luis R. Fuentes

It is with deep sorrow that we inform the community of the death of our founder and friend, Luis R. Fuentes, who passed away February 9, 1993.

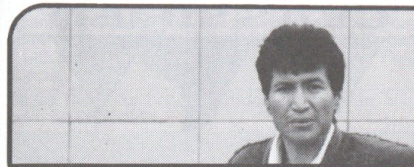
In 1988, Luis founded AVES with the support and help of a group of dedicated volunteers. They began offering education and support to those Hispanics affected by AIDS. He envisioned a grass-roots agency that would embrace and be home for all those Hispanics who felt isolated because of their cultural and language differences as they dealt with AIDS.

Out of this vision AVES was incorporated in 1989 as a social service agency offering education and support through volunteers and one paid educator. We have evolved into a multiservice agency staffed with a team of dedicated professionals who believe in and want to continue the vision.

Luis' hard work will forever remain a legacy of strength, compassion, courage and commitment to the Hispanic community living with AIDS.

In lieu of flowers, donations will be accepted for the Luis R. Fuentes Memorial Fund.

Jo Carcedo
President of the Board
Angela Mora
Acting Executive Director



Jose Luis Mendoza (above)

Luis Mendoza of Houston died February 25 at the age of 33 after a brave struggle with AIDS. Luis is survived by his parents, brothers, sisters, nephews and numerous friends. His extraordinary gentleness, kindness and caring will be long remembered. On his behalf, very special thanks are conveyed to Roy Nelson and the Care Team from Central Presbyterian Church. Luis will be especially missed by his friends in the Poker of Queens Society.

Enrique, Roberto and Ray



In loving memory of
Jorge M. Diaz (above)

October 31, 1960 - March 6, 1993

Companion and best friend to Phill Garcia, in life and thereafter. He is survived by his parents, Juan Diaz and Lucy Sanabia, brothers and a supportive group of friends.

Jorge's loving and caring personality was an example to all who knew him. His helping hand was always there at times of need. He was also a very diligent, perceptive, creative, warm friend, who was dearly loved by all his family, friends and peers.

Jorge will always be remembered as an extraordinary human being in the hearts of those who shared with him throughout his life.

A service in his memory will be held this Sunday, March 14 at 4 p.m. at Rothko Chapel, 1409 Sul Ross at Yupon.

Louis L. Taylor
11/22/51 - 3/7/93

Louis passed away peacefully Sunday morning, March 7, at Twelve Oaks Hospital in Houston following a lengthy battle with AIDS.

A memorial service is scheduled for Sunday, March 14 at 3:30 p.m. Bering Memorial United Methodist Church, 1440 Harold in Houston.

At his request, Louis' ashes will be taken to Austwell, Texas on Saturday, March 20 and buried next to friends in a private cemetery filled with blooming native wildflowers. Family and close friends can give directions at Sunday's memorial service or you may contact Kim Johnson in Dallas.

In lieu of flowers, Louis asked that contributions go to the Houston NAMES Project or to a charity of your choice.

We will all miss his blue eyes and dashing smile and his kind, gentle manner.

... Another star for the heavens...

I love you,
Kim



Kenneth Greg McGary (above)

Born June 8, 1967, died February 6, 1993

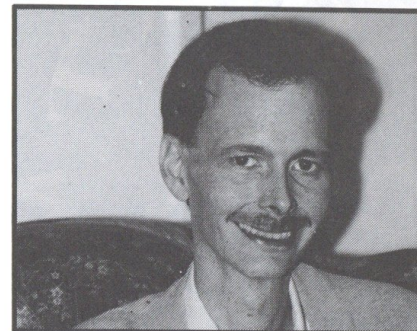
Greg left us after a sudden heart attack. Greg is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McGary, sister Laurie, sister Amy, nephew Brandon. Greg had spent some time in Houston, but was a longtime resident of Austin.

Greg, we had a lot of good times together which I will never forget. You were the love of my life. Happy one-year and one month anniversary. Remember, I will always love you. Until we meet again,

which we will.

Love you, Babe

Your companion for life
Robert



Michael D. Parker (above)

10/16/56 - 3/2/93

Mike crossed over to a new beginning Tuesday, March 2 after a battle with HIV. Mike leaves behind his lover Stan Harrell; his mother Melba Parker; five brothers, Matt, Joe, Kerry, Kelly and Robert; his stepmother, Linda Parker; and grandmother, Augusta Sikes, as well as a very special friend, Anna Zysko from the OLCS Buddy Project. With many other loving friends in Houston, Austin, Dallas and New Orleans, Mike's zesty attitude gave him the ability to love and live a great life. Mike, you will be missed by many.

Your lover
Stan

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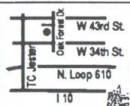
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CORPUS CHRISTI CLUBS (Area Code: 512)

Choices 1214 Leopard 888-8742
Hidden Door 802 S. Staples 882-0183
U.B.U. 4017 Ayers 853-9693

CORPUS CHRISTI ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 512)

Christ Center 1017 S. Staples 882-4820
Coastal Bend AIDS Foundation 1118 3rd St. 883-5815
24-Hour Crisis Line 883-CARE
Corpus Christi Drug Abuse Council/Free HIV Testing 405 John Sartain / 78401 882-9979
L.M.C.A. 1230 S. Brownlee 321-3474
MCC 1315 Craig St. 78404
MCC Hotline 882-8255
Society of Friends 5872-A Everhart 993-1207
TGRA at Choices 882-0259

DALLAS ACCOMMODATIONS (Area Code: 214)

Ramada Hotel Downtown 421-1083
1101 S. Akard 1-800-527-7606

DALLAS ADULT THEATRE (Area Code: 214)

La Cage 1812 W. Mockingbird 630-7071

DALLAS APARTMENT COMMUNITIES (Area Code: 214)

Oakwood Manor / Briar Park Apartments 522-8151
Parwood 2805 Amoy 526-3473

DALLAS ATTORNEYS (Area Code: 214)

Birdwell, Jerry 357-3311
Colton, Kent A. 2711 LBJ Fwy. #1050 243-0288
Kowalski, John 3210 Oak Lawn 526-9699
Martin, Kevin 3500 Oak Lawn #400 520-9780
Oak Lawn Bar Association (Referrals) 522-2815
Oak Lawn Law Office 526-9699
Stewart, Charles L. 3500 Oak Lawn #400 521-3804
Wightman, Robert R. 607-A Starlinde (Arlington) metro 817-641-4608

DALLAS BUSINESSES / SERVICES (Area Code: 214)

The Apothecary Shop #1 3434 Swiss Ave. / 75204 623-4520
The Apothecary Shop #2 Aston Center/UT Med. Ctr. 686-0414

3303 Harry Hines / 75235 688-2422
CareMark P.O. 29137 / 75229 651-9296
Chelsea Hair 3136 Routh #106 651-9296
Ewing & Assoc. (Insurance) P.O. 29137 / 75229 247-4897 / fax 247-5863 / TX 800-442-3421
Flowers by Bill 4106 Oak Lawn / 75204 559-4774
Graham the Photographer metro 817-467-3982
Leather by Boots 4038 Cedar Springs 526-3665
Lobo / After Dark Bookstore 4008-C Cedar Springs 522-1132
Mr. Productions (Photography) 526-7402
Norma Kristite Inc. 5201 Harry Hines Blvd. #6B 521-0638
Oak Cliff Pharmacy 222 E. Colorado Blvd. / 75203 946-3200
Oak Lawn Records 3810 Congress #121 521-0350
Simple Elegance Florist 4028 Cedar Springs 559-8171
Sir Tuxedo 3400 Oak Lawn 520-TUXS
Tax Preparation (Tom Nast) 941-4384
Union Jack 3920 Cedar Springs 528-9600

DALLAS CHURCHES & RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS
(Area Code: 214)

Affirmation (Methodist) 528-4913
Congregation Beth El (Jewish) P.O. 64460 497-1591
Bethany Presbyterian Church 528-4084
Community Church & College of Divine Metaphysics 4001 Live Oak #302 826-7110, ext. 302
Community Church of Religious Science 2829 W. N.W. Hwy 536-3992
Dignity / Dallas P.O. 190133 526-4101
Disciples of Christ gay/lesbian sp. (GLAD) 546-2184
First Unitarian Church of Dallas 4015 Normandy 528-3990
GALA (Reorganized Latter Day Saints) 526-7658
Gay People in Christian Science P.O. 2878 522-3098
Grace Fellowship 5029 Lemmon Ave. 528-2811
Holy Trinity Community Church 4402 Roseland 827-5088
Integrity (Episcopal) P.O. 190351 526-2942
MCC-Dallas 5910 Cedar Springs 351-1901
Oak Lawn Church of Religious Cntr. 4100 Maple Ave. 522-2196
St. Mary, the Holy Theotokos Orthodox Mission 943-8601
Seventh-Day Adventist Kinship / SDA Kinship P.O. 38454 416-1358
White Rock Community Church 722 Tension Memorial Rd. 320-0043

DALLAS CLUBS (Area Code: 214)

Arcadia 2005 Lowell Greenville Ave. 824-8895
Bambolo's 5027 Lemmon Ave. 528-1124
Big Daddy's 4024 Cedar Springs 528-4026
Brick Bar 4117 Maple Ave. 521-2024
Buddies 3415 Mahanna 526-8720
Cabaret 2513 North Fitzhugh 821-1482
Cove 4020 Maple Ave. 522-4184
Crews Inn 3215 N. Fitzhugh 526-9510
Darnewood2 3913 Cedar Springs 380-3808
Hideway 4144 Buena Vista 559-2696
Hidden Door 5025 Bowser 526-0620
JR's 3923 Cedar Springs 380-3808
Jugs 3810 Congress 521-3474
Michael's 4011 Cedar Springs 559-4098
Raps 2525 Wycliff 559-RAPS
Round-Up Saloon 3912 Cedar Springs 522-9611
Sue Ellen's 3903 Cedar Springs 380-3808
Throckmorton Mining Co. 304 Throckmorton 380-3808
Trestle 412 S. Haskell 826-9898
Village Station 5911 Cedar Springs 380-3808
Wave, The 4025 Maple Ave. 526-WAVE
Zippers 3333 N. Fitzhugh 526-9519

DALLAS COUNSELING / REHABILITATION
(Area Code: 214)

Charter Hospital (Metro) 817 (417) 481-9997
Counseling Coop 3631 Fairmont #201 521-6677
Dunbar, Carolyn, M.A. 3626 N. Hall, #723 526-5088
Legal Counseling Cntr. 3511 N. Hall #210 520-6038
Oak Lawn Comm. Serv. 3434 Fairmount 520-8108
Counseling & Psychotherapy Associates 3626 N. Hall, Ste 617 / 75219 526-1126

DALLAS DOCTORS / DENTISTS (Area Code: 214)

Andruck, Robert, M.D. 3514 Cedar Springs 526-1810
Chack, David, Dr. (chiropractor) the Centrum #700 559-4690
Donnell, David N., M.D. 4140 Lemmon #267 528-2727
McNulty, Christopher, D.O. 6500 Greenville, #430 686-0414
Nelson-Tebedo Comm. Ctr. for AIDS 528-2336

4012 Cedar Springs 528-2336
Olson, Richard, D.O. 3514 Cedar Springs #200 520-1810
Watson, Terry R., D.O. 3607 Oak Lawn #204 529-7200

DALLAS FITNESS CENTERS (Area Code: 214)

Club Dallas 2616 Swiss 821-1990
Midtown Spa 2509 Fairmont 821-8989

DALLAS ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES (Area Code: 214)

ACT-UP Dallas P.O. 64891 / 75206 504-8720
Addicare Alcohol & Drug Crisis Line 824-6503
African-American HIV/AIDS Support Group 371-1900
AIDS ARMS / Network 2727 Oak Lawn #222 521-5191
AIDS Clinic / Parkland Hospital #6B 590-5632
AIDS Funding Association (AFA) P.O. 191035 526-2778
AIDS Hotline 351-4335 / Metro 214-267-AIDS
AIDS Info Line (24 hr) 351-4335 / Metro 214-267-AIDS
AIDS Interfaith Network 2727 Oak Lawn, Suite 108 / 75219 559-4899
AIDS Mastery Workshop 526-LIFE (5433)
AIDS Proj. Proj., Test & Counsel / Dal. Co. Hlth Dpt. 1936 Amelia Ct. 920-7916
AIDS Programs / OLCOS 2701 Cedar Springs 520-8108
AIDS Resource Ctr / DGA & FHU 2701 Reagan 521-5124
AIDS Services of Dallas / PWACD P.O. 4338 941-0523
AIDS Support Group Parkland Hosp. 590-5536
Alliance Design Prof's P.O. 565112 526-2605
Asians & Friends P.O. 9142 / 75209 480-5806
BiNet (Redeemed Men) P.O. 190174 / 75219
BiNet (M/F Bisexual Network) P.O. 190712 / 75219 559-3946
Buddy Project 520-8108
Classic Chassis Car Club P.O. 7703 / 75209
Co-Dependents Anonymous / Lambda (214) 520-8108
Couples (Metro Dallas) P.O. 803156 / 75380
Crossdressers (TV's) Helpline (Metro) 817-261-3253
D / FW M.A.N. (Metro Area Nudists) P.O. 565633 / 75366
Daire Center (Adult Day Care for PWAs) 528-8108
Dal. County Deaf AIDS Task Force 520-8108
Dallas Gay & Lesbian Alliance P.O. 190712 528-4233
Dallas Gay Alliance Credit Union 2701 Reagan 528-4233
Dallas Gay Historic Archives 528-4233
DVA (volleyball) P.O. Box 190712 / 75219 528-8843
D.I.C.D.T. (Dal. Invit. Columbus Day Trm. Bowling Org.) 240-8351
Dallas Legal Hospice 2701 Reagan 528-8064
Dallas NAMES Project 528-0694
Dallas Silver Sabres P.O. 222331 / 75222 522-6695
Dallas Tavern Guild 3300 Reagan / 75219 521-0038
Deaf Action Center 521-0407
DIFFA 817-1053
Drug Trials Info Line 1-800-TRIALSA
Eastfield Lambda Student Alliance 324-7185
Firecinders (Leather / Levi Club) P.O. 190712 / 75219
Food Pantry 521-5444
Francophone Social Club 526-0074
Friends, Associating & Relating (F.A.R.) 327-4560
FrontRunners 559-0042 / 528-6404
Garrett Park Manor Health Care 824-8030
Gay and Lesbian Gardeners P.O. 190652 / 75219 339-0787
Gay Community Center 2701 Reagan 528-4233
Gay Games IV P.O. 190712 946-8112 / 821-1653
Gay / Lesbian Parents of Dallas 2594-127
Gay / Lesbian Young Adults 2701 Reagan 621-7440
Gayline (Comm. Res. Cntr.) P.O. 190635 389-6283
GLAAD / Dallas P.O. 190712 526-GLAAD523
G.U.T.S. (Gay Urban Truth Squad) 528-4233
Healing Circle / Dallas 827-0007
Hispanic PWA Support Group 371-1900
HIV Ann. Testing & Counseling 920-7916
HIV Testing & Counseling 528-2336
IGBO '92 Tournament Committee P.O. 35021 350-3507
Imperial Royal Sovereign Court de Dallas, Inc. P.O. 45662 / 75245 443-0425
Keeping It Up / Safe Sex (Infoline) 621-6955
Kyro Proj. Inc. (KYRO News) 526-KYRO (5976)
P.O. 214223 526-KYRO (5976)
Lambda Amateur Radio Club P.O. 35343 / 75235 522-1458
Lambda Bowling (Men & Women) Bruce Mateo 351-0716
Lambda Car Club P.O. 710271 / 75371 521-7309
Lambda Co-Dependents Anonymous 528-0108
Lambda Meeting / Sex & Love Addicts Anon. 241-5442
Lambda Overaters Anonymous 238-0333

Lambda Weekly (Radio Program) . . . P.O. 190712 / 75219 . . . 528-4233

Lambda AA . . . 2727 Oak Lawn . . . 528-6259

A League of Our Own (Bowling) . . . Danny . . . 871-9044

Lesbian Book Club . . . 331-5513

Lesbian, Gay & Bisexual People in Medicine . . . 520-0440

Lesbian / Gay Political Coalition of Dallas . . . P.O. 22424 . . . 528-9682

Lesbian Information . . . 528-9682

Lesbian Resource Center . . . 321-3999

Lesbian Visionaries . . . P.O. 191443 . . . 528-2624

Life Mate . . . 521-1443

Life Walk . . . 443-WALK

Little Feather Productions (Women's Music) . . . 372-2796

Men of All Colors Together . . . P.O. 190611 / 75219 . . . 521-4765

Metro Gay Mensa . . . P.O. 191223 / 75219 . . . 337-2399

Metroplex Republicans / Log Cabin . . . P.O. 191033 . . . 941-8114

Miss Metroplex Bowl-A-Rama Pageant . . . P.O. 35372 / 75235-0372 . . . 522-1591

Narcotics Anonymous . . . 24 hours . . . 699-9306

Nelson-Tebedo Com. Clinic . . . 4012 Cedar Springs . . . 528-2336

North Tex. Assoc. of Physicians for Human Rights . . . 12222 Coll Rd. . . 233-1030

North Texas Women's Sports Association . . . P.O. 141199 / 75214 . . . 851-5905

Oak Lawn Bowling Association . . . 828-1335

Oak Lawn Community Services . . . 3434 Fairmont . . . 520-8108

Oak Lawn Concerned Citizens' Coalition . . . 529-3290

Oak Lawn Ski Club . . . P.O. 7438 . . . 358-0247

Oak Lawn Tennis Assoc. . . 739-2726

OASIS Recovery Program / OLCs . . . 3434 Fairmont . . . 520-8108

Okinawan Karate Club . . . 247-8122

O.U.T. (Over & Under Thirty) . . . P.O. 190712 . . . 348-1704

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (PFLAG) . . . 282-6479 / 248-7271

Pegasus Softball Assoc. . . P.O. 191075 . . . 521-1728

Pentamidine Mist Treatments . . . 528-2336 / 521-5214

PWA Coalition of Dallas . . . P.O. 4338 . . . 941-0523

PWA House . . . 942-9619

Police Harassment Reporting . . . 528-4233

Positive Youth/Adult Adult Positive Support . . . 2701 Reagan . . . 621-6803

Presbyterians for Lesbian / Gay Concerns . . . 823-2317

Prime Timers-Metroplex . . . P.O. 191101 / 75219 . . . 504-8666

Project Esperanza . . . 644-1748

Queer Nation / Dallas . . . P.O. 64091 / 75206 . . . 504-8720

Rattle-Dazzle Dallas, Inc. . . P.O. 224562 / 75222-4562

Rollerblade Club for Gays & Lesbians (Singles) . . . 503-7464

Stonewall (Narcotics Anonymous) . . . P.O. 567622 / 75356

Stonewall Dive & Travel Club . . . P.O. 35492 / 75235

Suicide & Crisis Center . . . 828-1000

TGRA / Dallas . . . FYI-TGRA (394-8472)

Team Pegasus (Team Dallas) . . . 821-1653

Texas Fathers for Equal Rights . . . P.O. 50052 . . . 741-4000

T.R.U.S.T. (Adolescent children of gays and lesbians) . . . 528-9191

Trinity River Aquatic Club . . . 520-8237 / 821-1653

Turtle Creek Chorale . . . 526-3214

Umoja Hermanas (lesbians of color) . . . 943-8750 / 946-7108

Uncut Dallas . . . P.O. 215163 / 75221

Club Unex (gay ski club) . . . 358-0996

United Court of the Lone Star Empire . . . P.O. 190065 . . . 528-5719

W.A.N.T. (Women in the Arts Networking Together) . . . 288-2939

Women's Health Project . . . 4012 Cedar Springs . . . 521-5131

Wormy for Wormy (Les. Res. Cntr) . . . 1315 Skiles . . . 821-3999

Women's Spirituality Group . . . 5008 Homer St. . . 828-9213

DENISON / SHERMAN CLUB (Area Code: 903)

Good Time Lounge . . . 2520 N. Hwy. 75A . . . 463-9944

DENISON / SHERMAN ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES

Lambda AA of Texoma . . . 883-6941

Helpline Services (24 hrs) . . . 415-7476

DENTON CHURCH (Area Code: 817)

Harvest MCC . . . 5900 South Stemmons . . . 497-4020

DENTON COUNTY ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 817)

The Colony Breakfast Club (1st Sunday/mo) . . . 214-370-2707

DENTON ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 817)

Courage Les. / Gay Student Assoc. Stud. Cntr. P.O. 5067

763-6481 (800) 428-4261

EL PASO CLUBS (Area Code: 915)

Old Plantation . . . 219 S. Ochoa . . . 533-6055

San Antonio Mining Company . . . 800 E. San Antonio . . . 533-6163

U-Got-It . . . 216 S. Ochoa . . . 533-8010

EL PASO ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 915)

AIDS Info . . . English / 543-3574 . . . Spanish / 543-3575

GRO (Gay Resource Organization) . . . P.O. 13073 . . . 528-9682

HIV & STD Testing . . . 222 S. Campbell . . . 543-3560

Lambda AA . . . 779-6616

Lambda Line (helpline/switchboard 24 hours) . . . 562-GAYS

Lambda Services . . . P.O. 31321 / 79301-0321

MCC El Paso . . . 916 E. Yandell . . . 542-1227

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (P-FLAG) . . . 591-4664

Southwest AIDS Comm. . . 1505 Mesclero . . . 772-3366

FORT WORTH ATTORNEYS (Area Code: 817)

Dushman & Friedman . . . 2620 Airport Fwy . . . 834-8851

(metro) 261-9654 / toll-free 800-798-0081

Wrightman, Robert R. . . 607-A Starlinde . . . 461-4080

Wright, David L. . . 4012 Cedar Springs . . . 834-1234

FORT WORTH BUSINESSES (Area Code: 817)

Casa Mariana Theatre . . . 1308 St. Louis . . . 927-3211

D.J.'s Restaurant . . . 1308 St. Louis . . . 927-3211

Hayes Discount Pharmacy . . . 426 S. Henderson / 76104 . . . 338-7281

FORT WORTH CHURCHES (Area Code: 817)

Affirmation (Methodist) / Tarrant Co. . . P.O. 48382 / Wauatua, Tex. . . 656-8056

Agape MCC . . . 4615 S.E. Loop 820 . . . 535-5002

Dignity / Ft. Worth . . . 4503 Bridge St. . . 283-8588

Fellowship of Love Outreach . . . 711 W. Gambrell St. . . 921-LOVE

Honesty (Baptist) . . . P.O. 60026 . . . 932-8487

Lutherans Concerned-Fort Worth (Anglican) . . . 2800 W. Boyce . . . 924-3666

Special Invitation Ministries . . . 1520 Hemphill

White Rock Church West . . . 848 Oak Crest . . . 831-7043

FORT WORTH CLUBS (Area Code: 817)

Across the Street . . . 700 S. Jennings . . . 332-0192

Ashturn's . . . 3012 E. Rosedale . . . 534-6830

Corral . . . 821 Hemphill . . . 927-3211

D.J.'s . . . 1308 St. Louis . . . 927-3211

Magnolia Station . . . 600 W. Magnolia . . . 332-0145

Partners . . . 1912 Hemphill . . . 926-5176

The 651 Club . . . 651 S. Jennings . . . 332-0745

FORT WORTH GRAPEVINE HOTELS (Area Code: 817)

Charter Hospital of Grapevine (substance abuse) . . . (24 hrs) . . . 481-1999

FORT WORTH ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES (Area Code: 817)

AIDS Awareness Clinic . . . 2825 E. Rosedale . . . 534-CARE

AIDS Helpline . . . 870-7346

AIDS Interfaith Network . . . P.O. 11084 / 2600 Merida St. . . 927-2437

AIDS Outreach Center . . . 1125 W. Peter Smith . . . 335-1994

Couples wiggy or bi-partner . . . 338-4551

Crisis / Suicide Intervention (24-hour help) . . . 927-5544

Crossdressers (TV's) Helpline . . . 261-3253

FW / GPN Assoc. . . P.O. 8705 / 76124 . . . 338-4551

Gay Youth Peer Support . . . 292-9494

Gay Anonymous Group . . . P.O. 365 / 76101 . . . 321-9871

Lambda AA . . . 3144 Ryan . . . 267-1963

Lambda Bowling . . . 338-0706

Lone Star Bowling League . . . Darrell Moore . . . 338-0706

Longhorn Bowling Assoc. . . Joan . . . 654-2846

The NAMES Project (AIDS Quilt) . . . 33-NAMES

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (P-FLAG) . . . 596-6568

Respect—G / L Assoc. of TJC/NE . . . TJC/NE Stud. Act. . . 828 Harwood Rd / Hurst, TX 76054

The Source . . . 1640 Mistletoe Blvd. . . 800-468-2437

Tarrant Co. G.P.W. Assoc. . . P.O. 8705 / 76124 . . . 763-5544

Tarrant Co. Lesbian/Gay Alliance . . . P.O. 11044 . . . 763-5544

Tarrant Co. Parents Group . . . P.O. 48382 / Wauatua, Tex. . . 656-8056

Tarrant County Tavern Guild . . . 877-4149

T.C.M.E.R.F. Alternative . . . 209 W. Magnolia . . . 921-2262

T.C.M.E.R.F. Drug Treatment Cntr. . . 900 Southland Ave . . . 338-4551

Texas AIDS Network . . . Thomas B. . . 338-4594

Texas Doubles Bowling League . . . Todd . . . 461-1231

Texas Gay Veterans . . . 338-4551

TV/TS Support Group . . . 338-4551

V.D. Clinic . . . 1800 University . . . 870-7223

GALVESTON CHURCH (Area Code: 409)

United Christian Assembly Inc. . . 1111 21st, Suite B-226

HOUSTON CLUBS (Area Code: 713)

Bacchus . . . 2715 Waughcrest . . . 523-3396

Boys Bar . . . 600 Webster at Louisiana . . . 659-5418

Bray River Bottom . . . 2400 . . . 529-9192

BratPach . . . 2294 W. Holcombe at Greenbrier . . . 665-9678

EJ's . . . 817 Fairview . . . 529-9204

Genry . . . 2517 Ralph St. . . 527-9071

Heaven . . . Pacific at Grant . . . 521-9123

Inergy . . . 6121 Hillcroft . . . 771-9611

JR's . . . 808 Pacific . . . 521-2519

Koko's . . . 302 Tuam . . . 522-9363

Lazy J . . . 312 Tuam . . . 529-9343

Mary's . . . 1022 Westheimer . . . 527-9669

Missouri St. Station . . . 1177 Missouri at Youkum . . . 524-1333

Montrose Mining Co. . . 805 Pacific . . . 529-7488

Ms. B's . . . 9200 Buffalo Spdw. . . 666-3356

Outpost . . . 2818 Richmond . . . 520-8446

Pacific Street . . . 710 Pacific . . . 523-0213

QT's . . . 534 Westheimer . . . 529-8813

Ranch . . . 9200 Buffalo Spdw. . . 666-3464

Red Room . . . 1419 Richmond . . . 529-3367

Rich's . . . 2401 San Jacinto . . . 759-8063

Rub's . . . 7136 Clewwood . . . 529-3211

611 Hyde Park Bul. . . Hyde Park at Stanford . . . 528-7070

UTC . . . 9200 Buffalo Spdw. . . 666-3464 / 666-3356

HOUSTON COUNSELING (Area Code: 713)

Bedrick, Dianna M., Ph.D., LPC . . . 522-7014

Campbell, Harvey, M.D. . . . 4126 SW Fwy, Suite 1020 . . . 693-8450

Carroll, Tony, MSW-ACSW, CADCAC . . . 522-3045

Daniel, Susan, MSW-ACSW, CADCAC . . . 522-7014

DJacklin, Margaret, CSW-ACAP . . . 522-7014 / 499-9964

Glover, Frank, MSW-ACSW . . . 522-7014

Delta Program / Stafford Meadows Hospital . . . 240-2626

Ed, Nicholas, Dr., Psy. D. . . 11767 Katy Fwy, Ste. 370 . . . 493-9984

Montrose Counseling Ctr. . . 701 Richmond . . . 529-0037

Montrose Resource Center . . . 524-1069

Ostrin, Olivia, M.Ed., L.P.C. . . 11767 Katy Fwy Ste. 370 . . . 493-9984

Sharon Stone & Associates . . . 523-6081

HOUSTON DENTIST (Area Code: 713)

Smith, Bruce W., D.D.S. . . . 1006 Missouri . . . 529-4364

HOUSTON DOCTORS (Area Code: 713)

Marinez, Steve, M.D. . . . 3400 Montrose #200 . . . 521-9444

Thomas Audette Mem. Clinic . . . 1200 Richmond . . . 528-5531

Wonnacott, J. Brian, M.D. . . . 3515 Oak Forest Dr. #3 . . . 1-800-773-0987

HOUSTON FITNESS CENTERS (Area Code: 713)

Club Houston . . . 2205 Fannin . . . 596-4998

Midtowne Spa . . . 3100 Fannin . . . 522-2379

HOUSTON HEALTH CLUB (Area Code: 713)

Fitness Exchange . . . 3930 Kirby Corp. Sq. #300 . . . 524-9932

HOUSTON ORGANIZATIONS / HELPLINES (Area Code: 713)

ACLU . . . 1236 W. Gray . . . 524-5925

ACT UP! Gulf Coast . . . 1471-1359

AIDS Assistance Fund . . . 2476 Bolsover #455 . . . 529-4788

AIDS Dental Referrals . . . 529-4364

AIDS Equity League . . . 627-8786

AIDS Foundation Houston . . . 3202 Westway . . . 529-4788

AIDS Hotline . . . (8 a.m.-3 p.m.) . . . 524-AIDS

AIDS Interfaith Council of Houston . . . 330 . . . 682-5995

AIDS Legal Hotline . . . 528-7702

AIDS Mastery Workshop . . . P.O. 572751 / 77257-2751 . . . 802-1557

AIDS Project . . . 900 Lovett #203 . . . 529-0037

American Civil Liberties Union . . . 942-8146

Asians & Friends . . . P.O. 740346 / 77274 . . . 772-3757

Astro Rainbow Alliance of the Deaf, Inc. . . P.O. 66136 / 77266-6136 . . . 621-1033(TDD), 621-4128(TDD) / Relay #1-800-735-2988

AVES(Angels Volunteers in AIDS Education & Services) . . . 2510 Broad St. #200 . . . 640-2337

Bay Area Gays & Lesbians (BAGAL) . . . 734-1170

Bering Care Center (Adult AIDS Day Care Center) . . . 1440 Harold . . . 520-7070

Bering Community Service Foundation . . . P.O. 540517 / 77254 . . . 529-0071

Bering Dental Clinic . . . 1440 Harold . . . 524-7933

Blood for Life . . . 856-7724 / 411-8697

Body Positive/Ho . . . 1475 W. Gray . . . 524-2374

Chain Gang Bicycling Club . . . 881-7257

City Councilman Vince Ryan (Montrose) . . . P.O. 15261 . . . 247-2004

Classic Chassis Car Club . . . P.O. 981102 / 77098 . . . 668-6822

Cocaine Anonymous Meetings . . . 668-6822

CoDependents Anon. . . 529-3211

Coll 45's . . . 528-5070

Coll 45's AIDS Trouble Fund . . . P.O. 66804 . . . 526-6077

Crisis Hotline . . . 228-1505

Delta Lambda Phi (U of H) . . . 289-6380

Diana Foundation . . . P.O. 66523 / 77266 . . . 528-5070

DIFFA/Houston . . . 20 Greenway Plaza #210 / 77048 . . . 1-800-662-HELP

Drug Abuse Hotline . . . 796-1233

Early Intervention Program . . . 796-1233

Executive and Professional Association of Houston . . . P.O. 130227 / 77219-0227 . . . 523-6825

Family Connection (youth shelter) . . . 522-84252-0899

FrontRunners (runners, joggers) . . . P.O. 666937 / 7266-6693

Garden Party . . . P.O. 981053 . . . 265-8191

Gay & Les. Hispanics Unidos . . . P.O. 70153 . . . 270-GLHU (4548)

Gay & Lesbian Parents Group . . . 666-8256

Gay & Lesbian People in Medicine . . . 529-3211

Gay & Lesbian Political Caucus . . . P.O. 66664 . . . 521-1000

Gay & Lesbian Switchboard . . . P.O. 66469 / 77266-6469 . . . 529-3211

Gays / Lesbians of Rice (GALOR) . . . P.O. 18921892 . . . 327-8101

Gay / Lesbian Student Assoc. U. of H. . . P.O. 314 . . . 743-1580

Gay Men's Chorus . . . P.O. 541004 / 77254-1004 . . . 630-0333 / 984-9863

Gay Men's Network . . . 529-3211

Gay Parents Support . . . 666-1616

Good Sports (college football / basketball fans) . . . 523-9000

Greater Houston Pocket Billiards League . . . P.O. 863-8482

Grey Party . . . 1400 Tulane / 77008

Gulf Coast Transgender Community . . . 780-4282

HAGLES-Ho. Area Gay & Lesbian Eng. & Sci. . . 480-2177

Hate Crimes Hotline . . . P.O. 66469 / 77266-6469 . . . 529-9615

Health Dept. AIDS Hotline . . . 794-9020

HeartSong (Women's Chorus) . . . P.O. 980243 / 77098-0243 . . . 879-1142

Herpes H.E.L.P. Hotline . . . P.O. 440304 / 77244 . . . 942-7002

Houston Area Teenage Coalition . . . P.O. 66071 / 77266 . . . 529-6971

Houston Gay / Lesbian Pride Week '93 . . . P.O. 66071 / 77266 . . . 529-6971

Houston Institute for Protection of Youth . . . 942-9884

Houston Metropolitan Billiards League . . . Tony . . . 830-0888

Houston Outdoor Group . . . KAMP-OUT

Houston Professionals . . . P.O. 3840 Humble . . . 821-7126

Houston Tennis Club . . . 524-9046

Houston Thursday Nite Mixed Bowling League . . . Steve . . . 529-3261

Houston Women's Softball Lg. . . 19327 Bristle Star, Katy / 77449

Houston Wrestling Club . . . P.O. 131134 . . . 522-5994

Imperial Court of the Single Star . . . P.O. 980444 / 77098-0444 . . . 666-8256

Jewish Family Services . . . 4131 S. Braeswood . . . 667-9336

Just for Us (for teens with gay/lesbian parents) . . . 666-8256

Krews of Hydra . . . 1406 Richmond #138 . . . 523-2953

Krews of Olympus-Texas . . . P.O. 920794 / 77282 . . . 528-4000

KPFT Radio . . . 419 . . . 528-4000

Lambda Center (A.L.) . . . (office) 521-1243 / (lobby) 528-9772 . . . P.O. 66450 . . . 862-4875

Lambda Rollerskating Club . . . U of H Clear Lake . . . 529-0077

Lesbians in Business (LIB) . . . 529-0077

LOAFF (Lesbians Over Age 50) . . . P.O. 980601 . . . 661-1482

Lone Star Nudist Group . . . P.O. 541061 / 77254 . . . 664-5424

Lone Star Sun. Band . . . P.O. 66613 . . . 472-3930

Lone Star Volleyball Assoc. . . 666-8877

Men of All Colors Together . . . 661-9449

MCC Library (Gay & Lesbian Archives) . . . P.O. 66908 / 77266 . . . 742-7008

Miss Camp Amer. Found. . . P.O. 742 . . . 662-8077

Montrose Activity Center . . . P.O. 66684 . . . 623-8770

Montrose Clinic . . . 1200 Richmond . . . 520-2000

Montrose Co. Cloggers . . . 987-TAPS

Montrose Monday Night Men's Bowling League . . . Garry . . . 641-5424

Montrose Softball League . . . P.O. 541954 / 77254-1954 . . . 524-2374

NAMES Proj. Houston . . . 2410 Woodhead . . . 525-NAMES

Narcotics Anonymous (Montrose Area-24 Hr. Helpline) . . . 661-4200

National Leather Assoc. . . P.O. 66553 / 77266-6553 . . . 434-2147

Neartown Assoc. . . 1413 Westheimer / 77006

North Montrose Civic Assoc. . . P.O. 130184 / 77219-0184 . . . 523-1139

Omega House . . . 2615 Waugh #286 . . . 523-1139

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (P-FLAG) . . . 867-9000

Pet Patrol . . . 289-6380

Presidents Club (GPC past pres.) . . . P.O. 66644 . . . 523-6024

Prime Timers . . . P.O. 906012 / 77098-0612 . . . 981-9440

PWA Coalition . . . 1475 W. Gray Suite 163 . . . 522-5428

Q Patrol . . . Info & Scheduling . . . 524-5110

Republicans—Log Cabin / Houston . . . 522-8803

Resource Assistance Ministry (R.A.M.) . . . 524-8666

Rothwell / Dringler Foundation . . . 3701 Montrose . . . 77006

Safer Sex House Parties [AFFH]

SARX (Sex or Relationship Advice) Anonymous . . . 666-8256 or 529-1827

for lesbians) . . . 666-8256 or 529-1827

Southern Country Houston . . . 3115 Houston / 77009 . . . 880-0670

St. Michael's AIDS Support Group . . . 1801 Sage . . . 621-4370

Stone Soup (AIDS Foundation) . . . 623-6796

Team Houston (Gay Games IV) . . . 439-0102

Texas Gay Rodeo Assoc. (TGRA) . . . P.O. 66973 / #1194 . . . 528-5146

Texas Leather & Lace . . . 666-7272

That's What Friends Are For! . . . P.O. 540326 / 77254-0326 . . . 772-0721

TV-To-TS Helpline . . . Larry Garrett . . . 780-4282

TVing Nurses Assoc. . . 520-8115

WIRE (Women's Info. & Referral) . . . 528-2121

Women for Sobriety (Pat) . . . 620-1501

Women's Center . . . 3101 Richmond #150 . . . 528-6798

Womynspace . . . P.O. 980601 . . . 869-6150

HOUSTON RESTAURANTS (Area Code: 713)

Baba Yega . . . 2607 Grant St. . . 522-0042

Chapultepec . . . 813 Richmond . . . 522-2365

Texas Mesquite BBQ . . . 4464 Montrose . . . 528-3305

HUNTSVILLE ORGANIZATION (Area: 409)

Sam Houston St. Univ. Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual Alliance . . . P.O. 2172 / Huntsville

Planned Parenthood . . . (HIV counseling/testing/free) . . . (Pam) . . . 2405-C Ave. 1 . . . 296-6396

KERRVILLE / FREDRICKSBURG ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 210)

Hill Country Friends . . . 792-5628

LAKE CHARLES CHURCH (Louisiana Area Code: 318)

Metropolitan Community Church . . . 510 Broad St. . . 529-5857

LAKE CHARLES CLUB (Louisiana Area Code: 318)

Crystal's . . . 112 W. Broad . . . 433-5457

LAKE CHARLES ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 318)

Southwest Louisiana AIDS Council . . . P.O. 267 / 70902-0267 . . . (hotline) 943-5145 / 800-256-5145 . . . 439-5961

LAKE CHARLES RESTAURANT (Area Code: 318)

Crystal's Cafe . . . 112 W. Broad . . . 433-5457

LAREDO CLUB (Area Code: 210)

The Discovery . . . 2019 Farragut . . . 722-9032

LAREDO ORGANIZATIONS (210)

City Health Dept. HIV Project . . . 722-2437

Los Brazos Men's Civic Club . . . 725-5681

Los Dos Laredos Gay / Lesbian Hotline . . . 791-6719

LONGVIEW CLUB (Area Code: 903)

Choices . . . 446 N. Eastman . . . 735-9221

LONGVIEW ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 903)

AIDS Help Organization . . . P.O. 4142 . . . 1-800-526-0669

AIDS / HIV Testing . . . 1-800-526-0669

American Red Cross / AIDS Support Group . . . 735-2091

Church With A Vision . . . 420 E. Cotton St. . . 735-1501

LUBBOCK ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 806)

Community Outreach Center . . . 102 Ave. S. . . 762-1019

GLSA (G / L Student Assoc.) . . . P.O. 4310, SOS office #8 . . . 745-9027

Lambda AA . . . 828-3316 / 828-3316

L.L. / G.A. . . P.O. 4310 / 79454 . . . 791-4499

MCC Lubbock . . . 5501 34th St. . . 792-5582

Outreach AA & Alanon . . . 102 N. Ave. S. . . 866-4380

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (P-FLAG) . . . 792-1011

South Plains AIDS Resource Center . . . P.O. 6949 / 79413 . . . Hotline 732-7783 / Office 736-7068

LUFKIN ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 409)

East Texas AIDS Foundation . . . 669-6240

Planned Parenthood . . . 1404-Frank . . . (Marlene) . . . 663-9446

(HIV counseling / testing/free) . . . 663-9446

MALLEN CLUBS (Area Code: 512)

Just Terys . . . 1500 N. 23rd . . . 682-CHER

P.B.D.'s Lounge . . . Ware Rd. @ Daffodil . . . 682-3019

10th Ave . . . 1820 North 10th Ave . . . 682-7131

MALLEN ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 512)

AIDS Information Line . . . 618-AIDS

Casa Merced (P.A. activity cntr/sup. group) . . . 618-2775

Comfort House (AIDS Hospice) . . . 687-7367

Projecto Salud (AIDS education) . . . 618-2775

MIDLAND / ODESSA CHURCH & ORGANIZATION

(Area Code: 915)
Holy Trinity Comm. Church . 402 E. Gist . 570-HTCQ(4822)
Prodigal Ministry Community Church (Odessa) .
..... 1500 East Murphy . 580-7339

NACODOCHES ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 408)

East Texas AIDS Project . P.O. 631346 . 569-8240
..... Testing / 569-2021

ODESSA CLUBS (Area Code: 915)

Miss Lillie's Nitespot . 8401 Andrews Hwy . 366-6799
The Tropics . 6202 W. County Rd . 366-9559
Mining Co. . 409 N. Hancock . 580-6161

ODESSA/MIDLAND/PERMIAN BASIN ORGANIZATIONS

(Area Code: 915)
Permian Basin AIDS Coalition . 1522 N. Grandview
..... Odessa / 79761 . 560-2437

PORIT ARANSAS ACCOMMODATIONS (Area Code: 512)

Sea Horse Inn . 1423 11th St. . 749-5221

RIO GRANDE VALLEY ORGANIZATIONS

MCC of the Rio Grande Valley . Rte. 1, Earling Rd.
..... Alamo, TX / 78516 . 781-0884

Valley Lambda Serenity A.A. . 781-0884

Valley Voice — A Lesbian & Gay Alliance
..... P.O. 3027 . Harlingen / 78561-3027

ROSENBERG ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 713)

Country Cousins . P.O. 94 / 77471

SAN ANGELO ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 915)

Concho Valley Gay Alliance (C.V.G.A.) .
..... P.O. 750 / 76902 . 653-2956

San Angelo AIDS Found. . P.O. 62474 / 76906 . 949-6381

SAN ANTONIO CHURCHES (Area Code: 210)

Dignity (Catholic Gays) . P.O. 12484 . 558-3287

First Unitarian Church . 807 Beryl . 344-4695

Integrity . P.O. 15006 / 78212 . 980-7388

MCCSA . 1136 W. Woodlawn . 734-0048

Orthodox Old Catholic Church .
..... 3114 W. Ashby Pl. / 78228 . 734-2843

Religious Science Center of Positive Living .
..... 5223 McCullough . 822-4422

River City Living MCC . 202 Holland . 822-1121

SAN ANTONIO CLUBS (Area Code: 210)

Ab's Westernaire . 722 San Pedro . 227-9258

B.B.'s Pub . 5307 McCullough

Bamboleo's Latin Fever . 622 Roosevelt . 523-6312

Crew . 309 W. Market . 223-0333

El Jardin . 106 Navarro . 223-7177

GBR's . 2022 McCullough . 738-3118

Las Gueras . 5930 S. Flores . 923-7944

Memories . 6402 Callaghan . 340-1241

New Ponderosa . 5007 S. Flores . 924-6322

Nite Owl . 330 San Pedro . 223-OWLS

Noo Zoo . 10127 Coachlight . 341-4778

One-O-Six Off Broadway . 106 Pershing . 820-0906

Paper Moon . 1430 No. Main . 225-7330

Silver Dollar Saloon . 1418 N. Main . 227-2623

Sparks . 8011 Webbles . 653-9941

Stallion . 2003 McCullough

2015 . 2015 San Pedro . 733-3365

Wild Club . 820 San Pedro . 226-2620

SAN ANTONIO COUNSELING (Area Code: 210)

Delta Program / Stafford Meadows Hosp. . 1-800-274-0124

SAN ANTONIO FITNESS CENTERS (Area Code: 210)

Executive Spa . 703 Ave. B . 225-8807

SAN ANTONIO ORGANIZATIONS (Area Code: 210)

AIDS Bulletins (computer) . 824-2335

AIDS Information . 225-4715

Alamo Area Resource Center 2515 McCullough Ave. #101
..... 735-2437

Alamo Bus. Council (Prof. / Social) . P.O. 15481 / 78212

Alamo City Men's Chorale . P.O. 120243 / 78212 .
..... 979-7654

Alamo City Volleyball . 684-2434

Alamo Couples . P.O. 12446 . 828-2168

Alamo Human Rights Committee . 820-3053

Alcohol Counsel. & Detox MHMR 421 6th St. . 225-4227

BEXAR MEN (nudist club) . P.O. 791527 / 78279-1527

Chain of Command . Rt. 9, P.O. 252N

Canyon Lake, TX 78133 . 899-7879

Classic Chassis Car Club . P.O. 33654 . 737-1765

Court of the Alamo Empire . P.O. 120123 . 735-9657

Crisis Hotline (24 hours) . 227-4357

Detoxification Center . 622 Dolorosa . 225-5481

Drug Abuse MHMR . 3721A S. Presa St. . 533-9156

Friends of the Quilt, Names Project . Box 12085/78212

Gay & Lesbian Parent Coalition . 2839 N.W. Military #508

Gay Switchboard . Bar Info . 734-2833

HACER [Hispanic AIDS Comm. for Ed. & Resources]
..... 1017 N. Main, Suite 208 . 227-2204

Happy Foundation . 411 Bonham . 227-6451

Helpline (Drug Abuse Central) . 225-4066

Lambda AA . 132 Blue Star . 225-5611

LISA (Les. Info. S.A.) . P.O. 12327 . 828-LISA

Parents & Friends of Lesb. & Gays (P-FLAG) . 822-4135

Positive Alliance of San Antonio [PASA] . P.O. 12776 .
..... 841-2314

Prime Timers (older gay men) . P.O. 13613 / 78213-0613

R.A.M. (Resource Assistance Ministry) .
..... 3114 W. Ashby Pl. . 734-2843

River City Pool League . 734-3630

River City Stompers . 732-9649

Runaways (Youth Service Project) . 299-7660

S.A.T.G.A.F. . 225-4715

San Antonio AIDS Found. . 818 E. Grayson / 78208 .
..... 225-4715

San Antonio Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Vets of America .
..... P.O. 33397 / 78265-3397 . 554-9918

San Antonio Lesbian & Gay Assembly . P.O. 12614 / 78212

S.A. Gay Switchboard . P.O. 120402 . 733-7300

San Antonio Lambda Students Alliance(SALSA) .
..... P.O. 12715 . 733-1225

San Antonio Men's Chorus . 102 Wickes St. . 226-2324

San Antonio Names Project . 818 E. Grayson . 225-4715

San Antonio NOW . P.O. 33213 . 673-8600

San Antonio Tavern Guild . P.O. 12127/78212

South Texas Outreach Program for AIDS / UT Health Sci.
..... Cntr. S.A. . 301 S. Frio #278 . 270-4621

Team San Antonio . Gay Games IV—Unity in '94 . Jack
..... 224-9175

Tejas Motorcycle Club . P.O. 120296 . 734-5321

Texas Gay Rodeo Assoc. (TGRA) . P.O. 12651 . 735-0150

The Bridge (youth shelter) . 606 Wilson Blvd. . 734-9532

Wellness Connection Inc. . 151 Harwood / 78213 .
..... 734-4725

SAN MARCOS ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 512)

GLSA of GLSA . 754-0948

TEMPLE CLUBS (Area Code: 817)

Lady V's . 414 S. First St. . 771-5322

TEXARKANA CLUB (Area Code: 501)

The Gig . 201 East St. (Hwy. 71 So.) . Arkansas 773-6900

TEXARKANA COUNSELING (Area Code: 903)

Choices . Terry & Darlene Sims . 301 Westlawn Dr. .
..... 832-1489

TEXARKANA ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 501)

Texarkana AIDS Project (TAP) . 773-1994

TYLER CHURCH (Area Code: 903)

St. Gabriel Comm. Church . 13904 Cr. #193 / 75703 .
..... 581-8923

TYLERSMITH CO. MEDICAL (Area Code: 903)

Planned Parenthood . 3500 E. South Broadway . 581-8277

VICTORIA ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 512)

Positive Approach Inc. . 2807 Ben Wilson #103 / 77901 .
..... 572-9713 / pager #503-LIVE

WACO CHURCH (Area Code: 817)

MCC . 1601 Clay . 752-5331

WACO CLUBS (Area Code: 817)

Maxine's . 507 Jefferson & N. 5th . 753-9189

WEATHERFORD / PARKER COUNTY ORGANIZATIONS

(Area Code: 817)

Parker County HIV/AIDS Support Group .
..... P.O. 1683 . Weatherford, TX . 596-0037

WICHITA FALLS CHURCH (Area Code: 817)

MCC . 1014 Wichita . 322-4100

WICHITA FALLS ORGANIZATION (Area Code: 817)

AIDS Support Center . 405 Galveston, Suite 10 .
..... 322-9122

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