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*Mardi Gras 2000*  
*Special Issue*





# Pre-Mardi Gras

## DON'T MISS

**Diva night @ Unity**

**Ruckus @ ICA**

**37-39 Peckham High Street**

**12 Carlton Terrace**

Live Music and surprise PA's on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2000. Live on stage will be Lover's Rock Diva Louise Marks singing hits like Six Street and Caught you in a lie.

If THAT ain't enough  
LEVI will be mixin' & Blendin' the best in RnB, Swing, Ragga, Garage and Revival. SISTA CULCHA will be celebrating 20 years in the business and still going strong.

£6 buys you everything from 9pm straight through to 3am. Get there early. Show time is 11.30. Men as guests. Info 07930867280

The institute of contemporary arts will be home to a party night of RnB, Reggae, Soul and House. This special evening on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June from 8pm-2am is for black gay men, transgendered, lesbians and bisexuals. They are promising an evening pumping with "go go girls" and "go go boys" and have booked special DJ's to get you going on the night. Tickets are £8/£7 cons or £6 for Mardi Gras members.

The ICA is open daily on the Mall. Info 020 7930 3647. Tickets are also available from SellOut's 24-hour phone line on 0870 6060204.



# At Mardi Gras

**1<sup>st</sup> July 2000**

**Want to March with the BLGC? If you would like to meet up with other BLGC members and March together call us on 020 620 3885. Leave a message and we will call you to arrange a meeting point.**

**If you are planning to run with your own crew the route is below.**

## **12 Noon Hyde Park (Free)**

**The Lesbian and Gay Pride March starts at 12 noon and wends its way from Hyde Park, through Queen Mums Gate, along Piccadily, then down Trafalgar Square and Whitehall.**

**After passing Downing Street and the Houses of Parliament It winds up in Great Peter Street.**

## **Finsbury Park from approx 2pm (Tickets £15 *in advance*)**

**Tickets are available from numerous gay outlets. You cannot purchase them on the day.**

**The woman's tent will be hosted by Nikki Lucas (Liberte) and Elain McKensie (Glass Bar). This multi media extravaganza features a collage of visual images and fabulous musical retrospective of tunes from the 60's through the 80s including ballroom.**

**A 24-hour "extravaganza" starts with breakfast at the Glass Bar and finished with a dance party at Liberte (see over).**



# And there's more

Patience Agbabi  
reads her new  
work along with  
US poet Jamaica  
Kinoh. ICA Sun  
18<sup>th</sup> June 5pm

Black Lesbian Activist  
Linda Bellows joins  
Peter Tatchell and  
Queer as Folk Screen  
Writer for a special  
debate. 18<sup>th</sup> June 7pm  
at ICA. Free

National  
Lesbian  
Beauty  
contest.  
The Scala  
18<sup>th</sup> June  
£5-7

Femi Olufaju at the  
Mardi Gras Comedy  
Club

Sister India. Dj  
Ritu and Club  
Kali migrate to  
The Dome N19  
for the night of  
sat 24<sup>th</sup> June 8pm-  
2am.

Lesbian and Gay  
History Day from  
unison 4 informal  
meetings and speakers  
Free of charge Sat 10<sup>th</sup>  
June, 10am-6pm.  
Enquiries 0207 7753  
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*Enjoy*

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