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Welcome to Pride

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ARE YOU WORKING FOR PRIDE?

INSTEAD of being a passive consumer at the Pride Parade and Carnival, wouldn't you like to do something useful? Can you spare an hour or more on the day? It needn't involve missing out on the Parade or any of the entertainments.

On June 25th we need hundreds of people to take on various jobs to make it all work. The jobs listed below include details of times during which they need doing. Some people like to do just one thing throughout, and others like to swap around. Some tasks are less glamorous or desirable than others, and if you intend putting in a few hours work, perhaps you'll consider doing some of these for a while too.

What we want you to do is tell us the times that you can help, and the things you'll do. You can write to us at BM Pride, London WC1N 3XX or telephone 987 3983/482 2740 (both with ansaphones).

DECORATING THE SITE - placing balloons, banners, flags, signposts etc. around the Gardens. This is a job requiring some agility as well as improvising with string and sellotape! 10am till 1pm.

PLACING CRASH BARRIERS around the stages, disabled people's areas and first aid station. The crash barriers come in 4' long sections and can easily be carried by one person. 11am till 1pm.

ERECTING THE STALLS along the riverside. Not hard work, but a lot of reaching up to put the covers on. 10am till 12pm.

STALL SUPERVISING. When the stall holders turn up they need to know where their stall is, and where they can drive their vehicles for access and parking. 12am till 4.30pm.

SOUND EQUIPMENT MOVING. Frankly, this is quite heavy work, involves moving heavy objects and putting them where the engineers tell you. Can involve a fair amount of hanging around whilst each piece is plugged in. 10am till 1pm.

PRIDE '88 STALL. SELLING badges, T-shirts, posters and taking donations. 1pm till 10pm.

SELLING RAFFLE TICKETS. A very busy and convivial activity writing down people's names and telephone numbers (I) or addresses on the stubs. We expect to sell thousands of tickets both on the Pride Stall, and at various other locations around the site. 1pm till raffle is drawn (no later than 9pm).

INFORMATION AND CRASH PAD REGISTRATION STALL. Mostly, you'll be helping people wanting to know where the toilets/foodstalls/stages are. Visitors from outside London requiring somewhere to stay are matched up with people offering crashpads - essentially writing down addresses and travel details. A Pride committee member will be at the stall at all times for more complex queries. 3pm till 10pm.

COLLECTING DONATIONS as the Parade arrives. Essentially holding a bucket and smiling graciously at passers-by whilst outgoing persons with loud voices or megaphones encourage the Marchers to dip into their pockets. Meet at 3.30pm to get the buckets from the Pride Stall and be in position at the entrance, staying there until your bucket is full or the end of the Parade (depending on size of Parade, probably around 4.30pm).

COLLECTING DONATIONS AT EN-

TRANCES TO MARQUEES, 4pm till 9pm
MESSENGERS between stages, first aid and information stall. Radio communication is not always what it should be in Jubilee Gardens, human footwork provides the only sure means of conveying important information. NB you don't have to be an athlete, walking pace is fine. 2pm till 9pm.

SITE STEWARDING. Not a difficult job, simply involves wearing some obvious means of identification (one of our sashes or armbands) and being able to answer people's rudimentary enquiries (information sheet provided by us) and helping the disabled, injured or just drunk. In the event of any serious problems, you may be called upon by officials of the local authority, or the Fire, Police or Ambulance services to provide assistance. In practice this means getting hold of a committee member at the nearest main location (stage, info stall etc.). 4pm till 11pm.

PARADE STEWARDS. You get to wear a fluorescent plastic tabard and walk at the sides of the Parade to prevent marchers from spreading out into the traffic. In the event of any problems, you would be expected to inform a senior steward, identified by a different coloured tabard. You could most probably walk alongside the banner or section of your choice. Meet at Hyde Park (Speakers Corner) by 1.30pm - you'll be needed until the Parade arrives at Jubilee Gardens.

SECURITY for the stage areas. You don't necessarily have to be big and butch for this as most of the people trying to get back stage and mingle with the stars are an inoffensive lot. The main criterion for this is the ability to say "NO" politely, but firmly. 1pm till 11pm.

VEHICLE SUPERVISORS (Car Park Attendant to you!). In the NCP car park immediately behind the main stage. Dealing with performers and hirers as they arrive. 9am till 9pm.

SITE CLEANERS. This involves collecting beer cans and other debris into plastic sacks and emptying them into rubbish skips elegantly dotted around the Gardens. Not as bad as it sounds, since many people invariably help fill the sacks for you. The more important cleaning job will happen on the following day (Sunday 26th June) when a thorough combing of the Gardens will take place. 5pm till 11pm (on Saturday), and 9am till 12pm on Sunday 26th.

HELPING BACK STAGE. We are particularly looking for women and men to help set up the stages and look after the props backstage. A few experienced sound engineers or lighting operators would also help take the strain off the Pride 88 Team. 12am till 11pm.

BEFORE THE DAY, we're looking for people to help make all the signs for the site at weekend workshops. Interested? Phone either number given above and let us know that you can help.

Remember : Things go better when you're WORKING FOR PRIDE!

RECORD NOW ON SALE

'SHOUT!' a song for Pride '88 written by Caroline Hodgson and performed by Caroline and a group of lesbian and gay singers and musicians has, thanks to an anonymous donation, been made into a 7" single. It is hoped that the record will be available from Colletts, Charing Cross Road, Zipperstore, Camden High Street, First Out Coffee Shop, St Giles High Street, off Tottenham Court Road, Gay's The Word Bookshop, Marchmont Street and shops and community bookshops throughout the country. The cost is £1.99 or £2.49 mail order from Pride Record, BM Pride, London, WC1N 3XX. This is a first for The Lesbian & Gay Pride Committee and a further pressing of the record will be made if the initial

stock of 2200 discs is sold before 25th June where you will be able to buy it from the Pride stall/info point (stalls 47-49 in the run of stalls along Thames Walk, Jubilee Gardens).

Caroline will be performing "SHOUT!" in Jubilee Gardens - join in the chorus and shake the foundations of County Hall.

**SHOUT IT OUT LOUD!
WE'RE OUT AND WE'RE PROUD!
LET THEM HEAR WHAT WE SAY!
SHOUT IT OUT LOUD!
WE'RE OUT AND WE'RE PROUD!
AND WE'RE NOT GOING AWAY!**



"AIDS - THE MUSICAL" a Benefit for Pride '88

TUESDAY August the 9th sees a benefit performance for Pride '88 of the now notorious "AIDS - The Musical" at Chaf's Palace. The show has been surrounded with controversy ever since City Limits dropped plans to sponsor its Premiere in August last year. The Hackney Empire later banned the show three days before the curtain was due to rise, and opponents who didn't know it was cancelled turned up to picket a deserted theatre.

Bonn Deutsche Hille (the German equivalent of the Terrence Higgins Trust) risked life and limb by booking the show for a benefit run at the Pantheon Theatre in Bonn, during their "Aids Week Festival" in October. On arrival, the Lenya Hobnobs Theatre Company were met by droves of television, radio and newspaper reporters eager for a scandal. Yet, the performances were met with standing ovations from packed houses and excellent reviews.

Its London premiere in January attracted a more mixed response. The NME banned its review on the grounds that it would shock and offend its readers; Clive Evans of Capital Gay provoked much wrath by suggesting it "rocked the boat" and calling it "muck raking, counter-productive gay propaganda". The Pink Paper's Rupert Smith described it as "refreshing" and "so far, the least compromising of theatrical work in the Aids Arena".

AIDS - The Musical plays at Chaf's Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, London E9. (2 minutes walk from Hornerton Station on the North London Line - 20 minutes from West Hampstead or Woolwich - tube connections at Highbury and Islington, Stratford and West Ham). Wheelchair access is good (1 small step). Tuesday 9th August until Saturday 13th, curtain up at 7.30pm. Tickets £4.00 and £2.50 concessions. Available from Chaf's Palace Box Office on 986 6714/533 0227.

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Currently Lighthouse's services include:

- * Health Programmes
- * Counselling
- * Training, Information and Resources
- * Domiciliary Support



From September the following facilities will be available:

- * A Café
- * A Drop-in Centre
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CRUSAID initiated and co-funded Britain's first day centre and out patients clinic, the Kobler Centre, at St Stephens Hospital to open in July.

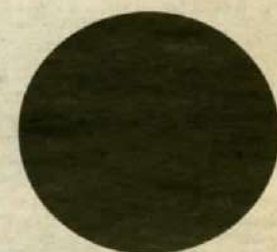
CRUSAID operates a special fund for the relief of individual hardship among people with Aids. This fund is presently making grants of over £4000 per month.

CRUSAID does not waste money. With one employee funded by an outside trust an unusually high proportion of our funds go straight to those most in need.

WITH YOUR DONATION WE WILL HELP MANY MORE PEOPLE

Come and see us on stand no 39 in Jubilee Gardens

CRUSAID, 83 Clerkenwell Road, London, EC1R 5AR. Tel: 01 831 2595.



Lesbian Strength

THE BOOK OF SAPPHO

Chapter: The First

AND so it came to pass that in the distant land of Bloomsbury, the disciples of Sappho, womanifesting themselves as the Lesbian Strength Committee, worshippers of the labyris, came together. And unto them came the idea of a pilgrimage through the streets of London Town to the temple of the London Lesbian and Gay Centre (no parks being available) where the Angel of Sappho wouldst appear unto them - failing that, lots of mega dyke acts!

In the bookshop of Gay's The Word, the disciples didst gather under a northern star (or paper lampshade) and didst say unto themselves, "We must preach our gospel and bring our saviouress' gifts of badges, T-shirts and posters unto the multitude, crying, '35 pence each, or three for one pound five', 'T-shirts £6 only' and, 'Know your route, look at the map on this page'".

Chapter: The Second

IN the garden of Gay's The Word, the disciples gathered from the four corners of London and beyond, converging on that place on one hundred winged angels calling themselves London Transport. And it came to pass that they traversed the realm, preaching their gospel at the temple of The Fallen Angel, where the followers of Saro (Sue and Bev) didst convert their loose change and sell their badges, and thence to Hackney's Rose and Crown, whereupon they didst discover many pagans (otherwise known as heterosexuals), and casting the devils from them didst denounce them saying, "Stop the clause", and didst take their plastic tablets of wisdom to the land of the good and converted at the LLGC.

Chapter: The Third

THENCE forward the disciples didst meet at the temples of the council town halls and cried out unto them, "Help us! Help us!" and the council known as Hackney, girding up their loins, didst take pity on them and assist them, saying, "Go ye therefore and march upon this realm and show ye them your strength," And the disciples didst thenk them verily.

Sappho's disciples didst arrange many beneficial nights of worship, gathering their followers unto them at the Duke of Wellington, Chats Palace, and the Fallen Angel, and did preach to them via the praises of the prophet entertainers and raise much money for their mega-extravaganza on 18th June.

Lo, the tablets of wisdom didst appear on the breasts of the converted (though some were squashed by the prophet of doom from the six o'clock oracle who didst call himself Nicholas Witchell) and the Makers of Badges didst do a re-run, but, struck down by the light of the disciples, didst omit the vital word of baptism ("lesbian") and didst once more labour in their workshop to reprint the tablets of wisdom.

Chapter: The Next

And the disciple from Gay's The Word didst commune with the worshippers of the Flashing Blue Light, and she didst say unto them, "The disciples of Sappho wish to make a pilgrimage from Hyde Park unto the land of visibility at the LLGC," And behold, she didst obtain a route through new lands for their pilgrimage, thus enabling all worshippers to traverse new realms of heathen occupancy and spread their gospel.

The disciples from Gay's The Word then didst speak unto the Keeper of Parks Royal and didst receive a stone tablet via the postal service bearing these commandments:

- 1) Thou shalt not carry banners in the park
- 2) Thou shalt not drop litter in the park
- 3) Thou shalt not use a PA in the park
- 4) Thou shalt not bring thine vehicles into the park
- 5) Thou shalt not harass the hets in the park
- 6) Thou shalt not vandalise the property in the park
- 7) Thou shalt not take the name of the police in vain
- 8) Thou shalt not take up collections in the park
- 9) Thou shalt not sell pamphlets, programmes or leaflets in the park
- 10) Thy shalt not covet thy neighbour's banner
- 11) Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's lover
- 12) Thou shalt have no less than 70 stewards
- 13) Thou shalt not heckle the stewards or committee
- 14) Thou shalt not sit down and refuse to march
- 15) Thou shalt have a wonderful day

(The final six commandments being a divine revelation to the disciples of Sappho).

Chapter: The Last

Then the saviouress didst call upon her disciples, saying, "Gather ye mine followers at 1.00pm at Reformers' Tree, near Speakers' Corner in Hyde Park on 18th June and spread my word through the streets of London till thou hast reached mine temple of the LLGC, where thou shalt make merry and rejoice unto the early hours of Sunday morning", . and speaking thus she departed.



"There must be an easier way to sell T-shirts". How about by post? They're only £6 each from Lesbian Strength, c/o, GTW, 66 Marchmont Street, London WC1N 1AB. Cheques payable to Lesbian Strength or LS.



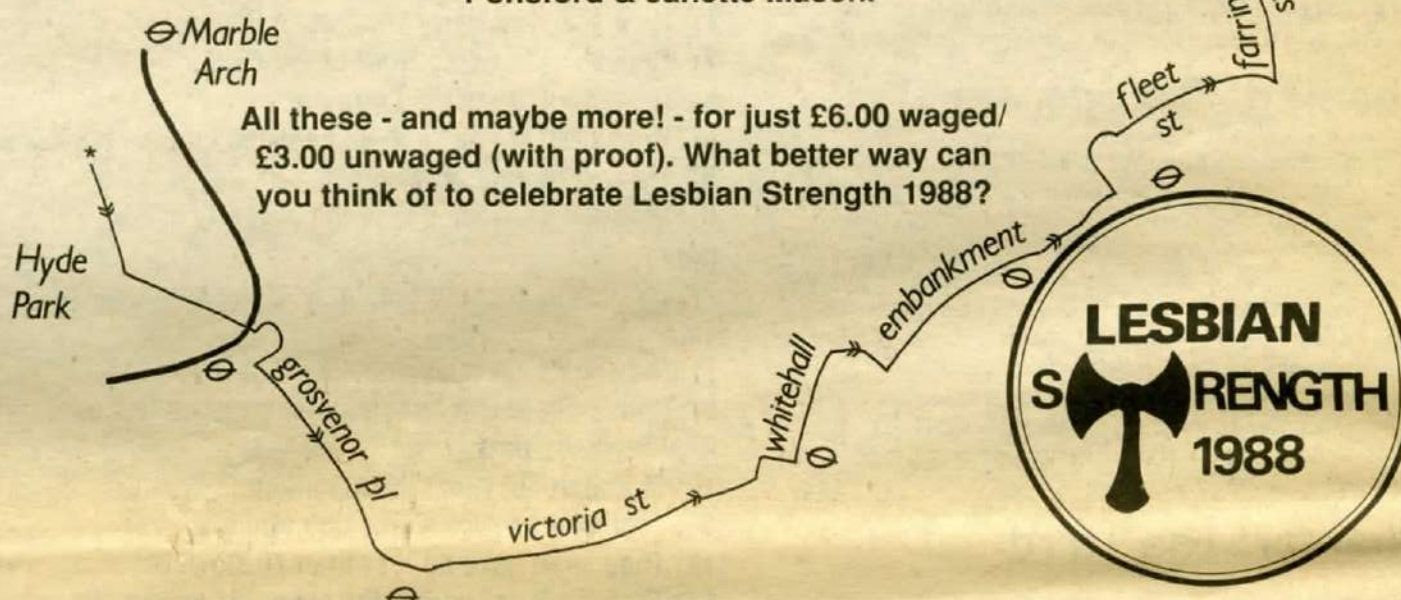
Lesbian Strength

PARTY PARTY PARTY

This year, after the march, the Lesbian Strength Committee is bringing you an evening of entertainment and non-stop partying.

From the time the first marchers arrive at the London Lesbian and Gay Centre (which is women-only all day) till 2.00am, there will be an exciting programme of live bands, solo performers and comic acts, finishing with a disco from about 11.00pm onwards from Ritu - undoubtedly the best DJ in London.

Acts confirmed at the time of going to press include : Las Gaz Pachos, Deceptive Bends, The Possibilities, Di's New Outfit, Julie McNamara & Judy Coutinho, Maria Esposito, Dee, Gilda Wallace, Caroline Hodgson, Something Outrageous, Slide Over Here, Sue Rossiter, Tina Vorst,, and Jan Ponsford & Janette Mason.



"And they cried unto the multitude - "Badges 35p each or three for one pound five".

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Money Matters

A WORD FROM THE TREASURER

The year 1988 started badly for us as we had a deficit of over £1500 from '87 caused by an underestimate of the hire charge for Jubilee Gardens and an unexpected bill of over £2000 for the cleaning of the site - this despite the fact that most of the equipment on site was provided at minimum cost due to the involvement of Pride '87 with the Capital Radio Music Festival.

We knew early in 1988 that this year we would be going it alone. The marquees, sound equipment and lighting for three stages, portaloos, security etc. would all have to be funded by the committee.

Our budget this year started at £33,000 and is growing almost daily as the estimate of the number of people expected to attend grows. The greater the numbers the more money needed for portaloos, power and security. Our own ambitions in making this the biggest ever Pride celebration have also increased the budgeted expenditure. This year for the first time we have our own 7" single record "SHOUT!", enamel badges, two designs of T-Shirt and this programme is being distributed to more towns and cities than ever before.

Whilst the expenditure side of the books looks a bit gloomy - the income side contains some good news. We are sorry that City Limits, last year's official sponsor, is unable to support us in any way this year. We are, however, delighted that their place has been taken by two official sponsors - CAPITAL GAY and GRAPEVINE. We are getting substantially more in donations when going round the pubs and clubs with our badges, this year over 20,000 will have been produced before 25th June.

The enamel badges are going so fast they may have sold out by the day - even at £3 each! These are destined to become collectors items as only 497 were produced. Thanks to Man Around travel company we have our first major raffle, which will be drawn in Jubilee Gardens. The cost of producing this programme has been greatly reduced thanks to the help given by Mindmaster Ltd., publishers of The Pink Paper, whose latest technology computerised publishing system has been used free of charge. Advertising revenue is up on last year and with major benefits from Heaven and The Hippodrome as well as benefits from many pubs and

clubs around the country our financial position is a lot healthier than we thought it was going to be at the start of the year.

One major source of revenue that should ensure we do not go into deficit this year is the collection on the day. Big buckets and lots of volunteers to wield them will, hopefully, produce enough to pay for this year's festivities and set up Pride '89 with some working capital. If Pride is to grow even bigger we need an office, paid worker(s) for at least part of the year and a computer. These are things that many voluntary organisations take for granted but so far

Pride has grown over the last four or five years without any of these luxuries. So if you can give us a hand on the day please respond to our various pleas for help throughout this programme.

Interim accounts will be available from the second week in July, after most of the bills have been settled and most of our revenue has been received. Full accounts will be available soon after our year end 1st January 1989. If you would like a copy please send an sae to: Pride Accounts, BM Pride, London, WC1N 3XX.

Graham Swan

RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE RAFFLE

Win a holiday for two in GRAND CANARIA.



Pride '88 raffle tickets will be on sale on stall 47, even if you are not lucky enough to win the first prize, kindly donated by Man Around you may win one of the others - a weekend at The Perran Court Hotel, Bournemouth or The Cliff House Torquay, The Beacon Royal, Brighton or Crack of Dawn, Bournemouth. You may be lucky enough to win a meal in a good restaurant - Van B's and Twenties have both offered prizes. Expectations, Clone Zone, Zipper, HIM, Gay Times are also providing prizes as well as many others to be announced on the day. Grab one of our ticket sellers at our various benefits or go to the stall on the day and buy some tickets there. The Raffle will be drawn in the Cabaret Marquee in the early evening by a famous celebrity.

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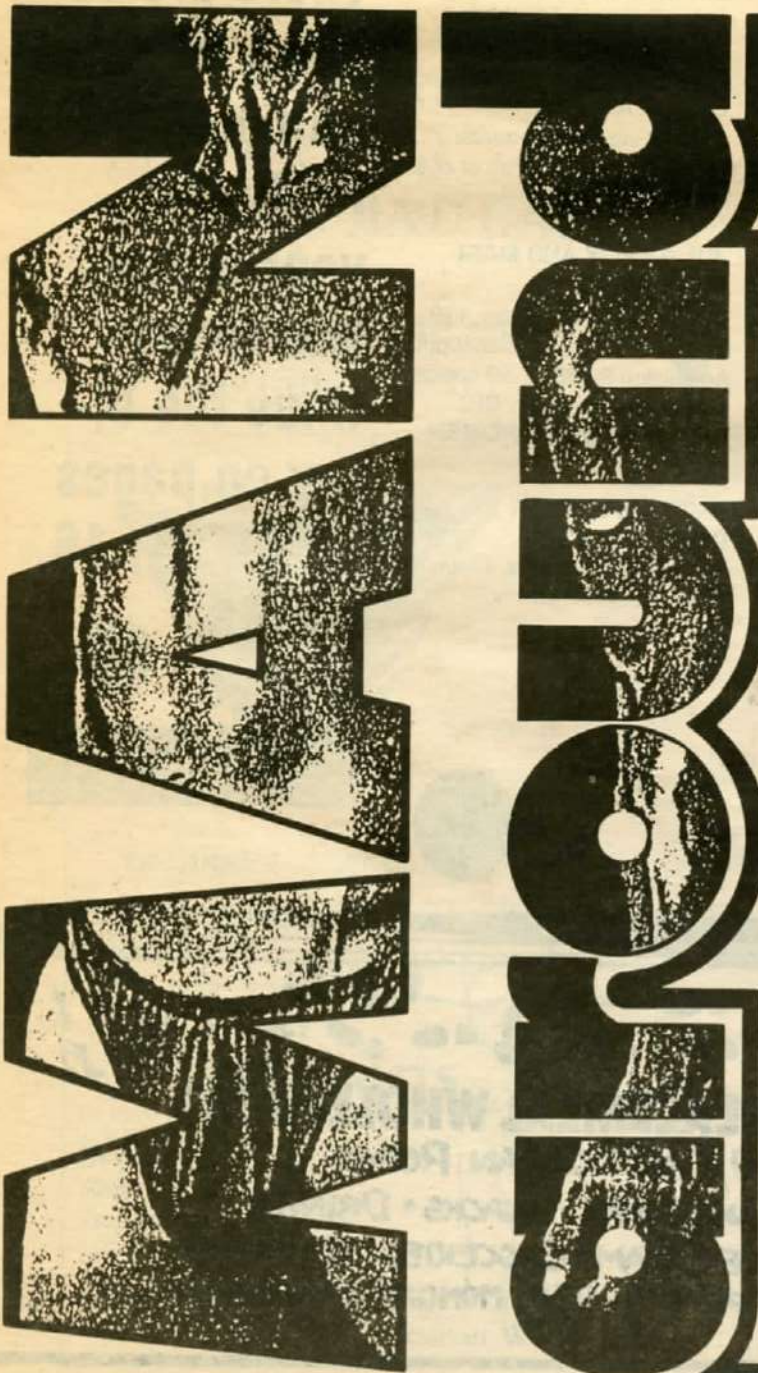
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Diary

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what's on
where for
Pride '88**

WEDNESDAY 15 JUNE 1988

IRISH LESBIANS AND GAYS CELEBRATE STRENGTH AND PRIDE
Haringey Irish Cultural & Community Centre, N17. Hair Marys, Ron Kavanagh, Julie McNamara, Jacket Potatoes + Disco. 7.30pm - 11.30pm. Tickets must be booked on 802 1325. £2.50/1.50 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled and Disabled Transport. Food * bar * creche.

THURSDAY 16 JUNE

EXHIBITION : BUT ARE THERE ANY IN TOWER HAMLETS?
Sisterwrite Gallery, 190 Upper St, N1 (226 9782). Hours: 10-6 Mon-Sat (open to 7pm on Thursday). Photographs of young Lesbians & Gay men in Tower Hamlets by Jean Fraser. Tube: Angel/Highbury & Islington. Disabled Access limited - ring 226 9782.

UP AGAINST IT: AN EXHIBITION OF JOE ORTON'S LIFE IN ISLINGTON
South Library, Essex Road, N1 (609 3051). Hours: 9-8 Mon-Thu, 9-5 Fri & Sat (runs 14-25 June). Using extracts from his work and the infamous book covers, we celebrate Orton's life at the very library where 30 years ago, he began his campaign to redesign municipal art! Tube: Angel, BR: Essex Road. Disabled Access limited, ring 609 3051

CLAUDE AND EFFECT : LONDON'S FIRST LIVE PRIDE VIDEO EXTRA- GANZA

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). Rio Cinema, Women's Media Resource Project & Centreprise present a mix of video, film, poetry, cabaret, music, dance + disco. Disabled Access, and full facilities for the Hard of Hearing. 7.30pm - late. £5.00/£2.00 concs, late bar. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277 BR: Dalston Kingsland

WEALTH

Chat's Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, E9 (986 6714). Doors open 9.00pm. £2.50/£2.00 concs. Full disabled access. Bus: 22A. BR Clapton, Homerton

FILMS: KISS OF THE SPIDER WOMAN & PRICK UP YOUR EARS

Everyman Cinema, Hollybush Vale, NW3. Contact box office for details (435 1525). Wheelchair Access only. Tube: Hampstead

FILMS: SAMMY AND ROSIE GET LAID, PRICK UP YOUR EARS & BEAUTY WITHOUT A CAUSE

The Ritz Cinema, Brixton Oval, Coldharbour Lane, London SW2. Times: Sammy & Rosie Get Laid - 5.00pm and 9.05pm, Prick Up Your Ears/ Beauties without a cause - 6.50pm. Admission £2.80/£1.80 concs, annual membership required (50p). Tube: Brixton

GAY OUTDOOR CLUB MYSTERY RIDE AROUND LONDON

Meet at Monument Tube Station, 7.30 pm. Bring Party Hats and a Picnic (!)

JEWISH GAY AND LESBIAN GROUP

Speaker on "Women and Judaism". Upstairs at the Fallen Angel, 65 Graham St, London N1 at 8.15pm. Tube: Angel. Contact: Norman on 01 958 2955

FILMS: QUERELLE AND TAXI ZUM KLO (+ 976-DISH)
Scala Cinema, 275 Pentonville Road, London N1. Querelle: 1.45, 5.25, 9.00. Taxi: 3.45, 7.20. Ring Scala Cinema for Admission Charges (278 8052)



It's back to the wall for this year's carnival unless we get more stewards. Join in the fun and help out as well - you'll be glad you did! WJ Herbert

GALA CHARITY SLAVE AUCTION

The Block at Silks, Shepherds Bush Green Shopping Centre, W12. Above the Sportsman Pub. "A sort of bring and buy sale" 9.30 - 2am. **STRICT LEATHER/RUBBER/UNIFORM. ALL PROCEEDS TO PRIDE '88**

SCOTTISH YOUTH PRIDE '88

Registration opens, 7.30-9pm. Further details from S.L.G.Y.M., Box 16, 340 West Princes Street, Glasgow G4 9HF

SURROUND THE RACIST EMBASSY - NON STOP PICKET

South Africa House, Trafalgar Square. Starts 6pm. Organised by the City of London Anti-Apartheid Group (01 837 6050). Tube: Charing Cross/ Embankment

PRIDE BENEFIT AT THE GEORGE IV

The George IV, Ida Street. E14 6LT

FRIDAY 17 JUNE

BRITTEN & PEARS : A life together 1937-1976 (exhibition & talks)

Hackney Central Library, Mare Street, E8 (985 8262/6), ends 25 June. Also at Stoke Newington Library 6-15 June & Swiss Cottage Library 28 June - 16 July). Hours: 9-8 Mon-Thurs (closed Wed), 9-6 Fri, 9-5 Sat. Buses: 22,22A,30,35,38,55,106,236,253,276,277. BR Hackney Central. Wheelchair Access only.

BLACK LESBIAN STRENGTH AND GAY PRIDE

West Indian Cultural Centre, Clarendon Roads, N8. Cabaret, poetry & performance + DJs Lorna & Yvonne. 7.30pm - 12 midnight. £2.50/£1.50 concs. Tickets must be booked (802 8981). Creche, Full Disabled Access. Tube: Turnpike Lane

M.S.C. LONDON ANNUAL DINNER

London Apprentice, 333 Old Street. 7.30pm for 8.00. ALL TICKETS FOR THIS EVENT HAVE BEEN TAKEN, BUT ALL M.S.C. MEMBERS WILL

BE JOINING EVERYONE IN THE BAR AFTER DINNER. Tube: Old Street

SCOTTISH YOUTH PRIDE 1988

Cheese & Wine. See Thursday 16th for registration details.

BASILDON OPEN DOOR GROUP AGM

Contact via Switchboards, Octopus, The Cliff Pub or see Gay Times

JULIE FELIX AND MARI-ANNE SEGAL

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1. 8.30pm. Admission £2.50/£1.50 concs. Full disabled access. BR: Dalston Kingsland. **WOMEN ONLY**

PRIDE '88 BENEFIT AT DAISY'S DISCO

74 Commerce Street, Aberdeen. 8.30pm-1am

There are so many events going on for Pride this year we've had to continue the diary on pages 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, and 26.

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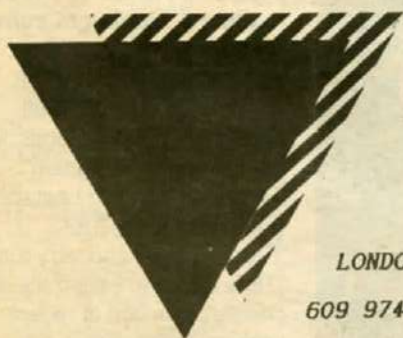
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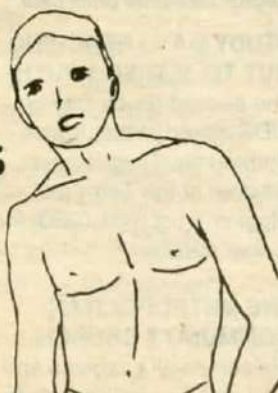


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for more information

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Diary

SATURDAY 18TH JUNE

NATIONAL ANNUAL LESBIAN STRENGTH MARCH

Assemble Speakers Corner, Hyde Park at 1.00pm. March leaves 2.00pm for London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67 Cowcross Street, EC1, arriving 4.00pm for commencement of lesbian entertainment until late. Full Disabled Access. Tube: Farringdon



Pride regulars Parker and Klein

WJ Herbert

ALIX DOBKIN
Wesley House, 4 Wild Court, WC2. Never Been Better (London) Concert Promotions presents American lesbian feminist folk singer Alix Dobkin (+ disco). 7.00pm - 12 midnight £5.00 high waged/£4.00 low waged/£2.50 unwaged. Bar * Signer * Creche. Full Disabled Access. Tube: Holborn

BARBIES GO ASTRAY (Strength Benefit)
Fallen Angel, 65 Graham Street, N1 (253 3996). Live bands, comedy and more. 7.00pm - 12 midnight. £2.50/£2.00 concs. Tube: Angel. Disabled Access limited - ring 253 3996

THE MIX PRIDE
Culross Hall, Battlebridge Road, NW1. Disco. 9.00pm - 2.00am £2.50/£1.50 concs. Bar. Tube: Kings Cross

FUSION
Coffee Bar, London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road, N1. 8.00pm-10.30pm. A welcoming and supporting group for Black/Asian Gay men who are coming to terms with being Gay, or are looking for new friends. Contact: 837 3337

OLGA VIGIL FOR LESBIAN AND GAY RIGHTS
Shrewsbury Town Centre. Contact: Geoff or Pete on Shrewsbury 249888 or De-

lanys on Shrewsbury 66890 for more details.

SCOTTISH YOUTH PRIDE
Workshops. See Thursday 16th June for Registration details.

M.S.C. LONDON VICE FAIR
The British Flag, Newcourt Street, St Johns Wood. An evening of fun and games, 9pm. Free Entry, Non Members welcome, Dress code Leather/Denim. Sorry - no proper Disabled Access. Tube: St Johns Wood. Bus: 2,2A,74,113,N13, and ample car parking.

BASILDON OPEN DOOR GROUP - SHAUN'S 21ST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
Members Only, no Disabled Access. Contact via Switchboards, Octopus, The Cliff Pub or see Gay Times

PRIDE BENEFIT AT THE SHIP AND WHALE
The Ship and Whale, Gulliver Street, SE16. Starring Andre Adore and Shirley, compered by Lola. 9.30pm-2am, Cabaret starts at 11pm

TRICKY DICKY PRESENTS A PRIDE BENEFIT AT PIGEONS
Pigeons, 120 Romford Road, E15. With Private 69 Stripper, and the disco group XS5. There will also be a raffle and bucket collections to help

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Would like to send best wishes to everyone involved with Pride '88

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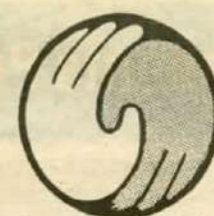
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Seek your Risen Lord at MCC and you will find Him in our midst every Sunday.
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Ask for further details from our Pastor, Hong Tan (01-435 7507) or Asst Pastor, Gillian Storey (01-670 2619) and further details of our fellowship will be given to you.
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A warm welcome awaits you in this growing Church—please join us—particularly for our GAY PRIDE SERVICE on Sunday, June 26.

THE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF NORTH LONDON
The Institute Room, 4th Floor, Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church,
235, Shaftesbury Avenue, London WC2

Diary

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boost Pride '88 funds.

THE HAIRY MARYS AND THE IRISH WOMEN WRITERS NETWORK

The Pegasus Theatre, Magdalen Road, off Iffley Road, OXFORD. The Hairy Marys are a madcap gang of Irish Dancers. If you've seen Irish dancers before, forget it, because this is totally different. Four raucous women perform an exhausting medley of dances of quick-fire rhythmical hornpipes with pranks thrown in. The Hairy Marys dance reels to ragtime, and jigs to Jazz. Total and utter Celtic Mayhem! Starts 8pm, Tickets £3/£2 concs from "Tickets in Oxford", Information centre, St Aldates, Oxford or from 7.15 onwards at the theatre. Access for Wheelchairs, but regret no properly accessible toilets.

QUICK PHYLISS, GRAB A DYKE AND DANCE YOUR WAY OUT, IT'S A RAID!

Colchester Arts Centre (Telephone Colchester 577301). Brendan Nash in this highly acclaimed play, now on tour. 9.00pm, Admission £2.50/£1.50 (advance/concs).

PRIDE '88/LOCAL SWITCHBOARD BENEFIT AT DAISY'S DISCO

74 Commerce Street, Aberdeen. 8.30pm-1am

SUNDAY 19 JUNE

STRENGTH & PRIDE CONCERT

Hackney Empire, Mare Street, E8 (986 0171). Tom Robinson, Caroline Giffillan Band, Simon Fanshawe, Hope Augustus. Doors open 6.45pm. £5.00/£4.00 concs. Buses: 22,22A,30,35,38,55,106,236,253,276,277. BR: Hackney Central. Full Disabled Access - but please ring 987 0171 beforehand

GRAND JUMBLE '88

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67-79 Cowcross Street EC1 (608 1471). Doors open 12.00 - Jumble 88 3.00pm. Show 6.00pm. Admission £1.50 (UB40: £1). **SEND YOUR JUMBLE IN TO US - COLLECTION POINTS AT THE LONDON APPRENTICE, EXPECTATIONS/GHQ, MARKET TAVERN.** Show Features: LILY SAVAGE, THE HARLEQUEENS, KATE HAMILTON, THE SQUATTETTES, PAUL SHAKESPEARE & MILLIE. THIS IS YOUR CHANCE FOR THE BARGAIN OF THE YEAR!

SCOTTISH YOUTH PRIDE

Workshop/Picnic. See Thursday 16th June for Registration details.



Julie Felix set to be in fine voice again this year

SAPPHO CELEBRATION

The Basement, 50-52 Eversholt Street (alongside Euston Station). Come and Celebrate 16 years of Sappho at the Chepstow. Collection will be

taken for Pride Week funds.7 pm, FREE ADMISSION, Snacks Available. Regret - no access for the Disabled. Tube: Euston. BR: Euston

GAY OUTDOOR CLUB - LONDON GAY LANDMARK RIDE

Meet Battersea Park Pagoda at 10.30am. Test your navigational skills and learn about London's Gay past. Please bring a street map!

FILMS: SIXTIES SLEAZE

The Ritzy Cinema, Brixton Oval, Coldharbour Lane, London SW2. LESBIANS - 12.30pm WALK ON THE WILD SIDE - 1.00 (Barbara Stanwyck as a lesbian madame) LES BICHES - 2.55 (Starring Stephane Audran) and THE KILLING OF SISTER GEORGE - 4.45 (starring Beryl Reid). Admission: £2.80/£1.80 concs, annual membership required (50p). Tube: Brixton. Disabled Access is available via the side door, but regret no accessible toilet. Ring 737 2121 beforehand.

WHAT LESBIANS DO IN THE KITCHEN

Gays the Word Bookshop, 66 Marchmont Street, London WC1N 1AB. Telephone (278 7654). Contributors to **TURNING THE TABLES: RECIPES AND REFLECTIONS FROM WOMEN** (Sheba Press, £5.50) will be getting down to the nitty gritty and talking about what really counts - FOOD!. 6.30pm, WOMEN ONLY. Tube: Russell Square

ALIX DOBSON

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1. 8.30pm, Admission £3.00/£2.00 concs. **WOMEN ONLY.** Full Disabled Access. BR: Dalston

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HOPE AUGUSTUS AND THE HAIRY MARYS

Kings Head Theatre Club, 115 Upper Street, Islington, N1. Hope Augustus (the acapella soul queen), and the inimitable Hairy Marys come to the Kings Head Theatre Club this evening, compered by Donna McPhail. See entry for 18th June for details of the Hairy Marys (Pegasus Theatre, Oxford). Doors Open 7.45pm, Tickets £3/£2.50 concs. **WOMEN ONLY.** Wheelchair Access to Bar and Theatre, but NOT to Toilets.



Regular fundraiser Lottie Cash

STUDY DAY: REACHING OUT TO JEWISH YOUTH

The second Study Day on AIDS aimed at the Jewish Community. Ring Norman Goldner at the Terrence Higgins Trust (831 0330) for further details.

THE METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Welcomes all Lesbians and Gay men to worship with them. Every Sunday and Wednesday at 7.00pm. Address: 2A Sistova Road, Balham. Telephone: 675 6761. Nearest

Tube: Balham

PRIDE BENEFIT AT THE DOG AND FOX

The Dog and Fox, 24 High Street, Wimbledon Hill, SW19. Tube: Wimbledon

MONDAY 20TH JUNE

CHANGES - A GROUP FOR WOMEN COMING TO TERMS WITH BEING LESBIAN

London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road, N1. 6.30-8.30pm. Library, Discussions, Refreshments. Further details from 837 3337. Tube: Kings Cross

ADAM MARS-JONES (Public reading & signing of current works)

Swiss Cottage Library, 88 Avenue Road, NW3 (586 5989). Adam Mars-Jones, won the Somerset Maugham Award for "Lantern Lecture" (Faber & Pan) in 1982. "Elegant, witty and very funny" (Time Out). He edited the now classic collection of recent Lesbian & Gay fiction "Mae West is Dead" (Faber) and is co-author of "The Darker Proof" (Faber). 7.30pm, FREE. Wheelchair Access only. Tube: Swiss Cottage

FLAMENCO & SOUTH AMERICAN MUSIC

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). Avellanay Canela with dancer Catalina. 9.00pm. £2.00/£1.00 concs. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland. Full Disabled Access

GAY YOUNG LONDON "PRIDE BENEFIT PARTY"

The Bell, 259 Pentonville Road, N1. 8.30pm-12pm.

Tricky Dicky presents Pride 88 events

PIGEONS 120 Romford Road, E.15

Saturday 18th June

Tricky Dicky. Private 69. Disco Group X55
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Wednesday 22nd June

Tricky Dicky. Dance Group Force Four.
Invited acts - Strippers Nick The & Andy
and Lily Savage

TOUCH 200 Balham High St., SW12

Friday 24th June

Sandra Edwards and Nick The

PHOENIX, Cavendish Square, W1

Friday 24th June

Tricky Dicky. Dockyard Doris. Nick The

Where can
I go to
celebrate Pride?



Admission £1, all are welcome. All proceeds will be donated to Pride '88. Wheelchair access and Disabled toilets available. Tube: Kings Cross. Details: 993 8576 and ask for David.

PUTTING ON THE GLITZ (OR THE LAST NIGHT OF THE HIPPODROME PROMS)

The Hippodrome, Leicester Square, London. A Dennis Gilding & Ziggy Cartier Production, featuring "The Queen - Pip Morgan" and "Queen Mary - Billy Quinn" and many more, not to mention the Battersea Show Palace Dancers. **BRING A UNION JACK - THE BIGGER THE BETTER. ALL PROCEEDS TO PRIDE 88.** Doors Open 9.30pm, ends at 3.30am. Tube: Leicester Square

HEARTBREAK HOTEL 4 LAUNCH PARTY

Fallen Angel, 65 Graham Street, N1. Admission £1.00. 7.30pm - late. Tube: Angel

THE BLOCK AT TOUCH PRESENTS A MASTER AND SLAVE NIGHT

Touch, 200 Balham High Road, SW12. Open until 2am. Two admitted for the price of one, if chained together. Boot Boys present to buff your leathers for Pride '88. **MEN ONLY, STRICT LEATHER/RUBBER/UNIFORM DRESS CODE.** Tube: Balham. BR: Balham. Night Bus: N87

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE AT THE PIG PEN

The Market Tavern, 1 Nine Elms Lane, SW8. Tube: Vauxhall

TUESDAY 21 JUNE

COMING OUT WITH THE LESBIAN LIFE STORY

Rio Cinema (Video Lounge), 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). Women's Media Resource Project in association with Lesbian Archives: films and discussions. 7.30pm. £1.50/£1.00 concs (20% discount to WMRP members) - tickets must be booked (254 6356). Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland. **WOMEN ONLY**

GAY SWEATSHOP "This Island's Mine"

Drill Hall, 16 Chenies Street, WC1 (637 8270). Gay Sweatshop's sellout success back with Pride for 3 weeks only - "This play's a complete delight, go see it immediately!" (Time Out). 8.00pm. £5.00 (Fri/Sat) £4.50 (Tue-Thu) £3.00 concs (ends 9 July). Full Disabled Access, facilities for the Hard of Hearing. Tube: Goodge Street

ISLINGTON CELEBRATES STRENGTH & PRIDE

Pied Bull, Liverpool Road, N1 (607 8940). Josephina Cupido, Louise Elliot, Steve Lodder, Annie Whitehead plus Sax Machine & DJ Anne Dae. 8.00pm - 12 midnight £2.00/£1.00 concs. Bar extension to

midnight. Disabled Access limited, ring 607 8940. Tube: Angel

THE GOBUGGIES

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). 9.00pm. £2.00/£1.00. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. Full Disabled Access. BR: Dalston Kingsland

GAY OUTDOOR CLUB - CYCLE RIDE

Based on the writing of William Lithgow (Lugless Will), an early commentator on the Gay scene. Meet at the Albert Memorial, Hyde Park at 7.30pm

KENRIC Vs SAPPHO QUIZ

Sappho '85. Upstairs at the Chepstow Pub, Chepstow Place, London W2. Admission £1.50

AMAZONIANS WOMEN ONLY DISCO

The Market Tavern, 1 Nine Elms Lane, Market Towers, Vauxhall SW8. Special Pride Celebrations and Talent Contest. Music by Yvonne and Lorna. **NO NAZI REGALIA.** £1.50/£1.00 concs. Tube: Vauxhall. Disabled Access limited - steep flight of stairs.

EVERGREENS - THE GROUP FOR MEN FROM 40 TO 140

London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road N1. 7 - 10pm. Make Friends; Music; Refreshments. Further details on 837 3337

LESBIAN AND STRAIGHT '68 - '88

Theatro Technic, 26 Crowndale Road, NW1. A public meeting to launch the new Wages Due Lesbians pamphlet **Out of the Clause into the Workhouse**, which is a lesbian woman's view of what Clause 28 intends, presents and promotes, and what we intend to promote against it. There will be a panel of lesbian women (Black and white) evaluating 20 years of organising, followed by a discussion. Also available will be the **Prostitute Women and AIDS: RESISTING THE VIRUS OF REPRESSION** pamphlet, produced by the English Collective of Prostitutes. Starts 7.30pm. Creche available (please phone in advance). Full wheelchair access. Signer to be confirmed. Contact: Wages Due Lesbians, Kings Cross Women's Centre, 71 Tonbridge St WCH1, telephone 837 7509.

HEARTBREAK HOTEL NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION for OLGA and STOP THE CLAUSE

Nationwide poster campaign of Jamie Reid's cover artwork "Scrap Section 28, End Sexual Apartheid". A limited edition of 500, signed and numbered by Jamie are available from HEARTBREAK HOTEL, 29 BELSIZE PARK, LONDON NW3 4DX (£3.50, profits to OLGA)

WEDNESDAY 22 JUNE

GAY SWEATSHOP: "This Island's Mine"

Drill Hall, WC1 8.00pm. See listing for Tuesday 21 June. Full Disabled Access, facilities for the Hard of Hearing

THE PEARL DIVERS

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). £2.00/£1.00. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. Full Disabled Access Available. BR: Dalston Kingsland

DOUBLE VISION - ERIC PRESLAND

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67-69 Cowcross Street, EC1 (608 1471). Third Floor, 7.30pm (Until Saturday 25th June). Full facilities for the Disabled. Tube: Farringdon

TRICKY DICKY PRESENTS A PRIDE BENEFIT AT SILKS

Rear of the Sportsman Pub, Shepherds Bush Green Shopping Centre, W12. Invited acts include Strippers **Nick The** and **Andy**, and **Lily Savage**, and the dance group **Force Four**.

THE PINK SINGERS IN PRIDE - A MUSICAL MEDLEY

Conway Hall, Red Lion Square. The Pink Singers will perform a medley which includes songs by Kurt Weill, Hanns Eisler, Jerry Herman, Victoria Wood, Noel Coward, Johannes Brahms, Tom Lehrer and Irving Berlin, to name but a few. 7.30pm, Admission £4.00/£2.00. All enquiries to 274 3600 or 986 2492.

PREPARATION FOR PRIDE

Islington and Haringey Gay Group. Upstairs at the Fallen Angel, 65 Graham Street, N1 Starts 8.30pm, please phone Jonathan on 359 9424 or Keith on 340 1873 for further details if not a member of I&HGG.

PRIDE LEATHER AT THE MARKET TAVERN

The Market Tavern, 1 Nine Elms Lane, SW8. Tube: Vauxhall

THURSDAY 23 JUNE

GAY SWEATSHOP: "This Island's Mine"

Drill Hall, WC1 8.00pm. See listing for Tuesday 21 June. Full Access for the Disabled, and full facilities for the Hard of Hearing.

PARKER & KLEIN, SISTER-MATIC & SPECIAL GUESTS

Swiss Cottage Community Centre, 19 Winchester Road, NW3 (586 5272). Camden Lesbian Centre/Black Lesbian Group Promotions hosts an evening of music and comedy (+ disco). 7.30pm - late £2.00/£1.00 concs. food * bar. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing. **WOMEN ONLY.** Tube: Swiss Cottage

CYPRIT LESBIAN & GAY GROUP STRENGTH & PRIDE SOCIAL

Chestnuts Community & Arts Centre, St Ann's Road, N15. Cypriot Cabaret with sounds by Deano & Maria. 7.30pm -

11.30pm. £2.50/£1.50 concs. food * creche - tickets must be booked (802 8981). Full facilities for the Disabled. Tube: Seven Sisters. Buses: 67,171

TWO IN TWENTY (BECAUSE ONE IN TEN IS SO LONELY) part 1

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). Women's Media Resource Project hosts the European premiere of the film directed by Laurel Chiten, Cheryl Quamar & Rachel McCollum. Discussion with the producer/director afterwards. 7.30pm. £3.00/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled, the Hard of Hearing. **WOMEN ONLY.** BR: Dalston Kingsland

CAEIA MARCH (Public reading)

Kentish Town Library, 262-266 Kentish Town Road, NW5 (485 1121). Caeia March's novel "Three Ply Yarn" (Women's Press) is narrated by three women Dee Lotte and Esther as they struggle to take command of their own lives in a world they have not made. 7.30pm. FREE. Full facilities for the Disabled. **WOMEN ONLY.** Tube: Kentish Town

CHARTING THE JOURNEY

Duke of Wellington, 19 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). Writings of black and Third World women hosted by Sheba Publishers. 8.00pm - 9.30pm. FREE. **BLACK WOMEN ONLY + DISCO (ALL WOMEN WELCOME).** 10.00pm - 12 midnight FREE. Full facilities for the Disabled. **WOMEN ONLY.** Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland

FILMS: LAST OF ENGLAND & WHAT SHALL I DO WITH A MALE NUDE & A KENNETH ANGER SHORT FILM

Everyman Cinema, Hollybush Vale NW3. Contact box office for details (435 1525). Wheelchair Access available. Tube: Hampstead

DOUBLE VISION - ERIC PRESLAND

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67-69 Cowcross Street, EC1 (608 1471). Third Floor, 7.30pm (Until Saturday 25th June). Full facilities for the Disabled

GOSLINGS SPONSORED SWIM AND (SHUTTLE) COCK-UP

The Oasis Sports Centre, (corner of High Holborn and Endell St) WC2 at 7.50pm. Entrance Charge: Swimming £1/50p concs, Badminton £1.50/£1 concs. The Group's aim is to swim 1000 lengths or hit a shuttle cock 1000 times. All are welcome to participate. All proceeds to Frontliners. Disabled Access available. Nearest Tube: Holborn

TRICKY DICKY PRESENTS A PRIDE BENEFIT AT TOUCH

200 Balham High Road, SW12. With Sandra Edwards and Nick The (Stripper). **Prizes for Raffle provided by Trax Records, 55 Greek**

Street W1

TRICKY DICKY PRESENTS ANOTHER PRIDE BENEFIT AT THE PHOENIX

The Phoenix, Cavendish Square W1. With Dockyard Doris and Nick The (Stripper). **Prizes for Raffle provided by Trax Records, 55 Greek Street W1**

CAMDEN GAY MENS GROUP

Meet at London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road N1. 1pm-2pm. The meeting is open to all gay men who work for Camden Council or Grant Aided Bodies. Contact James Munroe - 404 4349 or Michael Anderson - 387 9887 x3504.

THE JUNCTION

London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road, N1 (837 3337). Social for Gay men who find the Scene unfriendly. Special Pride Benefit. 7.30pm-10pm

FILMS: DESERT HEARTS & THE LOUDEST WHISPER

The Scala Cinema, 275 Pentonville Road, N1. Desert Hearts - 1.55,5.25,9.00. Loudest Whisper - 3.35,7.05. Contact Box Office for admission charges. Tube: Kings Cross

WARWICK UNIVERSITY LESBIAN AND GAY SOCIETY

Disco at Ele's Nest, Student Union Building, Warwick University, Gibbet Hill Road, Coventry. 8pm-12pm, Entrance £1.00. Proceeds donated to Pride '88. Sorry - No Disabled Access

FILMS: ANOTHER COUNTRY AND MAURICE

Ritz Cinema, Brixton Oval, Coldharbour Lane, Brixton, London SW2. Rupert Everett appears in **Another Country** at 6.45, and James Ivory's superb and celebratory adaptation of **Maurice** shows at 4.20 and 8.30. Admission: £2.80/£1.80 concs, annual membership required (50p). Tube: Brixton. Disabled Access available through side door, but regret no accessible toilet. Phone first on 737 2121.

THE IMPORTANCE OF OSCAR - AN ENTERTAINMENT ON THE LIFE OF OSCAR WILDE

The William Morris Hall, The Broadway, London SW19. Presented by Patrick Newley Associates, in association with the Wimbledon Area Gay Society. Directed by Patrick Galvin. "In a previous age, Mr Johnson would probably have set the world on fire with readings from Dickens and Shakespeare. Here he brings his considerable powers of dramatic interpretation to the work of Oscar Wilde. His fulsome range and gorgeous antique diction give this medley an almost historical authenticity" (Capital Gay). 7.30pm, Tickets £3.00/£2.00 concs. (Telephone 540 6076 for bookings). Tube: Wimbledon

GAY OUTDOOR CLUB ABSEILING AND CLIMBING

EVENING

Meet 8.30pm at the Michael Sobell Sports Centre, Finsbury Park.

JUICE AT THE MARKET TAVERN

The Market Tavern, 1 Nine Elms Lane, SW8. Tube: Vauxhall

PRIDE BENEFIT AT THE WILLIAM IV

King William IV, 77 Hampstead High Street, NW3. Come and see the newly replanted patio garden! Tube: Hampstead

FRIDAY 24TH JUNE

GAY SWEATSHOP: "This Island's Mind"

Drill Hall, WC1 8.00pm. See listing for Tuesday 21 June. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing

HOT DORIS BAND (+ support)

Fallen Angel, 65 Graham Street, N1 (253 3996). 7.0pm-12 midnight £2.50/£2.00 concs. Disabled access limited - ring 253 3996 first. Tube: Angel

THE SEAL CLUB

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). Cabaret with The Sea Monster, Claire Dowie, Siren & compere Guy Jackson. £3.00/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland

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JEWISH GAY AND LESBIAN GROUP SHABBAT CHAVURA FOR PRIDE 88

Alyth Youth and Community Centre, Alyth Gardens, London NW11. Tube: Golders Green. Details: Ring Norman on 956 2955. Disabled Access is limited - steep flight of stairs.

TOUCH PRESENTS A SPECIAL PRIDE PARTY NIGHT

Touch, 200 Balham High Road, SW12. A special Pride party night. Fancy dress theme: Kings and Queens, and special guest appearances of Sandra Edwards, Nick The and many more. **HALF PRICE TENNENTS LAGER.** Opens 9.30pm, all proceeds to Pride '88. Tube: Balham

SPECIAL PRIDE BENEFIT

Starring **JULIE FELIX**, **CHRISTOPHER EYMARD**, **FASCINATING DAYS**, **IRRESISTIBLE FORCE**, **SPICE OF SATURN** and **GORDIE AGAR**, not to mention a special appearance by **LOTTIE CASH** and **CAROLINE HODGESON** singing the **PRIDE '88 ANTHEM "SHOUT"** North Peckham Civic Centre, 600-608 Old Kent Road. 8pm,

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40 Theobalds Road, London, WC1.
Tel. 405 2675.

Wheelchair accessible entrance but no wheelchair accessible toilet.



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Our councils remain fully committed to combating discrimination and providing services to lesbians and gay men. We believe that the debate around Section 28, past, present and to come, will serve to widen the discussion around discrimination. From that may well come a move to scrap the section and introduce anti-discrimination legislation for lesbians and gay men. That is a move that would have our full support. In the meantime....

The Association of London Authorities wishes Lesbian Strength and Gay Pride 1988 every success.

The next meeting of the ALA Lesbian and Gay Committee is on Wednesday 13th July, 5.30pm (phone to confirm)
 Co-Chairs: Councillors Helen Dawson and Graham Nicholas

For more information contact Jan Parker and Chris Baker, Lesbian and Gay Officer (job-share) at the ALA, 36 Old Queen Street, London, SW1H 9JF. Tel: 01 222 7799

The Association represents the boroughs of Brent, Camden, Ealing, Greenwich, Hackney, Hammersmith & Fulham, Haringey, Hounslow, Islington, Lambeth, Lewisham, Newham, Southwark, Waltham Forest and ILEA.

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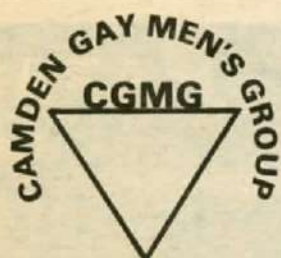
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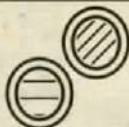
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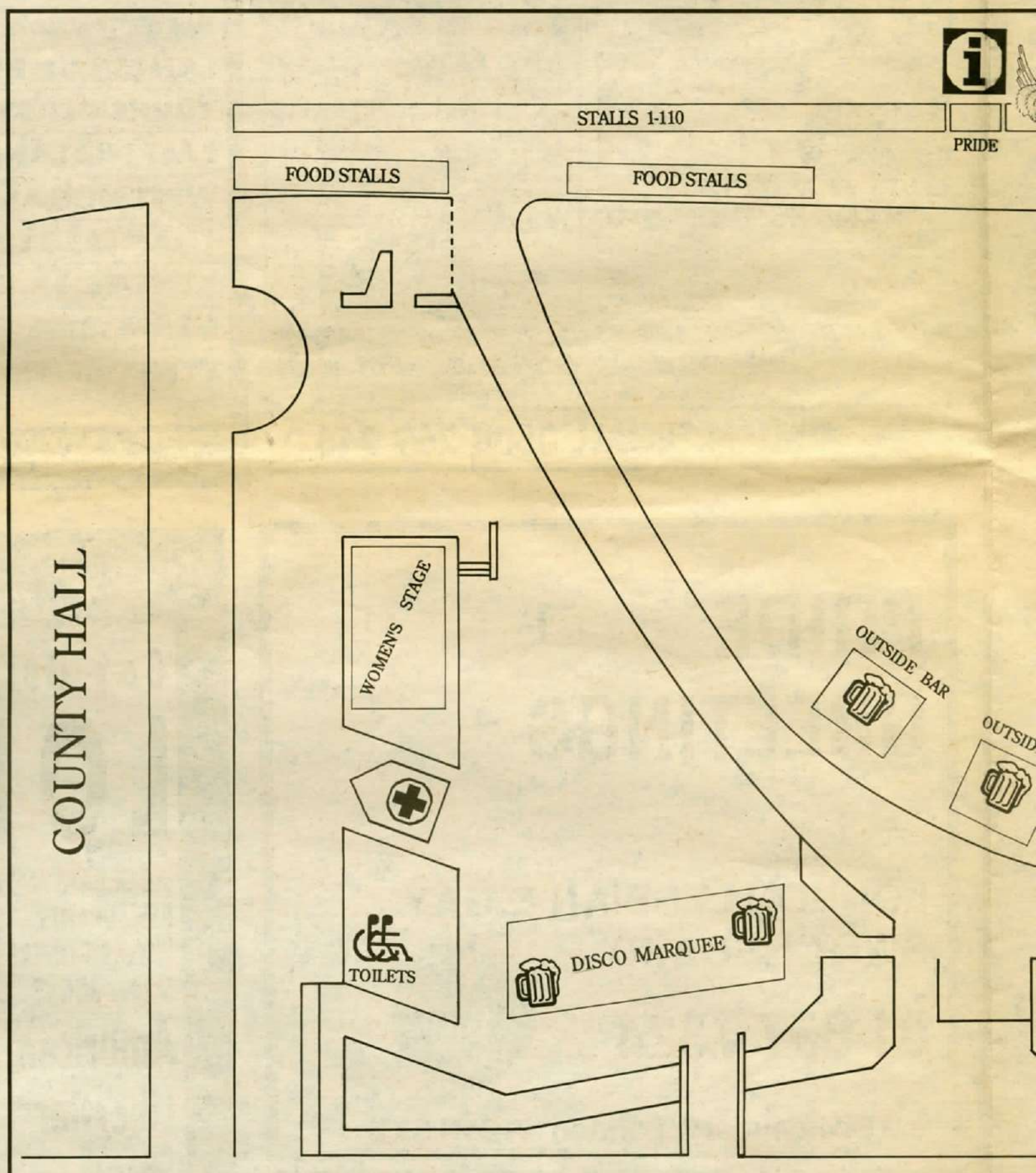
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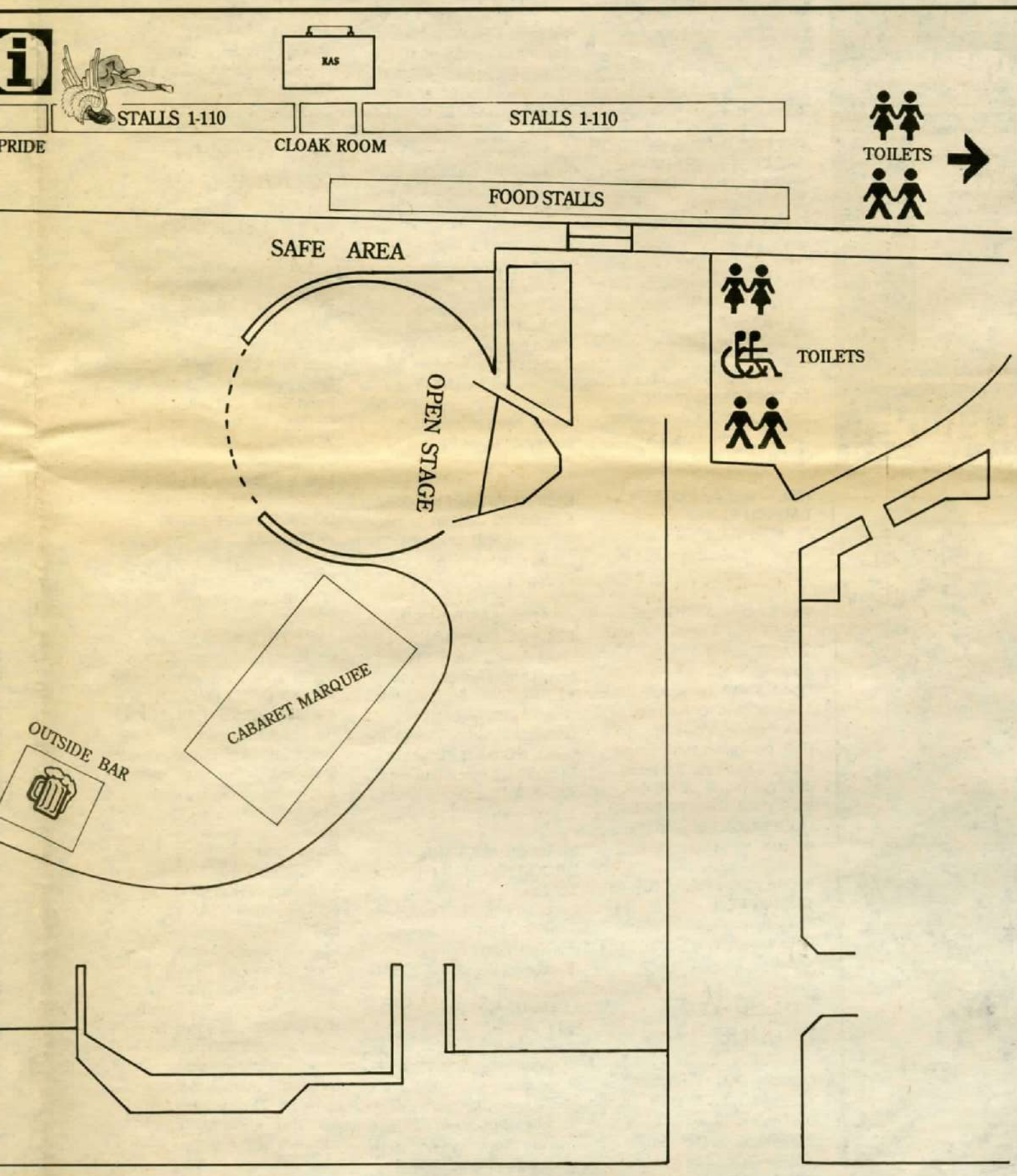
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TUESDAY 21 JUNE

COMING OUT WITH THE LESBIAN LIFE STORY

Rio Cinema (Video Lounge), 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). Women's Media Resource Project in association with Lesbian Archives: films and discussions. 7.30pm. £1.50/£1.00 concs (20% discount to WMRP members) - tickets must be booked (254 6356). Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277 BR: Dalston Kingsland.

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Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). 9.00pm. £2.00/£1.00. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. Full Disabled Access. BR: Dalston Kingsland

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London Friend, 86 Caledonian Road N1. 7 - 10pm. Make Friends; Music; Refreshments. Further details on 837 3337

LESBIAN AND STRAIGHT '68 - '88

Theatro Technic, 26 Crowndale Road, NW1. A public meeting to launch the new Wages Due Lesbians pamphlet **Out of the Clause into the Workhouse**, which is a lesbian woman's view of what Clause 28 intends, presents and promotes, and what we intend to promote against it. There will be a panel of lesbian women (Black and white) evaluating 20 years of organising, followed by a discussion. Also available will be the **Prostitute Women and AIDS: RESISTING THE VIRUS OF REPRESSION** pamphlet, produced by the English Collective of Prostitutes. Starts 7.30pm, Creche

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THE PEARL DIVERS

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). £2.00/£1.00. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. Full Disabled Access Available. BR: Dalston Kingsland

DOUBLE VISION - ERIC PRESLAND

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67-69 Cowcross Street, EC1 (608 1471). Third Floor, 7.30pm (Until Saturday 25th June). Full facilities for the Disabled. Tube: Farringdon

TRICKY DICKY PRESENTS A PRIDE BENEFIT AT SILKS
Rear of the Sportsman Pub, Shepherds Bush Green Shopping Centre, W12. Invited acts include Strippers **Nick The** and **Andy**, and **Lily Savage**, and the dance group **Force Four**.

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PREPARATION FOR PRIDE

Islington and Haringey Gay Group, Upstairs at the Fallen Angel, 65 Graham Street, N1 Starts 8.30pm, please phone Jonathan on 359 9424 or Keith on 340 1873 for further details if not a member of I&HGG.

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Crashing out to avoid the crush in Jubilee Gardens - Will this be you?

WJ Herbert

Vauxhall

THURSDAY 23 JUNE

GAY SWEATSHOP: "This Island's Mine"

Drill Hall, WC1 8.00pm. See listing for Tuesday 21 June. Full Access for the Disabled, and full facilities for the Hard of Hearing.

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Swiss Cottage Community Centre, 19 Winchester Road, NW3 (586 5272). Camden Lesbian Centre/Black Lesbian Group Promotions hosts an evening of music and comedy (+ disco). 7.30pm - late £2.00/£1.00 concs. food * bar. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing. **WOMEN ONLY.** Tube: Swiss Cottage

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TWO IN TWENTY (BECAUSE ONE IN TEN IS SO LONELY) part 1

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). Women's Media Resource Project hosts the European premiere of the film directed by Laurel Chiten, Cheryl Quamar & Rachel

McCollum. Discussion with the producer/director afterwards. 7.30pm. £3.00/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled, the Hard of Hearing. **WOMEN ONLY.** BR: Dalston Kingsland

CAEIA MARCH (Public reading)

Kentish Town Library, 262-266 Kentish Town Road, NW5 (485 1121). Caeia March's novel "Three Ply Yarn" (Women's Press) is narrated by three women Dee Lotte and Esther as they struggle to take command of their own lives in a world they have not made. 7.30pm. FREE. Full facilities for the Disabled. **WOMEN ONLY.** Tube: Kentish Town

CHARTING THE JOURNEY

Duke of Wellington, 19 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). Writings of black and Third World women hosted by Sheba Publishers. 8.00pm - 9.30pm. FREE. **BLACK WOMEN ONLY + DISCO (ALL WOMEN WELCOME).** 10.00pm - 12 midnight FREE. Full facilities for the Disabled. **WOMEN ONLY.** Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland

FILMS: LAST OF ENGLAND & WHAT SHALL I DO WITH A MALE NUDE & A KENNETH ANGER SHORT FILM Everyman Cinema, Hollybush Vale NW3. Contact box office for details (435 1525). Wheelchair Access available. Tube: Hampstead

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JEWISH GAY AND LESBIAN GROUP SHABBAT

CHAVURA FOR PRIDE 88 Alyth Youth and Community Centre, Alyth Gardens, London NW11. Tube: Golders Green. Details: Ring Norman on 956 2955. Disabled Access is limited - steep flight of stairs.

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by Fiona Cooper
Godmother to the fairies

SOMEWHERE in Kings Cross, a duvet heaved and groaned, rolled and swelled like Atlantic breakers. A pounding hypnotic rhythm filled the air with the heartbeat of distant drums.

"Oh, god! Oh god oh god oh god, oh oh oh!"

The duvet writhed with a life of its own and tumbled to the floor. Revealing - surprisingly - ONE body, in the throes of ecstasy. Suddenly the drums stopped.

"SHIT!" cursed the unwilling victim of a cruel coita interrupta. The trouble with safe sex, she thought, is the fucking batteries always run out. Ah well, there was always the shower. And heavens to Betsy! it was almost time to get up, and boogie down to the party with no invitation but the need in your soul. Mega-fun promised to all... Today would be some day!

In the pre-dawn sleepy heart of Berkshire, a dew-clad dreaming castle. In the castle a slumbering tower wreathed in mist. Behind the crystal panes of the topmost window a drowsy boudoir of oyster pink and gilt. And resting on the handwoven shag pile, a silk-draped Louis Quatorze four-poster. Let us part those curtains to find our sleeping beauty. She lies cuddled in the loving arms of Morpheus, and as we look in wonder, a silk-lashed eye flutters. It is the dazzling socialite of a thousand continents: Her Imperial Highness, Regina Fong.

An elegantly ringed hand makes a languid stretch to curl daintily around a golden bell, whose mellifluous tones trip down the spiral staircase. On each landing, doting minions tumble from their straw pallets, and hasten to their mistress' bidding. Steaming vats of asses milk fill the Salvador Dali baignoir, aristocratic flesh fills the Balenciaga peignoir, impeccable Jungle Red nails flick foam on the Renoir...

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"BUNTY! GERRUP! Where's me lags? And YOU! Call yerself an 'usband, nothin' but trouble to me - and get that flamin' kettle on! NOW! I've a leekin' train to catch!"

Motherhood in Thatcher's Britain is a tough job, but Lily Savage is a tough woman, and her bosom swells alarmingly with her Mission! Yeahrr! Them bloody perverts are marching today, our Lil is invading London in search of the lost fruit of her loins - our Alans coming home if she has to drag him! She's been through his room for addresses: disgusting! But at least she found some handcuffs - he'll not gerraway this time! And she'll have words with him, robbing a policeman...

The Savage family sit petrified as Lily rips gargantuan rollers from her tormented maternal head and teases her mutilated locks into respectability. Fashion nothin'! Bunty, half-asleep, butters a roller and is half-way through eating it before a plastic pin sticks in her throat and she senses something is wrong.

"Ggggg - mmmm - blilllugh!"

"Shurrup that language, our Bunty, I've told yer about bolting yer food! No bloody manners - that's your family! Right! Tara! I'm off!"

Lily Savage leaps onto the morning train; Bunty turns an unappealing shade of blue while our Dad pats her back to no effect; a discarded bri-nylon housecoat catches fire on the toaster. The budgie suffocates. Lily wants a carriage to herself, after all, a lady never puts her face on in company. But all the carriages are full. How a mother suffers! Half-way through her eyeliner, there is a sudden silence. She unglues her lids: feckin' 'ell, its the law! A word with her! What's that bloody boy been up to? "Mrs Savage? Suspected arson?? Thought you'd make a quick get-away, did you? Go through her bag! Oh - concealed weapons too? Book her!"

Alan's handcuffs are dangled in front of her face. There's only one thing a woman can do - Lily faints.

Is it a riot siren? Glass shatters all over The Elephant and Castle, a rude awakening to the Saturday a.m. snoozers. No - it's eight foot of Millie in four foot of bath-water, carolling *Wuthering Heights!* Lashings of Tesco's strawberry bath foam cover the monumental limbs; acres of Sexy Miss peroxide flood her delicate locks. On the polyester-grey satin-effect snuggle-up duvet - eight togs holofill - she has laid out her best. Lime-green fishnets that could have saved Captain Ahab a lot of trouble, star-spangled stilettoes, a shimmering fire-proof shift, enough plastic hoops on the earrings to guarantee a win at any sideshow.

"Gorgeous!" swoons Millie into her strengthened mirror.

Outside, fire-engines, social workers, the SAS, water-diviners, sooth-sayers, the territorial army.

"Something the matter? coos Millie, teetering through the crowds, absently KO-ing half-a-dozen firemen and a fire-hydrant with Tonka clutch-bag built to last.

"Did you hear anything suspicious?" says the local beat police-woman, Laura Norder.

"NOOOOOOOOOOOOO!" says Millie with a laugh that sets off the Thames barrier, and causes a Red Alert in the minute-men silos of Middle America.

Well, well, well, who's taking the piss? Is everyone miming?

"I'm booking the lot of you!" says Laura Norder. But even she can't hear her own voice. Millie stops a cab with the toe of one stiletto.

"Hyde Park, my little pigeon-shit!"

Sod it, thinks the cab-driver, who needs windows in the cab in summer anyway??

Time-warp at Westminster Pier.

"GET UP YOU LAZY MOTHERFUCKERS!"

"Like, cool it, man, this is eternity. We've been laid to rest!"

"FUCK YOU! I AM GOING ON THAT BARGE AND IF YOU THINK YOU'RE A MAN, YOU'D BETTER SHOOT YOUR SHOT!"

It's a hell of a job to get lurex polyester beyond the grave, and only one person could do it... DIVINE! The reluctant shades around him stir from their ghostly slumbers. Lights, camera, action! Divine struts on the roof, flinging hips and voice clear across the Thames. Today no-one sleeps!

Somewhere in Paris, sweet domestic bliss.

"Eat your grits, Gertie!"

Miss Stein spoons the proteinous roughage between her genius lips.

"Are you ready, Alice?"

"I'm not going to England."

"Aw, please, Pretty please???"

"No. Give me a please slathered with Sauce Natalie Barney and a side order of pommes-de-terre Picasso, and I still say NO!"

"I'll buy you a hat..."

"NO!"

Three hours later, Miss Stein and Miss Toklas land at Heathrow. Miss Toklas's iron coiffure is topped by a rick of black-laquered straw plumed with feathers torn from the tail of a bird of paradise, poppies plucked from a Monet painting. She looks hideous. But the price-tag! The expression on Gertie's face when she reads it was sheer poetry. A cab.

Said Miss Steinn: "We want to go to the place where everything that is happening is happening, and in the procedure, all that may be, is, and many things which might not be, are. And many people who have not been, will be, until their beingness creates a something which..."

"Cut the crap, Gertie - the meter's running!" snaps Miss Toklas, "Driver - Hyde Park!"

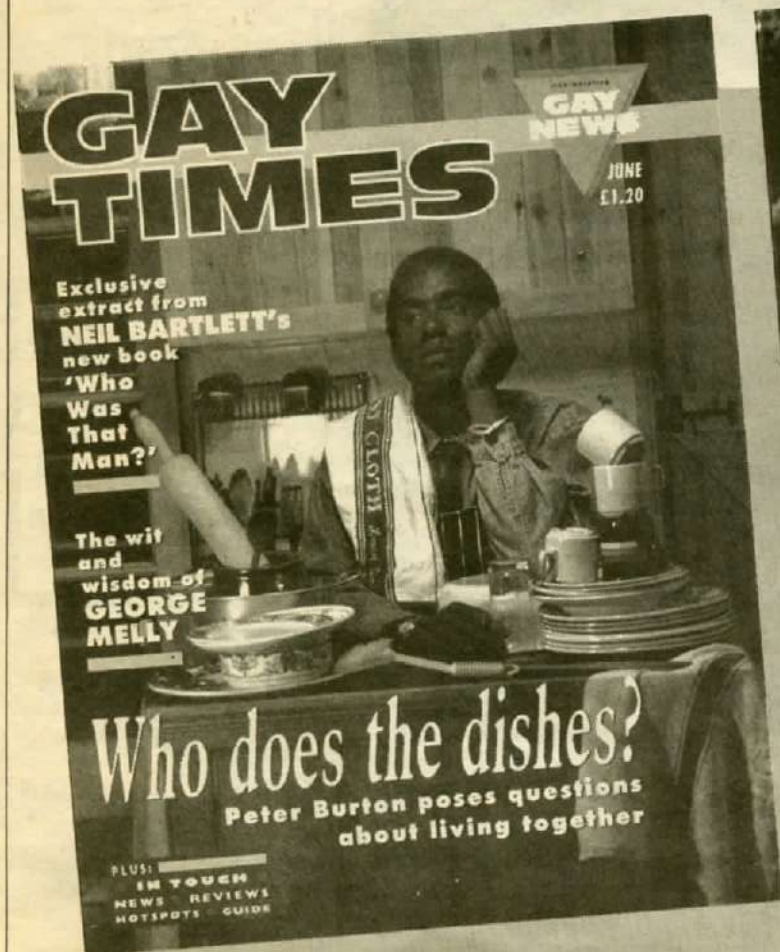
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GAY SWEATSHOP: This Island's Mine

'This Island's Mine' is a new and challenging direction for Gay Sweatshop, with a central theme of real exile and inner feelings of exile. Written pre-*Clause*, many of its ideas are sharply highlighted in our post-*Clause* society: we live here, but how much do we belong?

It is a Russian doll of a play, and like all good stories, has its listeners intrigued with what next, how and why. The disparate characters are caught at individual points of change or awareness and skilfully drawn together in a web of chance meetings, coincidence, hopes and fears. The form is story telling, where the characters project an infectious enthusiasm while narrating their lives. Sharon Nassauer's innovative musical score provides another rich seam in this multi-textured play. Since the play covers so many years and different locations, Kate Owen has used the motif of the house's attic as a focal point for the set. The house continually provides a refuge for those who have strayed, from a dispossessed Russian princess to a young gay man, Luke, who has left home in the process of coming out. The aged chatelaine, Miss

Rosenbloom, sleepwalks to the attic to sit in the chair where the Russian princess spent her last years, dreaming of going home. The attic holds ghosts, mysteries and memories. In her autobiographical book *Rain or Shine*, Cyra McFadden talks of 'the need to chronicle one's life, lest its events have no significance beyond oneself'. This play is like coming across a series of diaries written by a group of people who have the most elemental and surprising things in common. Gay Sweatshop in the future? Philip Osment says 'We want to do things that are important, and with this

play we're breaking new ground. We don't want to compromise, we want to filter comments through work that addresses everybody. Messages should be an implicit part of the performance, not the whole reason behind it'.

Plans include a Youth Project, written by Jackie Kay; a Womens' Project experimenting with form, involving eight women writers and performances that are developed through interaction with the cast. A Noel Grieg play is in the pipeline for 1989, twenty years after Stonewall, and again, the form will be daringly different, a staged oratorio. Gay Sweatshop has not, so far, had a recognisable house style, but 'This Island's Mine' and other projects point to exciting developments in this direction.

'I think national tours are very important,' says Philip. 'In Exeter the local Arts had £10,000 cut from its budget for booking us - and that



Margaret Roberston and William Elliott

was before the *Clause*. The idea was that young people could wander into the theatre and come into contact - shock, horror - with *homosexuals*! Some places just can't book us because their local councils won't fund it, Labour as well as Tory.'

'There is also a dearth of

mainstream press coverage, which makes us feel defensive, as if gay and lesbian theatre isn't really art. We do have a very specific community to cater for, but we don't want to be defensive or ghetto-ised.' 'Money's always been a problem,' says Kate Owen, cheerfully. 'We shall carry

on just as we've always done. We've got a commitment from GLA, and then there's project funding too. We've got more security now and that means we can think about where we want to go, with confidence.'

Fiona Cooper

Smoke gets in your eyes



Barbara Britton

FIONA COOPER whose sparkling wit and repartee have been gracing the drag pages of *The Pink Paper*, enjoying a different kind of drag. Her work has already been published in anthologies with Virago and Pandora, as well as in UK *Cosmopolitan* and *Womans' Day* in Australia. Her first novel, *ROTARY SPOKES*, appears with Brilliance Books in July. A rich comic saga about a dyke on a Harley rip-roaring through the Bible belt of Middle America to the end of her rainbow, *ROTARY SPOKES* is a breath of fresh air to blow your mind. Her second novel, a lesbian western in true spaghetti tradition, is bubbling along saucily and will be produced by Virago in 1989.

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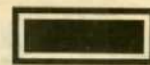
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Womens Section

MONDAY 6th JUNE - WEDNESDAY 15th JUNE

▽ "Britten & Pears - A Life Together 1937-1976" Exhibition.

Stoke Newington Library, Stoke Newington Church Street, N.16.
Also Talks - Dates to be announced. Open during library opening hours.
Details ☎ 800 1282 (Weekdays 9am - 5pm) ☎ 800 5754 (Saturdays after 5pm).

TUESDAY 14th JUNE

Womens Media Resource Project

▽ "An Evening with Converse Pictures"

- Lesbian and gay video workshop, with discussion.

Rio Cinema (Video Lounge) 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8.
7.30pm. £1.50/£1 concessions. 20% discount for WMRP members.
Tickets (must be booked) and details ☎ 254 6536. Women only.

THURSDAY 16th JUNE

The Rio Cinema, Women's Media Resource Project, and Centerprise present:

▽ "Clause and Effect"

- London's first, live, Pride Video extravaganza

A mix of video, film, poetry, cabaret, music, dance, and disco.

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8.
Late Bar 7.30pm till late. £5/£2 concessions. Details: Rio Cinema ☎ 249 2722/254 6677.
Centerprise ☎ 254 9632, Women's Media Resource Project ☎ 254 6536.

THURSDAY 16th JUNE

▽ Wealth

Chats Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, Hackney E.9.
Doors Open 9.00pm. £2.50/£2 concessions. Details ☎ 986 6714.

FRIDAY 17th JUNE - SUNDAY 26th JUNE

▽ "Britten & Pears - A Life Together 1937-1976"

Exhibition.

Hackney Central Library, Mare Street, E.8.
Also talks - dates to be announced. Open during library opening hours. Details ☎ 985 8262/6.

SATURDAY 18th JUNE

▽ National Annual Lesbian Strength March

Assemble Speakers Corner, Hyde Park, 1.00pm.

March leaves 2.00pm for London Lesbian and Gay Centre, and arrives 4.00pm
for commencement of afternoon and evening of lesbian entertainment until late.
See Press for details. Women only.

SUNDAY 19th JUNE

▽ Strength and Pride Concert

Bill includes Tom Robinson, Caroline Giffillan Band,
Simon Fanshaw, Hope Augustus.

Hackney Empire, Mare Street, E.8.
7.45pm. Doors Open 6.45pm. £5/£4 concessions. Details ☎ 986 0171.

MONDAY 20th JUNE

▽ An evening of Flamenco and South American music

Avellanay Camela with dancer Catalina.

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
9.00pm ... £2/£1 concessions.
All seats bookable.
Details ☎ 249 3729.

TUESDAY 21st JUNE

▽ The Go-Buggies

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
9.00pm. £2/£1 concessions. All seats bookable. Details ☎ 249 3729.

TUESDAY 21st JUNE

Women's Media Resource Project

▽ "Coming Out With The Lesbian Life Story"

(In association with Lesbian Archives).

Rio Cinema (Video Lounge) 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8.
Films and Discussion. 7.30pm. £1.50/£1 concessions. 20% discount for WMRP members.
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▽ ACCESS DETAILS

The Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8. (☎ 249 2722)
Auditorium Four wheelchair spaces, and access to toilet.
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Hackney Empire, Mare Street, E.8. (☎ 986 0171)
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Chats Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, Hackney E.9. (☎ 986 6714)
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The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1. (☎ 249 3729)
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For further information, please contact the venues direct.

WEDNESDAY 22nd JUNE

▽ The Pearl Divers

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
£2/£1 concessions.
All seats bookable.
Details ☎ 249 3729.

THURSDAY 23rd JUNE

Sheba Publishers present readings from

▽ "Charting The Journey"

- writings of black and third world women.

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
8.00 - 9.30pm Admission Free. Black Women Only. Followed by Disco for all women.
10.00pm-midnight. Admission Free. All seats bookable. Details ☎ 249 3729. Women Only.

THURSDAY 23rd JUNE

Women's Media Resource Project

▽ "Two in Twenty" ("Because One in Ten is so lonely")

- Part 1

Directed by Laurel Chiten, Cheryl Quamar, and Rachel McCallum.
European Premier. The Producer/Director will be present for questions and discussion.

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8.
7.30pm. £3/£2 concessions. Details ☎ 254 6536. Women Only.

FRIDAY 24th JUNE

▽ The Seal Club

An evening of Cabaret - Compere: Guy Jackson.

Featuring: The Sea Monster, Claire Dowie, Siren.

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
£3/£2 concessions. All seats bookable. Details ☎ 249 3729.

SATURDAY 25th JUNE

▽ National Annual Strength and Pride Parade and Festival

Assemble at Reformers Tree, Hyde Park (Speakers Corner end).

1-2.30pm. Parade arrives Jubilee Gardens 3.45pm for festival continuing to 10.30pm.
See Press for details.

SATURDAY 25th JUNE

▽ Makeshift Jazz Club

An evening of improvisational jazz by gay performers.

The Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N.1.
£3/£2 concessions. All seats bookable. Details ☎ 249 3729.

SATURDAY 25th JUNE

▽ A cabaret evening with Parker and Klein and the Go-buggie Babies

Chats Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, Hackney, E.9.
9.00pm. Doors Open 8.00pm. £2.50/£2.00 concessions. Details ☎ 986 6714. Women Only.

SUNDAY 26th JUNE

Women's Media Resource Project

▽ "Two in Twenty" ("Because One in Ten is so lonely")

- Part 2

Directed by Laurel Chiten, Cheryl Quamar, and Rachel McCallum.
European Premier. The Producer/Director will be present for questions and discussion.

Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E.8.
2.30pm. £3/£2 concessions. Details ☎ 254 6536. Women Only.

THURSDAY 30th JUNE

▽ Publishing and Section 28 - a talk by David Rees

Stoke Newington Library, Stoke Newington Church Street, N.16.
8.15pm. Admission Free.
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Entertainment

FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT - PRIDE '88 PRESENTS

It's proved exceptionally difficult choosing performers for all four of the Pride Carnival stages this year. We had so many acts, from all over the country, volunteering their services that we had to turn down most of them.

In making our selection, we have tried to come up with sufficient "big names" to pull the crowds whilst at the same time promoting lesser known lesbian/gay performers who we believe merit a wider exposure. Many of the names may be new to you, so we've written some blurb about each of them, a bit frivolously perhaps, but it will give you some ideas of who they are.

All performers are appearing for travel expenses only, some of the less poor ones have already donated it back to Pride. Most are exclusively lesbian/gay and, their own skill and hard work aside, all of them owe their continued success, in part at least, to the lesbian and gay community. They are also, every last one of them, performers we can be proud of. Watch, Listen and Enjoy.

ANGIE GOLD

The disco diva herself, Angie plays her latest on the main stage with more to come in the Disco Marquee. (Main Stage and Disco Marquee)

ANNA PALM

Anna Palm packs a lot of energy into her small frame, she's a violinist with a vengeance - and a voice to match. Requires serious listening, and well worth it. (Main Stage and Womens Stage)

BANDERAS WITH JIMMY SOMERVILLE

Banderas are the ex-backing group for the Communards, who are now going it alone. They will perform for us on the main stage with Jimmy Somerville singing. (Main Stage)

BOTTOM DRAWER

15 Final year drama students at Kent University. They've produced a "Clause 28 Show" which has toured around the country. Some of the songs from it are so good we thought you must hear them before they all go off and get jobs in the City. (Cabaret Marquee)

CAROL GRIMES

A stateswoman of Jazz, nothing more, nothing less. (Womens Stage)

CAROL LEEMING

Acapella bella. A rich powerful voice with the kind of range that makes a classic soul singer. (Main Stage and Womens Stage)

CAROLINE HODGSON

Caroline plays acoustic guitar and sings. She has also recorded "Shout", a song for Pride which will be performed on the main stage. We hope you love it as much as we do and rush to the

Pride stall to buy a copy. At £1.99, who can resist, especially since all profits go to Pride '88. (Main Stage and Womens Stage)

CITY GROUP SINGERS

A group of 15 people performing traditional and modern African songs. All members of the Anti-Apartheid Movement, they have performed all over the country to raise money and consciousness about the racist regimes in South Africa and Namibia. The exciting and moving songs, as performed by the City Singers, will show why it is that African music is becoming increasingly influential amongst many Western musicians. (Main Stage and Cabaret Marquee)

DECEPTIVE BENS

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THE DELTONES

A 17 woman strong blue beat ska band. Lots of big brassy sound, and rhythm to get you moving. (Main Stage)

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DI's NEW OUTFIT

"Somewhat loopy chamber music" says Time Out. In fact, a fascinating mix of classical, avant garde and something else again that'll keep your ears pricking with pleasure. (Main Stage and Womens Stage)

DISCO 2000

Heavy rapping duo with motor bike, Sounds sexy. (Disco Marquee)

DONER & KEBAB

Well, everyone else says "Gringlish Humour".....see what you think peeps! (Main Stage)

DRAG HOUR

You'll love it or you'll hate it! If you love it then you'll adore the line up. Hosted by Lilly Savage and Adrella, guests include Millie, Bop-pin in the Tropics...and many more. An hour of some of London's most talented and outrageous cross-dressers. (Cabaret Marquee)



Pride songstress - Caroline Hodgson



Ninety minutes of magic are offered by Erasure in Jubilee Gardens

ERASURE

Previous attempts to have them perform for Pride have fallen foul of their busy schedules, but not, at last, fresh back from Germany after their European tour, Erasure will be performing a full set on the main stage. What else can we say? (Main Stage)

ERIC PRESLAND

The Agatha Christie of gay comics, Presland's grasp of double/tripple/quadruple meaning and innuendo, not forgetting the twist at the end, makes him consistently funny and often hilarious. (Cabaret Marquee)

FABULOUS DIRT SISTERS

Up tempo and very dancy band. Music to make your toes twitch. (Womens Stage)

FAY PRESTO

Now you see it - now you don't. A world class magician who has played before Royalty, the

Vauxhall Tavern and the Mighty Wogan. Now that's a good trick, if ever I saw one! (Cabaret Marquee)

GO BUGGY BABIES

All you need know is that they are an amazingly boppy band, perfect for that carnival feeling. (Womens Stage)

THE GO DEVILS

A new band from Brighton. Pulsating and extremely catchy - remember you heard them first at Pride '88. (Main Stage)

THE HAIRY MARYS

Irish song and dance makes it sound rather dreary, but they are in fact one of the most musically and visually exciting performers ever. Don't miss them. (Cabaret Marquee and Womens Stage)

THE HOT DORIS BAND

Spangle-suited spangly musiked spangly voiced women. (Main Stage)

IAN SHAW AND HIS BAND WITH MADELEINE BELL

Two great voices "and his (mostly Jazz) band". A new album hits the streets soon. Another Pride success story? (Main Stage)

INSINUENDOS

Unloved by Vicars and Parish Councillors the world over. Three men and one woman in perfect harmony. Show songs and ballads with a certain special ingredient. (Cabaret Marquee)

JAN PONSFORD AND JANETTE MASON

Where the bloody hell is the copy David?

JOOLZ

Putting on a poet is one sure way to send an audience galloping for the beer tent. However this particular post-Punk poet should keep your bums firmly glued to the grass with her particular means of communication. She switches

from the hilariously funny to the dramatically moving with a unique economy of words. (Main Stage and Womens Stage)

JUNGR AND PARKER

Won top prize for comedy at the Edinburgh Festival with Arnold Brown. Jungr, by the way, is pronounced as in Jungr. Now that's class. (Cabaret Marquee and Womens Stage)

JULIE FELIX

A late sixties folk singer who's never stopped working, and brought you such classics as "We're all going to the Zoo". (Main Stage)

LAZ GAZPACHAS

Whirling Dervishes they aint, but the Moorish melodies of traditional Spanish Flamenco combined with lyrics of the most disgusting lesbian lewdness make Laz Gazpachas racier than any Derving Whirlish. Unfortunately, we don't understand a word of Spanish! (Womens Stage)

OFF BEAT WOMENS BIG BAND

Just when you thought it was safe to go to the beer tent, another 17 piece band with a mega-sound and mega-beat. (Main Stage)

PARKER AND KLEIN

The Morecambe and Wise of the lesbian scene, Parker and Klein have a slick and subtle humour occasionally breaking into verbal slapstick. (Womens Stage)

PEARL DIVERS

Where is the copy David?

PECCADILLOES

A new and laid-back cabaret singing duo with gay lyrics. (Cabaret Marquee)

THE PINK SINGERS

As traditional as Tom Robinson and Yorkshire Pudding. Variable numbers of lesbians and gay men variably singing perverted versions of Brecht and Weil, Sondheim et al.....(Cabaret

Marquee)

SANDIE SHAW AND RICHARD COLES

Sandie Shaw is certainly doing the rounds having worked with the Smiths and an assorted band of Buddhists. She's now working with Communard Coles. Their appearance at Pride will be their debut together. How can they fail? (Main Stage)

SENSIBLE FOOTWEAR

Songs and sketches with a jubilant feminist cutting edge; entertaining and thoughtfully funny. (Womens Stage)

SHE ROCKERS

A rapping trio (Disco Marquee)

SIMON FANSHAW

Fanshawe found fame fairly toon (fic) in his career on the alternative circuit. Frequent TV appearances have brought him mainstream recognition with out compromising his "out" gay identity. Various reviewed as "a terrorist", "a star is born", "One of the most accomplished stand ups in the business" and simply "Very Very Funny". Well.....he is. (Main Stage)

SINEAD O'CONNOR

She has been falsely compared to Kate Bush, Yoko Ono and Irving Berlin - and all because she shaved her head - "bored with the way I look... not for any symbolism". Sinead O'Connor sings with a band including Andy Rourke and Mick Joyce formerly of The Smiths. Described by NME as "the voice that sings like a hard fallen angel". Sardon came with the release of her album "The Lion And The Cobra" and her number one chart hit "Mandinka". (Main Stage)

SPECIAL GUESTS

There are a number of especially super-duper people appearing that we're not allowed to publicise. Partly to avoid a parkfull of screaming straight teenyboppers,

Entertainment



Communards Jimmy Sommerville and Richard Coles - praying for a sunny day for Pride

and partly management whim. However if you like young men on commercial leads, have a penchant for stained marzipan, or enjoy shoeing lost horses, you'll be very happy. The first correct answers received (on a postcard please) will be drawn out of a hat and placed on Boy George's mantlepiece. Ooooooops.

SPIES OF SATURN

Electronic music of the kind you'd like to swim to. (Womens Stage, Pool NOT Provided)

SUE ROSSITER

"Chantreuse et Raconteur" - pronounced "Aunt Rose ate racoon too" - her singing is delightful and the patter is quick and sharp. She can handle anything.....and anyone. (Cabaret Marquee and Womens Stage)

TOM ROBINSON

A tradition at Pride, the day would not be complete without his rendition of the latest version of "Sing if you're Glad to be Gay". Robinson is also probably one of the most skilled creative and thoughtful rock musicians in the country. Periodically he gets some recognition of this by way of success in the charts, but, happily,

fame and fortune are not his major priorities. His songs often have something to say strike chords in those who listen to his music. At present, Tom is touring his new show "Robinson Crusoe" which we are told mixes a little theatre with music, no doubt he'll perform some of it at the Carnival. (Main Stage)

WEE PAPA GIRL RAPPERS

A rapping duo. Surprised? (Disco Marquee)

Please note the times during which there will be acts appearing on the various stages.....

Main Stage : 4.30-10pm, Womens Stage : 4.30-9.15pm, Cabaret Marquees 4.30-9.15pm, Disco Marquee 4.00-9.15pm

All four venues have areas set aside for the disabled and wheelchair-bound, and also part of the grassed area in front of the Womens Stage is a Women Only area (see centrefold plan of Jubilee Gardens). Please help us by ensuring that these areas are only used by the designated people. There is a large grassed area for mixed men/women viewing of the Womens Stage.

Because of the number of acts appearing there will be no compere as such for any of the stages. Instead, we will use a dot matrix device and straight-forward announcements over the PA to keep you fully informed about WHO's on WHERE and WHEN.

Our special thanks to Saro Promotions whose hard work and knowledge made our job a lot easier. Remember, if you can help on the day, see "Are You Working For Pride?" (Page 3).

Please note that all performers listed are subject to availability.

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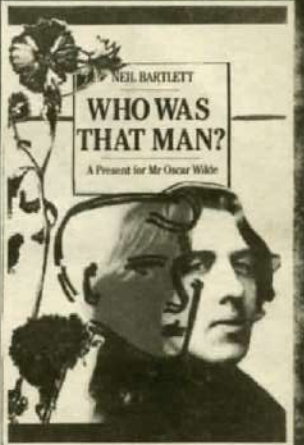
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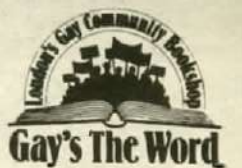
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Send your photo of the day with a donation (minimum suggested £1) to; Picture of Pride Competition, The Pink Paper, 42 Colebrooke, London, N1 8AF with your donation; cheques or postal orders made payable to Pride 88 or LAGPWC. The entries will be judged by The Pride Committee and should reach The Pink Paper by 15th July.

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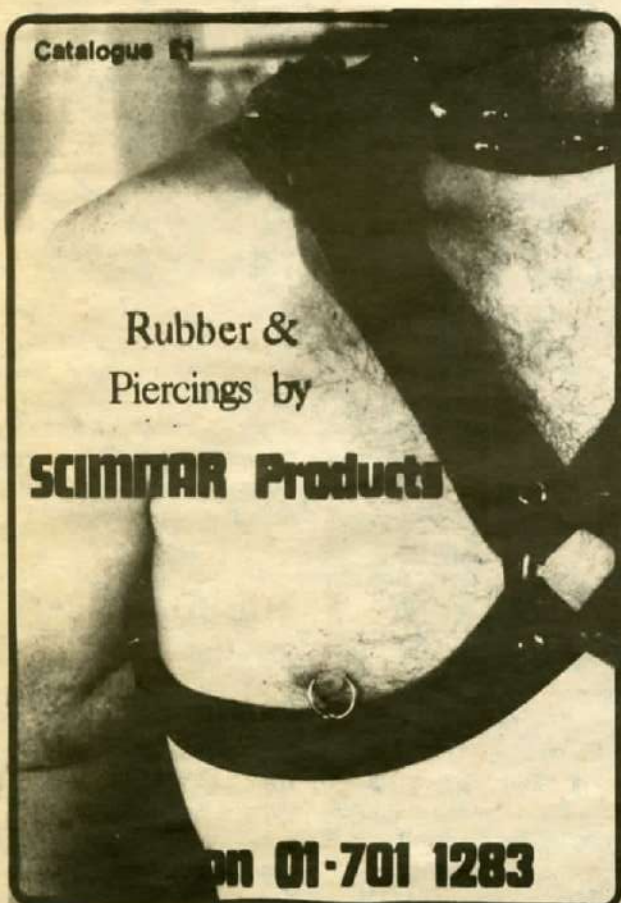
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Haringey Irish Cultural and Community Centre, Haringey Road N17
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FRI. JUNE 17
BLACK LESBIAN STRENGTH & GAY PRIDE
New Urban Cultural Centre, Clarendon Road N6
7.30pm - 11.00pm
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THURS. 23 JUNE
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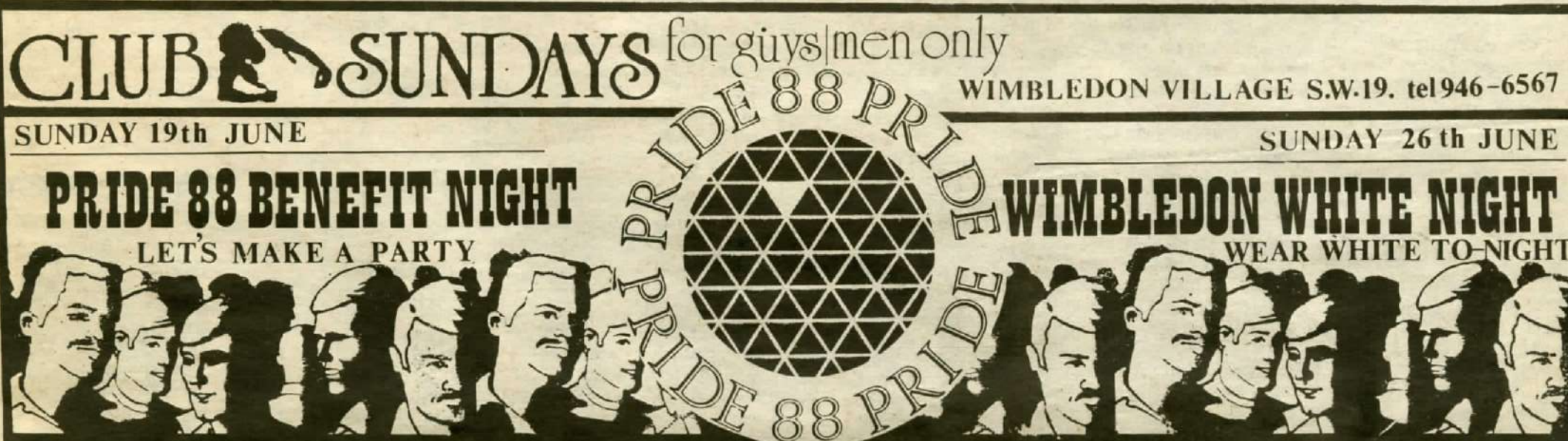
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FILMS: NOVEMBER MOON, GOTTA MAKE THIS JOURNEY, HET UP

Acton "Screen on the Green", The High Street, W3. November Moon needs no introduction, and is followed by Gotta Make This Journey, a documentary of Sweet Honey in the Rock. Next is Het Up, a ten minute animation plus video by independant feminist filmmakers. Doors Open 6.30pm WOMEN ONLY

POETRY READING

The Foyer, Ealing Civic Centre. Details from L. White on 579 2424 extension 52201

PRIDE PARTY AT THE CRAVEN CLUB

32, Craven Street, WC2 (near to Heaven). A special Pride Party from 3pm until 11pm. There'll be Raffles, Dancers and varied Entertainers. All proceeds to be split between Pride '88 and CHART. (Members and Guests Only)

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Heaven, Villiers Street, London. A Slezee Ball with a staged spectacular. All welcome, especially if dressed up or down in Leather, Rubber, Silk, Lycra or Lace. DJ Justin, £100 prize for the best costume. 10.30pm till very very late. Admission £4.00/£5.00. Tube: Embankment

GAY RIGHTS/ANTI APARTHEID ACTIVISTS SUPPORTERS RALLY

South Africa House, Trafalgar Square. Rally starts at 5pm, all banners welcome. Speakers include Peter Tatchell. Tube: Charing Cross/Embankment

SATURDAY 25 JUNE

LESBIAN AND GAY PRIDE CARNIVAL PARADE 1988

Assemble Reformers Tree, nr Speakers Corner, Hyde Park (Tube: Marble Arch) to move off at 2.30pm. Carnival in Jubilee Gardens, South Bank, commences 4pm, ends 10.30pm. Three Stages, including Womens Stage, Stalls, Beer Marquees.

COACHES FROM :

Nottingham - Departs from the "Salutation" at 8.45am (Organised by Nottingham Lesbian & Gay Community, tickets from Mushroom and Ourubus £5/£3, subject to availability) Bristol - Departs from the Gay West Coffee Shop, Anchor Road, at 10am. Also calls at Bath (No. 51 Bus Stop outside the Fernley Hotel) at 10.20am. Tickets £6/£4 from Full Marks Bookshop, Greenleaf Books and the Gay West Coffee Shop.

For details of other coaches, please contact your local Gay

group/Switchboard. Contact numbers are given in the Around Britain section of Gay Times.

GAY SWEATSHOP: "This Island's Mine"

Drill Hall, WC1. 8.00pm. see listing for Tuesday 21 June. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing

POST PRIDE PARTYING IN EC1!

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67 Cowcross Street, EC1 (608 1471). FULL DISABLED ACCESS. Tube: Farringdon

PARKER & KLEIN, THE GOBUGGIE BABIES

Chat's Palace, 42 Brooksbys Walk, E9 (986 6714). Doors open 8.00pm £2.50/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing. Bus: 22A. BR: Clapton, Homerton

MAKESHIFT JAZZ CLUB

Duke of Wellington, 119 Balls Pond Road, N1 (249 3729). Improvisational Jazz from Gay performers. £3.00/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland

DOUBLE VISION - ERIC PRESLAND

London Lesbian & Gay Centre, 67-69 Cowcross Street, EC1 (608 1471). Third Floor, 7.30pm. Full facilities for the Disabled. Tube: Farringdon LAST NIGHT

THE PINK PROMOTION RADICAL DISCO

Hammersmith Town Hall, King Street, London W6. 9pm - 2am. Admission: £3.00/£1.50 concs. Tickets are available on 748 3020 x2290, Gays The Word Bookshop, Leisure Department Reception, 181 King Street, Hammersmith, or on the door. A mega disco organised by the West London Campaign to Stop the Clause, and Trade Unions Against the Clause, sponsored by City Limits. Featuring Club DJs from the BEST Lesbian and Gay venues in Town, including Marc Lawrence, Julia Fodor (Daisy Chain), Vicki Edwards (Bad Club and Babylon) and Rachel Auburn (Taboo). Artistes appearing include Tom Robinson, Ann Matthews, The Bandanas and an Abseiler. There will also be food stalls and exhibitions.

MSC LONDON'S OWN VERSION OF CABARET

Upstairs At the British Flag, Newcourt Street, St John's Wood (Entrance by small back door in Lulworth Street). Starts 9pm, a small entry fee will be charged. Leather/Denim Dress Codes preferred. Sorry: No access for the Disabled.

POST PRIDE RELAXATION

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Further details on 837 3337. Tube: Kings Cross

PRIDE ALL-NIGHTER AT THE MARKET TAVERN

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SUNDAY 26 JUNE

TWO IN TWENTY (BECAUSE ONE IN TEN IS SO LONELY)

Part 2 Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, E8 (249 2722/254 6677). As for part 1 on 23 June. 2.30pm. £3.00/£2.00 concs. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing. WOMEN ONLY. Buses: 22,30,38,48,67,76,149,243,243A,277. BR: Dalston Kingsland

PRIDE 88 PICNIC ON HAMPSTEAD HEATH

Organised by Fusion (Multiracial Group). Meet 3pm behind Jack Straw's Castle, bring your own eats and drinks. Tube: Hampstead

"CHRIST HAS AIDS : PSYCHOSEXUAL TRANSFORMATION AND RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE"

The Tenth Michael Harding Memorial address given by Fr Bernard Lynch SMA St Botolph's Church, Aldgate. Starts 2.30pm, Admission £4.00/£2.00 concs., including Tea. Organised by the Lesbian and Gay Christian Movement. Access: Six steps, help available.

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THE SOLVENT OF ART - THE WILDE PLAY FOR THE 1980s BY PETER BRADLEY

The Oval House, 52-54 Kennington Oval, London SE11. The Solvent of Art is a major attempt to come to grips with the myths of Oscar Wilde and make sense of them in the era of AIDS and Clause 28. The Solvent of Art starts on a hillock in Ireland, ends in Paris and takes in New York, a male brothel close to the House of Commons, the Old Bailey and the beach at Dieppe on the way. Starts at 3pm, intervals at 5-6pm and 8-8.15pm, finishing at 9pm. Food Available. Full facilities for the Disabled and the Hard of Hearing. Admission: £4.50/£3.50 concs/OAP and Under 18s £1 Tickets available on 582 7680. Tube: Oval. Buses 3,36,36A,109,133,159

FILMS: THE BOYS IN THE BAND, KISS OF THE SPIDER WOMAN & ANGEL DUST

The Ritzy Cinema, Brixton Oval, Coldharbour Lane, Brixton, London SW2. The notorious camp classic The Boys in the Band kicks off at 1.00, William Hurt can be seen in The Kiss of the Spider Woman at 3.05, and rounding it all off is the stylish French thriller Angel Dust at 5.15pm. Admission: £2.80/£1.80 concs, annual membership required (50p). Tube: Brixton. Disabled Access through the side door, regret no accessible toilets. Ring first on 737 2121.

JUMBLE OF THE YEAR

Castle Haven Community Centre, Old Piano Workshop, Castlehaven Road, NW1. Starts 12 noon, all proceeds to the Camden Lesbian Centre & Black Lesbian Group, and the Women's Training Link. If you have any jumble or bric-a-brac to donate, please call CAROL on 383 5405.

NATIONAL LABOUR MOVEMENT NON-COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE

Conway Hall, Red Lion Square WC1. The conference will be addressed by Dr Austin Allen, the Bradford teacher sacked for declaring his sexuality. He was reinstated only after his colleagues in the National Union of Teachers threatened an all-out strike. Registration Fees: £1 waged, 50p unwaged, Labour Party wards £2, T.U. Branches £5, Regional/National organisations £10. 9.30am - 5pm, Free Breakfast 9.30 - 10.15. Full Disabled Access, Crèche. Tube: Holborn

MONDAY 27 JUNE

STRENGTH AND PRIDE AT LONDON COLLEGE OF PRINTING

Room TS4, 5th Floor, London College of Printing, Elephant

and Castle SE1. Screening of Lesbian and Gay videos from 3.30pm. "Framed Youth" at 3.30, "All Out: Dancing at Dulais: Lesbians and Gays Support the Miners", "Plague on You", "Out from the Shadows", "This is not an AIDS advert" and "Where there was silence". Organised by London College of Printing Lesbian and Gay Society.

TUESDAY 28 JUNE

EDINBURGH : BOOK SIGNING

West and Wilde Bookshop, 25 Dundas Street, Edinburgh. Bob Cant will read and sign copies of "Radical Records: Personal Perspectives on Lesbian and Gay History". Starts at 8pm. Full Disabled Access

WEDNESDAY 29 JUNE

GREENWICH LESBIAN AND GAY CENTRE PRESENT A STOP THE CLAUSE BENEFIT

The Albany, Douglas Way, Deptford. Artistes appearing include Hope Augustus, The Insinuos, The Go Buggy Babies (+disco). Admission: £5/£3 from the Albany Box Office (691 3333) or GLGC (316 5954) and on the door. Wheelchair Access available, phone the Albany on 691 8016 for further details.

SATURDAY 2 JULY

COVENTRY PRIDE

St Peter's Centre, Charles Street, Coventry. Starting at noon with live entertainment, food, women's space, creche and picnic area. Disabled Access: one small step, help available

PICNIC AT PIERS GAVASTONS'S MONUMENT, COVENTRY

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- **WE CAN BE PROUD** that we have always seen that AIDS affects the whole community, and freely offered our advice, services and support to all.
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- **WE CAN BE PROUD** that we have developed and encouraged safer sex which can protect ourselves and others. We can be so proud that we have continued to look for love - and to make love.

WE'VE GOT SO MUCH MORE TO DO

- **WE NEED TO** help our community organisations as they grow and change, and enable them to provide adequate services to all, irrespective of gender, sexuality, colour, creed or age.
- **WE MUST ALWAYS** celebrate the dignity and strength of those of us living with AIDS, ARC or HIV.
- **WE NEED TO** remember the importance of helping ourselves and others to continue to make love, safely.
- **WE NEED TO** work together to fight for Human Rights, our civil liberties and a high quality of life.

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