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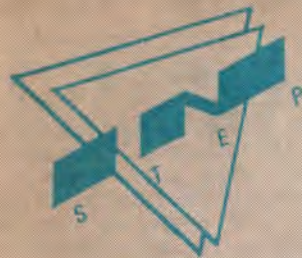


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cover story

This issue's cover is by new-comer Ricky Becker, a UW-Milwaukee Commercial Art Student. He salutes gay disco diva and film star Divine on the 1 year anniversary of Divine's death. Divine also made her final Milwaukee concert appearance at Club 219 approximately 1 year ago.

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for the next issue
the March 16-March 29th
Issue is 7pm, Wed., March 8

That issue will cover St. Patrick's Day (3/17), and Easter Sunday (3/26).

You'll find the new, updated version of **The Guide** in this issue, and you'll note we're back to a 64 page issue, thanks to more advertising.

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NOW Plans Major March

[NOW]- NOW President Molly Yard is predicting that the anger and fear generated by the U.S. Supreme Court's decision to hear a major case challenging legalized abortion will result in the April 9 March for Women's Equality/Women's Lives in Washington, D.C. being the largest March for women's rights in U.S. history.

"The surge in organizing for this March is unprecedented in our experience," Yard said, "and NOW has a long history of organizing marches and other street actions. Clearly, people from every part of the country finally have realized just how real this threat is to a fundamental right of privacy — the right to decide to terminate an unwanted pregnancy — and they are responding to the March call in larger than ever numbers."

On January 9, the Court announced it would hear **Webster V. Reproductive Health Services**, an appeal to uphold the constitutionality of Missouri's abortion law which also seeks to challenge the constitutionality of **Roe v. Wade**. Missouri's law has been declared unconstitutional by both a federal district court and a federal circuit court of appeals. On November 10, 1988, two days after President Bush's election, the U.S. Department of Justice sent a message to the High Court asking it to hear the **Webster** appeal and to use the Missouri case as a vehicle for reviewing the **Roe** decision to overturn it.

Entertainment Bias To Be Challenged

In response to the pervasive anti-gay/lesbian bias in the entertainment industry, three national gay rights and feminist organizations have launched a long-term campaign to challenge bigotry within the industry. The "Campaign For Fairness in Entertainment" was launched by the National Gay & Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF), the Gay & Lesbian

In addition to the general March call, the NOW president has issued a special call to the nation's lesbian and gay communities to join the March on April 9.

"This call to the lesbian and gay communities goes beyond NOW's long-standing support and advocacy for lesbian and gay rights," she explained. "We have long recognized the connection between reproductive rights and lesbian and gay rights as basic issues of privacy. The enemy is the same — a fanatical, organized Right Wing that seeks to control others through government intrusion in very private, very personal decisions and lifestyles.

Among the more than 100 national groups and organizations that have endorsed or announced participation in the March for Women's Equality/Women's Lives are many of the national lesbian and gay organizations, including: The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, National Gay Rights Advocates, Human Rights Campaign Fund, Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund, Lesbian Rights Project, Dignity, The National Committee to Free Sharon Kowalski, and the Lesbian And Gay Democrats of America.

Groups and individuals interested in organizing a delegation of simply participating in the April 9 March should contact their local or state NOW chapters or contact the National NOW Action Center.

Alliances Against Defamation (GLAAD) and the New York Chapter of the National Organization For Women (NY-NOW).

The Campaign has three goals: (1) to make it unacceptable both economically and morally for the entertainment industry to subsidize and promote

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- New Beginnings (monthly newstr.) Box 25, Westby 54667
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101 Graham, Eau Claire (715) 834-8822

- Gay & Lesbian Alliance P.O. Box 111, Platteville 53818
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- Among Friends (bi-monthly news magazine)
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- Wisconsin Light (bi-weekly G/L newspaper)
1843 N. Palmer, Milwaukee 372-2773

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homophobia, sexism and racism; (2) to support equal opportunity for openly gay and lesbian works and artists in the entertainment industry; and (3) to challenge the entertainment industry to take creative action to counter bigotry and intolerance by donating money to fund community based programs that fight racism, sexism and homophobia.

The Campaign will utilize a range of tactics from lobbying, negotiation, letter writing, and corporate education, to demonstrations, boycotts, direct action and other media activity.

The Campaign grew out of two recent entertainment industry actions: the release by Warner Brothers Records of an anti-gay comedy album by Sam Kinison; and the broadcast by Lorimar/NBC of an extremely AIDS-phobic script on the show "Midnight Caller." Both of these events precipitated extensive national protests by AIDS activist groups like ACT UP (AIDS Coalition To Unleash Power). In each instance concessions were made by Warner Brothers and Lorimar Pictures as a result of the protests.

"These two action by entertainment industry leaders alarmed us deeply and made us committed to convincing the industry that such hate mongering is not only morally wrong but also, in the long run, financially unprofitable," explained GLAAD Director Craig Davidson.

The immediate target of the campaign is a comedy routine by Sam Kinison recorded and distributed by Warner Brothers Records, and recently broadcast by Home Box Office. The record, entitled "Have You Seen Me Lately?" reinforces prejudice against gay men, lesbians and people with AIDS. The record is also extremely sexist. Excerpts from the record are enclosed with this press release.

The Campaign For Fairness In Entertainment calls upon concerned individuals to register their dismay at the Kinison record and the extensive promotional support it has received from Warner Brothers Records by doing the following: (1) boycotting Warner Brothers Records; (2) writing to Warner Brothers

Records explaining that you are boycotting their records until the company demonstrates its opposition to prejudice against gay men and lesbians.

Letters about Kinison's record may be sent to: O Ostin, Chairman, Warner Brothers Records, 3300 Warner Boulevard, Burbank California 91510 (818) 846-9090. Copies of correspondence should be sent to GLAAD, 99 Hudson Street, New York NY 10013.

**Sharon Kowalski
Finally Gets Visit**

[NOW]- Sharon Kowalski and Karen Thompson have finally met again.

On February 2, Thompson made her first visit to Kowalski in more than three years, a visit that extended over a three-day period. In just that short span, Kowalski showed cognitive improvement from contact with her life partner, Thompson, who has been denied visitation by Kowalski's father since 1985.

Sharon Kowalski was severely injured in an automobile accident in November, 1983 and has been hospitalized ever since. Her father Donald Kowalski, who was appoint her legal guardian, moved his daughter to a nursing home with minimal rehabilitative care and barred Thompson and Sharon's other friends from visiting her.

After a four-year legal battle to get rehabilitative care for Kowalski, Thompson was able to convince the court to test her for competency last September. As a result, St. Louis County (MN) District Court Judge Robert V. Campbell issued an order on December 28, 1988, that Kowalski be transferred to Miller-Dwan Medical Center in Duluth for a period of rehabilitative care. The court order also stated that Sharon was to be allowed to visit with whomever she specifically and reliably requested to visit.

"We hope that the rehabilitative care will enable Sharon to go home against someday, to a home of her choice," said NOW President Molly Yard. "Karen Thompson is to be commended for her

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persistence in seeking and winning better care for her partner despite overwhelming odds.

"Sharon Kowalski's rights were being violated," Yard said. "She was being denied rehabilitative care that could help her live a fuller life, and she was being denied the right to live her life with whomever and how she saw fit. NOW is proud to stand with Thompson and Kowalski in this fight."

Although Sharon Kowalski has been under the legal guardianship of Donald Kowalski since 1984, the September 1988 test were her first full evaluations for competency. Guardianship law requires such testing at least annually. Thompson has been pursuing legal action since 1984 for improved medical care for Kowalski, as well as the right to visit here and help care for her. Kowalski had been kept in the Leisure Hills Health Center in Hibbing, MN, since 1985, which has limited rehabilitation facilities and was prevented from seeing any visitors not approved by her father.

Mailgrams to Heat Up Capitol Hill

Washington, D.C. [HRCF]- There's nothing more persuasive to a politician than an avalanche of mail from voters back home dumped on his or her desk. Now, thanks to the new Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF) mailgram; "Action Hotlines," lesbians and gays can increase the volume of mail to Congress and influence vital AIDS and civil right legislation.

The two new toll-free mailgram hotlines, now in operation, let gay and lesbian constituents and their supporters send hard-hitting messages on important issues, instantaneously, to their senators and representatives. One hot line is for AIDS, the other is for civil rights and fairness issues.

The Action Hotline is the first step in a new HRCF campaign called **Speak Out** designed to dramatically increase pressure on Capitol Hill using hotlines and other strategies to be announced in

the near future.

"The hotlines are weapons we'll use to combat and offset the radical right's extremely effective grassroots mail machine," said Steve Endean, HRCF Field Division director. "We still lose too often because members of Congress are flooded by mail from other opponents. Congress doesn't hear from the majority on our side. The HOTLINES are designed to help change that."

Both hotlines have the same 800 number, but different operator numbers. To send a mailgram, callers dial, without charge, 1-800-257-4990, (day or night) and ask for either **Operator 9184** for AIDS messages or **Operator 9188** for lesbian and gay rights messages. The operator will read three 50-word messages on Congressional issues identified by HRCF as targets for grassroots pressure.

The mailgrams cost \$4.50 each (additional mailgrams are \$4.00 and are charged to the caller's telephone bill.) The prepared mailgrams can be changed by HRCF on a regular basis to coordinate with legislative priorities and strategy.

HUD Says HIV No Bar to Housing

WASHINGTON, D.C. [Windy City Times]- The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) released its final guidelines on handicap discrimination under the soon-to-be enacted Fair Housing Act recently, to the praise of national AIDS and civil liberties groups.

The Fair Housing Act, passed last year by Congress, amended the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to prohibit discrimination in housing on the basis of handicap, including AIDS. However, AIDS groups hoped that HUD would add AIDS and HIV infection, specifically, to a laundry-list of medical conditions that expressly qualify as handicaps. Early in February HUD did so. The bill is set to go into effect on March 12.

American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) AIDS Civil Rights lobbyist Chai Feldblum, one of a group of activists working on the measure, praised the department's inclusion of HIV infection on the list.

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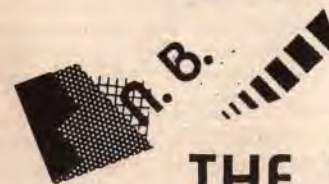
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S.F. Lawyers Back Same-Sex Marriage

San Francisco, Calif. [Journal]- The board of directors of the 8,000-member bar Association of San Francisco on Wednesday called for an end to state law banning same-sex marriages, a legal newspaper reported.

Such bans were called "invidious discrimination" by the association's president, Peter G. Keane.

Police Forced to Release Stonewall Files

NEW YORK T.W.N.- The New York State Supreme Court has ordered the New York Police Department (NYPD) to turn over its vast files on early gay rights organizations and on the July 27, 1969 Stonewall Riots, to gay historian, Michael Scherker, reports **The New York Native**. Scherker is preparing an oral history of the riot and its effect on gay and lesbian life in America. He had asked to see the files in March, 1988 and was denied access to them by the NYPD in May.

Seeking to force the release of the files, the historian went to the Center for Constitutional Rights (CCR) for help. CCR attorney Joan Gibbs, who represented Scherker in the case, based her arguments on the state and federal Freedom of Information Acts. The NYPD based its case on a law which restricts the releasing of "spy" files only to parties who were the subjects of file or to members of organizations that may have been the subject of a file. Commenting on the victory, Scherker said, "I am thrilled tht the Police Department finally recognizes their obligation to release these documents. The purpose of getting this information released was not to cause trouble but to clear up the historical record." Scherker has yet received only 90 pages from the NYPD's immense holdings and early gay groups and the Stonewall riot. Attorney Gibbs has stated that she will go before the court again to ask for the complete record. Nevertheless,

Scherker remains optimistic, noting, "coming on the 20th anniversary of the Stonewall raids, the significance of this decision cannot be understated."

To Coors, Or Not To Coors...

West Hollywood, Ca. [T.W.N.]- Disagreement over the acceptance of advertising and donations by the gay/lesbian press and organizations and AIDS service groups from the Adolph Coors beer brewing family, once the target of a strong consumer boycott over its racist, homophobic, and union-busting tactics, continues.

Gary S. Jonker, director of Christopher Street West, Los Angeles' Gay and Lesbian Pride committee, criticized gay/lesbian media and organizations accepting money from Coors in a letter appearing in the **Advocate**. In the letter, Jonker denounces the dropping of the boycott and the acceptance of Coors as "unconscionable," compromising the best interests of the gay and lesbian community.

The recent appearance of Coors ads in gay publications have drawn opposition from others and acts of vandalism have taken place against at least one newspaper carrying such ads. However, many papers accepting the Coors ads have defended their decision to run them in editorials alleging that Coors has changed its ways. They assert that a new, more moderate generation has taken over the company, which is trying to make amends to the groups the company alienated over the years. Part of Coors' new outreach is a national advertising campaign in the gay and lesbian media and the donation of money to AIDS service organizations around the country.

Dennis Colby, publisher of Los Angeles **Edge** magazine, said that gay activists who continue to attack Coors as anti-gay are living in the past. "I object to statements that 'greedy publishers' are 'prostituting' the gay press by accepting Coors ads," he says, "That's bullshit."

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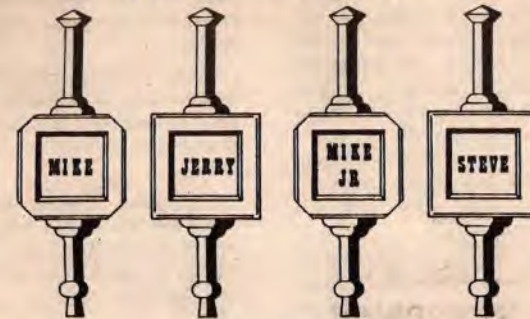
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315 W. Court St., 53212 273-2437
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NY High Court Reviews Gay's Rent

NEW YORK (Windy City Times)- In the first gay life-partner case to come before the New York Court of Appeals, the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) Lesbian and Gay Rights Project has filed a brief for a gay man arguing that he should be regarded as a member of his deceased lover's family, and accordingly protected against eviction from the couple's rent-controlled apartment.

The plaintiff the ACLU is representing is Miguel Braschi, who lived with his lover in the New York apartment for 10 years. The lease was in his lover's name. When his lover died the landlord, Stahl Associates, moved to evict Braschi from the apartment.

New York regulations permit surviving spouses and family members who live in an apartment to remain and take over the rent-controlled lease if the tenant dies. Braschi argues that, as a gay life-partner, he is a member of his deceased lover's family, and is entitled to the lease.

"This is but one of the dozens of cases in which landlords are attempting to evict surviving gay lovers from their homes. With the AIDS crisis, the quantity of these claims is skyrocketing," said William B. Rubenstein, staff attorney for the ACLU's Lesbian and Gay Rights Project.

"Because it is the highest court in New York state, the Court of Appeals decision will finally decide whether gay couples will be treated equally under rent control," Rubenstein said.

S.F. Bystanders Stop Gay Bashing

[EQUAL TIMES]- Two high school students trying to beat up a gay man on a San Francisco bus were stopped and arrested due to the intervention of bystanders, according to the **Bay Area Reporter**. A man who boarded the bus and saw the attack in progress persuaded the bus driver to stop the vehicle. Police were then called to the scene.

A group of gay men surrounded the bus and began blowing whistles until the

police arrived.

"It was a good old fashioned gay power that I haven't experienced in years," said Doug Young, a witness. "When they arrested those guys, everybody burst into applause."

Under the California Ralph Civil Rights Act, parents can be held liable and their assets attached if a minor in their charge attempts to assault or even threatens to bash.

"It's great, because word will get back to the parents of kids who try to bash gay people that they will end up having to pay for their children's anti-gay violence," said Young, a lawyer.

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CIA Told to Grant Lesbian's Clearance

SAN FRANCISCO [T.W.N.]— The Central Intelligence Agency's (CIA) blanket policy denying security clearances to all persons who are found to have committed "homosexual acts," is wrong. The 9th Circuit U.S. Circuit of Appeals recently rendered this decision in the case of Julie Dobbs, a lesbian scientist employed by a Silicone Valley defense contractor. The CIA has denied Dobbs access to classified information necessary to her continued employment in 1981, citing her "pattern of homosexual activity," and adding that granting her a security clearance would not be consistent with the interests of national security. The

finding reversed an earlier district court ruling upholding the discriminatory procedures. An appeal of the Circuit Court ruling by the CIA is expected.

Cruising for Sex Ban Ruled Illegal

Orlando, FL [Gay Chicago]— A law banning cruising for sex in a public park is unconstitutional, a judge in Orlando, FL has ruled. Judge Walter Komanski tossed out a case against a retired Air Force colonel and said the law against walking or sleeping in the bushes made "ordinary innocent conduct illegal" and that the law was attempting to halt activity that was no threat to public safety.

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AIDS Activist Guilty Of Felony Fraud

[EQUAL TIMES]- A woman who founded an organization designed to help people with AIDS keep their pets pled guilty to a felony on January 17, according to the Bay Area Reporter Cappie Peterson, founder of the P.A.W.S. (Pets Are Wonderful) was accused of taking advantage of a man with AIDS.

Peterson was called to remove a cat from the apartment of Timothy Blackburn when Blackburn entered the hospital in 1987. When he died in September of that year, checks began appearing at a veterinary clinic drawn on Blackburn's account.

The checks continued until April 1988 when they began bouncing. Checks were also being cashed on Blackburn's account at a check cashing service

The situation was brought to the attention of District Attorney Arlo Smith by a friend of Blackburn's. Smith said, "I want the people of San Francisco to know

my office will always give this type of case the highest priority." Sentencing was scheduled for mid February.

Graffiti Bust Ends Utah City Sex Law

SALT LAKE CITY (Windy City Times)- An overzealous police officer in Provo City, the home of the Brigham Young University, read an invitation to homosexual acts on a men's room wall, called the telephone number it included, and arranged to meet the interested party.

When the cop met Rulon D. Willden at his home he arrested him for violating Provo City's sex solicitation ordinance. Willden was convicted, but the law was later overturned because it was "vague and sweeping," and a violation of free speech.

Montrose Voice, the Houston gay and lesbian newspaper, reported that the Utah Supreme Court overturned the Provo law because of its vagueness and because it "runs afoul of the First Amendment."

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GWM, 28, looking for a special guy 25-35 who likes to be around someone who is romantic and fun-loving. I'm 5'10", 180 lbs., brown eyes with sandy-blonde hair. The man I'm looking for wants to develop a sincere, monogamous relationship. I enjoy art, traveling, movies, writing, the outdoors, and fun nights out on the town. If you want someone really special to be a part of your life and you live in the Fox Valley (Appleton, Neenah, Menasha, Green Bay, Oshkosh, and surrounding areas), contact me. This could be the beginning of a great relationship. Write to me today at: P.O. Box 164, New London, WI 54961. Please send a photo. Confidentiality guaranteed.

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MGWM Mature, sensitive, sincere, straight acting/appearing seeks others: married, single, gays/bi's for correspondence, friendship, and exploring of each other. Hairy, bearded, neat, clean, anxious. Write P.O. Box 6083, Madison, WI 53716.

GWM, 25, 150 5'10" Br. Br. Professional, straight acting, into acting, singing, dancing, music. I enjoy working out, movies, plays, etc. Dancing, but especially spending time with someone special, out or at home. No fats, fems, drugs, smokers, or heavy drinkers. Similar interests? Good-looking between 20-30? Send letter with photo: 1601 N. Farwell, Box 42, Milwaukee, WI 53202.

Lust is a simple thing; What could be more simple than mutual attraction? Well, now that I have you, spread out in all your glory. I want you even more, so show me what you like. Ah, Lust! GWM, preoccupied with sexual pleasures, 35, 5'11", 170lbs, mustache. Reply, Photo welcome, P.O. Box 92616, Mil. Wis. 53202

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"Creating Change" Conference

The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) has announced that its annual conference for Gay and Lesbian activists and organizations will be held during Veteran's Day weekend on November 11-13, 1989. The NGLTF Creating Change Conference will be held in Washington, D.C.

The NGLTF Creating Change Conference is unique among gay and lesbian conferences in its extensive focus on the strategies and tactics of our political movement. Sessions are designed to foster skill and resource sharing among Gay and Lesbian activists who are engaged first hand in civil rights battles at the state, local and federal level. A wide range of issues will be covered at the conference, including sessions on organizational management and development, fundraising and financial management, lobbying and other legislative work, media organizing, direct action, and grassroots organizing on the myriad political issues facing our community.

Persons interesting in obtaining information about the conference, write NGLTF, 1517 U St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Attention Artists and Illustrators

The Milwaukee Lesbian/Gay Pride Committee is interested in obtaining a design for its 1989 Celebration Poster. The design selected will be used to announce and promote events and to serve as a commemoration of the 20th Anniversary of Stonewall. The International Association of Lesbian and Gay Pride Committees selected the 1989 Theme which was "Stonewall 20: A Generation of Pride."

Pride activities will take place throughout the Milwaukee area during the period June 17 through June 26, 1989.

The finished size will be approximately 12" by 17" in two colors. Ideas should be consistent with the Stonewall (1969) Riots — twenty years later. The organization's logo will be used on the poster. Entries should not be signed so that an impartial judging of all entries can be held. However, the selected design may be signed by the artist before the posters are printed. The poster may also serve to provide a design for buttons, T-shirts and other memorabilia of the 1989 Celebrations. The deadline for submission of entries is Wednesday

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Anyone interested in submitting a design for consideration may contact the Committee at 225 S. 2nd Street, Milwaukee, WI 53202, or by calling either 933-6931 or 264-2740 during evening hours.

Let your imaginations run wild!

GALVANize Fundraisers

GALVANize, Madison's Gay and Lesbian Visibility Alliance which is planning the city's first Gay Pride March on May 6 has announced the following fund raising events for the month of March.

March 15 there will be a Women's Night Benefit at the New Bar. March 24- a dance held in Tripp Commons at U.W.-Madison's Memorial Union. There will also be a benefit at the Cardinal Bar, though the date has not been announced. For more information contact: GALVANize, P.O. Box 1403, Madison, WI 53701-1403. For instant information call (608) 255-8061.

AIDS Care Network

The **AIDS Care Network [ACN]** is an organization dedicated to working with people with AIDS/HIV, their families, partners and friends. The organization serves Janesville, Beloit and the southeast/central Wisconsin area, from its home base in Rockford, IL. The organization provides support group meetings, does fund raising and helps those with AIDS/HIV in obtaining medical assistance.

ACN is currently seeking volunteers to work in its Buddy Project. Buddies work with PWA's to help with daily and personal needs. Training seminars will be held in Rockford on the following dates: April 8, April 22 and May 6. Anyone interested in becoming a Buddy or for more information write to: ACN, P.O. Box 6573, Rockford, IL 61125-1573.

MMFG Plans Winter Beach Party

Metro Milwaukee Friendship Group (MMFG) has a host of activities planned for this March. The event of the season is the upcoming Summer beach party at the monthly meeting. The affair they are concocting includes spinning '60's beach-movie records, playing Twister and dancing to the limbo. Everyone is requested to come in beach attire and bring tropical snacks to share. The meeting will be held (indoors, of course) on March 11 at 7:00 p.m.

Two restaurant outings are also planned for March by the group. The monthly dinner will be held March 16 and a fish fry on the 31st. Both are sure to please even the most discriminating gourmet.

This month, MMFG'ers will have a chance to see the new award-winning Rain Forest exhibit at our world-famous Milwaukee Public Museum. The expedition will begin with lunch at the M&M Club, then make its way to a Central American jungle in the heart of downtown Milwaukee.

Also planned for March is a roller skating outing as well as the on-going mania to see the latest movies from Hollywood. Members are asked to sign up for events at the meetings or call ahead to ensure their place.

If you would like to attend an activity or want more information about the group, please write to Metro Milwaukee Friendship Group, P.O. Box 93203, Milwaukee, WI 53203.



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GWF, 20, College student and non-smoker Seeking close friendship/relationship with another white woman, between the ages of 20-35 who is a non-smoker and either a professional or a college student. Likes music, sports, dancing and romance. Not into drugs or bars. Please write: Joanne B. 119 E. College Ave. Waukesha, WI 53186 or call: (414)524-7711.

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Wanted Stable, employed Male roommate Lrg. 3 bedroom upper flat, River West area. Parking, laundry & storage, cable, sun deck. \$150.00 plus 1/2 utilities & security. Available immediately. Call anytime, Mike 372-2371.

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horoscope

by R.D. Thompson

ARIES: March 21 to April 21

Finances should be looking great for the most part but keep in mind that wells sometimes run dry. Burning the candle at both ends is not the most healthy thing you could be doing. You might want to take an evening off and just relax.

TAURUS: April 22 to May 21

Plans and ideas come fast for you these days and it seems as though your mouth runs likewise. Have you ever heard of being your own worst enemy? Remain a little low keyed for the next couple of weeks and then let 'em have it full blast.

GEMINI: May 22 to June 21

Career matters are definately on the upswing but those who work for or under you may be giving you a bit of trouble. Some of you may be feeling that YOUR life is going nowhere but what do you do when you fall off a horse? You get right back on and ride.

CANCER: June 22 to July 23

O.K. so an intimate relationship is running hot and cold (it's going to for awhile yet) and friends are demanding more time than you've got, bare in mind that you are a pretty special person and that what goes around eventually comes around.

LEO: July 24 to August 23

Finally, it's beginning to look like you're getting the recognition that you deserve. Heaven knows that you've been beating your brains out for the last couple of months and that it's only going to be for a little while longer. Chin up, you're almost home.

VIRGO: August 23 to September 23

Up and down, high and low, on and off, what happened to the happy 'middle of the road' you've grown so accustomed to? Well... it looks like life just isn't going to make it easy for you. You're going to have to tighten your belt and make this happen for yourself this time.

LIBRA: September 24 to October 22

Life should run rather smoothly for the next couple of weeks. In fact, you could almost say it's boring compared to what you're used too. On the flip side... a romantic encounter may be just around the corner along with a taste of heaven.

SCORPIO: October 23 to November 22

Partnerships of all kinds are highlighted during this time and you might be able to work up the nerve to ask for a serious commitment of any sort and get it. Warning! Be absolutely sure that this is what you want for you may not be able to shake it later.

SAGITTARIUS: November 23 to December 22

Financial matters should let up for the next couple of weeks and you may even find your home life on a comfortable upswing. While the pressure is off, give some serious thought to a career change. What have you got to loose?

CAPRICORN: December 23 to January 20

The energies that you've been putting into your image lately are starting to pay off. Others have noticed the 'new look' and don't be surprised if you run into a romantic encounter because of it. Take care to keep this all in perspective.


AQUARIUS: January 21 to February 19

Help to develop new systems in your career department and watch the money come rolling in. It looks as though the more you give to these developments, the more personal gain you'll get out of it. Particularly, in how you feel about yourself.

PISCES: February 20 to March 21

Communication and education are highlighted during this time so give some thought about going to school. This should not only give you a better self image but cause friends and associates to view you in a different light. Ponder over it.

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the arts

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“Master Harold... and the boys”

By Kevin Michael

Athol Fugard's semi- autobiographical piece, “Master Harold” was again presented to Milwaukee theatre audiences by Acacia Theatre. A production of this play was mounted by the Milwaukee Repertory Theater just a few years ago. However, Fugard's ideas and challenge regarding relationships between races remain and apartheid in South Africa, unfortunately still continues. It's as if we need to see productions like this and other social consciousness raising plays often to keep us awake and aware.

“Master Harold” has that sort of poignant punch for me every time that I see it. This production though different than that of the Rep did not disappoint.

Edwin D. Clarke's, Sam, was far more controlled than I'd seen him portrayed. He was very moderated and subdued and thus, when he broke, it was most unnerving. His character evoked far more warmth than the Sam I'd seen previously and was unabashed in his real affection for Hallie.

Andre Lee Ellis', Willie, was a good balance between Sam and Hallie. This actor did in fact provide that needed dimension for this production also.

Richard Gustin, an Equity Actor who functions as Artistic Director of Acacia, played Hallie. He brought just the right focus and timbre to an emotional time bomb just ready to explode. With his particular nuancing of the character, we could feel both compassion and revulsion for his Hallie. Other Hallie's for me have provided too much for me to loathe but far too little with which to empathize. Gustin provided him more balance and there much more credibility.

So too, the in-the-round staging at the Eastbrook Center Theatre (the former

Pellman and Fred Miller on Oakland) brought the entire interaction among the characters right into our midst. Bringing the racial bigotry into that close proximity couldn't help but allow the audience to be drawn into the proceedings.

I can't congratulate Acacia enough for rising to the occasion to present this play once again to the Milwaukee community. It is a challenging piece for a young company such as Acacia to attempt. They did a truly excellent job with a most challenging show.

Lastly, in our city with its tendency to racist overtones, I find it an important challenge to us all. Yes, there are anti-discriminatory laws on the books for both minorities and gays but what we're facing here are people's feelings, attitudes, and behavior. We as gay men and lesbians are sensitive to the discrimination of others because we know it, we've felt it, we understand. Yet, whenever the thoughts or behavior of others allow any person to be made less than she/he is, we are all made less in the process. Such is the power and the challenge of “Master Harold” for us all. When any are discriminated against, we all are.

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Directed by John Dillon, MRT's Artistic Director, **Wedding Band** features LeWan Alexander, Tom Blair, Mark Corkins, June Gibbons, Sharon Hope, Darrie Lawrence, Stanley McDowell, Barbara

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A parade of titleholders performed at Raven Cole's "That's What Friends Are For" Benefit show at Club 94.

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organizing now for its 12th season. One half of the team entry fee (\$150) is due from the sponsors by March 1. Anyone wishing to sponsor a team can contact Commissioner Lou LaSota (672-6866) prior to March 1. Any player who would like to join a team can check with any of the sponsoring bars: Ball Game; Beer Garden; Club 219; Fannies; La Cage; M&M; Station II; Wreck Room; Your Place; Triangle; or the Cream City Foundation. The season starts Saturday April 29.

SVBL Playoffs

The sixth season of the Saturday Volleyball League is winding down with its annual double-eliminate Championship Tournaments. This year's playoffs run on Saturday afternoons, March 4, 11 and 18 from 3:00-6:00 pm at UWM's Engleman Hall. Spectators are always welcome and admission is free!

The A-Division playoffs begin on March 11th at 3:00 pm with matches between the #1 seeded Orphans vs. #4 seeded M&M's, and #2 YP vs. #3 Gamma. The B-Division playoffs involve seven teams and start with a 4:00 pm match on March 4th. The top seeds in the B-Division entering the tournament are This Is It and the Beer Garden Volley Dollies. The championship matches for each division will be March 18th at 5:00 pm.

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Roberts, Laurine Towler and Celeste Williams. Brienne Hall, Kourtney Kess, Hannah Raasch and Melanie Smith will alternate in the roles of the two children.

Talkbacks, post-show discussions, will take place on Sunday evenings, March 5, 12, 19 and 26. There will be an interpreted performance for the hearing-impaired on Sunday, April 2, at 2:00 p.m.

Tickets range from \$4.00 to \$17.00. Group rates are available. For more information or reservations, call the MRT Box Office at 414-224-9490.

Rep's Stiemke/ Stackner Offerings

The Milwaukee Repertory Theater presents award-winning playwright/director, Maria Irene Fornes' original work, **And What Of The Night?** in the Rep's Stiemke Theater, March 2 through 19. Designed as four plays, this piece is a striking dreamscape of poverty, family relationships and the future. Ms. Fornes, known for her vivid experimental work, is the recipient of seven Obie Awards including the Sustained Life Achievement Award. Tickets range from \$7.50 to \$10.

In the Rep's Stackner Cabaret, one of Milwaukee's favorite duos, Montgomery Davis and William Leach, team up for loads of laughs in **Good Evening** by Peter Cook and Dudley Moore, running through April 9. Tickets are \$5.00 and \$7.00. For more information or reservations, call the MRT Box Office at 414-224-9490.

Madison Showcase Of Talent March 5th

Madison's Gay Theatre Project/A.U.I. will present a showcase of local gay talent on Sunday, March 5th at the Barrymore Theatre. Scheduled to perform are Mabel Kane, Rosa Rivera, Ravin, J.J. Rivers, Mandy McCall and a special appearance by the 'Church Lady.'

Mabel Kane, Den Mother to the Stars, has been described as "a darling" (The Capital Times) and "...a pudgy gaudily dressed drag queen with a whole lot of stage presence" and a "...natural instinct to smaltz it up" (Wisconsin State Journal).

Ms. Kane and "Significant Others" will perform at the Barrymore Theatre, 2090 Atwood Ave. at 8 p.m. on Sunday, March 5th. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$6 at the door. Advance tickets are available after February 13 at the Barrymore, Whole Earth Foods, or by calling MGTP/A.U.I 255-1218.

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to the women's division. Washington, D.C., Chicago Windy City, Columbus and Birmingham are the new women's entrants.

Two cities, Pittsburgh and Los Angeles submitted bids for the 1990 Gay Softball World Series. Pittsburgh received the majority of votes from both the men's and women's division, and will be the host for the 1990 series. Normally, the selection of the world series site is determined at the fall meeting two years prior to the tournament, but because of the great expense of running the tournaments, no city submitted a bid last fall. Pittsburgh has indicated they will put on a much less

expensive tournament.

Two former Milwaukeeans, Ron Barbey and Suzi Arnold, were elected commissioners of the men's and women's division of NAGAAA. Ron was re-elected for a second term, while Suzi will be moving up from Assistant Commissioner.

TOURNAMENTS

18 softball tournaments throughout the country were announced at the meeting. Milwaukee will be one of seven cities who will host a tournament over Memorial Day weekend. There will also be 4 tournaments over the July 4th weekend.

SSBL ACTION

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G/L Softball Update

By Tom Salzsieder

Four officers of the **Saturday Softball League [SSBL]** traveled to Atlanta for the annual spring meeting of the **North American Gay Amateur Athletic Alliance [NAGAA]**, the national organization for gay softball. Men's Commissioner Lou LaSota, Woman's Commissioner Pat LaSota, Assistant Commissioner Tom Salzsieder and Secretary Pan Woythal represented Milwaukee on February 18 and 19 at the meetings.

The main purpose of the meetings was to make final plans for the 13th annual Gay Softball World Series which will be

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break up. Going out with someone can add to your self esteem, yet if you're someone who is constantly depending on someone else you'll begin to lose confidence in yourself.

11. Harbor unrealistic expectations.

You're infatuated. Just like the movies, music and magazines promised — it's heaven for about two weeks. Then he criticizes your best friend, and you blurt out he's a snob. Should you scrap the relationship, figuring it's run its course? No! Once you get past all the grand magical stuff, you'll get to the core, two imperfect individuals trying to deal with each other.

So don't set yourself up for disappointment. Don't put him on a pedestal, then frown when he falls off. Don't count on changing him. No one will ever become too good to be true. If you want your other half to be thoughtful, funny, smart, athletic and so good looking everyone does a double take, you're dreaming. Now you shouldn't settle for just anybody...look for a person who will treat you with affection and honesty. If you're expecting him to be Prince Charming, you better get yourself a pair of Ruby Slippers before you start looking. ▼

held in Atlanta in August. Again this year there will be 3 separate divisions for the series. Twenty-three teams from throughout the United States and Canada will compete in the competitive division. Milwaukee's first round opponent will be from the Windy City Athletic Association of Chicago. The woman's division has 17 members who will participate in the tournament. Milwaukee's women's team representative will play the winner of the San Diego and Houston game. San Diego is the defending champion of the woman's division.

There will also be a recreational division tournament, although the number of teams will not be known until June, when each league must decide whether to send a recreational team to Atlanta. Milwaukee expects to send a rec team.

The open (Men's) division had a new entries, but four new leagues were added
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Valentine's Day at the Alternative



Valentine's Day at Fannie's



Valentine's Day at the Ballgame



Tony & his 219 Girls at Tony's Black & White Birthday celebration.



Jay won the \$100 prize for his Black and White Chess Queen costume.



Tony & Del celebrated Club 219's 8th anniversary (Bottom Rt.) with a week of festivities, including an appearance by Bertha Butts (Top Left).

Valentine's Day at Triangle



steppin' OUT

by Ron Geiman



It's been an active two weeks around the Badger State...there hasn't been this much going on since the Holiday season.

Things kicked off Feb. 9th with a Black & White affair — Tony's 'Panda' birthday party at Club 219. Tony's girl's put on a show (sans a scheduled certain Chicago entertainer) & the open bar & buffet contributed to a delightful evening. The black & white costume contest had four entries, with Jay winning \$100 as a split personality chess queen.

The Brady East Sexually Transmitted Diseases Clinic (BEST) has started on site HIV testing in the bars to reach those who aren't being tested elsewhere. Watch the In Step Calendar for future dates. I've been tested at BEST & can highly recommend their pre-test counseling, & efficiency & professionalism.

The New Bar hosted Chicago's Lincoln Park Lagooners for a weekend ski trip to Devil's Head. I heard there was lots more than skiing going on...

The Women's Valentine's dance at Lake Park Pavilion on the 11th, sponsored by Hurricane Productions, packed 'em in. One woman friend commented "I'd like to know where they all came from"...

Holly Brown's 'star' vehicle "Bust up", a short feature film by Milwaukee film maker Cathy Cook, filled Dance Dance Dance for it's world premiere on the 12th. Holly performed live in conjunction with the film to add to the uniqueness of the event.

The Madison AIDS Support Network (MASN) held it's second annual "Sweet Sunday afternoon" fundraiser at the Wilson St. Grill. The afternoon smorgasbord of sweets, desserts & candies, along with live entertainment has become a very successful fundraiser for MASN.

Valentine's Party's filled the calendar from the 11th to the 14th. Fannie's, Ballgame, Alternative, New Bar, Back East, 219 & Triangle had affairs

combining champagne, drink specials, hor's deourves, raffles, & special entertainment. The Triangle's Cupid contest drew a bevy of beefy beauties to the bar, Joe was the winner over 5 other men.

The Pivot Club celebrated it's 3rd Anniversary with a week of activities, during the same week Club 219 celebrated it's 8th anniversary.

The Pivot's activity's ranged from nightly drink specials, to Talent Shop Finals, with the \$500 first prize going to Randy B. They even had a Saturday cook-out & summer drink specials to chase away the winter blahs. Their week wrapped up with the 3rd annual Mr. & Miss Pivot Contest. (Thanks to Kevin & Julie for covering events for us!) 3 men competed for the Mr. title, with Kevin

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by Tim Hensiak

11 Sure-Fire Ways to Ruin A Romance

1. Analyze the relationship to death.

If you spend most of your time together monitoring the progress of your relationship rather than enjoying it, you'll sour it. Believe me, one evening of fun can do more to recharge a romance than three of heavy discussion.

2. Be a detective

Now that he's your "possession" don't let any other men get near him. Right? Wrong! Just because you want him doesn't mean everyone else does. Your heartthrob might be someone else's idea of a dork, and vice versa. Besides if you play the role of smothering detective, your man may balk and play the criminal running in the opposite direction. Stop worrying. Relationships that are built on trust and understanding can withstand a few external distractions.

3. Play hard-to-get and other games.

If you've been doing all the giving, calling and caring, you may want to back off for a while and see if he'll make a move. I won't argue. But if you get into the habit of trying to arouse jealousy, playing mind games, and second guessing each other, conflicting messages will shoot back and forth, and really who needs that kind of trouble?

4. Talk about commitment on the first date.

Bad idea! Don't worry so much about tomorrow that you can hardly enjoy today. Love is not a trap. If you start making him feel guilty for not spending every second with you, you may find yourself with even more free time on your hands. Remember, pushy people push people away.

5. Care only when he's at his best.

Not good. You may be drawn to him for his sparkling wit and charm, but remember there are two sides to every coin. Be prepared to deal with the good as well as the bad.

6. Take him for granted.

Many people forget that you need to work at a relationship. Many people stop giving it their all because they figure "If they like me, they mustn't be as good as I thought." If you care, no matter how long you've been seeing them, let them know they're still special.

7. Open old wounds.

So he once went out with someone you truly despise. You've re-hashed the episode nineteen times, and he's asked for your understanding. Enough! Let it go. Get on with the present. Going over and over past offenses prolongs the hurt and creates tension.

8. Worry about his Ex.

It's his ex, remember? Everybody is entitled to a past. Focus on making your current relationship as satisfying as possible

9. Get hung up on three little words.

If one of you whispers "I love you" and the other isn't ready to echo the phrase, it doesn't have to be a problem. Some people are afraid of the words but not the feelings. Others get reved up and say "I love you" when what they really mean is "I want you."

If you declare your love before your relationship has had a chance to develop, your intended may panic or question the depth of your emotion. If you both profess you love prematurely and then break up a month later, you may each feel more confused and distraught than if you hadn't labeled your feelings.

10. Be dependent.

Now that you've paired off, you don't need anyone or anything else. Boring! You can not be everything to each other. Don't let your lovelife become your whole life. Don't let a relationship eclipse your other friends and activities. Spending some time apart means having more to talk about when you're together. You'll also be less broken up if you two ever

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Czarnecki named winner. Six "girls" competed in the Miss category, with relative new comer B.B. Douglas capturing the crown. After the contest, a drawing was held for the grand prize of a trip to Atlantic City, with the trip going to a regular customer of the bar. Congrats to all the winners & to Gordie, John & Staff on another successful year in the 'Little Apple'.

219's Anniversary activities kicked off with special guest Bertha Butts (a "big" female impersonator), formerly a star at Chicago's Baton. The 219 girls worked extra hard that week, with an extra Tuesday Valentine's show. Things wrapped up in a gay-la fashion on Sunday with an open bar & another big show. Again, a no show from another Chicago entertainer. (Neither of which are the fault of 219). Congratulations to Tony, Del & their staff on "another notch in the belt".

Welcome to **Jeanie's**, a new bar in Beloit. Jeanie, Harley, & Jerry are waiting & willing to serve you at the bar, which offers a DJ every weekend. The bar is

open at 6pm nightly & promises to give the Rockford (Illinois) bar a run for their money.

Memorie's in La Crosse, hosted a S.R.O. Crowd for "A Hot Winter's Night" show featuring the dynamic **Ebony de Angelo** & a host of local stars. All proceeds from the \$2 donation were to be given to local non-profit groups. There were so many people, according to my photographer Doug, that to get to the bathroom, you had to go out the front door, around the block & in the back door to get to the john. A special hello to my friends involved in the show: **Muncie, Allan, Renee' & Fitz**. We'll have photos from this La Crosse hot spot in the next issue.

There was so much happening on the 18th. I had to recruit several photographers to help shoot them all...

Thanks to Matt, for covering "That's What Friends are For" benefit show hosted by **Raven Cole** at **Club 94**. Raven drew together a cast of title holders for the night, including **Ginger Spice, Mimi Marks, Dynasty, Mary Richards & Tiffany**.

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The Pivot Club celebrated its 3rd Anniversary with a week of activities including Talent Shop Finals, and their annual Mr and Miss Pivot Contest.



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those hidden signals. Imagine knowing just what your date or lover actually meant by a particular comment or statement. Just think what it would be like to know the inner-meaning of those mysterious, barely intelligible phrases so often uttered by your partner during the heat of passion. No more guesswork. No more frustration. "See-through" double talk straight to the plain facts. And since most gays are on the same inner-wave-length or frequency, I have been able to gain access to the universal translation for the true inner-thoughts hidden behind the words and phrases often used by gay people. So, here now are some of these translations.

1. **Statement:** (During foreplay) "I don't know what's wrong, I guess I'm just feeling alot of sexual pressure right now." **Inner-Thought:** "You're squeezing it too damn hard!"

2. **Statement:** (Commenting on the contents of a date's closet) "No, I don't think you have too many shoes." **Inner-Thought:** "Maybe you should check into the Imelda Marcos wing of the Betty Ford Clinic."

3. **Statement:** "I love you." **Inner-Thought:** "I'm horny."

3. **Statement:** (After sex) "Ooooh, let's try that again." **Inner-Thought:** "Maybe you'll get it right this time."

5. **Statement:** "What is that cologne you're wearing?" **Inner-Thought:** "It smells like you wiped every single one of those scented perfume cards from 50 women's magazines all over your entire body."

6. **Statement:** (During sex) "Ohhh, that feels so good I can barely move..." **Inner-Thought:** "Could you possible reach the VCR remote control and fast forward to the next scene of this porno video?"

7. **Statement:** (The next morning) "Darling, did you know that you snore?" **Inner-Thought:** "I think that I heard every single bodily noise known to medical science come out of you last night?"

8. **Statement:** "Of course I like your new haircut." **Inner-Thought:** But you sure have skinny hair for such a fat

person."

9. **Statement:** (Talking on a sex-phone line) "I'm tired of the bars..." **Inner-Thought:** "I've already struck out with all the cute guys in all the bars."

10. (At a restaurant) "What I'm really looking for is a 50-50 relationship." **Inner-Thought:** "So, I hope you brought enough money to pay for your own dinner."

11. **Statement:** (Sharing a fantasy) "I'll try anything once." **Inner-Thought:** "Except that!"

12. **Statement:** (During sex) "Oh my God I think we're going to fall off the bed!" **Inner-Thought:** "Oh my God I think we're going to fall off the bed!"

12. **Statement:** "Of course I think about you, you even came to me in my dreams last night." **Inner-Thought:** "If you're the man of my dreams, you've come in somebody else's body."

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Bijou Video releases Its 1988-89 Catalog

Bijou Video Sales, one of the country's largest distributors of gay X-rated video, has just released its new 1988-89 catalog. This buyer's guide contains information on nearly 1400 different titles that Bijou Video carries.

The catalog, more appropriately described as a book, is 320 pages in length and contains over 500 photographs, many in color. Each film is described, with information on the film's director, principal actors, along with an evaluation of the film, making the catalog an invaluable source book for gay video.

In addition to the X-rated titles, the catalog also provides information on the other videos of interest to the gay community that are carried by Bijou Video Sales. These include mainstream features with gay themes, documentaries on gay lifestyles, films on exercise, health, erotic dance, and cooking. There is also a section of titles of interest to the lesbian community.

To order from Bijou Video Sales, send \$15 along with name, address, and a
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Judy Carle filled in as photographer at Jet's Place for their "Hearts for AIDS" show, hosted by Miss M. Ronnie Marx had everyone in stitches, as usual. Besides the show, the Hearts for AIDS Benefit included purchasing cut-out hearts you could purchase & inscribe with your name, or whatever. Over all- a successful & fun evening, raising over \$600 for MAP.

Loose Ends helped out by providing me with photo's of their 50's & 60's Valentine's Party & MAP Benefit. The event featured 50's & 60's music & prizes for most appropriate attire. There were also food & drink specials & raffles.

GALVANize [Gay & Lesbian Visibility Alliance, Madison's G/L Pride Committee is planning on a Madison G/L Pride March May 6th. To help reach that goal, the New Bar hosted a casino night to benefit GALVANize. The Vegas style event came complete with high kicking entertainment.

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calendar prior to deadline was the "Gay Bob" party on the 21st. Every gay man named Bob (there are plenty!) was invited to do a round-Robin, bar hop. They started off at **The Triangle**, moved onto the **Wreck Room** & then to **Cest La Vie**. If you walked into a bar in Milwaukee that night & yelled "Bob" - half the bar would reply! Congrats to the recently crowned Mr. Gay Bob.

According to the Northwestern College Radio Network in Minneapolis, the National Association of Religious Broadcasters discovered after it's '88 convention that 80 percent of it's members at the convention had charged X-rated movies to their rooms. The revelation came during a subdued '89 religious broadcasters convention, during which the group is attempting to "clean up it's image."

To clear up something I've heard on the grapevine...what basically amounts to impersonator shows in the bars are covered in this column not in our Art's section. It seems someone expected their show to be covered as "theatre", because of its' theme.

Rocker Ozzy Osbourne will donate at least \$2,500 to Gay/AIDS causes to atone for anti-gay remarks made on stage by his guitarist, Zakk Wylde, at a recent Long Beach, CA concert. Among the beneficiaries will be AIDS Walk - Long Beach, according to the Milw. Journal.

Bob Hope has filmed a 30-second TV Spot denouncing violence against gays. This unexpected support came about after the **Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAD)** took Hope to task, for a remark he made on **The Tonight Show** in December. Hope, looking at Ed McMahons tie, said (according to **People Magazine**) it would have labeled Ed a "fag" 10 years ago. Outraged, **GLAAD** sent Hope a tape about the effects of such careless comments. Hope not only agreed then to make the TV Spot, but added his own words to strengthen the message. Says Hope "I felt it was a very important thing to do"

That wraps it up for this issue, and now for this issue's **Condom Sense**: "Don't be a loner...cover your boner!"

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This break-through technique can be especially beneficial for gay people, who are often on the same wave length with each other, but not tuned-in to receive

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discuss gay and lesbian professional organizations. These organizations, according to the author, often serve as networking opportunities for gays and lesbians involved in professional fields. I found it unusual that the author did not mention that such organizations often charge hefty dues. And, as is the case with the Cream City Business Association (CCBA), frequently schedule their events around expensive dinners or evenings out. As a recent college graduate, I am all to familiar with the financial constraints placed on those new to full-time work.

We also have to consider whether our sexual orientation is important to our performance on the job. Being 'out' on the job has its advantages. Having done both, it is nice to have an employer who supports your sexual orientation and lifestyle decisions. In fact, I've found it to be best to have an employer who shares your sexual orientation. But, is it necessary that all people know of your sexual orientation? We all must carefully examine the astuteness of divulging this sensitive information.

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While we are discussing the sensitive nature of employment discrimination against lesbians and gays, it seems as though even pretending to be gay can be a dangerous and short-lived profession.

ABC and Aaron Spelling Productions recently began airing the new television program, *Heartbeat*. One of the main characters is a lesbian, and the religious right has been actively lobbying the production company to eliminate the lesbian nature of her character.

According to many gay and lesbian publications, Spelling Productions has been receiving 1800+ cards per week from organized anti-gay forces. In order to save the positive images portrayed on *Heartbeat*, we have to counter the religious right with letters of our own. Your letter can be addressed to:

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GALVANize [Madison]: Bisexuality Awareness Workshop. Call (608) 255-8061 for more info.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

New Leaf [Janesville]: An evening with "Deja-Vu", female impersonators, showtime 9:30. Cover.

Dance Dance Dance: Special guest star for tonight's show - Bonnie Bitch. Showtime 9:30.

SUNDAY, MARCH 5

"Significant Other's" [Madison]: Madison's Gay Theatre Project/AUI presentation at Barrymore Theatre, 2090 Atwood Ave. 8pm. \$5 advance, \$6 door. Call (608) 255-1218 for more info.

La Cage/Dance Dance Dance: Special 70's disco show with Holly & Co. at 9:30 to kick off new Sunday 70's Disco party's. Special guest entertainer "Bonnie Bitch." Now every Sunday at 11:30 in La Cage - Disco music by DJ Michael Vaughn '76 specials all nite, live watch "Sat. Nite Fever" in DDD & Jazz.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7

M&M Club: BEST Clinic offers anonymous on-site HIV testing from 7 to 10pm.

Y.P.: Uncle Al's Birthday Party 6 to 10pm. Free Tap beer 7 to 8, Hor's deourves, entertainment & Uncle Al's annual usual surprise.

Triangle: "This Is Your Life" Kevin Rotar's birthday party/buffet. 10pm.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

Wreck Room: BEST Clinic offers anonymous on-site HIV testing from 5 to 8pm.

SATURDAY, MARCH 11

Oberon's Club Nite: At Club 219/Shaft. 10:30pm until ? Prizes & fun.

Chicago Bar Crawl Deadline: Pick up your \$15 bus ticket at either La Cage, Triangle

or Your Place by bar time tonite. Trip departs 8pm, Tuesday, March 14th.

SUNDAY, MARCH 12

The Loft [Green Bay]: Las Vegas Night Benefit for Center Project's AIDS Education fund. 4pm-on, gambling, auction, drink specials, cameo entertainment.

Y.P.: YP Flamingos again present South Seas Adventures 4 to 9. Free food & tap beer. "Miss South Seas Contest", and South Seas Swimwear contest. \$2 donation requested.

Alternative: Premiere of "Theme Sunday's" - 50's & 60's Party, 4pm-2am, come dressed for the theme rail & beer are \$1.00.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14

Chicago Bar Crawl: Bus departs 8 pm from Y.P. parking lot. Co-sponsored by Y.P., La Cage & Triangle. \$15 ticket includes open bar on bus. Return approximately 3:30am.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

Jo'dee's [Racine]: "AIDS of March S.E.W.A.P. Benefit" Week. March Birthday's party.

M&M: Grunie's birthday party.

New Bar [Madison]: GALVANize fundraiser, cocktails 5 until 9, dancing & more 8 until close.

THURSDAY, MARCH 16

Jo'dee's [Racine]: "Beware AIDS of March - S.E.W.A.P. Benefit" Week. Dynasty Night & Raffles.

M&M/Glass Menagerie: Traditional Corned Beef 'n Cabbage St. Pat's Dinner, 5 to 11pm.

Triangle: Softball Team Benefit, 11pm, featuring Goldie, Kelly, Mary, live vocalist Scott Sterling, & Triangle Team strippers. Buffet, \$2 donation.

darla's view...

by Darla Kashian

A growing number of college publications have been addressing the issues faced by gays and lesbians on college campuses. To date, I have seen such articles in *College Woman*, *Newsweek on Campus*, and most recently, a new publication called *CV [Career Voice]*. The articles have ranged from informational to purely silly. Of course, often, these magazines may be the only contact that most students have with the reality of gay and lesbian students.

Most recently, the February/March, 1989 issue of *Career Voice* published an article focusing on gay and lesbian students first entering the full time job market. The article was well written and researched. In fact, the writer made mention of the fact that Wisconsin is the only state in the country with a gay and lesbian civil rights law. Unfortunately, the writer treated the issues of gay and lesbian workers somewhat glibly.

It was also reported that some job seekers mention their sexual orientation when first applying for a position with a particular firm or company. This, the author states, is done to avoid companies that might discriminate in hiring. Unfortunately, the interview process rarely presents the opportunity to mention one's sexual orientation. I suppose one could ask when the interviewer asks if you have any questions.

In most job interviews, issues of a personal nature rarely arise. In fact, it is

illegal for prospective employers to inquire about such things as marital status, age, possible dependents or children, ethnic or religious background, and, in Wisconsin, sexual orientation. These regulations exist to protect persons who may fall into categories that experience high degrees of employment discrimination.

An interview may provide an opportunity to inquire about broad areas of employment policies, which may reflect the companies overall attitude towards non-traditional employees. Miller Brewing Company, Wisconsin Bell, and other companies, for example, have adopted employment regulations that better define their employment guidelines. An inquiry to this effect could net the information sought about a particular company.

The author also goes to great lengths to *contd. on page 36*

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Wreck Room: St. Patrick's Day Celebration Authentic Irish Buffet, live music, 6pm- on.

Shadows II: St. Pat's Party, 8 until ? Buffet, 2 for 1 tap beer from 8 to 10.

Jo'dee's [Racine]: "Beware AIDS of March" - S.E.W.A.P. Benefit" Week. St. Pat's day specials, win/lose/draw with host Dan.

Jet's: Miss M's 8th Annual St. Patrick's Show. 10:30pm, \$2 cover. Green Old Style Beer 50 cents a glass from 3pm - 9pm. Corned Beef Sandwiches with chips.

Ballgame: 15th Anniversary Party & St. Pat's Day Celebration 4 to ? Buffet, Drink Specials, door prizes - grand prize 13" Color TV.

SATURDAY, MARCH 18

Jo'dee's [Racine]: "Beware the AIDS of March" Benefit week for S.E.W.A.P. Surprise Night



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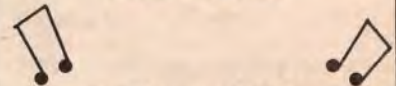
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