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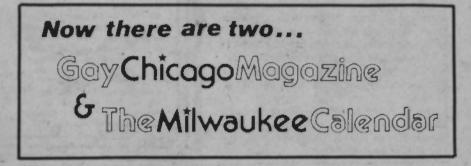
It was cold, foggy and misty Saturday, May 17, but that didn't stop players and spectators from showing up at Mitchell Park for the Saturday Softball Beer League games at Mitchell Park. Here some of the crowd watches the action. This week, the second annual Milwaukee Wreck Room Classic will be held. Story and other sports news begins on Page 10.

WRECK ROOM PATRON KILLED IN AUTO-MOTORCYCLE CRASH

John C. Dessei, 25, 759 S. 24th St., was killed early Monday (May 19) morning when the motorcycle he was riding collided with a car driven by James T. Wagner, 34, 730 E. Burleigh St.

The accident took place at the corner of E. Erie and Meonomonee Streets, shortly after bars closed Mon-

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Our Cover



Photo by Erin Criss

Jim Schiders, our cover subject this week, has been with the Wreck Room since leaving the U.S. Navy four years ago.

The manager of the Wreck Room, Jim formerly is from Kansas City. He's an Aries, who says he enjoys doing a variety of things, including riding his 360 Honda.

Jim is a member of the Silver Star Motor Club (whose home is the Wreck Room) and currently is serving as treasurer of the club.

He is a member of the Wreck Room's softball team and also bowls for the Wreck Room Kinks, which currently enjoys a first place position.

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To be gay and 30 lbs, overweight is the pits.

Your straight friends reject you because you're a queer, and gays reject you because you're a fatso.

And being fat you're not likely to have many gay friends.

I don't know where Hell is, but it must be somewhere in between. Because you're 30 lbs. overweight, you're in the middle, in between being a person who is fat and a fat person. And it is Hell.

In the straight world, ten years after school most people gain 10 to 30 lbs., but they also have settled down with a marriage and sexual partner.

In the gay world, ten years after school, it is quite normal to be still on the cruise, still playing the dating game.

If you are still cruising bars, baths, bookstores, streets, and parks, still trying to pick up partners, you better not

Jon Henri's

weigh 30 lbs, more than you did in school. For all you will pick up is a series of sad and quick rejections.

Guys will go home from bars with bombed and boxed out creeps, if they are thin, before they will even say hello to a guy who is overweight.

Oh I know, everyone says it makes no difference once you get to know the person. But the point is: just as in some games it takes jacks or better to open, in the gay cruise it takes thin or better to open.

You can get mad, or you can get sad; or you can wallow in self-hatred and pout your life away. You can cry your heart out about how you are being mistreated, how unfair life is. And you will be right!

But: do you want to be right or go home with that guy?

Granted: it's an unfair choice, but it's the kind of choice gays have to deal with. And that is why most talk about diets, nutrition, exercise, and health miss the point for homosexuals.

What diet has ever told you that to go home with a boy, you have to look tike a boy. Or at least that's the image you have to present.

And what diet has ever told you that sometimes sex food is more necessary and more desirable than food food.

That one night with your heart's desire may be worth it; worth all that discipline and struggle a diet entails.

The Hell of being just 30 lbs, overweight is that you are in the middle.

Say you are 5'11" and weight, 185 You are not a fat man. You are a man who is fat. And to call you a fatso is unfair; but they will.

You could, you know, go in the opposite direction. Gain another 30 or 40 lbs, and then become a real fat person. Eat everything you want anytime

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you want. Be a glutton, indulge.

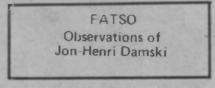
There are plenty of fat people who do quite well at cruising. They keep their cheerfulness, their wit, and their seductive charm.

They really like themselves. They have accepted the conditions of being fat. They know sometimes they have to spend some up front money to get a kid interested, but they can play it from there.

The point is: they love themselves, and can get others to love them too, because they are not always moaning over their weight problems.

Then there are a surprising number of gays who are former fatsos. I mean

they were the fattest pigs in high school, but today they are slim and



cruisable.

In fact, many of the winners of the Mister contests were former fatsos. Guys who have lost from 50 to 120.lbs., realizing early that they could never make it in their chosen life style being fat.

So if you stay stuck in the middle,



Nothing Personal

30 lbs. overweight, you will stay in your private Hell. You'll keep thinking and pretending to yourself that you are not a fatso, that you are not a sinner, just because you like chocolatechip-mint ice cream, and a slice of pizza after bar and before bed.

Okay, so you're not a fat person, just a guy who loves to eat; and is a little overweight. But other gay guys will, at a glance, read you as a fatso; and David will not jump down from his statue and start cruising you.

Eventually, you will come up against it and realize your weight problem is your weight problem and no one else's. And if you want to change it, you will have to change it yourself.

And if you choose the Elizabeth. Taylor route, and go on a diet, make sure you use your brains a little more than your impluses!

Calories do count! Or something has to be counted to lessen your intake of food. Learn a few basics of high school nutrition: coffee is not a starch, and a strawberry waffle is not solid protein.

No B.S., that is: bread, butter, and sugar will help.

Do your own diet and don't try to force everyone else at your table to eat what you're not eating.

If your lover gains 5 lbs., you may gloat more than if you had lost 10; but it is still no weight off you!

Exercise is fine, if it doesn't make you cheerless and grim.

Even better than forced callisthenics walking, disco dancing, softball, bowling, and locker room sex.

Finally, diet in Greek means "way of life." So, if you change your diet, you change your way of life. Not something you can do easily or by gimmicks. But something that takes a long time, and quiet determination.

JON-HENRI DAMSKI

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In the News

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day morning.

As of press time, no charges had been filed against Wagner, manager of the Factory.

According to witnesses, it took police almost 30 minutes to arrive at the scene of the accident to extricate Dessel who was pinned beneath Wagner's car.

TWO PERSONS ATTACKED IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS

Two persons, both employees of Shadows, were attacked this past weekend in separate incidents.

Bruce Crisp, a waiter at Shadows, was attacked by three youths as he was walking between Shadows and the Wreck Room. He was hospitalized for five hours for treatment of injuries. The incident took place about 12:30am Saturday, May 17.

In a separate incident, Joey Day, a bartender at Shadows, was attacked by two men in Menominee Falls. According to Day, the two attackers hollered at him, asking him if he was "one of those fags."

The attack took place late Sunday night (May 18). He suffered bruises to the face and fingers when one of the attackers apparently tried to bite his fingers off.

2ND ANNUAL WRECK ROOM CLASSIC OPENS MAY 24TH

There will be a lot of balls floating around Milwaukee the weekend of May 23-24-25 and if you strike out it will truly be your own fault.

This Memorial Day weekend, the Wreck Room will be hosting the second annual Milwaukee Wreck Room Classic-two days of heavy competition in 12" softball and teams from New York, Toronto, Minneapolis and Chicago, plus the Milwaukee teams, will be competing.

The action will take place on Saturday, May 24 at both Mitchell Park, S. 27th St., near National Avenue, and Kinnikinnick Park, S. 20th St. and Oklahoma Avenue, Saturday's games begin at noon at both places.

On Sunday, May 25 all the games will be played at Kinnikinnick Park with games beginning at 8am. An awards banquet will be held at the Wreck Room Sunday evening beginning at 7pm.

Friday night, as the softballers begin to arrive in town, the Ball Game (where else, but) will be the site of a reception for the softball participants.

Spectators are welcome at all the functions and are urged to cheer their favorite team to victory.

Sporting About

SPRING HIT LEAGUE BOWLING STANDINGS (As of May 12th Games)

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Wreck Room Kinks	25	10
Rowdy Bunch	24	11
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Ball Game Strikers	15	20
Destiny Five	15	20
Balls Galore	15	20
Wreck Room Wranglers	9	29

WRECK ROOM KINKS HOLD SPRING HIT LEAGUE LEAD

The Wreck Room Kinks held a slim one-game lead over the Rowdy Bunch following the fifth week of bowling in the Spring HIT League.

Arturo O, registered a new high

MILWAUKEE WRECK ROOM CLASSIC SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, MAY 24TH

GAME	TIME	PARK	FIELD	VISITING TEAM	HOME TEAM		
1	Noon	M	1	New York Badlands	Toronto Riverdale		
2	Noon	M	2	Milw, Ball Game	Milw, Your Place		
3	1:30	М	1	Minneapolis	New York Boot Hill		
4	1:30	M	2	Milw. Factory	Milw, M&MMustangs		
5	3:30	M	1	Milw. Wreck Room	Chicago		
6	12:30	К	1	New York Eagles	Milw. M&M		
7	12:30	K	2	Milw. Finale	Connecticut		
8	4:30	M	1	Winner Game 1	Winner Game 2		
10	6:00	M	1	Winner Game 4	Winner Game 5		
11	3:00	M	2	Milw. D's Chicklettes	New York Kelly's		
12	5:00	K	2	Winner Game 6	Winner Game 7		
13	2:00	К	1	Milw. Beer Garden	Toronto Cabbagetown		
14	4:30	M	2	Loser Game 1	Loser Game 2		
15	5:00	K	1	Loser Game 3	Loser Game 4		
16	6:00	M	2	Loser Game 5	Loser Game 11		
17	3:30	K	1	Loser Game 6	Loser Game 7		
18	7:30	M	1	Winner Game 8	Winner Game 9		
19	9:00	M	1	Winner Game 10	Winner Game 11		
20	8:00	к	2	Winner Game 12	Winner Game 13		
22	6:30	К	2	Winner Game 17	Loser Game 13		
23	9:30	К	1	Winner Game 14	Winner Game 15		
24	9:30	к	2	Winner Game 16	Winner Game 22		
		S	UNDAY	MAY 25TH			
25	8:00	ĸ	1	Winner Game 23	Winner Game 24		
26	9:30	K .	1	Winner Game 18	Winner Game 19		
27	9:30	К	2	Winner Game 20	Winner Game 25		
28	4:00	к	1	Loser Game 26	Loser Game 27		
29	6:00	к	1	Winner Game 26	Winner Game 27		
M-Mitch	ell Park, 1	27th & Na	tional	K-Kinnikinnick Park, 20th & Oklahoma			

wednesday

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SATURDAY SOFTBALL BEER LEAGUE As of May 17th

		-
WRECK ROOM	4	0
M&M	4	0
M&M MUSTANGS	2	0
FACTORY	3	1
DAWN'S CHICKLETTS	1	1
BALL GAME	0	2
YOUR PLACE	0	2
BEER GARDEN	0	4
FINALE	0	4

RESULTS MAY 10TH Dawn's Chickletts 19, Factory 18 Dawn's Chickletts 22, Factory 9 Wreck Room 21, Beer Garden 8 Wreck Room 14, Beer Garden 4 M&M 15, Your Place 13 M&M 29, Your Place 2 M&M Mustangs 21, Finale 10 M&M Mustangs 22, Finale 11 **RESULTS MAY 17TH** Factory 16, Finale 6 Factory 20, Finale 8 M&M 28. Beer Garden 4 M&M 35, Beer Garden 1 Wreck Room 23, Ball Game 3 Wreck Room 20, Ball Game 7 M&M Mustangs - YP (Rain)

MAY 31ST GAMES Noon Your Place vs. Ball Game

Dawn's Chickletts vs. M&M

3:30pm

Finale vs. Wreck Room

Factory vs. M&M Mustangs

JUNE 7TH GAMES

M&M Mustangs vs. Dawn's Chickletts M&M vs. Finale

3:30pm Wreck Room vs. Your Place Ball Game vs. Beer Garden single game for the 10-week season, bowling a 269. At least 15 bowlers so far have bowled games of over 200.

The high series of the league still is held by Wendy H. (610), while Steve A. (578) holds the high series for the men. Next in line for high series are Steven O. (587) and Walter L. (581).

Bowlers interested in forming a fall scratch league should contact David Theiss at 744-3111. Two nights are being considered, either Tuesday at 9pm or Fridays at 6:30pm.

THREE TEAMS UNDEFEATED IN SATURDAY BEER LEAGUE

Three teams remained undefeated after two weeks of play in the Saturday Softball Beer League.

The Wreck Room and M&M teams scored their second consecutive double header victories in games which were played in the fog and mist and under heavily overcast skies.

The Factory took two games from the Finale to move within one game of the league leaders.

The games are played at noon and 3:30pm every Saturday (except for May 24th when the Wreck Room Classic is scheduled) at Mitchell Park, behind the domes on S. 27th Street near National Avenue. Spectators are welcome to come out and cheer their favorite teams. And, after the games, you'll find the victors and the loses partying in a number of Milwaukee's bars.





Photo by Erin Criss You wouldn't know it by the smiles on their faces, but this was the losing team. Part of the softball team from Your Place enjoyed the warmth and food at Shadows following a cold, misty and foggy afternoon of softball at Mitchell Park.





Photos by BM Schaup and Erin Criss Entertainment was provided by female impersonators at two Milwaukee bars last week as Tina celebrated a birthday at M&M, while a few blocks away, Shadows sponsored a benefit to raise funds for the Saturday Softball Beer League umpires.

Astrologay

TAURUS-Sign of the Bull. You possess a driving force which always shows up best in sign of emergencies. You're selfreliant, thoughtful, tenacious as well as being patient. You are attracted to persons who possess traits of quick response and high receptivity.

Taurus



ARIES (Mar. 21 - Apr. 21) – Venture out of your normal territory more often. You'll discover a freshness that will bring you back to younger things.

TAURUS (Apr. 22 - May 21) - The closed door is about to open. It's up to you to help it remain open. Plenty of tender, loving care is needed now.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21) – The session was not meant to be--at least at this time. Another opportunity will arise. Then focus in on it.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23) — You have the opportunity to solidify the relationship. Make sure that exactly what you want to do.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23) – Be firm and don't drag out the situation. The path you have chosen is best for all involved. The maturity will be achieved.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 · Sept. 23) - If you seem to be confused as to where you are at, or where you should be at, relax, you'll find your home. LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 22) — Home is where your heart is, but for the time being, you'll be spreading that love around quite a bit.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 - Nov. 22) – Study all aspects of the situation. There are a few points you are overlooking. Checkthe hidden variables, then decide.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22) – You're trying to hard! Back off and let a little time pass and the things you are seeking will be achieved.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—Don't be satisfied with the comfortable situation you're in. Express your talents and move ahead.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19) — Just because things have come to a temporary halt doesn't mean it's all over. Wait out the situation. You'll be a winner.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar. 20) - You're coming down to the wire and a decision must be made soon. Discuss the situation with one close to you.

Looking for a place to call you'r own?

Face it. There are a lot of bars that you can go to. But there's only one that's big enough for you to 'party-party', yet small enough to do your own thing. And it's



813 South First Street Milwaukee

Calendar of Events

- Every Monday thru Friday
- BALL GAME: Cocktail hour, 4:30 to 6pm. Beer 50d, bar drinks half price, call 75d.
- BEER GARDEN: Breakfast served from Gam, daily funcheon specials; happy hour, 5 to 7pm, reduced prices.
- C'EST LA VIE: All ber stock drinks half price noon to Spm; all mixed drinks (bar stock) are 25¢ 9 to 11pm.

BITS AND PIECES

-Jon Henri Damaki

"I told my lover that I was at the Ballgame in Milwaukee. He said fine. I didn't tell him it was a bar, where I could find another him."

I love that 18 year old drinking law in Milwaukee: I felt like a chaperone all weekend.

He said meet me at Your Place. I said meet me in the Shadows. We never did find each other.

There is a ber in Milwaukee where you can get Gin and Teutonic.

Milwaukee is a big city, but clean as a suburb

Some say people like in Milwaukee because they don't know any better. I say people like in Milwaukee because they don't want to know any worse.

Milwaukee is the blue-nyed capital of the world.

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- CLUB BATHS: Workout special is in effect all day and night, \$15 for 15 four-hour visits (must be used within one month); rooms \$5, lockers \$3, Bam to 4pm.
- FARWELL CENTER: Open from 7 to 10om.
- FINALE. Shake for your drink price, oither full price; half-price, or 25¢ from 4 to 7pm.
- M&M: Double Bubble Cacktail Hour, 5 to 7pm.
- PHOENIX: Pull your drink price and pay full price, half price or 10d from 4:30 to 6:30pm. Schnapps and Tequila 75d during month of May.
- SHADOWS: Cocktail hour, 5 to 7pm, halfpriced drinks, daily luncheon specials, lunch and dinner served from noon to midnight.
- YOUR PLACE: Cocktail hour, 5 to 8pm, 25¢ off on all drinks.

Special Events Friday, May 23rd

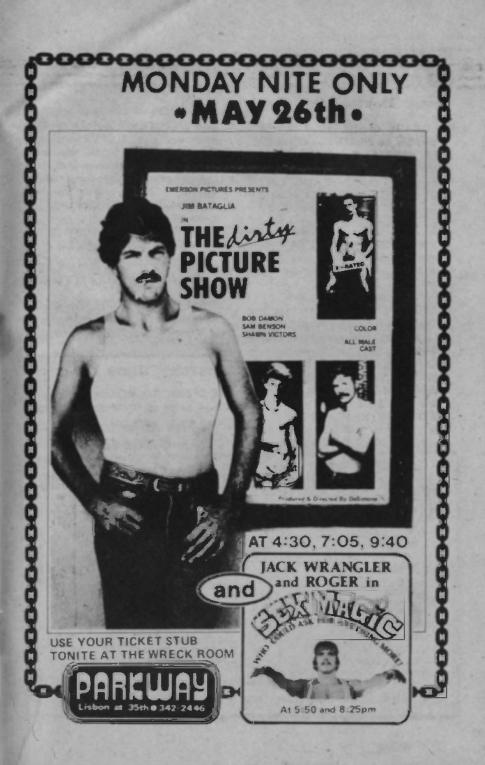
- BALL GAME: Reception for the Milwaukon Wreck Room Classic participants from 10pm.
- CLUB BATHS: Membership Appreciation Night, 6' to 7pm, free admission if you say the words, "I'm hot!"
- GAY MEN'S RAP/SUPPORT GROUP: Beginning of continuing rap/support group led by Tim McCay, Farwell Center Bam.

MARRIED/BISEXUAL RAP GROUP: Meeting, 8 to 10pm, Farwell Center.

SHADOWS: 10% off an all food and drinks, noon to 7pm, if you wear a baseball uniform.

Friday, June 6th

GAY MEN'S RAP/SUPPORT GROUP: Morting led by Tim McCay, Bpm, Farwell Center.

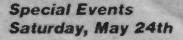


Regular Events Every Friday

- BEER GARDEN: Fish Fry, special potato pancakes served from 6am to 2pm and from 5 to 10pm.
- C'EST LA VIE: Beet 10¢, 5 to 9pm.
- CLUB BATHS: Reduced rates from 8am to 4pm, rooms \$5, lockers \$2.50.
- GPU VD CLINIC: Open from 7 to 10pm, Farwell Center.
- LOST AND FOUND: Whatever Night, free beer and whatever, 8pm to ?, disco room open from 10pm to 2am.
- MAN HOLE/Green Bay: Disco music from 8:30pm.

PHOENIX: Disco music from 10pm.

- SHADOWS: Live plano music from 7 to 10pm with AJ, fish fry served from noon to midnight \$3.95, or all you can eat for \$4.95.
- SUGAR SHACK: T-Shirt Night, wear a Sugar Shack T-shirt and receive 25¢ off bar drinks, 10¢ off bottle beer and pitchers of beer for \$1.75.
- WRECK ROOM: Happy Hour Tickets, 3:30 to 7pm, draw your drink price and pay either full price, half price or 10¢.



- SHADOWS: 10% off on all food and drinks from noon to 7pm if you wear a baseball uniform.
- WRECK ROOM: 2nd annual Milwaukee Wreck Room Classic Invitational Softball tournament, games played in Mitchell Park, S. 27th St., near National Ave., and Kinnikinnick Park, 20th and Oklahoma, starting at noon.

Saturday, May 31st

- SHADOWS: 10% off on all food and drinks from noon to 7pm if you wear a baseball uniform.
- SOFTBALL BEER LEAGUE: Games played at noon and 3:30pm behind the domes in Mitcheil Park, S. 27th St., near National Ave.

Saturday, June 7th

GAY TEENS: Rap/support group for persons under 18, UWM Student Union,

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SOFTBALL BEER LEAGUE: Games played at noon and 3:30pm behind the domes in Mitchell Park, S. 27th St., near National Ave.

Regular Events Every Saturday

- BALL GAME: Bloody Marys, Screwdrivers, Saity Dogs, Greyhounds, 90¢ from 11am to Spm.
- BEER GARDEN: Breakfast served from 11am to Bpm, luncheon special.
- C'EST LA VIE: All bar stock drinks half price noon to 5pm, bar drinks 25¢ from 9 to 11pm, beer 10¢ 5 to 9pm.
- CLUB BATHS: Reduced rates from 8am to 4pm, rooms \$5, lockers \$3, workout special in effect all day and night, \$15 for 15 four-hour visits (must be used within a month).
- GPU VD CLINIC: Open from 11am to 2pm for testing, Farwell Center.

- INSIGHT/Racine/Kenosha: Gay and teshian rap group meeting, 6pm, Unitarian Church, 625 College, Racine, discussion, friendship, social awareness, call (414) 552-7331 for more information.
- JO DEE'S/Racine: Disco from 9pm to closing.
- LOST AND FOUND: Disco room open from 10pm to 3:30em.
- MAN HOLE/Green Bay: Disco music from 8:30pm.
- PHOENIX: Disco music from 10pm, Schnapps and Tequila 75d during the month of May.
- RACINE GAYS: Meet at 7pm, Unitarian Church, 625 College, Racine.
- SHADOWS: Live plano music from 7 to 10pm with AJ, 10% off on all food and drinks if you wear a baseball uniform.
- SOFTBALL BEER LEAGUE: Two games played at noon, two at 3:30pm behind the domes in Mitchell Park, 27th St.

A Bar Owned & Operated BY & FOR Gay Women! Sunday, May 25th Live Music bv COOKIE 9 pm to 1 am SUGAR Monday, May 26th Memorial Day Cookout SHACK 3 pm until ? 135 EAST NATIONAL 643-9758 OPEN DAILY AT 7 SUNDAY AT 2

Regular Events Every Saturday

- SUGAR SHACK: Surprise Night with hourly drink specials all night.
- WRECK ROOM: Pitchers of beer for S1 from 2 to 5pm, watch sporting events on large sized TV screen.
- YOUR PLACE: Cocktail hour, 2 to 8pm, 25¢ off on all drinks.

Special Events Sunday, May 25th

- SHADOWS: 10% off on all food and drinks from noon to 7pm if you wear a baseball uniform.
- SUGAR SHACK: Live music by Cookie from 9pm to 1am.
- WRECK ROOM: 2nd annual Milwaukee Wreck Room Classic Invitational Softball tournament, games played in Kinnikinnick Park, S. 20th St. and Oklahoma



Ave., beginning at 8am, cookout and awards ceremonies at the Wreck Room beginning at 7pm, \$5 donation.

Regular Events Every Sunday

- AGAPE METRO CHRISTIAN CHURCH: Services 2pm, Farwell Center.
- BALL GAME: Bloody Marys, Screwdrivers, Saity Dogs, Greyhounds, 90¢ from 11am to 5pm.
- C'EST LA VIE: All bar stock drinks half price from noon to 5pm, beer 10¢ 5pm til closing, mixed drinks 25¢ from 9 to 11pm, buffet served from 2 to 7pm.
- CLUB BATHS: Reduced rates 8am to 4pm, rooms S5, lockers S3, workout special in effect all day, S15 for 15 four-hour visits (must be used within one month).
- DIGNITY/MILWAUKEE: Services 6pm, 2506 N. Wauwatosa Ave. (76th St.)
- FINALE: Join Dan for his Sunday attendance record drink specials, noon to 8pm.
- GAMMA: Swim at Baker Pool, UWM, 2pm, \$1; volleyball, Baker Fieldhouse, UWM, 6:30pm.
- GAY AL-ANON: Meet at 6pm in the Farwell Center.
- GAY ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: Meeting, 6pm, Farwell Center.
- JO DEE'S/Racine: Beer Bust, 1 to 6pm.
- LUTHERANS CONCERNED: Services at Spm, Village Church.
- M&M: Live music with Jan Warren and Gerry Perry from 9pm.
- METRO COMMUNITY CHURCH: Services, 2pm, 2647 N. Stowell.
- PHDENIX: Buffet served at 5pm, live re-

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- SHADOWS: Live plane music from 7 to 10pm with A.J., champagne brunch served from noon to 5pm, \$2.55, dinner served until midnight.
- SUGAR SHACK. Bloody Mary pitchers, \$6, hot dogs 25¢ from 2pm to 2am.

Special Events Monday, May 26th

Memorial Day

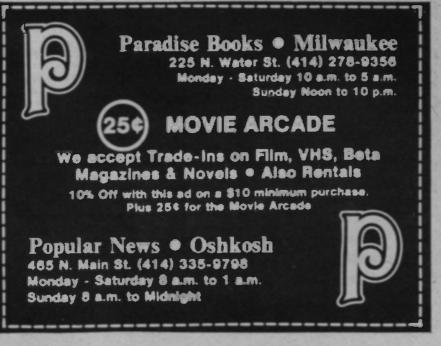
- BEER GARDEN: Memorial Day Brunch, Sam to 4pm, dinner served from 5 to 10pm.
- PARKWAY THEATER: "The Dirty Picture Show" with Bob Damon, Sam Benson, Shawn Victors shown at 4:30, 7:05 and 9:40pm; "Sex Magic" with Jack Wrangler and Roger shown at 5:50 and 8:25pm, use your ticket for a free drink at the Wreck Room tonight.

- SHADOWS: 10% off on all food and drinks from noon to 7pm if you wear a baseball uniform.
- SUGAR SHACK: Memorial Day cookout served from 3pm to ??.

Regular Events Every Monday

C'EST LA VIE. Beer 10¢ from 5pm to 2am.

- GAY PEOPLE'S UNION: Regular meeting, 8pm, Farwell Center.
- LANDMARK LANES: Spring Holiday Invitational Tournament with 10 teams competing in 10 week bowling season, 8:30pm, 2210 N. Prospect.
- PHOENIX: Dog Night-tap beer and hot dogs 25¢ each, all day and night.
- SUGAR SHACK: Baseball Night, pitchers of beer, \$1.75, game night.
- WRECK ROOM: Happy Hour Tickets, 3:30 to 7pm, draw your drink price and pay full price, half price or 10d.



Regular Events Every Tuesday

- C'EST LA VIE. Beer 10¢ from 5pm to 2am.
- GAY OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS: Meeting, 7:30om, Farwell Center.
- JO DEE'S/Racine: Beer Bust, 7pm to closing.
- LOST AND FOUND: Beer Bust, 8pm to 1am, S2 for all you can drink.
- SUGAR SHACK: Happy Hour doubles served from 9 to 11pm.
- WRECK ROOM: Happy Hour Tickets, 3:30 to 7pm, draw your drink price and pay full price, half price or 104.
- YOUR PLACE: 25s off on all drinks all night.

Regular Events Every Wednesday

- BALL GAME: Tap beer 35d from 8pm to midnight.
- C'EST LA VIE: Beer 10¢ from 5pm to 2am.

GPU VO CLINIC: Open from 7 to 10pm with doctor on hand for treatment, Farwell Center.

LOST AND FOUND: Booze Bust, \$3 for all you can drink 8 to 11pm, disco room open.

MAN HOLE/Green Bay: Disco music from 8:30pm



- M & M: Plano bar entertainment with Gerry Perry and Jan Warren from 9pm.
- PHOENIX: Discomania: \$3 at the door gets you tap beer, house wine, and bar rail drinks for 25¢, 7pm to closing.
- SUGAR SHACK: Beer bust from 8pm to 1am, S2 for all you can drink.
- WRECK ROOM: Levi/Leather/Western Nite -wear any and all your beer and bar drinks are 50¢, come bare back and beer and bar drinks are 25¢ from 10pm to closing, buffet served from 5 to 7pm.

Regular Events Every Thursday

- C'EST LA VIE: Beer 10¢ from 5pm to clasing.
- GPU VD CLINIC: Open from 7 to 10pm, for treatment, Farwell Center.
- GRAPEVINE: Meeting of Women's Coalition, 7:30pm, 2211 E. Kenwood.
- LOST AND FOUND: Pitcher Night, pitchers of beer \$1.50.
- PHOENIX: Disco music from 10pm.
- SUGAR SHACK. Happy Hour doubles served from 9 to 11pm.
- WRECK ROOM Happy Hour Tickets, 3:30 to 7pm, draw the price of your drink and pay full price, half price or 10¢.

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-- Jon-Henri Damski

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Messages

Taurean Kan: You did the right thing telling your brother you're gay, better he cry today for you than tomorrow for himself. Jon-Henri

Catcher Marc: You can catch me anytime. Pitcher Jon

Dear Tina: Happy Belated Birthday - it was a super show. Love, Toppette & Doris

Lesley G.: It's your party and you can cry if you want to. Your Fans

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Tom & Handy: Your support system is super. Please kiss whenever you hear the word. Erin

Deer Tina: Try not to "Cry Out Loud" when you read this, "I Will Survive" - so will you. Remember, "This is My Life," so keep on looking "Through The Eyes Of Love." Who knows, maybe you'll find some "Ice Castles" and remember if it's - ---, it's got to be good. Your Seester

Doris: You're Argentina was a super hit. Word Man & Picture Woman

Nurse Mark (Finale): You are a great person and friend. Mark of St. Charles

Erin: Are you a back door woman? Down The Hall

"Oht Daddy1" Tracy Quartermaine Williams

Rickey: You'll make a great coverboy, but you're an even better person. Thank you

Erim

Pink Blanket Billy: You are a pleasure to work with and not a bad husband. Erin

Jack: Do you always show your patriotic red, white, and blue eyes on Sunday morning? The Observer

Mark: You ump, you MC, and you score. What a life!

Jerry W.: Maybe the Gold Coast is the answer - love that leather. Ms. D.

Erin: Gee whiz! Nick

Shadows: Boarding house, let's keep the noise down. Door Across The Hall

Dennis: Just one more Vodka sweet and shot of Schnapps. Rick

To All The Ball Teams: "Don't slide Margaret! You'll snag your chiffon with your heels." Good Luck From The Warbrides

Finale Bob: You are one of the many reasons I write what I write. An honor to meet you too. Jon-Henri

Gena Ray: But I'll only cry with you. Prissy

Rod Stewart Club Baths: You sure know how to wake a guy up. At Overtime

Bobby: Sorry I was such a bitch this past week. Earl

Happy Birthday Tina, you sick Bitch!

Tom: I like your looks. I mean: I like the eyes you make. I mean: I like the pictures you make. The Horseman is a hardon.

Jon-Henri

Finale Softball Team: Your efforts are appreciated. I love you guys. Earl

Dear Erin: Sorry to keep you awake.

P.S. The door is always open. Jack & Marc

To the NBC Peacock Now Tending Bar at Your Place: Mang it up.

Love & Swishes, Gina Redford Starr

Marty: Sixty - forty.

Bobb: Sorry I missed you in Chicago. So glad you feel about K's on Klark as I do about the Finale. Erin

Pink Blanket Billy: I like the way you shoot: your camera and your mouth. Blue Blanket Man

Tracy Vanessa I: Always knew you were - a

stake - and now we know what kind. Gina Redford Starr

Date: The word is nice: what you do, and what you are. Jon-Henri

Tripple Scorpio: You ARE sexual. Erin & Jon-Henri

Tom & Randy (Finale): Looking forward to partying with you soon. And catching up with all of the gossip. Mark of St. Charles

Erin: Thanks for everything. Is Chicago ready for Warbrides???

Love & Kisses, Todd & Doris

Random Rosie: Was that you I saw setting tables in the Shadows last Sunday?

The Observer

Frank: It's nice being in the shadows . . .

Prissy: "Don't cry out loud." Gine

Mark: Great MC, nice person, a mistress to my husband, what does that make me? The Other Woman

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Frank: Were you the shadow coming in my bedroom last Friday night? Light Sleeper

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FARWELL CENTER

Drop-in center, peer counseling and meeting site of many organizations, open from 7 to 10pm , 1568 N. Farwelt,

FREE SPACE

Discussion group for young women questioning their sexuality. Call 271-4610 for information.

GAY AL-ANON

For lovers and friends of someone with a drinking problem, meets 5pm Sundays at the Farwell Center.

GAY ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

For persons with a drinking problem, meets Sunday 6pm at the Farwell Center, call for group 94, 272-3081.

GAY COUNSELING SERVICES

An emergency hot line staffed by professionals for your use. On call all weekend and from 4:30pm to 6am, Monday-Friday, 342-2729.

GAY MEN'S RAP/SUPPORT GROUP

Led by Tim McCoy, the first meeting will be held at 8pm Friday, May 2 and tentative plans are to meet the first and third Fridays at same time at the Farwell Center.

GAY OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Group meets at 7:30pm Tuesdays at the Farwell Center.

GAY PEOPLE'S UNION (GPU)

Meets every Monday at Bpm in the Farwell Center, business meeting is the first Monday of the month.

GAY TEENS

A rap, support group for youths under 18, meets first and third Saturdays, UWM Student Union, Room 301 from 1 to 3pm.

GRAPEVINE

Feminist/lesbian social group meets. Thorsdays at 7:30pm at the Women's Coalition.

INSIGHT/Kenosha/Racine: Lesbian and gay rap group meets at 6pm Saturdays, Unitarian Church, 625 College, Racine, discussion, friendship, social awareness, Hotline (414) 552-7331.

LESBIAN SUPPORT GROUP

Group discussions for lesbians, calt 271-4610 for details

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Services held at 5pm in co-operation with Village Church, 1108 N. Jackson. For information write to 8ob Johnson, 2511 N. Farwell, Unit L. Milwaukee, Wis-53211; or call 963-9833

MARRIED/BISEXUAL RAP GROUP

Meets the 2nd and 4th Fridays from 8 to 10pm at the Fanwell Center.

METRO COMMUNITY CHURCH

Meets at 2pm Sunday at the church at 2647 N. Stonell, special activities every 3rd Saturday, Call 342-0808 for details.

VO CLINIC

Sponsorsed by GPU, testing on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 7 to 10pm and on Saturday 11am to 2pm, doctor present for VD treatment and blood pressure testing Wadnesday evening, at the Farwell Center.

WOMEN'S COALITION

Located at 2211 E. Kenwood, Call 964-6117 for information.





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