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And let's not kid ourselves, either. It's also time to party!

Between the happenings at PrideFest (June 11 and 12), the return of the Pride Parade (June 12) and the spirit of camaraderie in the air, you'd have work pretty hard at not having a good time in Milwaukee during the month of June.

I look forward to PrideFest every year. I truly believe Milwaukee has one of the best pride celebrations in the country. Between the lakefront festival grounds, the impressive entertainment and the friendly folks, no one should miss Milwaukee's PrideFest.

I'm lucky enough to appear in the parade this year, so if you're lined up along the parade route, be sure to say hello.



Dear Ruthie

I'll also be emceeing the show, Pride Behind the Leather. This year, the infamous leather show is late afternoon on Sunday. You won't want to miss the lineup of models "bear"-ing the latest in leather and fetish ware. (What in the hell is THIS old dame going to wear? Stop by the show and find out for yourself.)

With all the activities going on to celebrate the spirit of pride, remember to take a moment and evaluate your own strides as a member of this community.

Have you recently come out? Have you accepted yourself completely? Have you spent a lot of time volunteering to make Milwaukee's LGBT community a better place? If so, now's the time to pat yourself on the back... and be proud! Happy Pride, everyone! Let's read a quick letter.

Dear Ruthie,

My life partner and I have been together for slightly over a year. I thought she'd be the one that I'd raise a child with, but now

I'm not sure she feels the same way.

I've always wanted a baby, and my partner knows that. She never talked about it much, but when she did, she said she wanted a baby, too. She said this was something we could consider in time.

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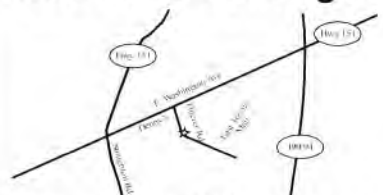
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Thanks a lot,
 A Friend

Dear Friend,

This reminds of the time I was babysitting my nephew, Ike. Ike is my twin sister Poinsettia's kid. It was 1986 and Ike was 2 years old.

Ike wasn't like other kids. While other toddler's were fully engrossed in shapes, colors and "Sesame Street," Ike was into floral arranging, fashion and "Dynasty."

I was babysitting Ike while Poinsettia took care of an out-of-state court appearance. At the time, Ike was having issues with potty training, which he confided to me one night as "Dynasty's" opening credits began to role.

"Trust me," I told him, "everyone poops."

"Everyone?" he asked.

"Everyone," I said. "Even Joan Collins."

"But not Linda Evans, right?"

"No, Ike, even Linda Evans poops," I assured. "In fact, if she eats a lot of fiber she probably poops every day."

He pondered this for a minute, and then asked, "What about Sammy Jo?"

"They all poop, Ike! Blake, Fallon, Steven...the whole family poops."

"That's a lot of poop," Ike said.

We laughed and laughed, watched "Dynasty," and Ike fell asleep in my lap.

So, what does this have to do with you? I'm not sure. I guess, what I'm trying to say is that there's a lot of poop in life. It's up to you to find out what's worth the poop and what's not.

I love Ike, and I can't imagine my life without him. While Poinsettia may never be crowned "Mother of the Year," she feels that her life is better for having Ike.

While I myself never had kids (I won't allow anyone to live in my home who can't mix their own cocktails), I love Ike like he was my own child.

Ike put Poinsettia through hell while growing up. He constantly set her shoes on fire because they were "last season," and he once chained himself to an entertainment center so that carpet installers couldn't lay down the shag she ordered.

He was suspended from the second grade when he brought a teacher to tears because she wore white after Labor Day. But, Poinsettia admits that going through all of this poop was worth it.

Grown up now and working in a law office in West Hollywood, Ike remains a wonderfully valuable member of our odd little family. I don't know what we'd do without him.

Is going through a lot of poop in order to have a child worth it? If your lover doesn't want kids, are you ready to end this relationship? These are questions for you to decide. You have to determine for yourself if all the poop is worth it.

Is there a chance that your partner wants a baby, but is simply getting cold feet at the thought? Has she clearly said that raising children is not what she wants? You need to find out. Discuss it with her and find out where she stands.

Counseling is always a good idea if you feel that you could use a little direction. In the end, however, you'll need to make a choice that you can live with.

You can drop Ruthie a line at ruthie@dearruthie.com, or stop by her site at www.dearruthie.com.

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Cordially Yours

By Michael Johnston



Did you all survive IGBO - 2005? Happy June and welcome once again to "Cordially Yours." Are You all set for PrideFest? First off a major round of applause to our PrideFest Committee who were

able to engage such All-star Talent! Jason Stuart, Taylor Dayne, RuPaul, Pamela Means, Jade Esteban Estrada and Sophie B. Hawkins -- quite impressive! I am looking forward to the "Pride Singing Idol," the "Leather Fashion Show" with special commentator my sister-in-print: Dear Ruthie and of course the return of the "Pride Parade"!!! So get your Social Calendars out and start marking off.

Monday, June 6th is the final "Blue Monday" for 2005 at Taylor's. Make the bells on Jefferson and Wells sing out!

Thursday, June 9th is "Dining Out For Life." Go to your favorite eatery and enjoy your Breakfast, Brunch, Lunch, Dinner, Dessert and this year Cocktails -- and a percentage will go to Camp Heartland. So what you will be doing naturally, can help the future of children, who need a future.

Friday, June 10th the place to be is: Switch. The first "Foam Party" of the Season! Portions of the proceeds will go to defraying the cost of the return of our Pride Parade. So here again, a chance to have some good clean fun and make a difference! The dropping of the soap will begin around 9 PM, I am quite sure that Shawn a "Prince" of men will keep you cocktail-ed into the night...

Saturday, June 11th is PrideFest! Sunday, June 12th my favorite day of the year will

bring the Pride Parade. So come on out and enjoy the new and improved South Second Street Parade Route.

Friday, June 17th is the "Challenge Party." Talk about making a difference! This Gala is a must! The Host Committee really know how to put the Gay - in Gay-La!

The following day Saturday, June 18th will be this year's "Home & Garden Tour." The Historic Walker's Point area will be visited this year. By doing this great activity you will be helping out The LGBT Community Center.

And the following day Sunday, June 19th is Father's Day.

So there you have it -- scoping out the month with a "Lavender Eye."

But, what fun we had in May - remember?

For Cinco De Mayo the place to be was Botanas. It was warm enough to dine el fresco! Angel with halo and wings intact made sure that Jay and I were treated like visiting Royalty. To the Battle of Pueblo Day! OLE!

Mother's Day brought Rona's "Fourth Annual (-hopefully) Mother's Day Show - The Nun Show." What fun we have as a nun! The lovely "Sisters" who brought joy to the hearts of the appreciative audience were: Sr. Rona, Sr. Charlotte Lorraine, Sr. Dear Ruthie, Sr. Dame Edna Ross, Sr. Velveeta Head Cheez, Sr. ChiChi, Sr. Candy Stick, Sr. Sharon Starr - nee Bumps, Sr. Alexis Winters, Sr. Baby Jane Hudson, Sr. Maya, Sr. Madison Brooks, Sr. Karen Valentine, The Pope Lizzie Bordeaux, and special live singing talents of: Kelly and Bob, Church Lady and forgive me if your name did not appear, after all those Lorraine sized refreshments one can't be held accountable! I do know Boo-Boo was marvelous on music, as always - such a gift! And the special "Jesus Juice" was distributed by: Fr. Rita and Fr. Peter. What a time - and congratulations for the outstanding and perhaps record-making

run as a Bartender at The M&M Club, to our Miss Rona! Long may she reign!

By chance did you get the opportunity get yourself to The Milwaukee Public Museum and view the "Pearl Exhibit." It is as exquisite, as the jewelry on display. I hope I didn't leave too many finger prints... What a gem of a show, be be-dazzled by it through Sunday, June 26th.

Off Broadway at The Marcus Center, is now offering:

Paul Portner's "Shear Madness." Currently it is scheduled to be on the boards through Sunday, July 31st

- Already extended by six weeks! I am quite sure due to popular demand, will be with us all Summer! I was fortunate enough to be invited to the final dress -- let me tell you it is STILL unpredictable, fresh, funny and well

worth an evening of escape! This is the fourth time I experienced the "Madness" John McGivern continues to find everyone's funny bone and leaves you tickled pink! Mondy Carter, Mary MacDonald Kerr, Norman Moses, Christopher Tarjan and Jenny Wanasek round out the cast in this hysterical hi-jinx at a hair salon providing a who done it - that you won't know, until the very last minute.

After the Performance I was invited to a "VIP Meet and Greet" that WMYX's Kidd O'Shea cordially hosted. During the Show there is a place for a local Media Star to do a News Bulletin. Kidd KO'd here! In the

past an array of Television and Radio Broadcasters did this crucial cameo. If memory serves me right, it was always just a prerecorded message played ALA Radio. That night we got to see the dashing Drive Time Voice of WMYX take to the stage and deliver with great aplomb an up to the minute news bulletin -- himself. Who knows, could be the birth of Star? The

bash was great fun, meeting Billie Jean and the rest of the promo staff of WMYX, as well as Mr. O'Shea -- and of course the Cast of "Shear Madness"!

A post party followed at Elsa's with Bobby and Steve making sure our little impromptu Birthday Celebration for Stardust Advertising very own Bonnie DeLeeuw was as perfect, as the lady herself!

The Men of Men's Voices Milwaukee did a remarkable Spring Concert: "A Journey Through A Man's Life." The only part I didn't like, the departure of their current Artistic Director John Francis. What a sweet, talented, spiritual man. He will be missed! Alas, a job of a lifetime came along -- so is the journey in a man's life... Rest assured as of this writing, I hear tell there are a slew of resumes under consideration for his position. While no one could ever replace him, the Show will go on! Applause to the selections -- four-stars! I loved "Bridge Over Troubled Water," "The Long And Winding Road," "Paint



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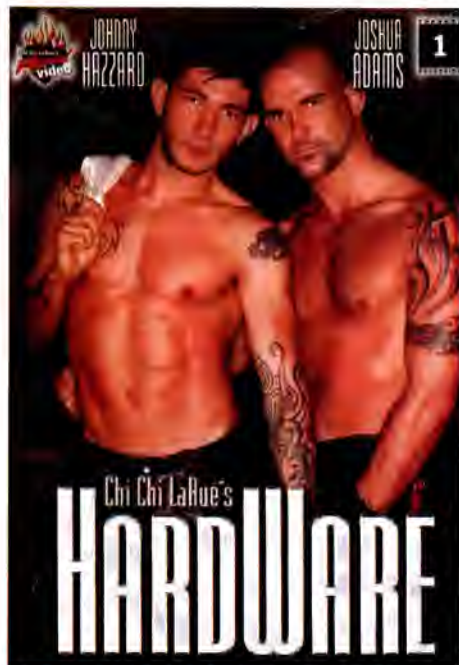
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Me A Picture Of Your Life" -- Mr. Francis wrote for his son Ian, "Michael's Letter To Mamma" -- made possible by our Friends of PFLAG, while there were other pieces I enjoyed too -- but no room to list. Bravo to the Chorus as a whole unit, to John what a sensational swan song, the artistic interpreter - Christopher Cupples, musicians - Joseph Paul Carpenter on piano and the guys on bass and drums. A unique use of narration by Gary Mitchell of the Chorus and local poetess, writer and raconteur Carmen Murguia made for a great weaving of story and song -- touching your heart strings. Bravo! The next time you can catch these gents will be The Holidays: Saturday, December 10th, 2005.

To think 20 years ago this month (June, 1985) I joined a group coined "The Gay Chorus" - that morphed into "The Fest City Singers," then branched off to "The Wisconsin Cream City Chorus, Ltd." and now we also have "Men's Voices Milwaukee." The passage of time...

I loved Miss Linda Stieber's "Get Happy, The Music Of Judy Garland" at The Sky-light Opera Theatre. A true tour de force! David Brady on piano provided a handsome harmony, equally the majestic talent of a Mel Torme with our friend of Dorothy.

Craig at Switch rolled out the barrel of fun, food, beer, booze and polka music. In celebration of his 6th year of making the Switch. Tim and Shawn merrily refreshed the well-wishers as we supped on a super buffet from Miss Katie's Diner. Even with all the traffic problems they are still in full operation! The RiverWest Accordionist played their way into our hearts. I had a ball -- playing, instead of bartending! Besides Craig, his Father, Sister, Dave, Barney at 92, the Duchess, Loie, Baby Davey and Brett - Switch's Pride Idol Finalist, Leon, The Hobbit - Peter Nys - cocktail bartender, Eric, IGBO/HIT's David & Mark, Buffy, Velveeta Head Cheez, Jim of the M's, Suzie, David, Prin-

cess Charlotte Lorraine, Jay, Jerry Gin & Tonic, Jerry, Sal Z., Jerry Warzyn, Ben & Michael, Ryan, Tod and Lee, Bill "Fluid" Wardlow, James and The Triangle Team, a gorgeous Go-Go Guy and a tavern full of revelers made up the guest list! Long may the power continue to soar at Switch.

Bill and the Boys of Fluid rang in another popular year of fun and frolic at Fluid. Fluid is always there for the Community! Even though, through the years there have been changes externally, as well as internally - Bill always maintains the heart of the bar, there is always a place for you there. Congratulations Wilma and her Fellows of Fluid: Brian AKA Kitty, Dee, Christian, B.J. and the endless energy that makes up: Fluid!

So long to Christopher who added so much to the team over at Boom/The Room. After spending every weekend (Fridays & Saturdays) for quite a time, he will be resting his shot glass for a while. You will be missed -- but, it will be fun to party with you on the other side of the bar! Cheers! Happy B-Day in print to Lance of Boom-dom, who enjoyed a Surprise Birthday Party at work making his usual Thursday that much more un-usual!

Congratulations to Milwaukee's very own Donald Trump - Jack H. Smith. Jack the highly successful Shorewest Realtor is ALWAYS doing something for our Community! Well the Community is saying a VERY special THANK YOU, by dedicating the Library of the Milwaukee LGBT Community Center to Mr. Smith. How apropos, a valid complement and what a fit! A special dedication ceremony took place on Thursday, May 26th. I toast you and respect all your contributions!

Well, we are half through the year and at the end of yet another effort. Happy Summer 2005! Enjoy PrideFest, the Sun, Warmth and all life has to offer as I remain. STILL "Cordially Yours"

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Madison Map Listings

- 5 - Barracks, The - M,L&L,Cr,V
 5 Applegate Ct., 53713
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- 5 - Club 5 - M,W,D,DJ
 5 Applegate Ct., 53713
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- 5 - Fox Hole, The - W
 5 Applegate Ct., 53713
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- 4 - Greenbush - W
 914 Regent, 53715
 608-257-2874
- 6 - Look At That - The Leather Store
 438 Frances St., 53703
 608-663-2453
- 5 - Planet Q - M,W,D,DJ
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 5 Applegate Ct., 53713
 608-277-9700
- 1 - Ray's Bar & Grill - M,W,DJ,F
 2526 E. Washington Ave. 53704
 608-241-9335
- 2 - Shamrock - MWFV
 117 W. Main, 53703
 608-255-5029

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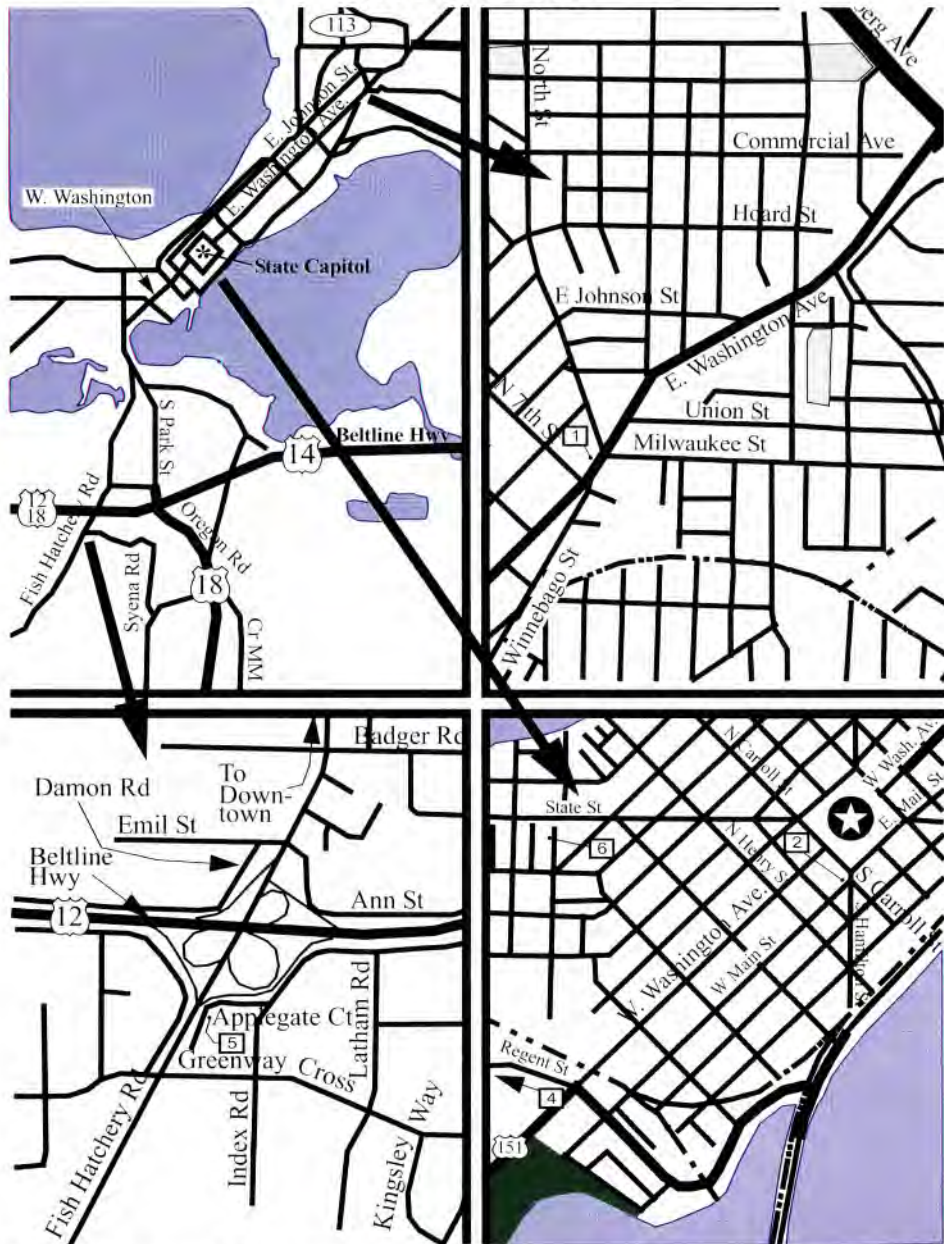
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Greetings Gossip Mongers!

I'm back! Whether you like it or not, I know it's been awhile, however between my full time stint at M&M Club, bowling on the spring league on Tuesdays, R.O.T.C. practice on Saturdays and tennis starting in June on Sundays; this girl's dance card is full!

Now I'll probably repeat a lot of information covered in my other noteworthy columnists columns, however I feel I should still reiterate what I have digested so to speak in the last 3 months. If you do not see it here look for the gossip in the one time entry in the newspaper that will follow. So let's get to the gossip and the happenings for the "ahem" previous period.

To begin with, I know it's been said before, however my cohort behind the bar and perennial bowling favorite Miss Rita mourned the passing of his dear father in Texas. I have been so in the M&M family for 8 years, and I would like to acknowledge the grace and dignity Miss Rita handled this situation and tragic event. Rita

has been a staunch supporter of the gay community and the organization of H.I.T.

Another loss to mourn is the Rev. Lou Broyles pastor of the MCC Church in Milwaukee. Lou passed away unexpectedly and his presence will be sorely missed in the extensive participation in the bowling community as well as his volunteer activities with Pridefest ministering the communal wedding vow celebration..

Speaking of bowling, a wonderful turnout between Madison and Milwaukee for the annual Mil-Maids fundraiser this year in Milwaukee. It was a blast with my teammates Britty, Charlotte Lorraine, Boo Boo, Miss Baby Jane Hudson and moi playing against the Knockin Woodies team from Madison. One of the members won the strike pot, who most generously bought a round of shots for the lanes from the Knockin Woodies team.

Of course Miss Britty thought that included a free dry hump on the winner. What can you do? Her professional roommate who had not received enough Z's the previous night had made comparable decision to re-enact one of his scenes from his previous profession. The only downside to this was that one of the participants in the 3-way had already had his full before his partner did. I guess some people finish their plates before everyone leaves the table. I have to acknowledge my fellow columnist from Madison Miss Trailer Park Terry who looked quite fetching in a yellow canary piece jumpsuit at the lanes. We had a standoff and I guess I was the winner or shall I say loser when I got to see her furry derriere trying to make a spare. You know what they say you can take the girl out of the trailer park! Some birthday news to report had them all celebrating at my fine establishment.

Kudos go out to some of my dear friend who celebrated some birthday milestones. Salutes go out to Herr Ray Schaefer and the Saturday diva Miss

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Cindy a.k.a. Brenda Vaccarro who both respectively reached their 50th B-days. Papa Joe and friends and family also celebrated his 70th B-day. Ray's party had the place hopping with an open bar and the cool menthol stylings on the piano by Trixie and the incomparable Miss Joyce. Papa served up his famous corn beef bris- ket after St. Patty's Day and made a gener- ous donation to the Hunger Task Force in Milwaukee.

One special mention concerning birthdays was M&M's very Barbie who we cele- brated by taking Rhonda and I for an impromptu bar crawl through Brewtown. We started an M's and then proceeded to Out-n-About where my favorite blonde behind the bar Miss Heide Ho served us. We were told they have over 70 plus dif- ferent vodkas behind the bar. So if that is what trips your trigger check them out. The next victim on our calvacade of drink- ing was Woody's. I love hanging out at this bar. All the staff is very friendly and Steve the owner just celebrated his daugh- ter's B-day Coco's first birthday. More on this bar later. From there it was on to Har- bor Room to see the men in leather and not much else. Owner Greg and his delicious boy toy Eddie had a generous B-day tab for Barbie to ring in his birthday. Thanks guys! Onward it was on to Fluid to see Bill and cast who always make you feel welcome whether they know you for one hour or one year. Across the street we had to see the dames over at Walker's Pint. Betsy and the always sassy Sheena had

shots awaiting for us on our arrival. It may be a lesbian bar but the girls always make this dame feel real comfortable. Thanks Ladies! Our next stop was over to see what was happening over at Switch. As we poured ourselves through the door Ben was there to make sure Barbie felt every year of his 40 plus. Believe it or not we still had some stamina with Miss Rhonda and started heading North to Cest La Vie where Miss Cristoff was manning the tap- pers. Our final stop before heading home to the mothership was at Ballgame to see what more trouble we could get in to that we had not already accomplished. I know we should have been committed at this point, but when you have so many choices in this fair city you have to be decisive.

I want to wish the Lake Lesbians of Waushara County a happy 11th anniver- sary. If you know both of their identities they said they will buy you a shot at M&M Club.

Well that is all for now since I can never make my deadline, but their will be more dish to come in the very near future. So thankyou for everyone that has hounded Jim and James about the column, and I will try to keep you abreast of the happen- ings in Cream City.

So keep the talk cheap and the liquor flow- ing and I will try to catch up with every- thing that is going on. Happy Pridefest and welcome to all our international bowlers that will grace our fair city this Memorial Day weekend!





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- 10 - Boot Camp Saloon - M,L&L,Cr
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- 19 - Botanas Restaurant
816 S. 5th St., 53204
414-672-3755
- 11 - Cage - M,W,V,D,DJ
801 S. 2nd St., 53204
414-383-8330
- 5 - C'est La Vie - M,S,St,F
231 S. 2nd St., 53204
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- 4 - Club 219 - M,D,St,DJ
219 S. 2nd St., 53204
414-271-3732
- * - Conversations - M,W,D,DJ
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- 12 - Fluid - M,W,G
819 S. 2nd St., 53204
414-643-5843
- * - Galano Club - 12-Step Recovery Club
315 W. Court St., Suite 201, 53212
414-276-6936
- 17 - Harbor Room - M,L&L,Cr,F,P
117 E. Greenfield Av., 53204
414-672-7988
- 6 - Midtowne Spa - (Health Club)
315 S. Water St., 53204
414-278-8989
- 2 - M&M Club - M,W,F
124 N. Water St., 53202
414-347-1962
- 16 - Out N About -
M,W,DJ,P,F,D,V,Cr,LM
1407 S. 1st St., 53204
414-643-0377
- 7 - Room, The - M,Cr,P
625 S. 2nd St., 53204
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- 8 - Switch - M,V
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- 1 - This Is It - M,W
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- 20 - Tazzbah - M,G
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- 9 - Triangle - M,W,V,P,S
135 E. National Ave., 53204
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- 13 - Walker's Pint - W
818 S. 2nd St., 53204
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- 15 - Woody's - M,W,G,Cr,F
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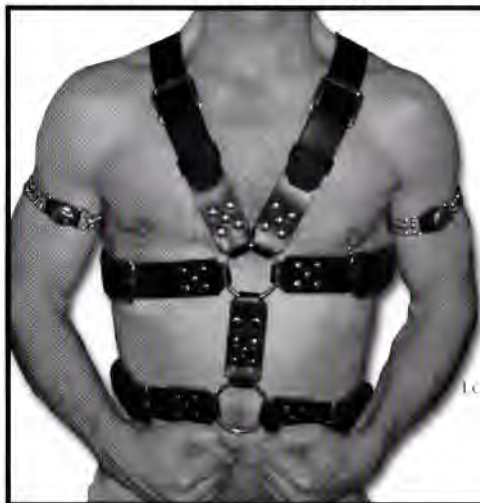
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And now for my first email question:

Brent, I've had the pleasure of meeting you on two occasions and just finished reading your article in the current OUTBOUND. I have a question for you How do you feel about the Guiche piercing? Have you done any. I have seen this look on a few guys only in pictures and it looks hot. ~ David

Well David, I personally like the guiche piercing. I think it does a great job in stimulating sex and can make motorcycle rides very interesting. I have done quite a few and everyone I know who have them enjoy them immensely.

Next issue we will focus on the guiche piercing. The guiche is a piercing done on that little piece of skin between your scrotum and anus. We will delve into this more next issue. So until then have a great month of June, enjoy PrideFest, and don't forget about the new and improved Pride Parade.

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Skin and Steel

By Brent



Welcome back to newest and coolest article in Outbound. That's right *Skin and Steel* is back again. I want to thank everyone for the great response I have gotten since the beginning of this article. And now onto our new piercing of the month ... the Prince Albert (also called a P.A.).

First off let's talk about where the P.A. usually goes. The P.A. is a piercing that is placed through the underside of the shaft of the penis and out the urethra. It's typically done with a captive bead ring in a 12-gauge (gauge being the thickness of the jewelry). Now I know that all of you are probably going, "OW! You're not shoving anything through my dick!" But actually the Prince Albert is very easy to get done and to heal. It is a piercing that I recommend as a starter to anyone looking to get into genital piercings.

Prince Alberts are done a little different than most piercings. They are not done with a clamp or anything like that. They are done with a tool called a P.A. tube. The tube is rounded on all edges for ease of insertion. The tube is then placed down the urethra to "catch" the end of the needle and stop it from going through the rest of your penis. Which I don't think any of

you would like very much. (Well okay maybe not MOST of you.)

The purpose of the Prince Albert, according to history, is that the lords of the land would use them to tie their penis to one leg or the other to keep it out of the way. They wanted it out of the way is because back then it was unpopular to have a bulge in your pants. (What was wrong with them!)? There is one other story that I think you would be interested in, it is again about the P.A. but this one involves king Luis. (Which number I have no idea). The story goes that the King wanted to please his 12 wives and he could not do it with what he had in his pants alone. So he got it pierced so that he could please all his wives. Which would explain why it is called a Prince Albert. Which is true I have no idea. I'll let those of my readers with sick little minds decide for me.

Now let's get into what you all really want to know ... how a P.A. feels. For the person with the Prince Albert sex and foreplay are delightfully interesting. The P.A. grabs and pulls just a little bit to make whatever you are doing feel just a little bit tighter. For the person who is on the receiving end, the P.A. applies pressure to the prostate gland during m2m anal sex. The prostate, according to many experts, is the male equivalent of the female clit. In other genders sex it will have results but it's most pronounced is in the m2m relationship.

The most common problems that we encounter in the industry are from people playing with it too much too soon. (And you thought when your mother told you "if you keep playing with it, it will break!" she was kidding!) There is only one restriction that applies to a P.A. once it is pierced. When it comes to sex it must be protected for at least 3 weeks. In reality the longer you can wait the better off you are. But in my opinion I recommend, "If it hurts too much, then don't do it!"

Other than that, that's about it when it comes to a Prince Albert. If you have any questions you need answered please email me at Brent@outboundwi.com.

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