# Mr.Gay Wisconsin-USA Pageant

Saturday, May 9 at Za's

Only winners from official Mr. Gay Wisconsin USA Preliminary Pageants may enter the Wisconsin state pageant that sends the winners to national competition!

# ONE PRELIMINARY PAGEANT LEFT!

# Mr. Southern WI-USA

Saturday, April 25, 10:30 pm Club 94, Kenosha

Remember, if you didn't win at Emerald City, Capital City or Mr. OZ, you may try again in this preliminary pageant.

If you've been waiting to run for a preliminary, this is your last chance to enter!

Entry Fees for Preliminary Pageants are \$25

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Young & hung GW farmboy lkg to get it on w/ other young hot boys 18-27. I'm 185 lbs., 5'11", br/bl, handsome. Resident, Rt. 1, Bx. 127, Chaseburg, WI 54621. (608) 483-2528 [2]

Bi-curious? Discreetly explore on *The Confidential Connection!* 18+ record/listen/respond FREE! 18+ call (414) 224-6462 use code 4131 [P]

Soft, smooth, spankable (Milw) GBM, fleshy buttboy, 35, 6', 275 lbs., desires very aggressive/dominant, dark-skinned, heavy-set, filthy-minded BM top. Rough handling makes me hot, submissive, receptive, eager to please and satisfy you. No hard druggies/drunks, please. Wayne. (414) 319-5816 [2]

GWM, 29, 125 lbs., clean shaven, 32" waist, drk br/dr. brn, 7 1/2" cut, seeks pen pals & relationship. May be in Wis. this fall or winter. Incarcerated. David O'Keefe #251-452-2-A-26, c/o P.C.I, PO Box 209, Orient, OH 43146-0209 [2]

GWM, 19, 5'8", 160 lbs., br/bl, w/ nice round butt., thick 8 1/2" tool. Lkg for a 1-on-1 w/ an older man interested in a hot bottom & who will teach me new things. (Incarcerated) Alvin Jamison #33890, PO 1989, Ely, NV 89301 [2]

Bi WM, 40, lkg for 18-30 y.o. umpires to leave your mark on my body. Dick (920) 426-2683 or come on down to 102 W. Bent St., Oshkosh, WI 54901 [2]

Bi husky WM, 50, ISO BiG WM for mutually pleasurable intimate encounters. Skg long term friendship, companionship & relationship w/ other average mature, secure, squeaky clean males. Select married males & TVs OK. Will answer all. G. Allyn, PO Box 085583, Racine, WI 53408-5583, (414) 939-5563

32-y.o. good lkg GWM ISO hot, sexy, intelligent, kind, fun, compassionate 24-y.o. GM for lots of undiscovered fun times. Let's discover them! Perfect candidate would be a "banker" during the week and a printing press operator every other wkend. I can teach you how to be spoiled &

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18 y.o. GWM, 5'8", blue eyes, black hair, 160 lbs., skg white guys 18-20 for friendship, dating & pos. LTR. Please, no dopers or fatties. Eric, 3223 99th St., Kenosha, WI 53142 [3]

GWM, 33, 5'8", 150 lbs., brn/hzl, med. build, gdlkg, str/act, healthy & HIV-. Down to earth, good sense of humor, ISO similar. Send photo/ltr to Occupant, PO 644, Wausau, WI 54402-0644 [3]

Chicago male seeking boy needs daddy - help with business. Write Eric, 2830 N. Damen Ave., Chicago, IL 60618. Tele. (773) 528-4366. [3]

WM, 48, 5'9", bm. hair, beard, seeks masculine men who give huge multiple loads, butt meals, showers. Uncut & sensitive nipples a + Any race, no sissies. Smoke, drink OK. Love to service! Karl (815) 338-9137 [3]

Hot W/TV submissive lkg for dominant males, females, couples or groups who need & want a sissy slave for anything kinky. Very oral & receiving Greek. Bondage, discipline, humiliartion, maid service are some of my interests. Clean, honest, discreet. U-B-2. (414) 777-3942 [3]

Single bi-male, 32, 6'1", searching for other males, couples to entertain. I am very oral, deep french kissing is a +. Madison area only, d/d free, open to new things & enjoy having sex. Age/race not important, just having a great time together. Ed discman35@hotmail.com [3]

Young, shy & inexperienced GWM, 6', average build, lkg for same 18-30 for friendship & relationship & fun hot times. Any race welcome. Resident, Rt. 1, Box 337A, Laona, WI 54541. [3]

20 y.o. GWM, 145 lbs., 5'8", br/br lkg for another straight acting HIV- GWM for friendship & pos. LTR. New to Green Bay area & a little shy. Monogamous individuals only, please. (920) 437-4948 [3]

GF - beautiful woman avail. Write Rose, 2820 W. Kilbourn Ave. (Apt. 111), Milw., WI 53208 [2]

GWM, 31, 6', 250 lbs., bm/hzl ISO GWM 21-45, fun loving, sense of humor, honest. I'm lkg to meet northwoods men for good times, friendship & more. Send ltr & pic to Steve, PO Box 814. Woodruff, WI 54568

Wanted! Muscular, masculine men, bi or gay, straight-acting, no games, no strings, just wkly fun! Must be mature & built for pleasure! bartsimp@execpc.com or (414) 325-7848 [3]

GWM Fox Valley couple, mid 30s, ISO friends, partner to make 3 &/or sex partners. For socializing, home time, camping, nudity & time together. (920) 830-2133.

WM, 5'11", 175 lbs., lkg for other males for oral active or passive. Must be clean, not overweight, age open. Boxholder, PO Box 2221, Fond du Lac, WI 54936 [3]

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Milw/Marquette U area: GWM 35, (looks 23 or 24), 5'11", hz/hz. muscular, 158# lkg to meet a GWM, GAM or GHM 18-35 for friendship/relationship. Have a wide variety of interests! And would like to share some of them with a special someone. Person must be: honest, caring, attitude free, non drug user, light drinker & smoking is OK. Send ltr. w/pic to Tim, 725 N. 22nd St. (#205). Milw., WI 53233-1914, or phone (414) 933-6000, ext. 205 between 2-9 pm wkdays, & any time to 11 pm on wkends. E-mail is welcome thanson@execuc.com mkegayguy@hotmail.com [1]

Hot 31 v.o., 170 lbs., 5'8", curious. submissive bottom, semi professional lkg to meet bi curious construction workers &/or single professionals, 30-40, must be HIV-Write Russ, c/o Ouest (#107), PO Box 1961, Green Bay, WI 54305

Kinky heavyweight GWM, 35, 5'11". 280 lbs., br/br, hairy chest w/ a sense for fun. Can be as vanilla as vou want, or as kinky as you need. I enjoy all. Skg a an aggressive top. Write: "Zach" free-spirited male, 45 or under, lkg for adventure. Race unimportant. Write GM, PO Box 276. Embarrass, WI 54933-0276 [2]

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GWM, 46, 6'2", from lower Fox Valley, seeks others for good Single in Milwaukee? Meet othtimes & more. I'm good looking, masculine, have football player build. Prefer drug-free healthy lifestyle. Write: Ken, c/o Ouest (#95), PO Box 1961, Green Bay, WI 54305 [2]

Stocky, bearded, GWM, 36, 5'8" ISO well-endowed B/W/H men to orally service. No reciprocation necessary. I'm a bottom skg Diem, 625 E. Pleasant (#4), Appleton, WI 54912 or phone Milw., WI 53202. Include stats & (920) 830-9354 [2] contact info, [2]

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38 v.o. GWM, 5'10", 195; bm hair/eyes lkg for friendship or relationship. I'm physically challenged, speech impaired, but mobile. I'm a smoker & social drinker, will relocate. (414) 253-0921, or write Mark Schicker, Seeks pen pals & relationship. N83 W15776 Apple Valley. Menomonee Falls, WI 53051 [2]

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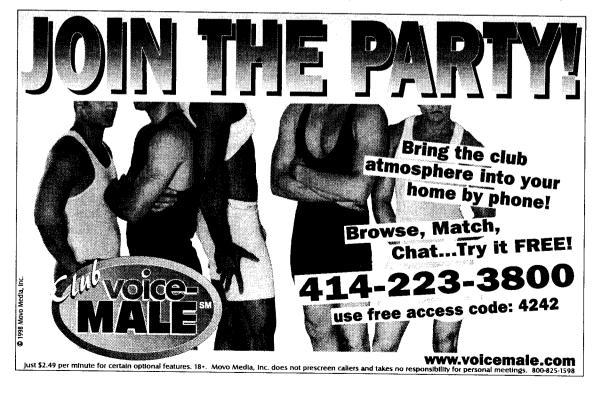
GWM, 27, 5'10", br hair, big br eyes, babyface! ISO friends &

more, good sense of humor, passionate & intelligent, light smoker. Prefer same. Social drinker Works out daily, write by profession. Write me at PO Box 774.

Dave, of Appleton, 31, 200 lbs., 27 y.o. incarcerated GWM, 5'6", bl. hair/blue eyes. 6'. Have my rings in both ears, lkg for another metal music, most of all having fun. Interested? e-mail me demented72@aol.com [2]

> GWM, 33, 145 lbs., 5'4", dark br/br, incarcerated, clean shaven. 5 1/2" cut, HIV-, versatile, enjoys some S&M & light bondage Will be in Wis. this fall. Louis Russack #328-757-6-House 308 B, c/o C.C.I., PO Box 5500. Chillicothe, OH 45601-0990 [2]

> Madison deadhead, 27, seeks long-haired guys, kind, gentle, yet strong-minded, 5'7", 150 lbs... beard, long br. hair, lightly hairy chest, tattoos, Into Grateful Dead/Phish. Straight acting/look-







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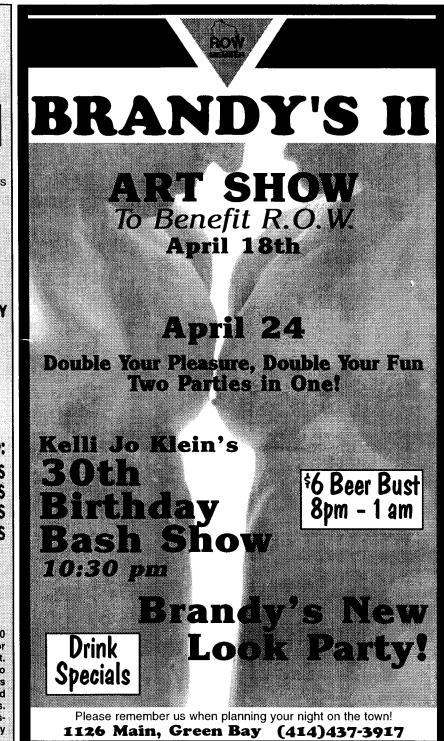
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GWM, 25, br/bl, athletic build, great sense of humor, good outlook on life, soon to be released from Nevada prison, lkg for friendship or maybe more. Jason Nelson #46985, LCC, PO Box 359, Lovelock, NV 89419 [1]

GWM, 33, 6', 160, br/bl, skg other GWM 26-36; enjoy movies, sports, long walks, etc., and willing to do whatever you'd like. Honest, romantic, trusting. Send photo/ltr to PO Box 31. Sheboygan, WI 53081, Will respond to all [1]

Cowboy looks, muscular, hairy chested hiker, loves close comradery, loyalty. Your looks, age OK. Tom Harthun, 3658 W. 79th Pl., Chicago (773)585-6275. Let's play cards! [1]

"Hot Rod" will b monitoring ch. 20 & 23 CB radio every weekend. Fri. thru Sun. between noon & midnight in Kenosha, & will be "breaking" 4 U members out there 4 an eveball & fun. Send vour info 2 "Hot Rod" (414) 654-6208 any time of the day, and b able 2 contact other units in your area. Join our new CB club & receive free newsletters & cards 2 your PO box. [1]

SWGF, 26, 175, blue, blondish brown hair, college student, seeks soulmate & friends. If you are a SWGF, 20-42, write Lisa, 7245 S. 76th St. (#291), Franklin, WI 53132. Photo, please [1]

GWM, 38, brn/bl, very hairy, HIV-, lkg for sincere man seeking friendship, romance, pos. LTR. Likes motorcycles, antiques, outdoors. Muscular/ hairy a +. Photos welcome, locals desirable. Bill W, PO Box 14, Park Falls, WI 54552

This is a booty call! Affectionate GBM, 6', 275 lbs., total bottom, seeks very heavyset, masculine dark-skinned BM stud for purely physical wkly fun on the down low, My full lips, talented tongue & skillful hands will around, excite, pleasure & satisfy you completely. Wayne, Milw. (414) 319-5816 [1]

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who would like to photograph me wearing my short mini skirts & dresses or my sexy revealing lingerie. (414) 290-1993 Milw.

Bi WPM, br/bl, clean cut 5'11". 175 lbs., seeks other males for friendship; H/W proportionate, discreet. Age open for private relationship. Occupant, PO Box 2221, Fond du Lac, WI 54936 [1]

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ly shaven, seeks generous men Bi WM, 40, 5'10", 180, hazel bl. eyes, 5" long brown hair, fair lkg bottom. Like to meet slim fair looking bi or gay male, female or couples, 40 & under. Prefer Stevens Point area. Send ltr about you, photo to Quest (#113), PO

Box 1961, Green Bay, WI 54305. Nature/spiritually oriented Milw GWM artist, 38, hard working,

GWM in Wis. northwoods, 39. 5'7". 195 lbs., br/br, educated, financially stable, loves a hairy man who can communicate in/out of bed. Seeking a soul mate Versatile, Passion, intimacy, honesty & personality a must. Truly a romantic & want same. Nonsmoker & drug free, 29-49 yrs., 180-225 lbs., HIV-, average to husky build & can match above

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Ouest (#111), PO Box 1961. Green Bay, WI 54305 [1]

22 y.o. GWM (Racine), 6', br/br

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1441. All answered, photo 1st.

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Phillips, WI 54555-0046. [1]

qualities. Don M., PO Box 46,



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GWM lkg 4 room 2 rent in Madison near West Towne Mall. Relocating to finish school, start 6/1. Respond to PO Box 22574, Green Bay, WI 54305 [2]

Quiet & clean apartment wanted Appleton area. Professional gay male, non-smoker, responsible & honest, interested ibgn renting a smoke-free apartment. e-mail: universallight@worldnet.att.net Lkg for a roommate? We're moving May 1 & lkg for 2 people to share a 3-bedrm flat on Milw's east side. Lkg for an honest male, easy to get along with. Call (414) 967-9388. [2]

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Good looking WM, mid 30s, lkg for masculine WM under 35. I'm submissive, prefer tops. Call Rob (414) 390-3772 (Milw.) [1] 41 y.o. GWM lkg for that special someone. 6', 210 lbs., balding, bearded. Enjoy most summer-

someone. 6', 210 lbs., balding, bearded. Enjoy most summertime outdoor activities. Own small hobby farm. Jeff T., Rt. 1, Bx. 130-A, Washburn, WI 54981

WI state prisoner, WM, 33, would like to hear from people in the Milw. area. Scott Konitzer, PO Box 351, Waupun, WI 53963

GWM, 37, 5'11", 190, br/bl, bearded, loves outdoor things -hunting, fishing, etc. Lkg for a bearded masculine husky man for good times or possible LTR. Hairy bears are a big +. Send photo & ltr to D.C., W10230 Power Line Rd. Phillips. WI 54555 [1]



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Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 Bud/Bud Light longnecks Club 94 (Kenosha) Karaoke 9-close; 2-

Club 94 (Kenosha) Karaoke 9-close; 2-4-1 rails, 50¢ tappers 7-11, \$2.50 pitchers all nite

Clubhouse Filling Station (Kenosha) \$6 beer bust & shot specials

**Jo'Dee's (Racine)** \$1.50 can beer 7-2; Free Pool!

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Balloon Wed.! Bust a balloon for a buck & win a prize! Happy hour 3-10

Office (Rockford) 50¢ drafts, \$2.50 pitchers Oz (Wausau) Beer, wine, soda bust, 7-mid., \$6 Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse)

Happy hour 5-6:30 Scooter's (Eau Claire) 2-4-1 domestic bottles & rail mixers 9-2. Open 7 pm w/ 50¢ taps & \$1 rail mixers 'til 9

Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Buck Nite bar rail & reg. bottled beer

### THURSDAY

#### Milwaukee

1100 Club Open 7AM; 2-4-1 4-7:00 Ballgame \$1.75 rail 9-2

BESTD Clinic "A Course in Miracles" group studying & discussing the spiritual path, 7:30 pm, north room, 2nd floor. FMI Ross Walker or Erv Uecker 353-4708

**Boot Camp** Cocktail hour 4:10-8:10 - 2-4-1 drinks!

C'est La Vie 25¢ pizza 9-mid. Club 219 Talent Nite

**Dish** Happy hour 2-4-1 5-7 pm. Amy entertains!

In Between Wheel of Misfortune
Just Us Men's Nite, 2-4-1 all taps,
Miller bottles & rail. Restaurant open 610 pm

Kathy's Nut Hut Slammers \$1 7-2 LaCage Super Bust

M&M Double bubble w/ complimentary hors d'oeuvres 5-7 pm

Mama Roux Double bubble 5-7 pm

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South Water Street Docks 2-4-1 cocktails 3-8; 75¢ tappers 9-2 Sexual Compulsives Anonymous. 7 pm, Galano Club, 2408 N. Farwell Av. (299-0755) Station 2 \$1 tappers, \$2 Seven Crown & Captains **Triangle** \$1 rail drinks 9-close Woody's Happy hour 4-5; \$1 off drinks 5-9:00

#### Madison

Kirby's Klub 20s Nite; ages 21-29 get 50¢ tappers & \$1 rails MAD Bar Ex & Ex lite, \$2; shots of Cuervo, \$2

Manoeuvres Happy hour 4-8 2-4-1 with the Manoeuvres Wheel. 8-close: Jim Beam drinks \$2, Ex & Ex Lite \$2, shorties of Lite \$1, shots of Cuervo or Doctors \$2, DJ at 10 Shamrock Bud Zillas (22 oz.), \$2.25 Ray's Bar & Grill Happy Hour 4-7, \$2 Export & Corona

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

Alcoholics Anonymous (Appleton) 1st Congregational Church UCC, 724 E. So. River St., 8 pm Buddies (Green Bay) 50¢ tappers 3-2; Rolling Rock bottles \$1.50 3-7 Diversions (Neenah) Retro Nite: \$1 rail drinks & DJ (best of the 80s) Napalese (Green Bay) Pull tabs! Drinks as low as 25¢ 3-7 pm Rascals (Appleton) Happy hour 5-8 ZA's Opens 8 pm w/ SuperBust \$6 rail, wine & tap; VIP Cardholders get a free shot; VJ Marky Mark

#### Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 well/wine & domestic beer Club 94 (Kenosha) Beer bust 7-2 **Clubhouse Filling Station** (Kenosha) \$1 drafts, shot specials Duluth-Superior support group for HIV+ folks, 7 pm, 2nd flr. conference room at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 219 N 6th Av East, Duluth Duluth-Superior Womyn's Outdoor Network, Sara's Table, 6:30 pm. FMI Cynthia 218/720-6275

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Karaoke 8pm; all lite beer \$1.50 all nite. Happy hour 3-7

Jo Dee's (Racine) All rail juice drinks \$1.50 7-close

Office (Rockford) \$1 beer, \$1.50 well - DJ Jes One

Oz (Wausau) Happy hour 4-7 Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hour 5-6:30 pool/darts 7-10; shot specials, 2-4-1 tappers 9-2 Scooter's (Eau Claire) Free pool & darts. 2-4-1 tappers 9-close



### TOP 10 DANCE PLAYLISTS

Club Xpress--Escanaba, Mich. DI (& an owner) Wm A Ponne

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1. Razor & Guido	"Do It Again
2. Huff & Herb	"Up On The Blue
3. Arkarna"	The Future's Overrated
4. Bon Bon	"Sexy Boy
<ol><li>Anthony Moriah</li></ol>	"The Reality
6. USURA	"Trance Emotions
<ol><li>Kylie Minogue</li></ol>	"Breathe
8. Wayne G	"Twisted
9. Planet Violet '98	"Nalin Inc.
10. With You	"Smoke City

#### The Main Club--Superior, WI DJs Ed & Craig

<ol> <li>Billy Ray Martin</li> </ol>	"Your Loving Arms
	"Message In a Bottle
3. Maxx	"Get-a-way
4. Rozalla	"Everybody's Free
	"No, No, No
6. Will Smith	"Gettin' Jiggy Wit I
	"What You Wan
8. 'N Sync	"I Want You Back
9. Paula Cole	"I Don't Wanna Wait
10. JD Featuring Da Br	at"The Party Continue
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#### Manoeuvres--Madison, WI DJ/VJ Tony Ritschard

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1. Ultra Nate	"Found a Cure
2. De'Lacy	"More'
	"The World is Love
4. Celine Dion	"My Heart Will Go On"
<ol><li>Nikki St. Nicolas.</li></ol>	"Music is My Life"
<ol> <li>Big Moses</li> </ol>	"Brighter Days"
7. Real McCoy	"Tonight"
8. Viper	"The Twister
<ol><li>Giselle Jackson</li></ol>	"Happy Feelings
	"Gypsy Woman '98"
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#### ZA's Videobar--Green Bay V.I's Carl. Mark. Sean & ZA

	"Froze
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3. 'N Sync	"I Want You Bac
4. Jimmy Ray	"Are You Jimmy Ray
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9. Daft Punk	"Burni
10. BT	"Remebe

#### Rozalia Comes Home to Popular

The lovely Oueen of the Club Anthem. Rozalla, returns to the US (from the U.K.) on her new label, the New York City-based Popular Records. This marks the beginning of a new chapter in Rozalla's career in which she has amassed seven Top 30 hits (including those anthems, "Everybody's Free to Feel Good," "Are You Ready To Fly"), two critical-



ly acclaimed albums and world wide single sales in the multi-millions.

#### A New Single: "Don't Go Lose It Baby"

Rozalla makes her Popular Records debut with the new single "Don't Go Lose It Baby." A cover of the dance classic by fellow African musician Hugh Masekela, this sunny remake will soon be delivered in a variety of pop/radio and club mixes.

#### A New Album: Coming Home

Coming Home, Rozalla's new album, sees her reunited with her original songwriting/production team, Band Of Gypsies. More focused than its predecessors, the new album is bound by subtle African influences at work in both the songwriting and instrumentaion. Grand, lushly produced tracks like "Coming Home," "Counting on Love," and "Sun Down" recall classic Rozalla while atmospheric singles like "Leave It To Me"," "You Make Me Feel" ane "Road to Bemba" slow the tempo, seamlessly binding African chants and percussion within an ambient lullaby.

The new album is due for release soon early summer!

#### Italian Pop Superstar Alexia's #1 Worldwide Smash Hits the U.S.

Popular Records announces the release of "Uh La La La" by Italian pop superstar Alexia. This is the third single (following "Me & You" and "Number One") from her Popular Records album, Fun Club.

"Uh La La La La" is a #1 worldside smash outside the U.S. and the single recently hit the ultimate chart position in numerous European and South American countries including Italy. Spain, Poland,

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# Psychic Thoughts by Susan Reed

ANGELS

Saw a television show the other night called "Touched by an Angel." See that particular show prompted me to write this article.

All of us have been touched by angels...What is an angel? An angel is a divine messenger, a spiritual being existing on a higher level of vibration than most of use here on Earth. Traditionally, when we think of angels, a loving spirit comes to mind. But the term can also apply to those with evil intent. I'd like to focus on angels of the light, the loving beings we think of

How can you recognize an angel? Because angels usually exist at a higher vibrating frequency than the three dimensional world, they usually "appear" to be "invisible." Angels come to us in many forms. They come to us in times of need, or when we ask for divine assistance and, sometimes, they just appear! They come to us in dreams. visions...they may take on a human form, or appear as a light, a bird, a gentle breeze, or simply as a feeling.

Have you ever had the sensation that someone was looking out for you? Perhaps, you were driving when "something" told you to slow down, just in time to avoid an accident? Maybe you were experiencing tremendous sorrow, when suddenly a v\wave of acceptance and well-being flooded through you. Perhaps you were suffering intense physical pain, when you prayed for divine assistance and fell into a healing sleep. At these times, and many others, our lives are being touched by angels.

Angels can also appear as very "real" three-dimensional beings. In the great cosmic scheme of things, human beings are very close to angels.

The difference between humans and those we call angels is a matter of vibration. Everything we see and touch and experience is vibration. This is not a new idea. Eastern religions have recognized vibration for centuries. It is just recently that modern Western science has started to catch up.

Wester physics will concur that nothing is solid. What used to be termed "solid matter" is now recognized to be electrically-charged particles vibration at different frequencies,k creating the illusion of solid matter. The world around us, which appears to be so solid, so "real" is really a "matter" of vibra-

Is it so difficult, then, to believe that there

are beings all around us, vibrating at frequencies so hight that they "appear invisible?" Perhaps this simple experiment will help you understand: Focus on an object across the room, such as a lamp. Now hold your hands up in front of your eyes. Your had appears solid. In fact, it's so solid that it blocks the light. Now, move your hand. slowly back and forth, so that the light appears and disappears. Increase the speed of your hands movements—what happens? Your hand seems to disappear. The faster it moves, the more "invisible" it becomes - so that eventually, that light is visible at all times!

As we human beings raise our vibrations, we become "in tune" or aligned with beings existing at higher frequencies. How can we raise or lower our vibration? We do it all the time. IT starts within out hearts and minds. For example, when we are depressed, we feel "heavy".our thoughts are "dark," we say we are "down and dragging" and appear to be "under a dark cloud." Alternately, when we feel love, we feel "light-hearted," "elated," we say we are "flying hight' and appear "glowing."

We must realize that out thoughts and feelings are real, and therefore have a real effect on out very beings - spiritually, mentally, emotionally and physically. Cancer research

has shown that patients with a positive attitude fare better than those with a negative attitude. Pay attention to your thoughts, they affect your feelings (vibrations) and consequently, your physical body and spirit. And, most importantly, recognize and honor your feelings without judgment. Feelings have to be acknowledged before they can be changed.

When we learn to love and accept ourselves "warts and all," we find we have more compassion for others. As love and compassion become a part of our outlook, we find we have less need to control others (consequently we have more control of ourselves). we become loving compassionate beings. We feel lighter and happier.

Love is not limited to commodity: love generates more love. Love is like a river of light that flows through us and into others. Love does not judge, love does not control. and no one can ever take away our ability to love. Only we can open our hearts, or close them. With love, we raise our vibrations to higher and higher frequencies. Love is the highest vibration (feeling) we can experience, and the more we love, the more angelic we become

Have a great week. Take care and until the next week, keep smiling.

In the event that you would like to contact me for your own personal consultation, you may reach me at 920-772-4981.



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#### FRIDAY

#### Milwaukee

1100 Club Open 7AM; happy hour 4-7 Boot Camp cocktail hour 4:10-8:10 - 2-4-1 drinks

C'est La Vie Midnight Heat (Mia Moore, host; Chyna DeSade, Tiffany Sweets & Debra Fox, 11:30

Club 219 Male strippers; \$4 cover incl. drink Dish Happy hour 2-4-1 5-7 pm Emeralds \$1.25 rail drinks 5-7 pm Just Us Fri. fish fry + full menu 5-10; DJ Doug 10-close, no cover, \$7 beer bust. \$10 rail bust, \$15 call bust

Kathy's Nut Hut Pull tabs 5-7 pm LaCage "LaCage Showcase" 11pm Mama Roux Our fabulous fish frv. 4-11 SAGE/Milwaukee mature men's discussion group, 6-8 pm. FMI/registration, call (414) 271-0378.

**Sexual Compulsives Anonymous** (Milw) 7 pm. Milwaukee Aids Project, 820 N. Plankinton (299-0755) South Water Street Docks 2-4-1 cocktails 3-8

Station 2 Kamikaze shots, \$1.50 Woody's Join Woody's ball players for some fun at the back bar 8-mid.

#### Madison

Kirby's Klub Live DJ 10-close Manoeuvres 2-4-1 happy hour 4-8 pm w/ the Manoeuvres Wheel, 8-close; rail whiskey drinks \$2, shots of pucker \$2. DJ & danc ing 10 pm MAD Bar - Rail whiskey drinks, \$2; shots of Jack Daniels. \$2

Ray's Bar & Grill Happy Hour 4-7; DJ dance music; at back bar, 50¢ off all drinks for those in leather

\$2, 9-1

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

Diversions (Neenah) \$1.50 domestic beers & rail drinks 'til midnite; DJ spins Napalese Lounge 6 shorties \$5: Imported bottle beer \$2 3-close Rascals (Appleton) Fish-perch, haddock. shrimp, 5-10

Sass (Green Bay) Free pool 5-8; DJ 10-2 ZA's /Java's (Green Bay) Open 8 pm. Enjoy our special mix of 50s, 60s, 70s & 80s music videos w/ a few show tunes & comedy clips, too! Cocktail hour drink specials 8-10:30. Dance music w/ DJ Carl starts 10:30. -- -- --

#### Other Cities

ARCW - Kenosha (1212 57th St.) gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender youth group, 1st & 3rd Fri. of mo., 7-10 pm Cell Block (Chicago) Fetish Nite Club 94 (Kenosha) DJ Jeff 10-2 Clubhouse Filling Station (Kenosha) Dollar Hours 5-8 pm; male dancers every other Fri., DJ. \$2 cover Club Xpress (Escanaba) Bottle beer \$1.25 6-9; Schnapps \$1 9-11 Duluth-Superior area Men's Social w/ gay feature film, 7 pm, Northland Gay Men's Center, FMI 218/722-8585 JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Fish Fry 3-10: 2-4-1 9-10 pm; DJ 9:30-1. Happy hour 3-7 Jo Dee's (Racine) Jello shots \$1 Mothers Organizing for Duluth. 12:30. Damiano Center, rm. 112 Office (Rockford) DJ Cris Oz (Wausau) DJ/VJ 10-close; happy hour 4-7 Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Piano stylings of Marion Dunn 6:30-8:30:

happy hour 5-6:30; DJ 10-2:30 Scooter's (Eau Claire) \$1 domestic bottles 9-11

Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Pull Tabs Womyn's Coffeehouse (Duluth-Superior area), 1st Fri. of ea. month, Building for Women, 32 E. 1st St., 7 pm. FMI 218/722-4903

#### SETUEDAY

#### Milwaukee

1100 Club Club & kitchen open 7 AM Ballgame Tappers 80¢ 'til 6 & bloodys, screws & greyhounds, \$2.25 'til 6 Boot Camp Firebirds Levi/Leather monthly Club Nite - first Sat. of each mo. Firebirds activity phone is (414) 299-9707 C'est La Vie All Male Revue, 10-on Club 219 Male dancers In Between Pitcher special Just Us Free dance lessons 7-12: made to Shamrock Happy Hour 5-8; rail drinks, order sandwiches & appetizers 6-10 pm; 5-handed call & Ace Sheepshead Tourney (every 2nd & 4th Sat.) 3-4 pm registration. 4 pm play. (414) 483-2126 for details Kathy's Nut Hut Shorties, 2 for \$1.25 LaCage "Where Milwaukee Partys!" Mama Roux Grill open 4-11 pm Walkers Point Cafe Psychic readings noon-5 Woody's Join Woody's ball players for wild times at the back bar 8-mid.

#### Madison

Kirby's Klub Party With Us! MAD Bar Bottles of Rolling Rock, \$2; shots of Jaegermeister, \$2: levi/leather. uniform nite, 50¢ discount to customers dressed in levi & leather or uniforms



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Ray's Bar & Grill DJ dance music; 2nd drink free at back bar only

Shamrock Happy hour 5-8; shots of Doc, \$2, 9-1

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

AA (Appleton) 1st Congregational Church UCC, 724 E. So. River St., 8 pm Brandy's II Cartoon Club, 1st & 3rd Sat. of

ea. mo., open 8 a.m. Prizes! **Diversions (Neenah)** We are where the Fox Valley parties! DJ

Napalese (Green Bay) \$6 beer/soda bust 3-8 Sass (Green Bay) Free pool 5-8; DJ 10-2 ZA's Java's open 8 pm: Dance bar opens 10:30pm VJ Za spins

#### Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) Sat. Nite Riot! Club 94 (Kenosha) DJ Jim 9-close Clubhouse Filling Station (Kenosha) Dollar hours 5-8 pm; DJ, \$2 cover Club Xpress (Escanaba) Bottle beer \$1.25 6-9; Schnapps \$1 9-11

**Duluth-Superior** area potluck for lesbians over 35 & guests, every 4th Sat., 5-8 pm. FMI 218/727-5725

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Open 1 pm, screwdrivers \$1.50 all nite; 2-4-1 9-10 pm; Live DJ at 9:30; drink pull tabs 'til 6 pm Jo'Dee's (Racine) DJ Jeff. no cover \$1 Schoops Office (Rockford) DJs Jerry & Jes One Oz (Wausau) DJ/VJ 10-close Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) DJ 10-2:30 Scooters (Eau Claire) All chilled shots only \$1.50 9-11. DJ dancing starts 11 Together (for Duluth-Superior gay, lesbian & bisexual youth), Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 3-5 pm. FMI 218/722-4903

#### SUNDAY

#### Milwaukee

1100 Club Club/kitchen open 7 AM Ballgame Tappers 80¢ 'til 6 p.m. & Bloodys, Screws, Greyhounds, \$2.25 'til 6 pm; \$1.75 rail 9-2 C'est La Vie Tacos & beer bust w/ Alvin, 2-8 pm; Brittany Morgan's "The Anything Goes Revue" 10 pm Club 219 (Milw) The 219 Girls! Dish Cosmo Sundays! Cosmopolitans, Martinis & Lounge drinks! Eagle Retro Nite featuring hottest music from 70s, 80s & 90s; 2-4-1 tap beer & rail 4-6 pm Emeralds Men's Nite! Call drinks \$2 In Between Bloody Mary & Screwdriver specials Just Us 5-close. Women's Nite! 2-4-1 taps. Miller bottle & rail Kathy's Nut Hut Noon-4. Bloody Marys & Screwdrivers, \$2 a mug

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M&M Sunday Brunch MCC Sun. services 11 am & 7 pm, Hotel

Astor, 924 E. Juneau Rebuilding Faith: 1st Sun. of mo. discussion group for GLBT Catholics; 10:30-noon, Holy-Trinity-Guadeloupe (621 S. 4th St., 1st flr. of school bldg., next to church)

Sexual Compulsives Anonymous 6 pm. Galano Club. 2408 N. Farwell Av. (299-0755) South Water Street Docks Half off rail & domestic beer when you take it off for Spike (shirts only) 9-2 Station 2 Bloody Marys & Mimosas, \$2 Triangle Liquid Brunch - bloody mary garnished w/ a celery stalk & pickle spear; chase w/ a 6 oz. beer, only \$2.50

#### Madison

MAD Bar Domestic bottled beer \$2, any \$3 or less shot for \$2

Manoeuvres Beer bash 3-8 \$5 all you can drink of Lite, all other drinks \$1 off. 8close: 50¢ off all taps. DJ & dancing 10 pm Ray's Bar & Grill Beer Bust 2-7, \$5 Shamrock Beer Bash, free hot dogs

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

AA Group (Green Bay) meets 9:30 am, at Angels of Hope Church, 3607 Libal St. Angels of Hope MCC Church (Grn. Bay) Sun. 11:00 am & 7:30 pm services, 3607 Libal St., AND, in Appleton at 110 S. Locust (new Appleton location starting May) 5 pm. Brandy's II (Green Bay) The Bust! 3 to 8 p.m. All the tap beer you can drink, \$6 **Buddies (Green Bay)** Beer Bust 3-8, \$5 Napalese (Green Bay) Beer Bust 3-8, \$6 Rascals (Appleton) Beer bust 2-7, \$5 Union Congregational Church (Green Bay) invites YOU to their Sun. 10 a.m. worship service. Located downtown 716 S. Madison St. White Star Church, 2481 Co. Rd. C. Brussels (nondenominational Christian spiritualist Church, 10:30 am, 2nd, 4th & 5th Sun. ZA's Both floors open 8 pm; Juice bar in Dance Bar 16 & up. Alcohol served in Java's on 2nd floor for those 21 & over. DJ Carl

#### Other Cities

Club 94 (Kenosha) Open at 3:00. Bloody marys \$1.25 & 50¢ tappers 3-9:00; beer bust 9-close. Free hot dogs & nachos served all day! Clubhouse Filling Station (Kenosha) Bloody Marys, \$1: shot specials

Duluth-Superior: P-FLAG 1st Sun. of ea. month, Pilgrim Congregation Church, 2310 E. 4th St., Duluth, 7 pm; GLBT Interfaith group & discussion, 2nd Sun. of mo., 3 pm, Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 219 N. 6th Av. E., Duluth (FMI Alice 218/728-3096; KUMD public radio, 103.3 FM, 5:30 pm JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Open 1 pm. Bloody marys \$1.75; cheeseburger & fries \$3; beer bust 8-10, 50¢ tappers Jo'Dee's (Racine) \$1.50 rail 7-close Office (Rockford) \$1 bloody marys (karaoke twice monthly)

Oz (Wausau) Beer, wine, soda bust, \$6, 4-10; bloody marys, \$2.25

Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Schreader-James Quartet 8-11; jazz & standards Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Karaoke with Robin

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1100 Club Open 7 AM; 2-4-1 4-7 Ballgame 9 pm on ... Domestic beer \$1.25; \$1.75 rail **Boot Camp** cocktail hour 4:10-810, 2-4-1 drinks. All Bud products \$1 C'est La Vie Beer Bust 8-close Club 219 Absolut Nite! \$1.25 **In Between** Balloon game 9:30-close Just Us \$1.75 Miller brands 8-close Kathy's Nut Hut Pull tabs 4-6 LaCage Happy Hour all nite; "Shake-A-Drink" M&M Double bubble with complimentary

hors d'oeuvres 5-7 Mama Roux Double bubble 5-7 South Water Street Docks 2-4-1 cocktails 3-8 (tickets good 'til 9) **Triangle** \$4 pitchers Woody's Happy hour 4-5:00, \$1 off drinks 5-9

#### Madison

Kirby's Klub Women's Nite; open 2 pm. Watch Women's BB, \$1 rails 'til 8 pm MAD Bar All rails and domestic bottles of beer, \$2 Manoeuvres Happy hour 4-8 2-4-1's & the Manoeuvres Wheel. 8-close: taps of Lite & domestic bottles of beer \$1.75, shorties of Lite \$1, shots of Hot Sex \$1.50, DJ & dancing 10 pm Ray's Bar & Grill Happy Hour 4-7: 2-4-1 rails Shamrock 50¢ off domestic taps

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

AA (Green Bay) 8 pm. Recovery Works, 906

Brandy's (Green Bay) Women's Nite! \$6 beer bust 8-1 (all you can drink!) Buddies (Green Bay) \$1.50 rail, 50¢ soda or iuice 3-7pm

Diversions (Neenah) \$1.50 bloody marys Lawrence Univ. GBLASS (Bixesual, Gay, Lesbian & Straight Socxiety): 7:30 pm, Rm. 109. Coleman Hall, FMI: BGLASS, Memorial Union, 615 E. College Ave., Appleton, WI 54911 Napalese (Green Bay) \$6 beer/soda bust 9-2 ZA's Java's (upstairs) open 8 pm. Music videos from the 50's. 60's 70"s & 80's plus showtunes and comedy clips. SuperBust \$6; free pool & darts

#### Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 Micro Brew specials Clubhouse Filling Station (Kenosha) \$1 drafts, shot specioals, karaoke Duluth-Superior area Women's Closed AA, 8 pm, Sara's Table, 728 E. Superior St., Duluth JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Free pool 4-10; Bucket nite - 4 for \$5 all nite; happy hour 3-7

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SAGE (M ilw) men's discussion group, 6 pm, SAGE Room at Lake Park Lutheran Church. 2647 N. Stowell: "Solitude versus Loneliness"

Saturday, April 18 Brandy's II (Green Bay) Art Show to benefit Rainbow Over Wisconsin

Club 94 (Kenosha) Miss Club 94 at Large, 10:30 pm, feat. Kelli Jo Klein, Jessica Anne More and Josie Lynn

M&M (Milw) Singsationals Milwaukee Chamber Theatre (thru May 3) Broadway Theatre Center (Cabot Theatre) "Three Tall Women" by Edward Albee Rave (Milw) Ani DeFranco

Sunday, April 19 BESTD Clinic HIV testing (Milw) at Hillel Foundation. UWM, noon-1:30 M&M Club (Milw) Joev Cross entertains

Rascals (Appleton) All-U-Can-Eat Spaghetti dinner, \$5, 5 pm; then, join us for karaoke, hosted by Premiere Productions, 7-???

Monday, April 20

Positive Voice mtg., Angels of Hope MCC, Green Bay, 6:30 pm. Doctor Peter Kellogg, spokesperson for ACLU, is the guest speaker.

Rave (Milw) WAMI Award

SAGE (Milw) Gemeral: meeting. 7 pm. SAGE Room at Lake Park Lutheran Church. "Chasing Amy," a film about a straight man who falls in love with a lesbian.

Tuesday, April 21 BESTD HIV testing (Milw) Reformation Health Fair, 10am-2pm

Wednesday, April 22. BESTD HIV testing (Milw) at Boot Camp, 10pm-1am

Thursday, April 23 BESTD HIV testing (Milw) Sherman Park Rainbow Association, 6:30-8pm Rave (Milw) Morcheeba • Dan Bern

Friday, April 24 Brandy's II (Gfeen Bay) 2 parties in one! Kelli Jo Klein's 30th Birthday Bash Show, 10:30, & Brandy's New Look Party! \$6 Beer Bust 8-1. Rave (Milw) Stuck Moio w/

Skin Lab / White Knuckle Trip • The Promise Rings w/ Smoking Ropes / Shiner

SAGE (Milw) men's discussion group, 6 pm. Lake Park Lutheran Church: "Problems and Benefits of Retirement."

ZA's (Green Bay) Portfolio Men (of Minneapolis), 10:30pm

Saturday, April 25 Club 94 (Kenosha) Mr. Southern WI-USA, 10:30 Cream City Chorus - "Folk Songs, Spirituals

& a Little Light Music". St. James Episcopal Church, 833 W. Wisc. Ave., 7:30 pm. \$8 advance, \$10 at door

Oz (Wausau) Dallas Tour '98 - a benefit for Neely O'Hara & Loretta LaMour (see April 17 entry) Rave (Milw) Blue Meanies w/ Mr. T Experience / Teen Idols / Apocalypse Hoboken

Sunday, April 26 M&M (Milw) Chris Francis Rave (Milw) Superdrag w/ The

Apples (in stereo) / Tuscadero Monday, April 27 SAGE (Milw) general meeting, 7 pm, Lake Park Lutheran Church. Film Night - "It's My Party" about a man with AIDS who plans a farewell party for friends,

both gay and straight. Tuesday, April 28 Rave (Milw) Hieroglyphics w/ Souls of Mischief

Wednesday, April 29 BESTD HIV testing (Milw) M&M Club, 6-9pm

Thursday, April 30 Rave (Milw) Blanks 77 w/ The Anti-Heroes / The Service

#### May 1-3 Spring Roundup to Benefit LGBT Copmmunity Center

Shoreline's annual Spring Round-LGBT Community Center. The centerpiece of the Round-Up is Shoreline's sixth annual Country Dance Gala benefit at the Art Museum on Sat. night, May 2, 7-12:30. Over 350 cowboys and cowgirls from throughout mid-America are expected to attend. Tickets are \$10 (\$12 at door) and are available at Just Us, AfterWords, Designing Men and from Shoreline dancers. The party will continue after hours at Just Us with open dancing.

This year's Country Dance Gala best vet, will include lots of line dancing and two-stepping, raffle Milwaukee, WI 53202-0278. prizes and performances from outof-town groups, crowd pleasing Borderline and the Rainbow Cloggers from the Twin Cities and Madison's Dairyland Cowboys/ Cowgirls making their debut performance! Milwaukee's own Cream City Squares will show the crowd how much fun square dancingreally is! And, you'll also see a new routine from Shoreline's dancers!

Editor's Note: Activities are listed for y our convenience in the Diversions calendar (above).

#### Milwaukee LGBT **Community Center Board** of Directors Moves Ahead

Twelve of the fifteen board members for the vet-to-be-a-reality (but it will be!) Milwaukee Lesbian/Gav/Bisexual/Transgende r Community Center have been elected.

Board officers include Sheila Zelenski and Neil Albrecht as copresidents: Steve Markowitz as Treasurer and Naomi Guzman is Up will benefit Milwaukee's new secretary. In addition to the officers, other board members are Randall Brown, Denise Cawley, Julie Ellsworth, Joshua Feven, Stephanie Hume, Doug Johnson, Debbie Weill and John Wirth.

Planning for the developmenmt of a Milwaukee Community Center began two years ago when Ross Walker and Erv Uecker pledged a \$1,000/mo contribution to challenge the Milwaukee LGBT community to develop a center.

FMI, the Center's Hotline benefit, which promises to be the phone is (414) 483-4710: new address is PO Box 93278.

#### Angels of Hope MCC-Appleton to Move Into Church Building Home on Sunday, May 3

The first worship service in MCC-Appleton's new church building home, at 815 N. Richmond St., will be on Sunday. May 3, a concert service by Marsha Stevens, at 7 pm, a special time.

Services at MCC-Appleton are regularly held at 5 p.m., as they will resume on May 10 (Mother's Day).





**Shoreline Milwaukee Presents** Spring Round-Up May 1-3, 1998

**Proceeds to Benefit the LGBT Community Center** 

Join us at the Just Us Fish Fry 7-10 pm Welcome to Milwaukee - Boots & Boxers Ball with Free Champagne & Contest from 10 pm - 2 am



Two Step & Swing Dance Workshop at the Hyatt Regency 1 - 4 pm Sixth Annual Country Dance Gala

War Memorial / Art Museum 7 pm - 12:30 am

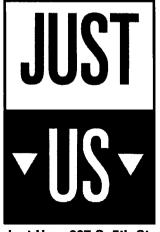
featuring Raffles & Performance Groups from the Midwest Introducing Shorelines Newest Performance

Brunch at Just Us 11 am - 2 pm Open Dance & Dance Swap 12 - 4 pm



For further information call Just Us or see any Shoreline Member

Host Hotel - Hvatt Regency 276-1234 Ask for the Shoreline Block for our special rate.



Just Us • 807 S. 5th St. 414-383-2233

Jo'Dee's (Racine) Double Down Nite! Get a double for only \$1 more (rail only) Northland Gay Men's Center (Duluth-Superior) discussion group for men 18-25, 5 pm Office (Rockford) \$1.50 Miller products Out Up North (social organization of les-bi-gays in Northern Wis), 6:30 pm, Black Cat Coffee Shop, Washburn Oz (Wausau) 50¢ tappers

Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hour 5-6:30 Scooters (Eau Claire) \$3 pitchers 9-2. Open 7.

#### U E STOLEY

1100 Club Open 7 AM; 2-4-1 4-7 AIDS Resource Center of Wisconsin Boyz Nite Out. ARCW, 820 N. Plankinton Ave., Milw., 6:30-8:30 pm - open to all gay men regardless of HIV status; fun & socializing assembling safer sex kits and condom packets for the GLBT community **Ballgame** \$2.50 top shelf, \$1.75 rail 9-2 **Boot Camp** cocktail hour 4-8 C'est La Vie Beer Bust 8-close Club 219 Brain Dead Revue Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 Goose Island pints **In Between** Shake a Dice for your drink price 9-2 Just Us Happy hour w/ Rich - 2-4-1 on all rail, call & domestic beer 5-8 pm Kathy's Nut Hut Tequila, 2-4-1, 7-10 pm

LaCage Prize Nite! Win \$50 nitely, qualify

for a trip giveaway every 90 days

Mama Roux 50¢ off everything Sexual Compulsives Anonymous 7 pm, Galano Club, 2408 N. Farwell (299-0755) South Water Street Docks 2-4-1 cocktails 3-8 (tickets good 'til 9); pull tabs 9-2

Triangle 2-4-1 all day, all nite Woody's Snack time with Mike, happy hour

4-5:00, \$1 off drinks 5-9:00

#### Madison

Kirby's Klub Fetish Nite; \$50 bar tab for best fetish outfit, \$1 off if you're in leather Mad Bar Miller Lite bottles, \$2; any \$3 or less shot for \$2

Manoeuvres Happy hour 4-8 2-4-1. Customers may spin the Manoeuvres wheel to win free drinks, shots, pizza, beer bash, etc during happy hour. 8-close: all taps 75¢ off, shorties of Lite \$1, shots of Pucker or Hot Sex \$1.50. DJ & dancing 10 pm

Ray's Bar & Grill Happy Hour 4-7; free karaoke 8:30 pm

Shamrock Two dogs \$2; free pool, \$1 tacos

#### Green Bay/Fox Valley

AA Appleton group meets 6:30 pm at MCC Church, 110 S. Locust

Buddies (Green Bay) 2 fer Tues. + 2nd Shifter Special! 2-4-1 rails 3-7, then \$2 Jagermeister, \$1.50 Doctors or \$1.50 canned beer, snacks & dice roll on rail 10-2 Diversions (Neenah) 25¢ tappers; \$1.50 Absolut drinks

Napalese Lounge Large pitcher of beer &

large pizza, \$6, 3-9 pm; sm. pizza & sm. pitcher, \$4

PFLAG: Appleton/Fox Cities group 3rd Tues. of the mo. FMI Harriet Bruyn (414) 749-1629; Green Bay group, 2nd Tues. of mo. FMI P.J. Thomas (414) 437-5231 Rascals (Appleton) Happy hour 5-8. Game nite - Sheepshead, cribbage, jenga, etc. ZA's \$2.50 16 oz Glass Rollling Rock (and you keep the glass! Refills only \$1.50,

#### Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) DV8 Nite; \$2 Skyy vodka & \$2 pints Goose Island; free pool/darts Club 94 (Kenosha) \$1.25 rail drinks & \$5.50 beer bust 7-close

Clubhouse filling Station (Kenosha) 75¢ drafts, 2-4-1 rail drinks, shot specials HIV+ folks in Duluth-Superior meet at Community

Health C enter, 3 pm, 2 E. 5th St., Duluth HIV+ support group for caregivers, friends, family, Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Duluth, 7 pm

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Pitchers of beer \$3, tappers 75¢, happy hour 3-7. Jo'Dee's (Racine) \$1.50 Dr.'s 7-close Office (Rockford) \$1.50 Budweiser products Oz (Wausau) \$1.50 rails

Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hr. 5-6:30 Scooter's (Eau Claire) Progressive Nite! Starts 9 pm w/\$1 rail mixers & 50¢ mugs of beer - price goes up 25¢ every hr. 'til close

#### April 25 - Dallas Tour '98 Benefit Show for Neely O'Hara & Loretta LaMour

May 9 - OZ's Spring Fling Show featuring all the local stars! Showtime 10:30 pm

May 23 - Karaoke Nite featuring Johnny B from Appleton Prizes and Drink Specials throughout the evening.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the AIDS Benefit and Turn-about show

We raised just short of \$2000.00 for the local AIDS organizations.



Look for a different drink special every weekend!

320 Washington Street, Wausau (Across from Walgreens)

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## Rascals Gay 50's Lapolooza **Bowling Tournament**

Saturday, May 9, 1998 - 3:00pm Hahn's Bowling Lanes 618 W. Wisconsin Avenue Appleton, WI 54911

\$ 20.00 per person entry fee includes bowling, prizes, buffet lunch at Rascals immediately following bowling and donation to Rainbow Over Wisconsin, Inc.

This will be a nine pin tap tournament. Entry deadline is May 1, 1998. \*\* Note: Registration is limited to the first 64 bowlers.

If additional bowlers register we have an option of adding an early shift at noon.

This is an individual tournament. However, those wishing to participate in the team competition can do so the day of the tournament by paying an additional \$ 5.00 per team.

Mail completed entry form and fee to: Rascals Bar & Grill 702 E. Wisconsin Avenue, Appleton, WI 54911

All proceeds from this event will be donated to Rainbow Over Wisconsin, Inc.

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM					
Name:	Address:				
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Handicap will be based on 80% of the difference between bowlers average and 200. If average is greater than 200 then 100% of the excess will be subtracted from bowlers score. Participants without an average will be assigned an average based on 160 for men and 130 for women.



## Sunday April 19, 1998 - 5:00pm All U-Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner \$ 5.00

Then Join Us for Karaoke Hosted by Premiere Productions 7:00pm - ???





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\$ 20.00 per participant entry fee Includes Bowling, Prizes, and Buffet Lunch at Rascals.

Entry forms inside this issue of Quest or at Rascals (All Proceeds Benefit Rainbow Over Wisconsin)

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## LEATHER/FETIST

I am in a hurry guys - - Spring time is here. Thanks to El Nino, crocus, daffodils, and wild cherries are in bloom, lilacs and tulips are budding - - and I am inside doing this column not for long. Besides, it seems to be a little slow, news wise, in the ranks of my lusty albeit somewhat kinky brethren.

Speaking of spring, isn't that Martha Stewart something?? She is planting her onions and leek as well as sweet peas one minute and the next making Kielbasa. Did you see those Easter egg cakes. She has too much time on her hands - -What's worse, I got caught watching.

First a word about Reggie White and the rest of the Fanatical Religious Right -- I am put in mind of the saying - - "Don't confuse me with facts, my mind is made up" - - or would that be stereotyping? NOT -From: Atons/Minneapolis The Mr.

Minnesota Drummer / Drummerboy Contest changed the contest date to April 17 & 18 which was the same weekend as the Atons Leather / Levi night. The L/L night was rescheduled to Saturday, April 11. We hope you made it to dinner at Joe's Garage at 7:30 pm. Joe's Garage is located on the north side of Loring Park.

The Drummer Contest organizers recently annouced the details of the weekend and we put most of it in the Calendar on the web site: http://starbase21.com/ATONS/calendar.htm

FYI - The Atons of Minneapolis introduced its Flash Service for people interested in club leather events in the Twin Cities area in addition to their web site They will flash you with the atest news if you get on the list. Check the web site or contact Chris at < atons\_of\_mpls@hotmail.com >

Chris Z/Atons Web Master Dinner at Joe's Garage??? s'plain, Lucy. s'plain. Better yet, send pictures.

While on the subject of Drummer contests Milwaukee/ Drummer Hey Joe., Next Fund Raiser will be Apr. 18 at "S.W.S Docks." Theme will be Toga Party. Basicly, it's a fund-raiser Event for Mr WI Drummer/Drummer Boy. Raffle Tickets will be sold for drawings. I believe there is an after hours party at Si's 1st Street club house as well. Hope this is enough time to get into your next article. Later: Chip

It is in plenty of time, Chip - - in fact two weeks from today it will be out - - 3 days ahead of your event - - I can't be there - - take pictures for me and give me a write up about it. OK?

BTW, I have recieved no offical word yet, is the Drummer/Drummer Boy contest date of May 16 firmed up? Men of Rubber

April 18, MR hits the road to visit the infamous #6 dungeon in Novi, MI. -Regarding WIS. FOX VALLEY BEARS Appleton area said they were going to get in touch about a bear gathering in The Valley - - we have a start.

Keep in touch. And speaking of bears

From Milwaukee/ Brew City Bears Sat. Apr. 25th 10 PM. Brew City Bears Club night and party at the Boot Camp.

While at the Boot Camp; Wed April 22, Brady St. Clinic, aka BESTD Clinic will be doing HIV testing\ and or counseling.

Sometime back, I mentioned Erv and Ross invited you guys to consider having HIV testing etc, at your events and that testing is now oral - - you no longer get the prick - - Anyhow. I went to see how it was done. Sure enough, they stuck that sterile thing in my mouth for a couple of minutes and Poof - - I was done.

I knew the results of the test, so it was in and out but, had it been positive, they offered conunseling, refferals to a whole lot of services that would have let me live a long and fairly normal bunch of years. Isn't life wonderful? and before we leave the Boot Camp

The Firebirds will be doing something to celabrate their anniversary, probably a dinner. open times are limited so keep your eyes open.

The Shaft Club (The Eagle) Club nite (latex and rubber theme) Contestants for April, Mr Eagle were Carl, Patrick (Mr Eagle - April 98), Billy, Eric, and Jim-See

I will have info on their Apr 10 piercing night next issue.

3 May, Shaft club night, theme Tribute to IML. and Mr Eagle May contest. 4 PM to 8 PM with drink specials and prizes.

MAFIA Red Hanky club night at the Milwaukee Eagle on April 18, 10 PM

From: Chicago/Rodeo Riders April 24 Club Night at Touche', theme "A Salute to Uniforms".

May 22 Club Night at Touche'. theme International Club Night any and all patch wearers. Club persons and all leather persons invited invited up for camaraderie and prizes. (sorry that was not so eloquent, but I was trying to be inclusive - it's a great blast with folks from all over due to IML)

One thing that was mentioned to me at our meeting, I don't stress the fact that we always have club nights in the 4th Friday of the month and that we GIVE AWAY FREE PRIZES there is NEVER A COVER at TouchË - which is a 4 am bar. --Jim/Rodeo

Hey, Jim, I couldn't have

Two people from the said it better - - you did stress it this time love to all in Chi Town - - and thanks for the

WOODY'S/Mr SSBL (Saturday Solf Ball league) - will meet (party) May 2, to select Mr SSBL. This stud will be chosen from the slate of candidates made up of a member from each team. The winner will represent the highest standards that have been handed down since Dicky bribed his way to the title. Just kidding

If you like to hang out with the guys, suck some suds and maybe even toss your ball around in the fresh air, you really should join a team - - or at least hang out with them Great group of guys and a lot of fun

PS. Woody's will be doing another meat you beat party or is that beat your meat, beet your meet (what ever) --dance party -- good

music - Friday, May 1.

#### Recap of Events:

1st Saturdays, Firebirds Club night -

2 May at Boot Camp. 2nd Saturdays, Oberons Club night

9 May at The 1100 Club. 3rd Saturdays, Castaways Club night 18 Apr. at The 1100 Club

4th Fridays, Rodeo Riders Chicago Club night at TouchE 24 Apr. theme "A Salute to Uniforms" 17- 18 Apr. Mr. Minn, Drummer contest 18 Apr. MAFIA, club nite -Milwaukee Eagle 18 Apr. Toga Party, SWS Docks -

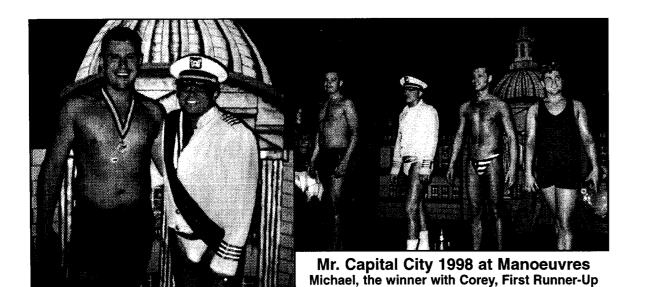
Drummer/Drummer Boy 18 Apr. Men of Rubber, road trip to Novi, MI 25 Apr. Brew City Bear, club nite Boot Camp 16 May, ?? Drummer Contest at SWS Docks 3 May, Shaft Club night - Eagle

22 May, Rodeo Riders Club Night at Touche'. theme "International Club Night

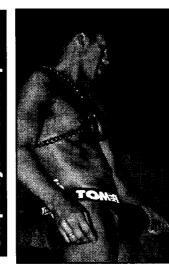
22-25 May, International Mr. Leather, Chicago



Firebird's Road Captian, Randy with Castaways' George at the Firebirds' Club Nite. 1100 Club, Milwaukee.













April 11, 1953 (45 years ago this week): The Mattachine Society open its first convention, held in Los Angeles.

#### What was the Mattachine Society?

In 1950, a handful of gay men with Communist Party ties began meeting at the home of music teacher and union organizer Harry Hay in the Silver Lake neighborhood of Los Angeles. They created what is now recognized as the first long-standing U.S. organization devoted to advancing gay rights - the Mattachine Society. At its first convention three years later, however, the original leaders stepped down, and the group shifted away from its leftist beginnings toward a more conservative outlook.

The idea for the Mattachine Society emerged in 1948, when Hay, an active member of the Communist Party, attended a gathering for supporters of presidential candidate Henry Wallace. During the soirce, it became clear that all of the men there were gay. Hay and others facetiously talked about forming a group called "Bachelors for Wallace," which would support Wallace if he added a plank about sexual privacy to his platform. Though Bachelors for Wallace never got off the ground, Hay was intrigued by the idea of a homosexual rights organization and began looking for others to help him make it a reality.

Two years later, Hay finally found men who shared his vision. One was his lover, Rudi Gemreich, an Austrian Jewish costume designer who would later achieve fame in the 1960s as the creator of the topless swimsuit. The others were fellow Communist Party members, Bob Hull and Chuck Rowland, and writer Dale Jennings. These core members began meeting in secret at each others' homes and took the name the Mattachine Society, after an all-male performance troupe in medieval Europe.

Early meetings hammered out the philosophy of the group, one that had never been articulated before in America - that gay people were an oppressed minority with their own distinct culture, of which they should be proud. In April 1951, the Mattachine founders formalized the group's mission statement, listing as its main purpose the unification of homosexuals in a fight for their own emancipation.

Through word of mouth and by distributing flyers about the organization at gay bars, beaches and other hangouts, the Mattachine Society grew exponentially within the first few years. Members met in small "guilds" or discussion groups to propose actions to improve the lot of gay people. The organization quickly expanded to other cities along the California coast. While most members were men, lesbians also became involved, though mostly in the Northern California guilds. Some guild meetings attracted as many as 200 people. For many newcomers, it was the first time they had not felt alone or isolated in their sexual desires.

On the other hand, the need for secrecy and the model of the American Communist Party resulted in a series of extreme and even arcane rituals, such as a candlelit initiation ceremony for guild leaders and a solemn oath that "no boy or girl, approaching the maelstrom of deviation, need make that crossing alone, afraid and in the dark, ever again."

Over the next few years, the Mattachine evolved in several ways. As the organization grew, its membership became more diverse in outlook, and some new members didn't share the political vision of its leftist founders. Many were more interested in fitting into society than in actually changing it. Also, in early 1953 the House Un-American Activities Committee (HUAC) held hearings in Los

Angeles to investigate alleged Hollywood Communists. Though Hay, Rowland, and Hull had all resigned from the Communist Party, conservative members of the Mattachine Society viewed the leaders' former political ties as a liability to the organization as a whole. To make matters worse, an article about the group in the Los Angeles Times revealed the Communist background of Mattachine lawyer Fred Snider and raised fears about the secret nature of the society, whose membership the article estimated at 200,000. (Two thousand was more like it.)

The Mattachine leadership called a national convention to restructure the organization as an above-ground one, with a constitution, bylaws, and elected officers. On April 11 and 12, 1953 (and at a follow-up session in May), several hundred gay men and lesbians met at a Universalist church in Los Angeles to discuss the future direction of the Mattachine Society. It was the first large public gathering of homosexuals in U.S. history. The leftist founders decided to step down for the good of the whole, and the organization passed to the more conservative leadership of men like Hal Call and Kenneth Burns. Burns urged the Mattachine membership to follow "a pattern of behavior that is acceptable to society in general and compatible with [the] recognized institutions... of home, church, and state."

Within the next two years, membership dropped off sharply. By 1955, most of the group's efforts went into publishing a magazine called The Mattachine Review. New members did not learn about the radical origins of the organization, and throughout the 1950s the Mattachine Society advocated for the assimilation of homosexuals into mainstream America. The national organization finally disbanded in 1961, but several local groups continued to use the name Mattachine well into the 1960s. Several of these, like the Washington, D.C. chapter headed by Frank Kameny, were militant in the style of the original founders, and their activism helped shape the gay liberation movement of the 1970s.

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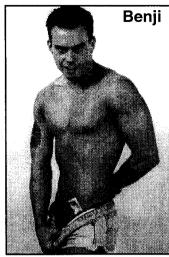
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# Portfolio Men Return!!!







## Saturday, May 9 • Showtime, 8 pm Mr. Gay Wisconsin USA Pageant \$8 Advance Tickets

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Purchase tickets at the bar, or call 800-578-3785





Name, Address, Phone# of Bar.	Type of Bar	Daily Hours	Type of Clientel	Jukebox & Games	Description NIGHTLIFE
1100 Club 1100 S 1st St., Milw. (414)647-9950	Restaurant & Bar	Open 7am	Men / Women, some leather	Jukebox, Pool/games	Friendly neighborhood bar. Full kitchen serving specials daily. Leather/Levi club nights.
Ballgame 196 S 2nd Milwaukee (414)273-7474	Lounge	Open 2pm Sat/Sun11am	Mostly men	Jukebox, Darts Pool, Games	Time honored local hangout.
Barbies Playhouse 700 E Meinecke Milwaukee (414)374-7441	Dancebar	3 - close 7 days/wk	mostly women	Jukebox, pool darts, games	A gay friendly "alternative ba" that is frequented mostly by women. DJ dancing on Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat. & Sun.
Blue Lite 1029 N 8th, Sheboygan (920)457-1636	Lounge	3 pm Sun Tue-Sat 7	Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool Darts	Friendly small town atmosphere. Great stop off point for traveling on 143. Nice decor including some antiques. Customers range from young to old.
Boot Camp 209 E National, Milw. (414)643-6900	Leather Bar	Open 8pm	Leather/Levi	Jukebox, Pool / Games	A hot meeting place for the leather/ levi crowd. Patio open summers.
Brandy's II 1126 Main, Green Bay (920)437-3917	Cruisebar	Open 11am Sun. 10 am	Men & Women some leather -	Jukebox, Darts, Games, Pool	Jukebox, Darts, Friendly atmosphere. Strong Drinks. Pizza and snacks. Argonauts Green Bay home bar. Games, Pool
Buddies 1264 Main Street, Green Bay (920) 437-9256	Bar	Open 1pm to Close	Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool, Darts, Games	Friendly "Titletown" atmosphere. Daily drink specials and happy hour.
Cavalier Lounge 114 N. 5th St. La Crosse (608)782-9061	Bar	2pm except Mon/Sat/Sun 7pm	Men & Women	Darts, Pool Jukebox	
C'est La Vie 231 S 2nd Milwaukee (414)291-9600	Showbar/ Cruisebar	Open 4pm	Men	Darts & videogames	Male dancers & female impersonators weekends.
Club 219 219 S 2nd, Milwaukee (414)271-3732	Dancebar/ Showbar	5pm M-F 4 Sat, 3 Sun	Men & Women	Pool & videogames	Milwaukee's best place to see a show! The 219 Girls perform Sundays after 11p.m. Hot male dancers featured on Wed/Fri/Sat. DJ Kim spins a mix of hot dance music & video.
Club 94 9001 120th Kenosha (Off I-94) (414)857-9958	Dancebar/ Showbar	Closed Mon 7pm Tue-Sat 3pm Sun	Men & Women	Pool & videogames	Large dance club mixed men and women. Features male dancers and Drag Shows and pageants regularly.
Clubhouse Filling Station 6325 120th Ave. Kenosha (414)857-3744	Dancebar & Restaurant	M-Th 7-cl Fri & Sat 5-Cl Sun Noon-Cl	Men & Women	Jukebox, Gameroom	Patio, Gameroom, Male & Female entertainment, DJ's, Male Dancers/Entertainers & a restarant all under one roof!
Club Xpress 904 Ludington, Escanaba (MI) (906)789-0140	Dancebar	Wed/Thur 8pm Fri/Sat 6pm	Men & Women	Pool , Darts	Popular bar in the UP. Co-owner Bill Popps spins progressive dance music weekends. Occasional shows. Lots of theme parties.
Crossroads Bar W6642 Hwy B, Lake Mills (414)648-8457	Bar		Men & Women		
D's Place 4025 N Port Washington Rd Milwaukee (414)962-9487	Women's Bar	3 pm -Cl.	Women		
DISH 235 S. 2nd Street Milwaukee (414) 273-DISH	Party House	Open 5pm daily	Women	Jukebox, Pool Gamemroom	Saturday Night Jams with DJ Sandra Silk A new night spot/party house for women. Cool atmosphere, hip music and beautiful bartenders.
Diversions 1413 Green Valley Rd, Neenah (920)725-3374	Dancebar	Open 7pm Sunday 11am	Men & Women	Pool, Darts Jukebox	Dancebar serving Oshkosh & Fox Valley. From Green Bay on US 41take Breezewood exit then west frontage road south for 2 miles. DJ spins Wed, Fri. & Sat. Huge club!
Emeralds Lounge 801 E Hadley St, Milw. (414) 265-7325	Lounge	Open 4pm Sun 2pm	Men & Women	Pool, Darts Jukebox	
Fannies 200 E. Washington St. Milwaukee (414) 649-9003	Womyn's Bar	Daily 6pm, Sunday 4pm	Women	Pool, Games	Pool, Games Just re-opened after a fire destroyed the place. Now newly remodeled and ready to go!

Name, Address, Phone# of Bar.	Type of Bar	Daily Hours		Jukebox & Games	Description NIGHTLIFE page 2
Fluid (The Wet Spot) 819 South 2nd Milwaukee (414) 645-8330In	Cocktail Bar	5pm Daily	Men & Women		Open to a mixed crowd they choose to let the crowd define the bar, taking over the former bar Zippers. Familiar faces behind the bar too!
Between 625 S. Second Milw. (414)273-2693	Bar	Open 4 pm	Men	Darts, Jukebox,	Neighborhood bar located midpoint between La Cage and Club 219. Friendly!
Glass Menagerie 124 N. Water, Milwaukee (414)347-1962	Restaurant	Open 9pm	Men & Women		A Milwaukee classic. Outdoor patio summers. Main dining room enclosed in a glass solarium. Menu ranges from sandwiches to fancy dinners. Sunday brunch is a regular feature.
Java's 1106 Main, Green Bay (920)435-5476	Lounge	Open 8pm Fri Sat, Sun, Mon	Men & Women	Darts, Pool Jukebox,games	Second floor above ZA's. Captures an 1890's Victorian bar room look & feel. A quiet break from the dance floor below. Free pool & darts Mondays brings a crowd.
JoDee's 2139 Racine St, Racine (414)634-9804	Dancebar/ Showbar	Open 7pm	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox Pool	A longtime fixture in Racine! This lounge regularly features live shows & pageants. Nice, friendly atmosphere. DJ Saturdays, Off street parking, Courtyard
JT's Bar and Grill 1506 N. 3rd Superior (715)-394-2580	Dancebar with Food	Mon-Fri 4pm Sat/Sun 1pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Darts, games, pool	Live DJ weekends, Karaoke every Thursday. Large dancefloor. Periodic drag shows & strippers. Kitchen open all night. Gay owned/operated, fun, friendly, clean atmosphere. Waltking dist. to hotels and ATM machine.
Just Us 807 South 5th, Milw. (414)383-2233	Dancebar	Open 3 pm weekends 1pm	Men & Women	Pool, Darts Jukebox	Milwaukee's finest "Mixed" G/L bar. Smoke-Free Lounge off main bar. Enclosed court-yard, Buffet & Meeting Facilities. Occasional Shows.
Kathy's Nut Hut 1500 W Scott, Milwauke (414)647-2673	Bar	Open 2pm	Men & Women		
Kirby's Klub 121 W Main Madison (608)251-1030	Dancebar		Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool, Darts	Gay owned & operated. Features backroom dance floor, pool hall & sitting room with a fireplace.
LaCage 801S 2nd, Milwaukee (414)383-8330	Video Dancebar	Open 8pm	Men & Women		Milwaukee's Premier Video Dance Bar has been completely redone! Music ranges from alternative to mainstream dance. Hot young crowd.
MAD (Manoeuvres After Dark) 150 S Blair, Madison (608)258-9918	Leather Bar	Open 9 pm	Men	Pooltable	Back bar room of Manoeuvres for men. Popular with leather community.
Mama Roux Bar & Grill 1875 N. Humbolt, Milw. (414)347-0344	Bar & Grill	Open 3pm	Men & Women	Jukebox	Popular east side hangout. Occasional live music featured.
Manoeuvres 150 S. Blair St. Madison (608)258-9918	Video Dancebar	Open 4pm Sun 3pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Darts	Dance & Video Bar with one of the largest screens in Madison. Tony Ritschard DJs most nites. Pageants, Sunday Drag shows and male dancers regularly featured.
The Main 1217 Tower Ave Superior, WI (715)392-1756	VideoDance Bar	3pm Daily	Men & Women	Jukebox, pool, darts, games	Friendly, safe atmosphere. Video DJ weekends. Downtown location w/ accomodations next door. Gay owned/operated. Tournament Megatouch, Internet Access!
The Milwaukee Eagle 3rd & Juneau (414)273-6900	Leather Bar Dancebar	8pm	Leather Levi	Darts & Pooltable	(formerly Unicom Club) in the Sydney Hi Building Caters to the Leather crowd, but open to all. Sepearte room called Golden Shaft Club Dancfloor open w/ DJ Thrus-Sun
M&M Club 124 N Water, Milw. (414)347-1962	Lounge	Open 11am	Men & Women	Firplace, Piano	Great happy hour bar. Always something going on. Piano lounge singers; Singsational regularly performs for an enthusiastic crowd.
Napalese 515 S Broadway, Green Bay (920)432-9646	Lounge	Open 3pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Darts Pool	A place to come & meet new & old friends, relaxing atmosphere, monthly shows. Private room available for meetings & parties.
The Office 513 East State Rockford, IL (815)965-0344	Dancebar		Men & Women		
OZ 320 Washington St, Wausau (715)842-3225	Dancebar	7pm except Thur, Fri & Sun 5pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool, darts	DJ/VJ spins dance music on Friday & Saturdays. Mixed men & women. Formerly MadHatter.
OZONE 1014 Charles St Rockford, IL (815)964-9663	Dancebar	Mon-Sat 5-2 Sun 12-12	Men & Women	Pool-Jukebox Darts	DJ Dancing Friday & Saturday, Wed. Karaoke at 9pm
Platwood Club ₹730 High@ay 10W, Stevens Point (715)341-8862	Dancebar	Thur,Fri,Sat	Men & Women	Pool Darts	3 Miles West of Stevens Point

Name, Address, Phone# of Bar.	Type of Bar	Daily Hours		Jukebox & Games	Description NIGHTLIFE page 3
Players 218 Main, La Crosse (608)782-9279	Bar	Open 4pm	Men & Women	Dartboard	Theater bar , Marion Dunn playing piano Fridays 7:30-9:30 pm, DJ Fri &Sat 10-Close. Sundays 7-11pm live music Jazz & standards.
Rascals Bar & Grill 702 E. Wis., Appleton (920)954-9262	Bar / Grill	Mon-Fri 4pm Noon Sat/Sun	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox	Comfortable & relaxing serving sandwiches & occasional brunches. Food served early eve. Busy later featuring mostly men all ages. Background music with Jukebox avail.
Rays Bar & Grill 3052 E. Washington Madison (608)241-9335In	Dancebar	M-F 5pm Sat/Sun 3pm	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox pool	Madison's biggest dance floor. Volleyball court & patio bar. DJ's Fri & Sat Sandwiches, hamburgers omelets & more served.
Renez Co-Z Corner II 3500 W Park Hill (194 & 35th) Milw (414)933-RENE	Dancebar		Men & Women	i	
Sass 840 S. Broadway, Green Bar (920)437-7277	Dancebar	Closed Mon Tue-Thur 6pm Fri-Sun 5pm	Women & Men	Pool, Jukebox, Darts	Both men & women welcome, but favored by the women. Pool table, darts, DJ Friday & Saturdays. Occasional shows.
Station 2 1534 W. Grant Milwaukee 383-5755	Bar	Open 2pm	Men & Women		
Scooters 411 Galloway Street, Eau Claire (715)835-9959	Dancebar	Mon-Sat 6pm Sun 3pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Darts, pool, pinball	DJ on Saturday.
Shamrock 117 W Main St., Madison (608)255-5029	Bar	Open 2pm	Mostly Men	Various Games Jukebox	This cruisy bar is a Madison classic. Mixed men women all ages, grill serves food.
South Water St. Docks 354 E. National Milw (414)225-9676	Lounge	Open 3pm	Mostly Men	Various Games Jukebox	Popular neighborhood bar. Some leather.
This Is It 418 E Wells, Milwaukee (414)278-9192	Dancebar	Open 3pm	Mostly Men	Jukebox	A MilwaukeeClassic This bar gets a crowd ranging from 21 - 60 & older. Usually very busy especially early evening.
Triangle 135 E National, Milw. (414)383-9412	Videobar	Open 4pm	Mostly Men	Pool, Darts	Newly remodeled! Video screens play showtunes, comedy and music video. This hot cruisy bar is filled with cute guys! Patio open summers.
Trio 820 Tower, Superior (715)392-5373	Bar	Open 1pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, darts, pool	A neighborhood type bar, everbody welcome.
What About Me? 600 6th St. Racine (414)632-0171	Bar	Closed Mon Tue& Fri 3pm 6pm other days	Men & Women	Jukebox, darts, pool	
Walker's Point Cafe 1106 S 1st, Milwaukee (414)384-7999	Cafe	Open 10am	Men & Women	Jukebox & Games	Open daily serving home style cooking. Very popular with underage persons, Fav. hangout after hours! Back dining room.
Wolfe's Den 302 E. Madison Eau Claire (715)832-9237	Bar	Open 6pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, darts, pool	Drag shows & male dancers occasionaly
Woody's 1579 S. 2nd, Milwaukee (414) 672-0806	Bar	Open 4pm	Mostly Men	Jukebox Pool, Darts, video	Funtime bar where attitude is not allowed.
Za's / Java's 1106 Main St. Green Bay (920)435-5476	Video Dancebar & Lounge	Open 8pm everyday	Men & Women	Pool, darts games	N.E.WIS Premier Dance Video Bar. Drag shows & pageants & strippers occassionally. Hot FriSun. Mixed (some straight) Young & good looking! Sunday we feature the only Gay Dry Danceclub for 16 & Up - Alcohol upstairs. (Extremely Hot & cute crowd)