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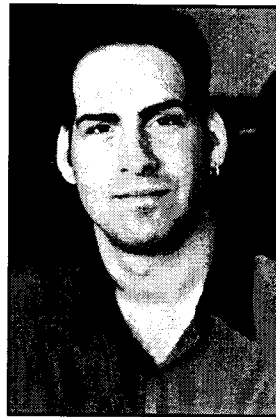
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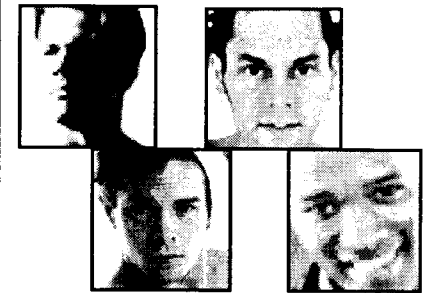
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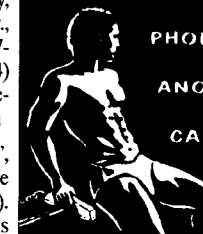
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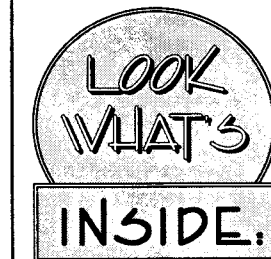


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1100 Club Club/kitchen open 7am
Ballgame \$2.30 bloody's, screws
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C'est La Vie Tacos & 50¢ tap-
pers w/ Alvin, 3-8 pm; Miss Aaja
Knight & cast, 10:30

Club 219 Super Beer Bust -
\$10 bar/rail, \$10 bottled beer
(domestic) 4-8 pm; Top of the
Line Entertainers, 11 pm
Emeralds Men's Nite! Call
drinks \$2

Fannies Pitcher Day - \$4.75 +
shot specials

In Between Bloody Mary &
Screwdriver specials

Kathy's Nut Hut Noon-4. Bloody
Marys & Screwdrivers, \$2 a mug

LaCage LaCage Showcase,
11:00; DJ/dancing...No Cover!

M&M Sunday Brunch

MCC Sun. services 11 am & 7
pm, Hotel Astor, 924 E. Juneau

Milwaukee Eagle \$1 off all
alcoholic beverages

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 Bloody mary gamished w/ a
celery stalk & pickle spear; chase w/ a 6
oz. beer, only \$2.50

Madison

Club 5/Planet Q Open 1/2 hour
before Packer Games, \$5 Miller Lite
Beer Bash 3-8 (also in **Barracks**
Men's Bar) Drag Shows or Karaoke
10pm w/dancing to follow.

Kirby's \$5 beer bash 4-8

Ray's Bar & Grill Beer bash 6-
10; periodic drag shows

Shamrock Beer Bash, free hot dogs
& beans

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

(Green Bay) Sun. 11:00 am, 3607
Libal St., AND, in Appleton at
815 N. Richmond St., 5 pm.

night by night

The Daily Specials at your favorite bar

Brandy's II (Green Bay) \$6
beer bust 3-8

Buddies (Green Bay) Beer
Bust 3-8, \$5

Cafe Bourbon (inside ZA's,
Green Bay) Serving Sunday
brunch 11-3, \$6 Beer Bust 1pm

- 5pm serving dinner 5-10
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. 716
S. Madison St., Green Bay.

ZA's Sun. \$6 Beer Bust noon to 5
(open 11 a.m.) 8pm juice bar in dance
bar 16 & up. Alcohol in Java's for 21+

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Other Cities

Club 94 (Kenosha) \$3.50 beer bust!

Clubhouse Filling Station
(Kenosha) Bloody Marys, \$1;
shot specials

Duluth-Superior area Sun. events: P-
FLAG 1st Sun. of ea. month, Pilgrim
Congregation Church, 2310 E. 4th St.,
Duluth, 7 pm; GLBT Interfaith group
& discussion, every 2nd Sun. of the
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)
Bloody Marys \$1.75; cheeseburger &
fries, \$3; beer bust 8-10 pm, 50¢ taps

Main Club (Superior, WI)
Informal daret tourney, 6-9

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

Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse)
Open jazz jam featuring Straight
Ahead jazz ensemble, 3-6 pm; Marion
Dunn at the piano keyboard 6-8 pm

Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Karaoke

Milwaukee

MONDAY

1100 Club Open 7 AM; 2-4-1 4-7

Ballgame Domestic beer
\$1.25 9-close + \$1.75 rail

Boot Camp cocktail hour 4:10-
8:10, 2-4-1 drinks. All Bud \$1
C'est La Vie 25¢ beers

In Between Balloon game 9:30-2

Kathy's Nut Hut Pull tabs 4-6

LaCage Happy Hour all nite; "Shake-
A-Drink"

M&M Double bubble/ comp.hors
d'oeuvres 5-7

South Water Street Docks 2-4-1
cocktails 3-8 (tickets good 'til 9)

Triangle Melrose Mondays; \$4
pitchers of beer 9-close

Woody's 75¢ tappers, \$1 off drinks 4-9

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Shamrock Happy hr. 4-8

Green Bay/Fox Valley

AA (Green Bay) Ecumenical
Center, UW-Green Bay; FMI
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Angels of Hope MCC (Green Bay)
Perfect Pride, 7 pm, GLBT youth 18-
25; **Appleton** groups meets at MCC,
Appleton

Brandy's II (Green Bay) 2-4-1 1st
drink 4-8, 11-2. Mon. movie nite, 7pm

Buddies (Green Bay) \$1.50 rail 9-2

Lawrence Univ. GBLASS
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Napalese (Green Bay) \$6 beer
bust 9-close

ZA's (Green Bay) Java's open 8pm
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Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 Micro
Brew specials

Clubhouse Filling Station
(Kenosha) \$1 drafts, shot spe-
cialoes, karaoke

Duluth-Superior area Women's Closed
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 pm, Sara's
Table, 728 E. Superior St., Duluth

Jo'Dee's Int'l (Racine) \$6 MGD
& Miller Lite super bust 7-close

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior)

Free pool; Bucket nite - 4 for \$5

Northland Gay Men's Center
(Duluth-Superior) discussion group
for men 18-25, 5 pm

Office (Rockford) \$1.50 Miller
Out Up North (social organization of
les-bi-gays in Northern Wis), 6:30 pm,
Black Cat Coffee Shop, Ashland, Wis.

Oz (Wausau) 50¢ tappers

Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse)
Happy hour 5-6:30

Scooters (Eau Claire) \$3 pitchers
9-2. Open 7.

Milwaukee

1100 Club Open 7 AM; 2-4-1 4-7
ARCW Boyz Nite Out, ARCW, 820 N.

TUESDAY

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Ballgame 9-close - Pull tabs!

Bi Definition social/discussion
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Boot Camp cocktail hour 4-8

C'est La Vie 25¢ beers

Dish (Green Bay) 2-4-1
happy hour 5:30-7:30

Eagle \$4 pitchers of beer

Fannies Open 6 pm;
Shoreline practice 7-9:30

In Between Shake a Dice
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Woody's Snack Nite: 75¢
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Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) DV8 Nite; \$2 Skyy vodka & \$2 pints Goose Island; free pool/darts
Club 94 (Kenosha) \$1 mixed drink, \$1.50 top shelf \$3.50 beer bust
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
Jo'Dee's Intl. (Racine) \$6 MGD & Miller Lite super bust 7-2
JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Pitchers of beer \$3, tappers 75¢; Free foosball 9-12
Main Club (Superior, WI) Nasty Boyz Club 9-close

Office (Rockford) \$1.50 Budweiser
Oz (Wausau) \$1.50 rails
Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hr. 5-6:30
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Shamrock Happy hour 4-8

Green Bay/Fox Valley
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Buddies (Green Bay) \$5 beer bust 8-2
Cafe Bourbon (ZA's, Green Bay) Wed. dinner & a movie Dinner served 5-11 pm
Napalese (Green Bay) \$6 beer bust 4-9
Rascals (Appleton) Happy hour 5-8
ZA's (Green Bay) Dance bar opens 10 pm \$7 SuperBust with VIP card only; VJ Sean

Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 Bud/Bud Light longnecks
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 Intl. (Racine) FREE pool & \$6 MGD & Miller Lite super bust, 7-2
JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Balloon Nite! Happy hour 3-10, Pizza & pitcher of beer, \$7.50
Main Club (Superior, WI) Ed's Winning Wed. 3-8:30 Win prizes!

Office (Rockford) Retro Wed. DJ 9pm; 50¢ drafts, \$2.50 pitchers
Oz (Wausau) Beer, wine, soda bust, 7-mid., \$6
Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hour 5-6:30
Scotter's (Eau Claire) 7 pm w/ 50¢ taps & \$1 rail mixers 'til 9
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Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Buck Nite - bar rail & reg. bottled beer

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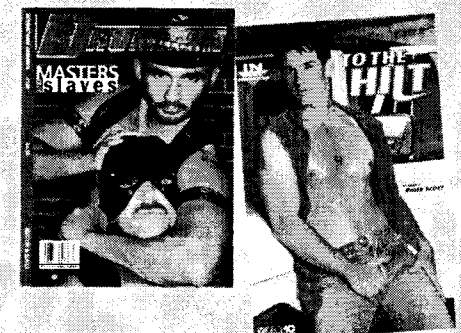
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Triangle \$6 rail bust 9-close
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Madison

Barracks 2-4-1 happy hour all drinks up to \$3.50 4-8 pm plus Happy hour wheel!
Club 5/Planet Q 2-4-1 happy hour all drinks up to \$3.50 4-8 pm, all other drinks \$1 off; **All Bars** 8-cl all whiskey drinks 50¢ off pitchers lite \$4 (lg\$5) shots of Doctors \$2 DJ & Dancing 10pm
Kirby's Klub DJ 9-close
Shamrock Happy hour 4-8
Ray's Bar & Grill 2-4-1 Happy Hour; \$2 Blue Moon Steins 9-close

Green Bay/Fox Valley

Alcoholics Anonymous (Appleton) 1st Congregational Church UCC, 724 E. So. River St., 8 pm
Brandy's II (Green Bay) Roll dice for tappers 4-8; 2nd shift happy hour Beer Bust 11-2, \$5
Buddies (Green Bay) 50¢ tap 'til 8; \$1.50 Kessler all day; \$1 Rolling Rock 9-12
Cafe Bourbon (ZA's) Dinner 5-10
Napalese (Green Bay) Double bubble - bar rail + tap & bottle domestic beer
Rascals (Appleton) Happy hour 5-8
ZA's Dancebar open 10 pm \$7 Super Bust with VIP card only; VJ Mark

Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) \$2 well/wine & domestic beer
Club 94 (Kenosha) \$3.50 Beer bust
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 Women's Outdoor Network, Sara's Table, 6:30 pm. FMI Cynthia 218/720-6275
Jo'Dee's Intl. (Racine) \$6 MGD & Miller Lite super bust! Shot specials - cherry lifesavers & Viagra, \$2.50 7-close
JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Karaoke Lite Nite 8pm; all Lite beer \$1.50
Office (Rockford) \$1 dom beer - Miller/ Bud
Oz (Wausau) Happy hour 4-7
Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) Happy hour 5-

6:30 pool/darts 7-10; shot specials, 2-4-1 tap 9-2
Scooter's (Eau Claire) Free pool & darts. 2-4-1 tappers 9-2
Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Bartender's Choice Specials - dollar drinks
Gay & Lesbian Alcoholics Anonymous Group "Free At Last" (Duluth-Superior area), 7 pm, Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

Milwaukee

FRIDAY

Boot Camp cocktail hour 4:10-8:10 - 2-4-1
Club 219 Male strippers
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Emeralds \$1.25 rail drinks 5-7
Fannies Envelope Nite, win cash & prizes, \$1.50 rail & domestic beer
Kathy's Nut Hut Pull tabs 5-7
LaCage "LaCage Showcase" 11pm
Milwaukee Eagle 2-4-1 on all mixed drinks 8-10 pm
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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
Triangle Rolling Rock taps \$1, 9-close
Woody's 75¢ taps & \$1 off drinks 4-9 pm

Madison

Barracks 2-4-1 happy hour on all drinks up to \$3.50 4-8 pm plus Happy Hour Wheel.
Club 5/Planet Q 2-4-1 happy hour on all drinks up to \$3.50 11am-8pm all other drinks \$1 off DJ & Dancing 10pm
Kirby's Klub Live DJ 9-close
Ray's Bar & Grill 2-4-1 Happy Hour; Fish fry \$6.95, DJ 9-close - movies, pool, darts
Shamrock Happy Hour 5-8; rail drinks, \$2, 9-1

Green Bay & Fox Valley

Buddie's (Green Bay) \$1.50 rail 3-7
Cafe Bourbon (in ZA's, Green Bay) Dinner 5-10 pm, snacks 10-2
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) Dancing with DJ Carl, 10 pm. Half price w/ VIP card in Java's 5-10.

Other Cities

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Cell Block (Chicago) Fetish Nite
Club 94 (Kenosha) \$1 beer bust 10:30-mid.
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PAST/OUT

BY DAVID BIANCO

March 15, 1811 (188 years ago this week): The libel trial of Jane Pirie and Marianne Woods - the case that inspired the play and movie, *The Children's Hour* - begins in Edinburgh, Scotland.

What was *The Children's Hour*?

In 1933, best-selling mystery novelist Dashiell Hammett had just finished writing *The Thin Man* and was looking for his next project. While skimming a collection of British court cases titled *Bad Companions*, he found a subject he thought would make an excellent play. But instead of writing the play himself, he passed the idea to his lover, Lillian Hellman, who used it as the basis of her first play, *The Children's Hour*.

The case that Hammett discovered involved a Scottish libel trial of 1811. Jane Pirie and Marianne Woods were close friends and former governesses who decided to start a girls' boarding school in Edinburgh in 1809. At first, they had trouble attracting students, but the situation changed dramatically with the admission of 14-year-old Jane Cumming. Cumming was the orphaned, illegitimate, half-Indian granddaughter of Dame Cumming Gordon, who, despite her social standing, had been unable to find a school that would accept the young girl of color. When Pirie and Woods admitted the girl, Dame Cumming Gordon was so grateful that she convinced her friends to enroll their daughters, too. The future of Pirie and Woods' school seemed secure.

But in November 1810, young Cumming told her grandmother about "disturbing" events she had witnessed at the school. Outraged, Dame Cumming Gordon immediately withdrew the child and wrote letters to her friends, encouraging them to do the same. The reasons, she wrote, were so shocking that she could only relate them in person. What Cumming had told her grandmother was that Pirie and Woods had been sexually intimate with each other.

It is unknown whether the two women were actually lovers or simply romantic friends who kissed and embraced each other in public, as many women of the day did. But only 18 months after their school opened, Pirie and Woods lost all their students and, with them, their livelihood. They engaged a lawyer and sued Dame Cumming Gordon for libel. At the trial, which began on March 15, 1811, and lasted several months, Cumming's testimony was corroborated by two other witnesses. Cumming provided graphic sexual descriptions of the women's behavior, which included making "a wet kind of noise, attended with motions of the body, quick and high breathing, and a shaking of the bed."

Although other witnesses contradicted Cumming's testimony, the jurors were unable to dismiss her vivid story, and they decided for Dame Cumming Gordon. A long, tortuous appeal, which wasn't resolved until 1821, turned the tables and found for Pirie and Woods. But after legal fees and court costs, the impoverished schoolmistresses collected only a fraction of the 10,000 pounds Dame Cumming Gordon owed them.

For her play, Lillian Hellman appropriated the story line of the Pirie and Woods case but moved the drama to 20th-century New England. Her protagonists, Martha and Karen, are college friends who decide to open a girls' boarding school together. When Mary, a malevolent student, sees them hugging innocently, she decides to get revenge on her teachers for a harsh punishment she received. Mary implies to her grandmother, a wealthy and influential woman, that Martha and Karen are lovers, although Karen has a fiance. The grandmother spreads the rumor, Martha and Karen are ostracized by the community, and they lose all their students. They then sue for libel - unsuccessfully. In a twist

at the end, Martha realizes she is indeed a lesbian who has always loved Karen, and she hangs herself in shame.

Although it was illegal to depict lesbianism on the Broadway stage at that time, Hellman saw herself as a risk-taker and brought it to the stage anyway. *The Children's Hour* found a producer and opened on November 20, 1934. The manager of New York's Shubert Theater warned Hellman, "This play could land us all in jail." But audiences loved *The Children's Hour*, the police stayed away, and the show ran for more than 600 performances. Critics, too, applauded it as "finely and bravely written" and "the season's dramatic high-water mark."

Based on its Broadway success, Samuel Goldwyn paid \$50,000 for the movie rights to Hellman's play without any knowledge of its subject matter. When told that it was about lesbians, he supposedly replied, "That's OK, we'll turn them into Americans." Because the strict Hays Production Code policed "morality" on the Hollywood screen, the movie version of the play skirted lesbianism. *These Three* (1936), which William Wyler directed and Hellman herself scripted, heterosexualized Mary's lie: Instead of getting caught hugging Karen (Merle Oberon), Martha (Miriam Hopkins) is accused of "carrying on" with Karen's fiance (Joel McCrea) in a bedroom near the students' quarters. Unlike in the play, heterosexual Martha doesn't commit suicide but simply leaves town at the end. Hellman justified the mutilation of her own play by claiming that *The Children's Hour* had never really been about lesbianism at all, but about a lie ruining the lives of innocent people.

Twenty-six years later, when the Hays Code loosened, Wyler decided to direct a second film version of Hellman's play, restoring its original title and theme. *The Children's Hour* (1962), starring Shirley MacLaine, Audrey Hepburn, and James Garner, was not the critical or popular success that either Hellman's play or *These Three* had been. The grim ending didn't make sense, MacLaine (who played Martha) later complained, because Wyler excised important scenes from the script that clearly showed Martha's growing love for Karen.

The Children's Hour is remembered today by lesbian and gay film historians for its early, if negative, depiction of lesbianism. But true to its time and to Hellman's play, the word "lesbian" was never even spoken on screen.

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JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) Fish Fry 4-10; Happy hour 9-11; DJ starts 9:30
Main Club (Superior, WI) DJ Ed plays the latest in music videos 9-2
MGLO (Marshfield) Fri. Red Light Nite 10:30-3:30, 21+ only, 130 S. Central Ave. (#3), FMI (715) 387-2068
Office (Rockford) DJ
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 dom bottles 9-11
Wolfe's Den (Eau Claire) Pull Tabs
Womyn's Coffeehouse (Duluth-Superior area), 1st Fri. of ea. mo, Building for Women, 32 E. 1st St. 7pm. FMI 218/722-4903
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SATURDAY

Ballgame \$2.30 bloodydys, screws or greyhounds 11-6; 80¢ tap beer
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Green Bay & Fox Valley

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Cafe Bourbon (Green Bay) Dinner 5-10, snacks etc. 10-2
Napalese (Green Bay) \$6 beer bust 3-8

Sass (Green Bay) Free pool 5-8; DJ 10-2

ZA's Dancing with VJ Za, 10 pm. Half price w/ VIP card in Java's 5-10.

Other Cities

Cell Block (Chicago) Sat. Nite Riot!

Club 94 (Kenosha) DJ Jim 9-2

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
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Jo'Dee's Intl. (Racine) \$2.50 shots of vanilla & original drs., cherry cheesecake, cherry life-savers & viagra; \$1.25 taps of MGD & Miller Lite, \$1.75 pts. of Leinie's Red, \$2.50 pts. of Hacker-Pschorr Weisse + \$6 MGD & Miller Lite super bust!

JT's Bar & Grill (Superior) DJ at 9:30; happy hour 9-11 pm
Main Club (Superior, WI) DJ Ed plays the latest in music videos 9-2

Office (Rockford) DJ; Levi/Leather downstairs
Oz (Wausau) DJ/VJ 10-close
Players Theatre Bar (LaCrosse) DJ 10-2:30

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DJ TOP 10 DANCE PLAYLISTS

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2. The Light....."Expand The Room"
3. Pedro & Benno....."Talkin' To You"
4. Sebatu....."Prayer"
5. Poppsmix....."Sunscream vs the 5th Element"
6. Jonathan Peters....."Flower Duet '99"
7. Vibrasphere....."The Open Sphere"
8. Fade....."The Love"
9. Shadow....."Don't Stop"
10. Left Hand....."Left Hand EP"

Club 5--Madison, WI DJ/VJ Tony Ritschard

1. Cher....."Strong Enough"
2. Juliet Roberts....."I Like / Bad Girls"
3. Madonna....."Vogue"
4. Soulscarcher....."Can't Get Enough"
5. Satoshi Tomiie....."Darkness"
6. Billy Crawford....."Urgently In Love"
7. Proyecto Uno....."Nnt"
8. Miss Jane....."It's a Fine Day"
9. Lutricia McNeal....."Stranded"
10. Orinko....."Mama Konda"

JT's--Superior, WI DJs Elmo & Carmen

1. Britney Spears....."Baby One More Time"
2. Dixie Chicks....."You Were Mine"
3. Cher....."Believe"
4. Will Smith....."Miami"
5. George Michael....."Outside"
6. Bette Midler....."I'm Beautiful"
7. Janet Jackson....."I Get Lonely"
8. Pulse....."The Lover in You"
9. AC/DC....."You Shook Me All Night Long"
10. Cartmar....."Sailing Away"

The Main Club--Superior, WI DJ Ed

1. Ricky Martin....."La Copa De Vida"
2. Venga Boys....."We Like to Party"
3. Janet Jackson....."Everytime"
4. Madonna....."Ultimix"
5. Grace....."Skin On Skin"
6. Thalia....."Amor A La Mexicana"
7. Ricky Martin....."Volveras"
8. Orgy....."Blue Monday"
9. JS 16....."Stomp To My Beat"
10. Cher....."Believe"

Ray's Dance Bar & Grill--Madison DJ Ricky B

1. Crystal Waters....."100% Pure Love"
2. Rose Royce....."Car Wash (Mustard Mix)"
3. Respect Feat. Hannah Jones....."I Am What I Am"
4. Cher....."Believe" (Club 69 Future Mix)
5. Groove Corp. w/Leo Sayer....."You Make Me Feel Like Dancing"
6. Savage Garden....."I Want You"
7. Clueless....."Don't Speak"
8. Stardust....."Music Sounds Better With You"
9. Bianca....."Crush" (Fired Up Mix)
10. Ruff Neck....."Everybody Be Somebody"

ZA's Videobar--Green Bay VJ's Carl, Mark, Sean & ZA

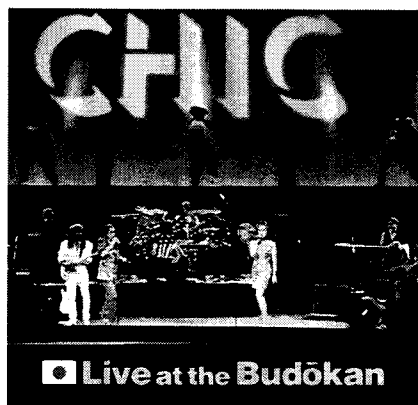
1. Madonna....."Nothing Really Matters"
2. Cevin Fisher....."(You got Me) Burnin' Up"
3. Skin....."Charlotte"
4. Cher....."Believe"
5. LFO....."If I Can't Have You"
6. Vengaboys....."We Like to Party"
7. Funky Green Dogs....."Body"
8. Veronica....."Someone to Hold"
9. Orgy....."Blue Monday"
10. Mousse T....."Horney '98"

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Nile Rodgers, the ground-breaking producer-songwriter-guitarist-hitmaker, has announced the release of a live reunion performance of his legendary supergroup, "Chic Live at the Budokan." The album christens Rodgers' newly formed label, Sumthing Else Music Works.

The album features both Nile Rodgers and Bernard Edwards as well as guest appearances by Steve Winwood, Sister Sledge and Slash of Guns-n-Roses. This album also marks the final performance of Bernard Edwards, who died hours after the taping in his hotel room. His music and spirit will live on forever.



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New Collaboration Expands ARCW's Mental Health Program in Milwaukee Area

As people with HIV cope with the many stressful issues and potentially serious mental health problems, they can turn to the AIDS Resource Center of Wisconsin's mental health programs and its new collaboration with Acacia Clinic.

The ARCW/Acacia collaboration will expand mental health services to include psychotherapy, a psychiatrist and oversight and increased standards of care.

"There are a tremendous amount of deep emotions an individual must deal with when he or she first learns of their HIV diagnosis. In an instant, a client's world view changes, and there needs to be caring individuals to help the client process that new information," says Doug Johnson, acting director of health services. Johnson said the new collaboration enables ARCW to reach 50-60 clients per month who need psycho-social therapy.

Dr. Craig Schneider, Ph.D., a psychotherapist with Acacia Clinic will provide psychotherapy, while Dr. Stanley Poreba, MD, will provide psychiatric services.

Acacia provides services to clients and their families at ARCW's Milwaukee office as well as Acacia's six offices throughout the metropolitan area in Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Waukesha, Racine, Kenosha and Walworth counties.

FMI (414) 225-1571.

New Programs, Services at Milwaukee LGBT Center

The Milwaukee LGBT Community Center, 170 So. 2nd St., is starting several new programs and services to help improve the quality of life within Milwaukee's LGBT community.

The programs include an extensive LGBT topic-related library, a writers group, lesbian discussion group, LGBT entrepreneurs group, support/social group for gays and lesbians with families, a Saturday night movie series, lecture series on LGBT issues called *Rainbow University*, a series of swing dance lessons, regularly scheduled social and support activities for LGBT youth, and an established mental health referral services with the Counseling Center of Milwaukee.

"The purpose of these programs is two-fold," said Neil Albrecht, executive director. "We want people to come to the Center and have a good time, and we also want to help alleviate some of the social isolation that many LGBT people experience."

The Center operates Thursdays and Fridays 6-10 pm, Saturdays noon to 10 pm and Sundays noon to 8 pm.

FMI (414) 271-2656.

A Letter to the Editor from Action Wisconsin's President, Mike Fitzpatrick "Equality Begins at Home"

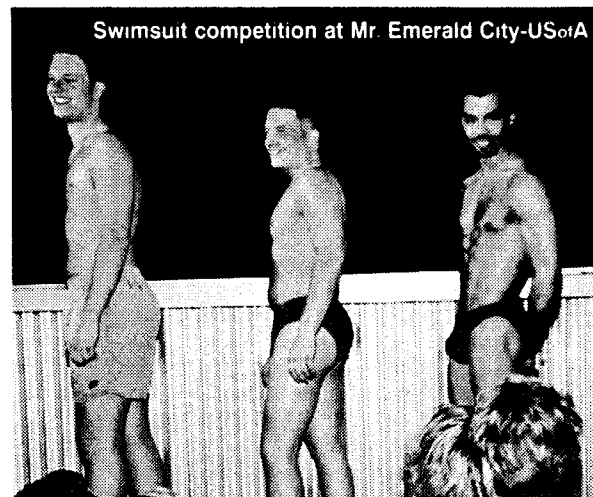
The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force's "Equality Begins At Home" (EBAH) project presents an historic opportunity for people who happen to be lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender and for those who care about them. NGLTF took a look at where both the pro and con and anti-LGBT legislative action really is - over 130 pieces of legislation introduced in state legislatures in 1998 and 111 introduced in the first two months of 1999 - and developed a plan to work both nationally and locally simultaneously. EBAH will generate activism which is likely to be more effective, affordable and personally rewarding to those who take part.

In our state, NGLTF has selected Action Wisconsin to coordinate and carry out "Equality Begins At Home" events throughout this year. AWF's board of directors has assessed the recent and current political dynamics in the state of Wisconsin and developed an action plan to implement EBAH which taps core American civic values. For most of the 90's, Wisconsin's LGBT people have reacted to the attacks on their civil rights. The anti-same sex marriage bill and the activities of quasi-religious figures like Ralph Ovdal and Reggie White are just a few recent examples. Action Wisconsin's planned EBAH week activity - the "Sweeten 'Em Up" Lobby Day in Madison on March 24 - is the first event of a strategic plan to change the direction of LGBT political action from one of reaction to proactive interaction with our legislators. On March 24, LGBT citizens from throughout the state will come to Madison and meet with legislators and their staffs to thank them for their hard work at representing all the citizens of their legislative districts - including those who happen to be lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgendered. As a tangible way of saying 'thank you' the volunteer lobbyists will share homemade cookies with their legislators and staffs. Those unable to attend the Lobby Day can take part by contacting Action Wisconsin and asking that a volunteer lobbyist visit their legislators on their behalf.

"Sweeten 'Em Up" is not the product of 'identity' politics which has pitted group against group and created the toxic, polarized, divisive political atmosphere most citizens shy away from. Instead, it is the politics of 'We, the People.' It is Civics 101: get to know your legislator and let your legislator get to know you as people, who just happen to be gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender, or who happen to care about the basic civil rights of such people. And then there are those cookies!

Now is the time for Wisconsin's LGBT community and its allies to make a little history. People take a few minutes today to contact Action Wisconsin and get involved with the "Sweeten 'Em Up" lobby day and "Equality Begins At Home." Whether you offer your name, your time, your cookies or all of the above, please call (608) 283-3251, e-mail us at ActionWi@execpc.com, connect to our website at <http://www.execpc.com/~dross/aw>, or snail mail us at P.O. Box 342, Madison, WI 53701.

Sincerely, Mike Fitzpatrick, President, Action Wisconsin, Inc.



Swimsuit competition at Mr. Emerald City-USofA

Self-Esteem: What is it? Who needs it?

Let's start with the easy part first - what is self-esteem? This is one of those mainstream mental health terms that gets used so much the meaning becomes lost. Basically, self-esteem means the way you think and feel about yourself and it can either be positive, negative, or some combination of the two.

Positive self-esteem is when the feelings and thoughts you have toward yourself are good or positive. You may believe that you are a person of value, that you have important contributions to make in the world, and you look forward to participating in your life. It's rare that positive self-esteem causes problems. People who truly feel good about themselves most of the time usually lead healthy, happy and productive lives.

Negative self-esteem, on the other hand, can be at the bottom of all sorts of difficulties in a person's life. This is when the feelings and thoughts that you have toward yourself are bad or negative. You may believe that you are worthless and you have nothing of value to offer anyone else. When you look in the mirror (IF you look in the mirror) you see someone that you don't like very well.

Very often gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered people suffer from low or negative self-esteem. It doesn't start out that way - small children have little reason to dislike themselves until they are taught how. Long before many of us knew that we were gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgendered we were taught by authority figures that being anything other than heterosexual and stereotypically male or female was sick, wrong and immoral. The next logical step once we began to understand our own sexual or gender issues is to internalize those messages. The things we were taught about gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered people are now personal - "they" are talking about us. Considering that every day we are bombarded with thousands of negative messages about glib people, it is no wonder we start to believe what we hear.

Negative self-esteem can take on many forms and often it hides within. There are estimates that at any one time we have 25,000 messages going on inside of our minds. Many of these are negative messages and most of them go on without being noticed. Even though they aren't noticed, they have an impact on our emotions and behaviors. In fact, the messages that aren't noticed probably do more damage because we don't realize they are affecting what we do. Because we may believe we are worthless, we treat ourselves with less respect than we deserve - not eating right, putting ourselves in dangerous situations, using drugs or alcohol excessively, withdrawing from friends, or considering suicide.

So, is it hopeless? If you suffer from

low self-esteem, is that the way it will always be? The answer is NO, it definitely doesn't have to be that way. The good news is that it is possible for you to feel good about yourself as a gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgendered person. The down side is that it will probably take some work on your part. Here are some steps to help you begin to heal from low self-esteem:

(1) Understand that you are not alone. Many glib people suffer from low self-esteem - even people who seem to have it all together.

(2) Become aware of the kinds of things you tell yourself. Tune in to the negative thoughts. Some people find it useful to write them down as they become aware of them.

(3) As you become aware of the negative thoughts inside of you, think about where they came from. Often these are things you've been told by someone who had authority over you.

(4) Challenge the negative thoughts for what they are - lies. Replace the negative thoughts with positive ones.

(5) Find supportive friends to talk with - friends who will reinforce that you are a good person and worthy of good things in your life.

(6) Do kind things for yourself - you deserve it!

(7) Be patient! Your negative messages have been with you a long time, and it will take some time to undo them.

If negative thoughts are controlling your life, you may need to consider seeking professional help. Someone who is trained to work with these issues can help you sort them out and stop their destructive effects. You are definitely worth it!

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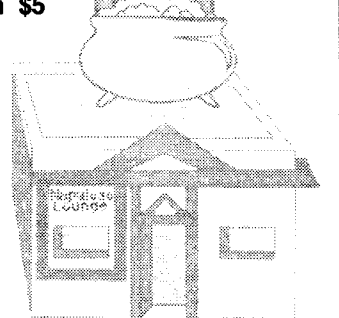
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by Papa Joe

Progress report -- The bone is knitting and I'm getting along much better, even out a little, albeit on the two sticks. My darling loved one is in Asia (what, again), Daddy sitter out of town also, I got a head cold and I had a runin with the computer again. If it weren't for bad luck, I would have no luck at all. Lot of stuff came in so let's get down to it.

From **Argonauts/Green Bay** The Argonauts have no intentions of slowing down this 25th anniversary year. Several club nights and fundraisers are already scheduled. New uniforms are now in use, 6 of us are traveling to the **Conductors** run in Nashville. . . and also we will rejoin the **Mid-America Conference of Clubs (MAC)** "The Argo" our quarterly newsletter will be coming out in April. . . it's been many years since a newsletter went out from our club! A web page is now being worked on. . . details later.

Brandy's II, Buddies and Napalese lounge are working with us this year on our **Easter Egg Fundraiser**. We will hold this fundraiser beginning March 27 thru Easter Sunday. Over \$2,000.00 was raised during last year's event!

The 1999 Joint Anniversary Run should be better than ever. . . We expect more run participants as the Castaways will celebrate 20 years. . . where did the years go?

Our new officers for 1999 are President, Steven J.; V. President, Alan K.; Recording Secretary, Gary S.; Treasurer, Michael S.; Corresponding Secretary, Leon S. and Sergeant at arms, Paul K.

Tinky Winky. . . what utter bullshit! Thought I would send a copy of the letter that came in my church newsletter.

Yours in Brotherhood, Steven/Argonauts Reply:

Thanks for the long letter. It is good to know there are still some folks who retain the art letter writing and with great penmanship.

A special thanks for the Tinky Winky letter. It is too long to reprint here. I have sent it out to over a thousand E addresses and the response was awesome. If anyone wants a copy of this "Get a Life, Jerry Falwell" letter, click on my link and request one. If Snail mail, send SASE to this Rag.

One of your members (I assume Leon) sent me a E message saying he would be the person who would be contacting me with future news from the Argonauts. I lost the message in my latest run in with the computer. Please have him contact me again with his E address. Thank you.

While on the subject with my latest run-in with the computer, I also lost the message

from Chip relating to the **Drummer and Drummer Boy Contests**. I hope Chip is able to reply my request for a repeat prior to my deadline. If not, there still is time to get all the details well in advance. Here's what I do recall.

The **Wisconsin Mr. Drummer/Drummerboy Contest** will be held on **Sat., 9 pm, May 8, 1999** @ the Milwaukee Eagle. This event is a 3-day affair starting with Friday evening and ending on Sunday, with the contests 9 PM Saturday at the Milwaukee Eagle. The contest requires the contestant to do a short fantasy. This is always the hi-lite of the evening.

The contestants will be competing for prizes valued at \$1,500. The winner will represent Wisconsin at the regional Great Lakes Mr. Drummer/Drummer Boy 1999 contest, July 2-5, in Columbus, Ohio. If a winner there, then it is off to San Francisco for the International Mr. Drummer contest, held at Folsom St Fair weekend, September 24 - 26.

Fundraisers will be held for the Wisconsin Mr. Drummer/Drummerboy at a variety of cooperating bars and in conjunction with other groups and/or events. The proceeds will assist the winner's travel and competition expenses.

Here is the part I am not sure of -- What's happening on Friday evening, May 7? Just be there, **YOU WILL ENJOY** -- and there is a fundraiser at SWS Docks, the time and date I don't recall --

However, **Sat. April 24, 1 - 5 PM**, (the afternoon of the Daddy Contest) @ The 1100 Club, a beer bust hosted by the **Castaways and Argonauts** during their charity auction and the **Grand Daddy Contest**, will benefit **Wisconsin Drummer**. This will be where the action is, so see you there.

I want to put in a word here to all the prospective contestants, especially if you are a bit hesitant. Go to the fundraisers, look up Chip, members of the Argonauts and or Castaways and ask your questions. They will give you all the information and help they can. If you do, you will lose any hesitancy about entering. Further, once you enter a contest, you will find yourself a different and more confident person as well as having fun doing it.

From - **Castaway/Milwaukee Sunday, March 21** Celebrate spring with the **Castaways at their Sunday afternoon beer bust from 2-6 PM** 1100 Club. Food available.

The **Daddy's Boy** contest **Friday, April 23** -- The **Mr. Wisconsin Daddy** contest **Saturday, April 24**. Both contests will be at **9 PM** at the Milwaukee Eagle.

Saturday afternoon at the 1100 Club, starting at **1 PM** the two clubs will

we appeared to be losing ground to the enemy. But, the cloud is dissipating and it appears that our united persistence is allowing us to regain some territory. Infection rates are declining slightly, and new treatments are showing signs of hope. This is not a time to retreat; it is a time to use out foothold to eradicate our adversary, HIV disease."

BJ Daniels Opening Raises \$3,000 for Milwaukee LGBT Community Center

"Dreaming Big," an exhibition of photographs of local celebrity BJ Daniels, drew a capacity crowd of 500 and \$3,000 in opening night donations. "I believe the Center is vital to Milwaukee and to our community," Daniels says, "and I am ecstatic the event was so successful."

He was involved with the Center from its very beginning, facilitated the first Center Town Hall meeting, and two years later in Nov., 1998, was the MC for its grand opening night.

"Dreaming Big" is scheduled to run through March 28 at Gallery H2O, 221 No. Water St.

FMI, visit the Center's web site at www.mkelgbt.org or (414) 271-2656, or PO Box 511189, Milwaukee, WI 53203-0201.

Milwaukee Pride Marching Band Needs More Members! YOU??

Efforts to organize a Milwaukee area gay and lesbian marching band continue, but still in need of additional musicians to add to the sixteen already enrolled, says Rick Finger, who's leading the effort.

"Our main goal is to provide Milwaukee's Pride parade with a unique marching band. Some other ideas include possible travel to other cities to perform in pride parades and celebrations, and we're entertaining the idea of performing concerts in the local area throughout the year," says Finger.

Interested? Have a musical instrument in working order you'd like to donate? Contact Rick (414) 383-1373 or e-mail Rickfinger@aol.com.

STD Specialties & BESTD Clinics Share in Community Center Project

STD Specialties Clinic and BESTD Clinic will collaborate in providing anonymous HIV counseling and testing at the LGBT Community Center, utilizing the same space sublet by BESTD Clinic.

Testing will be done at scheduled times when there are gathering and activities at the Center, and results of tests will be available at the Center and both Clinics, and will be scheduled for the convenience of clients.

Testing will be done using the oral fluid device, which will not require blood draws. It is anticipated that other health care screenings and services will be provided as the need arises.

The STD Specialties/BESTD Program will supplement current outreach programs at bars, clubs, health fairs and other sites.

Over the past fifteen years, the two clinics have been working closely together providing STD and HIV health care services. The clinics also share Roger Gremminger, MD, as medical director. Dr. Gremminger was a founder of the STD Specialties Clinic in 1983 and has served as a volunteer at BESTD for more than two decades.

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Saturday, April 3

Fannies (Milw) Annual Easter egg hunt; win cash & prizes!

(David's birthday)

Sunday, April 4 - Easter Sunday

Friday, April 9

Cell Block (Chicago) Mr. International Rubber '99 (Tom Smith) joins us for rubber fetish night; special wet area

Milw. Repertory Theater presents "Force of Nature" thru May 9

Saturday, April 10

13th Annual Make a Promise Dinner, AIDS benefit, Midwest Express Center,

ZA's (Green Bay) Wisconsin Light presents "Man of the Year"

Party for Za, a benefit for Rainbow Over Wisconsin

Sunday, April 11

Club 5 (Madison) Mr. Capital City USofA Pageant

Monday, April 12

AfterWords (Milw) Book Club, 7:30 pm, discussion of Mary Renault's classic historical novel, "The Persian Boy;"

Elsie Bovine Announces Guernsey Gala Dates for Green Bay Area

Guernsey Gala, which raised \$12,000 for ARCW last year, will be staged for four weeks this year, July 3-31, according to Elsie Bovine. "There are two main reasons for providing the dates this far in advance," says Elsie, "the first is to allow all to begin drumming up interest, and, hopefully, select your candidate, and to dream up creative ideas for the 1999 campaign."

Each area bar picks one person to represent them. If you are interested in being a contestant, please contact a Green Bay area bar and let them know.

Madison Outreach Moves!

Madison Outreach will move to new offices at 600 Williamson St. (Gateway Mall) on April 1; the new site will provide twice as much space as the current facility. A grand opening of the new offices will be held in May; Outreach will be closed the week of March 29 for the move.

Director Tomlinson Resigns

Director DeEtte Tomlinson is resigning after a three-year hitch to "start exploring some personal opportunities I've put on hold for the past several years."

A search committee is 'on the hunt' for her successor. Resumes are due April 1, and should be sent to Search Committee, PO Box 1786, Madison, WI 53701.

Outreach provides many services to Madison's LGBT communities, including peer counseling, support groups, a free lending library, a speakers bureau and meeting space for LGBT groups.

FMI (608) 255-8582.

ARCW's "Cricket" Says Thanks to ROW!

ARCW prevention specialist Paul Jacob ("Cricket" to most of us) continues to applaud Rainbow Over Wisconsin for its support in providing condoms for distribution in bars in northeastern Wisconsin.


In a recent letter to ROW, Jacob writes: "I take this opportunity to thank Rainbow Over Wisconsin for your generous donation, which will allow us to continue providing condoms for the bars in our region. We recognize ROW and the gay community as allies in our continuing fight with the deadly virus. Up until the 1990s,



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hold a granddaddy contest and a charity auction. There will also be a 1 - 5 PM beer bust benefiting WI Drummer/ Drummer Boy.

The Wisconsin Mr. Drummer/Drummerboy contest will be held on Saturday, May 8, 1999 at the Milwaukee Eagle starting at 9 PM.

Watch for flyers and applications in your favorite bars for more information regarding the contests and fundraisers.

Bob/Castaways

Brew City Bears/ SE WI <http://www.brewcitybears.org/>

March Madness Bar Night and After Hours Party (Last one for a while) March 27 at the Boot Camp Saloon

Club meetings are held on the Second Sunday of each month at 4:00 PM at the Boot Camp Saloon. Our usual raffle and any special Theme or Fund Raiser information will be posted on our net site and in the Quest.

Oberons of WI <http://www.geocities.com/WestHollywood/3445>

Saturday, April 10, 1999 Oberons Club Night @ Milwaukee Eagle. 10pm-1am. \$5 Beer Bust and Raffles.

Saturday, May 8, 1999 Oberons Club Night (site TBA). 10pm-1am. \$5 Beer Bust and Raffles.

Saturday, June 12, 1999 Oberons Club Night (site TBA). 10pm-1am. \$5 Beer Bust and Raffles.

Friday-Sunday, June 18-20, 1999

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3rd — Twin Citie Bondage Assoc., Party, RSVP: FMI 612 869-7410.

10th—Leather/ Levi Night. Site TBA.

20th—Making Porn Party FMI 612 374-3201

24th—Road Trip to Cell Block Bar Chicago.

23rd-24th Drummer and Drummerboy Contest. FMI 612 522-4771. Site TBA. This is a date change from what was previously announced by the producer, Mr. Priestersbach.

26- 28 Fantasy Weekend FMI 612 427-3394

The schedule of events for the Castaways MC and The Atons is quite extensive with schedules thru the year's end in one case. It is beyond my word limit. I thank you for the information and promise to use it closer to the actual event(s).

Recap of happenings

1st Sat., Unicorns Club night @ Barracks/Madison

1st Sun., Castaways afternoon beer bust, site TBA

2nd Sat., Oberons Club night @ site TBA

3rd Fri., The Chippewa Valley Bears @ Wolfe's Den/ Eau Claire.

4th Fri., Rodeo Riders Club night @ Touche'/Chicago

4th Sat., Brew City Bear Club night @ Boot Camp

Last Sat, Leather Night @ Main Club, Superior

Mar 20 Mid American Leatherman/Woman Contest, @ Cellblock, Chicago

Mar 21 Castaways Sunday beer bust 2-6 PM @1100 Club/Milwaukee.

Mar 27 Brew City Bears, Bar Night & After Hours @ Boot Camp Saloon

Mar 26 - 28 Mr. Minnesota Fantasy Weekend/Minneapolis

Apr 10 Oberons Club Night @ Eagle/Milwaukee.

Apr. 16 - 17 Minnesota Drummer Contest, Minneapolis

Apr. 23 -25. Daddy and Daddy's Boy Contest, Milwaukee

May 7 - 9 Drummer and Drummer Boy Contest, Milwaukee

June 18 - 20 Oberons Anniversary Run, Milwaukee

Aug 6-8 Wis PrideFest/ Milwaukee

Aug 20 -22 Argoanuts of Wis. and Castaways MC joint run.

What To Wear In A Leather Bar A Beginners Guide. Part One

Back when, leather bars were for Leathermen - - and leather men had a rigid dress code. Black engineer boots or at least black shoes, black leather jacket with blue/black jeans (Levi, Lee or Wranglers) was the long and

the short of it. Your T shirt was black if you were a swinger or looking for a bottom, white if top hunting. If you had a vest, it was leather and black. You accessorized with boot and/or epaulet chains again, left for top, right for bottom. If you belonged to a club or group, your pins and/or patches were prominently displayed on the vest.

If you didn't have "The uniform", you were pegged as a newcomer or an outsider. Depending on your size and/or bearing, it could get testy.

Much has changed since then. As your travel, count on the above to get you in any place. It would be good to stick to the above until you become familiar with the place.

However State Side, that which is *generally* referred to as a Leather Bar, for the most part, now includes uniform, rubber, western, construction and other butch type dress. That is until you get to the back bars of places like the Milwaukee Eagle and the Cell Block, where leather, uniform or rubber are about it. Some are like the Back Street in London, where you had better have leather on the upper part of your body. It may be a leather bow tie with dress slacks, but you had better have it.

I know, for I was damn near booted out of there. I had Leather Chaps, 18 in. engineers on the outside and a sleeveless, liningless biker jacket on. It was so friggen hot and stuffy, I slipped out of the jacket and in a flash a burly surley bouncer was on me saying "Maybe you can get away with that in America, but you can't do it here".

That wasn't quite true, for at the Cell Block, again in boots and chaps, I was asked to cover my T shirt with a vest or jacket.

Germany has similar rules. - - Sometimes leather doesn't mean butch, just rules.

Another major NO - NO in many places (Europe especially) are "Trainers," State Side known as sneakers, tennies, gym shoes, etc. Low quarters are for the most part OK.

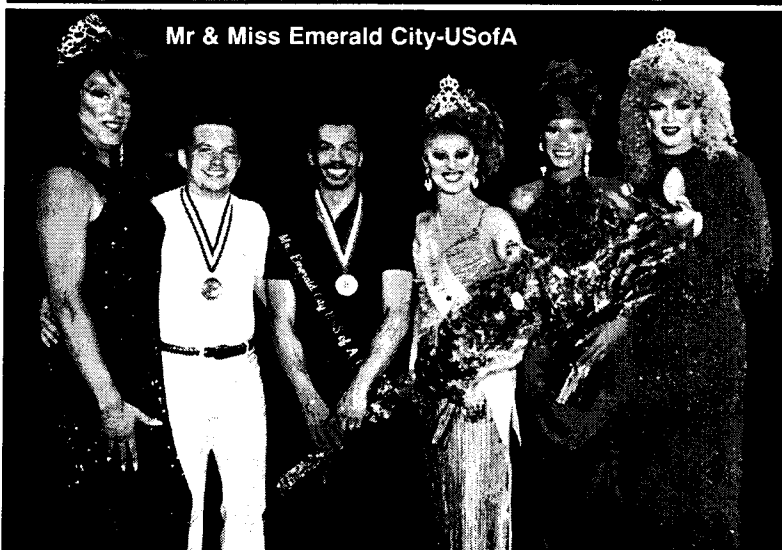
It makes for interesting (sometimes absurd) dress combinations, when non-leather persons scrounge enough to meet the minimums. BUT rules are rules and masculinity is not the issue.

Sneakers - - white, and especially with day glow stripes, will nine out of ten times get your foot stepped on, maybe a bit jostled and there could be some perty nasty words of ridicule from those who are there to meet persons who want to keep their space pure.

You might as well consider the following unacceptable in the "leather Bar:" dress shirts or pants, polo shirts, sandals or white tennis shoes, disco/dance wear, suits, ties or tuxedos. Above all, do not wear perfume, even after shave is a no-no. Believe me, this can get you some ugly comments and jostling.

Continued next time and in the meantime....

Love in leather, Papa Joe



DIVERSION of the DAY

Wednesday, March 17
St. Patrick's Day

Ballgame (Milw) St. Patrick's Day 26th Anniversary Party! Food, fun, door prizes, 7 pm buffet, David on piano, 4-11 pm Barracks (Madison) Green beer, drink specials, serving Irish stew, corned beef & cabbage 5-10 pm Brandy's II (Green Bay) St. Patrick's Day Special - \$1 shots of Knob Creek all day & nite Cell Block (chicago) Big St. Patty's Day party - \$2 bottles of Killian's Irish Red & Bushmills' Irish Whisky along w/ other Irish *treats*! Prize chest loaded w/ special gifts as well! Napalese (Green Bay) St. Pat's Day Party - serving corned beef and cabbage at 5 pm; free drink for anyone wearing green; \$5 beer bust 4-9 pm Woody's (Milw) \$1.50 St. Patrick's Day shots *IF* you're wearing green Za's (Green Bay) Beer, shot & drink specials for St. Patrick's Day! Come party with us!

Thursday, March 18 Barracks (Madison) Isthmus gay & lesbian personals party; free hors d'oeuvres & drink specials Club 219 (Milw) Nova's Academy Awards Party! Park West Theatre (322 W. Armitage, Chicago) The Fabulous Lypsinka Show, created & performed by John Epperson

Friday, March 19 BESTD HIV testing (Milw) Ball Game, 6-9 pm Woman's Club Theatre (407 15th St., Minneapolis), The Fabulous Lypsinka Show, created & performed by John Epperson

Cell Block (Chicago) Fetish nite - water sports SAGE/Milw - Film showing of *Beautiful Thing* ("one of the best of 1996"), a warm & funny gay love story, 6:30 pm, LGBT Community Center; SAGE Men's Discussion Group meets 6:30, too, LGBT Center Ten Percent Society (Madison) Spring Dance for lesbians, gay men, bisexuals, transgendered & friends, 8-12:45am, Great Hall, Memorial Union, \$3, DJ, cash bar (open to UW-Madison students & employees)

Saturday, March 20 Brandy's II (Green Bay) Customer Appreciation Day, sponsored by Jim Leiberg - Free rail drinks 4-7 pm, free tap beer 8-mid...FREE Food! Club Xpress (Escanaba) Equinox - The Black Party! (the party everyone waits for); doors open 8:00. Dress: heavy. \$5 cover for all non-cardholders. Music by Wm. A. Popps Leatherman & Leatherwoman Contest tonite! (winners go on to nationals in April in D.C.) M&M (Milw.) Singationals perform tonite Napalese (Green Bay) 50/60s show, 10:30 pm. No cover

Sunday, March 21 Angels of Hope MCC (Green Bay) Monthly dinner after services; main dish will be provided - you bring veggies, salad or dessert La Cage (Milw) Champagne reception to honor accomplishments of La Cage's new titleholders; doors open 10, show starts 11:20 M&M (Milw) Joey Cross performs tonite Skyline Comedy Cafe

(Appleton) John McGivern comedy, 7 pm. Tickets/info (920) 734-JOKE (5653)

Monday, March 22 Club 219 (Milw.) Spring Party (by invitation only)

Wednesday, March 24 BESTD Milw. HIV testing, at Fluid, 9-mid.

Thursday, March 25 AIDS legislative rally (Madison) - *Saving Lives, Responding to AIDS: AIDS Advocates at the Capitol*, no charge to participate...Welcome!

Friday, March 26 Cell Block (Chicago) Fetish nite - uniforms Fannies (Milw) A Blast from the Past, 70s-80s-90s music; 25¢ taps 7-9m, 50¢ taps 9-11, \$1.50 rail & domestic Milw. Repertory Theatre presents "The Marvelous Wonderettes" thru May 9. Tickets/info: (414) 224-9490 Office (Rockford) Sexy underwear contest; \$100 cash prize & dinner for 2; DJ Chris' hot Euromixes in our dance hall Za's (Green Bay) T.C. Hammond - Mr. Wausau USofA - presents a show, 10:30 pm

Saturday, March 27 Brandy's II (Green Bay) Leather Nite, 9 pm; 50\$ off for those in leather. Door prizes! Madison Gay Video Club, 8 pm - "The Toilers & the Wayfarers"; "French Connections #1 - Temptation" & "French Connection #2 -

Conquest". FMI (608) 244-8675 Office (Rockford) The Big Party - dancers, hors d'oeuvres, giveaways, door prizes, etc.

Sunday, March 28 La Cage (Milw) Sasha Mitchell's Birthday Show, a benefit to help Sasha attend the Miss Gay USofA national competition Office (Rockford) Recuperation Party - \$1 bloody marys / \$2 peppar marys; DJ Chris in dance hall at 8

The Klostet (232 Shirland Av., Beloit - 608/363-8764) Miss Gay Borderline Pageant (a Miss Gay Wisconsin USofA preliminary) featuring Kello Jo Klein, Miss Gay Wis. USofA, w/ perf. by Mr. Gay Wisconsin Miss Gay Rockford & others

Monday, March 29 Cell Block's Trump Casino Boat party in Indiana; bus departs 6 pm, returns midnite. \$25 per person; deli meal on bus & \$17 in casino coin included - tickets available now

Wednesday, March 31 AfterWords (Milw) Lesbian Reading Group, 7 pm, discussion of Rita Mae Brown's "Rita Will"; welcome!

Thursday, April 1 BESTD Milw. HIV testing, LaCage, 10pm-1am Fannies (Milw) Ronnie Nyles performs, 7 pm

Friday, April 2 Cell Block (Chicago) Fetish nite - glory holes

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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.	
Annex Cafe (Formerly Walker's Point Cafe) 1106 S 1st, Milwaukee (414)384-7999	Cafe		Men & Women		Formerly Walker's Point Cafe, very popular with underage persons. Fav. hangout after hours! Back dining room.	
Ballgame 196 S 2nd Milwaukee (414)273-7474	Lounge	Open 2pm Sat/Sun 11am	Mostly men	Jukebox, Darts Pool, Games	Time honored local hangout.	
The Barracks 5 Applegate Court Madison, (608)277-8700	Leather/Levi Men's Bar	Mon-Sat 4pm Sun 3pm	Men		Madison's ONLY Leather / Levi Bar! (Located inside Club 5 Complex.	
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 bar" that is frequented mostly by women. DJ dancing on Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat. & Sun.	
Bev's Jook Joint 820 Tower Ave Superior, WI (715)392-5373	Dancebar	M-Sa 1pm Su 11:30	Men & Women	Jukebox, pool darts, board games	Formerly Trio, newly remodeled, music motif, very clean safe atmosphere with large dance floor. Gay owned/operated Sunday football parties with food.	
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 I43. 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	Bar	Open 1 pm 11am Sat 10am Sun	Men & Women some leather -	Jukebox, Darts, Games, Pool	New owner and management, same friendly atmosphere. Strong Drinks, Pizza & snacks.	
Buddies 1264 Main Street, Green Bay (920) 437-9256	Bar	Open 1pm to Close	Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool, Darts, Games	Friendly "Tittletown" atmosphere. Daily drink specials and happy hour.	
Cafe Bourbon 1106 Main Street Green Bay, WI (920)435-5476	Restaurant	Open 5 pm Wed-Sat 11am Sun	Men & Women		Located on the second floor of Za's. Full dinner menu 5-10pm Wed - Sun with a Sunday Brunch 11am - 3 pm. Late night snacks and sandwiches served 10 - close Fri, Sat & Sun.	
C'est La Vie 231 S 2nd Milwaukee (414)291-9600	Showbar/Cruisebar	Open 4pm	Men	Darts & videogames	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 5 Bar & Restaurant - Madison 5 Applegate Court, (608)277-9700	Bar & Restaurant	Lunch & Dinner	Men & Women		Featuring a full service restaurant that serves lunch, dinner and Fri/Sat after hours.	
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 & Capers Dance Bar 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 restaurant 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.	
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 5:30 pm daily	Women	Jukebox, Pool Gameroom	Mostly a women's bar, but males also welcome. Popular dance club.	

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Emeralds Lounge 801 E Hadley St., Milw. (414) 265-7325	Lounge	Open 4pm Sun-2pm	Men & Women	Pool, Darts Jukebox	Saturday Night Jams with DJ Sandra Silk. A new night spot/party house for women. Cool atmosphere, hip music and beautiful bartenders.	
Fannies 200 E. Washington St. Milwaukee (414)649-9003	Women's Bar	Open 8pm Closed Tues	Women & Men	Jukebox, Darts & games	Karaoke weekdays, DJ Weekends, occasional live shows	
Fluid (The Wet Spot) 819 South 2nd Milwaukee (414) 645-8330	Cocktail Bar	5pm Daily	Men & Women	Jukebox & Video games	A unique cocktail lounge in Walkers Point. Beautiful decor, a delicious martini menu and a friendly atmosphere make this new bar a must see.	
In Between 625 S. Second Milw. (414)273-2693	Bar	Open 4 pm	Men	Darts, Pool Video games	Neighborhood bar located midpoint between La Cage and Club 219. Friendly!	
Glass Menagerie 124 N. Water, Milwaukee (414)347-1962	Restaurant	Open 11 am	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	8pm Mon&Tue, 5pm Wed-Sat 11am Sunday	Men & Women	Darts, Games Pool table	Second floor lounge in 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	Jukebox, Darts, games, 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 3pm Sat/Sun 1pm	Men & Women	Darts, Pool, videogames, football	Live DJ weekends, Karaoke every Thursday. Large dancefloor. Periodic drag shows & strippers. Kitchen open all night. Gay owned/operated. fun, friendly, clean atmosphere. ATM machine located inside! New Patio just opened.	
Kathy's Nut Hut 1500 W Scott, Milwaukee (414)647-2673	Bar	Open 2pm	Men & Women	Jukebox, Pool, Darts		
The Kioset 232 Shirland Ave Beloit, WI (608)363-8764	Bar		Men & Women		DJ Wed, Fri & Sat. NO COVER!	
Kirby's Klub 121 W Main Madison (608)251-1030	Dancebar	4 pm daily	Men & Women	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.	
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/Levi Dance	8 pm daily	Men	Pool & Darts	In the Sydney Hi Building. DJ Eddie plays dance music Wednesday thru Sunday. Back bar "The Shaft" is open Fri & Sat with a Leather/Latex/Uniform dress code enforced.	
M&M Club 124 N Water, Milw. (414)347-1962	Lounge	Open 11am	Men & Women	Fireplace, Piano	Great happy hour bar. Always something going on. Piano lounge singers. Singasational regularly performs for an enthusiastic crowd.	
Napalese 515 S Broadway, Green Bay (920)432-9646	Lounge	Open 1 pm	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	Open 3 pm	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	
Planet O 5 Applegate Court Madison, (608)277-9700	Video Dance Bar	10 pm every day	Men & Women	Pool Darts	DJ & Dancing every night. Live entertainment on Sundays	

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Platwood Club 1730 Highway 10W, Stevens Point (715)341-8862	Dancebar	Thur,Fri,Sat 9pm	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox	3 Miles West of Stevens Point	
Players 216 Main, La Crosse (608)782-9179	Bar	Sun-Thurs 2 Fri/Sat 4pm	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox	DJ Friday and Saturday 10-Close. Piano player Wednesday 8-8pm Live Jazz & Standards Sunday 8-9pm Sit ins welcome.	
Rascals Bar & Grill 702 E. Wis., Appleton (920)954-9262	Bar / Grill	Mon-Sat 5pm Noon Sun	Men & Women	Darts, Jukebox pool	Comfortable & relaxing serving Food early eve. Busy later featuring mostly men all ages. Background music with Jukebox available	
Rays Bar & Grill 3052 E. Washington Madison (608)241-9335In	Dancebar	M-F 5pm Sat/Sun 3pm	Men & Women	Pool, Jukebox, Darts	Madison's biggest dance floor. Volleyball court & patio bar. DJ's Fri & Sat. Sandwiches, hamburgers omelets & more served.	
Sass 840 S. Broadway, Green Bar (920)437-7277	Dancebar	Closed Mon Tue-Thur 6pm Fri-Sun 5pm	Women & Men		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	Jukebox, Darts, pool, pinball		
Scooters 411 Galloway Street, Eau Claire (715)835-9959	Dancebar	Mon-Sat 6pm Sun 3pm	Men & Women	Various Games Jukebox	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	Bar	Open 3pm	Mostly Men	Jukebox	Popular neighborhood bar. Some leather.	
This Is It 418 E Wells, Milwaukee (414)278-9192	Lounge	Open 3pm	Mostly Men	Pool, Darts	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	Video bar	Open 5pm	Mostly Men	Jukebox, darts, pool	Video monitors play showtunes, comedy and music video. Patio open summers.	
What About Me? 600 6th St. Racine (414)632-0171	Bar	Closed Mon Tue& Fri 3pm 6pm other days	Men & Women	Jukebox, darts, pool		
Wolfe's Den 302 E. Madison Eau Claire (715)832-9237	Bar	Open 6pm	Men & Women	Jukebox Pool, Darts, video	Drag shows & male dancers occasionally	
Woody's 1579 S. 2nd, Milwaukee (414) 672-0806	Bar	Open 4pm	Mostly Men	Pool, darts games	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		N.E.WIS Premier Dance Video Bar. Drag shows & pageants & strippers occasionally. Hot Fri.-Sun. Mixed (some straight) Young & good looking! Sunday we feature the only Gay Dry Danceclub for 18 & Up - Alcohol upstairs. (Extremely Hot & cute crowd)	

Bars and clubs come and go... If you see something that's not right in our listings, please let us know! Call us toll-free 1-800-578-3785 or 1-920-433-0611