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ON OUR COVER THIS ISSUE:

CAL MUELLER

Q: What are your modeling experiences?

A: I have done a handful of group shoots which are a great start for anyone wanting to get into modeling. It allows you to just have fun and watch other models and photographers work making it easier as a beginner.

Q: What inspired you to be a model?

A: I have always been one to try new things in life and when I was introduced to modeling I thought I was inspired to try it because I did not know if I could do it. I must say it has not been easy but with all the positive people you meet it makes you keep pushing to impress yourself every shoot you are a part of.

Q: Who are your role models?

A: My role models are first and foremost my parents. They have always shown me that nothing is given and you have to work hard for what you want. Within the modeling industry my role models are Seth Naves, Erin Pribyl, Bill Gellerman, and Alan Charles. I have had the honor of working with these amazing models and photographers and I am just amazed at what they have accomplished and what they have done to help me. I wouldn't be as experienced as I am now if it wasn't for them. I also want to say that it was an honor to be asked by Daniel Sutrick to be featured as a model this is something I will never forget and I must say I had a blast shooting this issue!

Q: Tell us a little about your background?

A: I am a only child that came from a small town. Before I graduated high school in 2005 I enlisted in the Marines where I served two tours in Iraq. I got out in 2009 and currently am a student athlete at UW Oshkosh in my junior year. I also have two pet snakes and a cat.

Q: What are your interests and hobbies?

A: I am a outdoors kinda guy, I enjoy going hiking, swimming, fishing, wakeboarding, snowboarding, biking, and golfing. I do triathlons and I have competed in the Tough Mudder here in Wisconsin.

Q: How could photographers and models contact you to work with you?

A: They can look me up on model mayhem: #1649203
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TRAVELING GAY

By Paul Masterson

In 1964 Bob Damron published a booklet of gay bars he had visited. The 4x3" paperback "Address Book" contained around 750 addresses nationwide. Six years later, *Spartacus International Gay Guide* listed gay venues worldwide. In those days, a "gay" vacation usually meant a trip to San Francisco's Castro district or New York City's Greenwich Village. The idea was to simply be among unencumbered LGBT people and enjoy the vibe of an environment without fear of discrimination. But, those once whispered destination tips among a clandestine inner-circle of gay and lesbian travelers have now turned into a billion dollar industry.

Propelled by those intrepid pioneers of liberation, inspired by disposable income and made universally accessible through the internet, LGBT travel has changed dramatically since the days of Damron's first book. Today gay travel expands well beyond the bars, baths and clubs. Vacation activities include LGBT festivals, sports, family friendly events, camps, cruises and tours. Most major cities throughout the world have LGBT specific tourist offices. Of course, both Damron and Spartacus still exist today. Damron alone lists over 12000 addresses and both have their own websites. But they now vie for their market share with thousands of other resources. Google "gay travel" and 430,000,000 websites appear in milliseconds.

With so much to wade through, the once simple task of planning a gay holiday can be a daunting undertaking. To make things easier, one of the most reliable websites for LGBT travel can be found at <http://www.outtraveler.com>. It has to be one of the most comprehensive around with plenty of information on all aspects of LGBT travel. There are city guides, travel package offers, and articles on specific travel trends. Among its many features are "Top" lists, like the top 20 gayest US cities destinations. That list begins with New York City, followed by San Francisco and most of the typical cities one would expect. Surprisingly, Las Vegas takes the #3 spot and Philadelphia made the list as #12.

The International Gay & Lesbian Travel Journalists Association is another valuable site, <http://igltja.org/>. Blogs by various travel experts are veritable fonts of information for experienced and inexperienced travelers alike.

For the frugal

For those on a budget and a sense of adventure, there's lots of ways of getting the best bang for the buck. While the top destinations like Los Angeles, Boston or Palm Beach could easily bust an average budget, outtraveler.com also offers a list of Top 5 Value Destinations. Phoenix comes in as #1. For LGBT snowbirds, the city offers the usual gay array of things to do. Its main attraction is the weather. Despite its lazy start, winter has arrived in Wisconsin, for those unenthused about the snow and cold and escape to Phoenix is in order.

Ranking #4 is Milwaukee! For locals, the idea of a gay-staycation has its appeal especially in a town with so much to offer. LGBT travelers can find incredible deals from reasonably priced hotel stays and restaurants to world-class entertainment. Locals and visitors can enjoy the benefits of a diverse and developed network of LGBT targeted amenities. Milwaukee's PrideFest is recognized as the nation's best entertainment Pride event. Beyond major main stage headliner acts and the pulsating dance pavilion, it presents some of the most diverse Pride events of any in the country. It features family friendly activities, arts, an ever-expanding market place, classic festival food, specialized events from leather to lesbian and a Health & Wellness area.

For those who want to get away from it all, Milwaukee's geographically central location makes plane fares and travel times relatively universal for trips within the continental USA. New York, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Dallas, New Orleans, Fort Lauderdale or Palm Beach can be reached in about the same amount of flight time for roughly \$300-350 or less.

LGHEI

Hotel stays are often one of the costliest aspects of travel. For those on a tight budget, there's the Lesbian and Gay Hospitality Exchange International, aka LGHEI (pronounced El-gay). It offers a chance for LGBT travelers to get free lodging with other LGBT people around the world. For a reasonable registration fee, members have access to a directory of hundreds of prospective hosts. Contact is made between members. If the potential host is able to accommodate the traveler(s), arrangements are made for a limited stay of up to two nights. This rule protects both parties from incompatible situations or expectations. Longer stays may be offered at the

discretion of the host.

The advantage beyond the free housing is the chance to meet the ultimate insiders, namely local LGBT people. They are usually happy to provide advice and tips for making the most of a visit to an unfamiliar city.

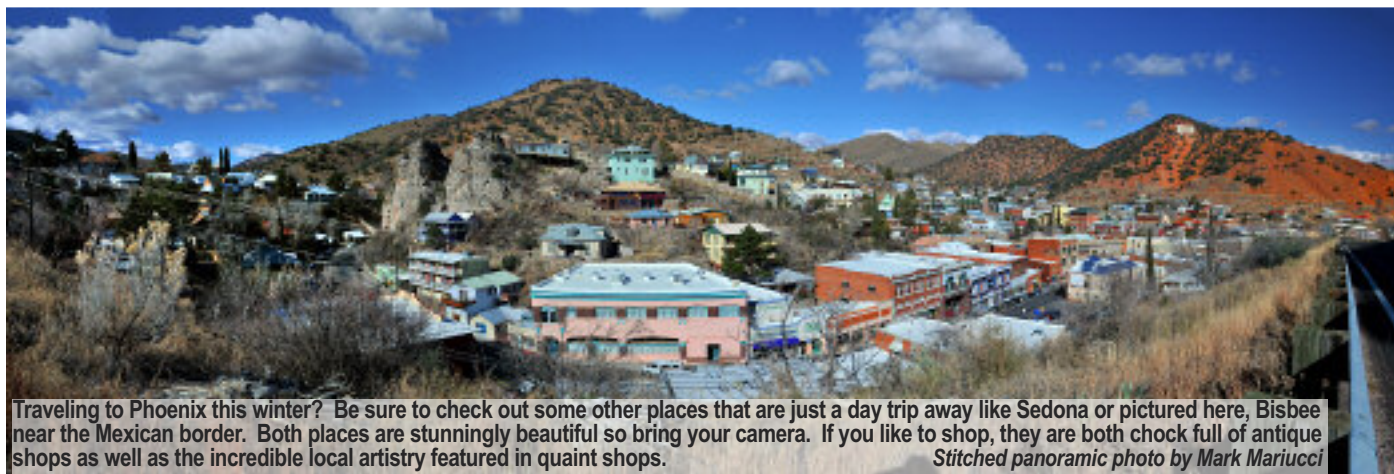
International Travel

There are so many gay places to go worldwide but Australia is among the gayest and most welcoming. For the long distance traveler, going down-Under is a must. For one thing, the seasons are reversed in the southern hemisphere so it's a perfect winter escape. Sydney's Oxford Street remains one of the gayest thoroughfares in the world. Aside from the local charm of men calling each other "mate" and a vibrant bar and pub scene, Mardi Gras, surf festivals and other Pride events, coupled with the exquisite vistas on Bondi Beach and Tamarama Bay, where the Speedo reigns supreme, make Sydney a prime destination. Plan to stay for weeks! Visit <http://galta.com.au/> for all the pertinent details.

Another foreign favorite is Mexico. Closer to home, its allure is difficult to resist. Airfares are reasonable and rates for hotel rooms or condo rentals, especially when traveling with a small group can be extremely cheap. Cancun and Porta Vallarta are familiar tourist centers but beyond those bastions of beaches and boys are the many ancient archeological sites and other historic points of interest. Again, information can be obtained through <http://gps.outtraveler.com/mexico/>

Caution is still advised

Despite the amazing strides made, some parts of the world remain homophobic and dangerous for gay travel. It might not be advisable to travel to Uganda. But, if an African vacation is on the agenda, South Africa, one of the world's first countries to legalize gay marriage, offers an incredible range of exotic safari and other vacation possibilities. Besides, Cape Town has beaches, history and a very activist LGBT scene. Certain Middle Eastern countries, like Iran, Saudi Arabia and Yemen, still have the death penalty for homosexuals. But Israel even touts gay friendly kibbutz stays. Others countries are just in enough political turmoil to make vacationing there ill-advised. Again, internet resources like <http://www.gayholidays.com/gay-travel—advice.html> give full listings of countries to avoid.



Traveling to Phoenix this winter? Be sure to check out some other places that are just a day trip away like Sedona or pictured here, Bisbee near the Mexican border. Both places are stunningly beautiful so bring your camera. If you like to shop, they are both chock full of antique shops as well as the incredible local artistry featured in quaint shops.

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Today's Ireland still has a lot of the fairy tale about it, from quaint cottages to twisty curvy roads, breathtaking landscapes, even living stories of leprechauns. Sit in a pub in Ireland long enough and most folk will tell you a modern tale about meeting a leprechaun or two. But if you go to Ireland, you will see much more than just fairy tales. Enough to please even our modern palates. Europe, especially in Ireland, is going thru an economic meltdown very similar to here in the states. But Ireland's misfortune is the traveler's gain, which means it is more affordable for an American to travel throughout Europe than they have been able to for years. And this is especially true in Ireland.

My recent visit to Ireland started with a two day stay in Dublin. Talk about a magical town! Everywhere you look ancient history and modern convenience compete for your attention, each built upon the other. A 1000 year old castle will host a modern clothier. Pubs snuggle up next to night clubs. 1000 year old churches are open for you to crawl in every nook and cranny, right along with modern museums showing a world of modern art, and ancient history.

While in Dublin we took the opportunity to see the ancient Book of Kells, St. Patrick's Cathedral, State offices, Guinness Brewery and crawled though Dublin's famous bar district the Temple Bar. We even found all the gay bars! Dublin boasts four large gay clubs, The George, The Dragon, Panties Bar and The Front Lounge. The George draws a 30 something crowd is most similar to bars like Chicago's Roscoe's or XS in Green Bay. With two floors and 3 bars it features drag shows, hot international bartenders, and hot club dancing. The Dragon draws a younger crowd and has the more modern feel of Chicago's Side Tracks or even something of La Cage. It features gogo dancers and hot techno/disco beats. The Front Lounge is an ultra modern urban



Ireland...

The very name of the place brings up everything from dreams of good beer to the very stuff of fairy tales.

bar featuring low lighting, red neon accents, martinis and a suave urban clientele. And Panties Bar is the lovely dirty little bar. It features two floors with mixed crowd, weekly drag shows and sports on the TV's. I found it reminded me a little of Milwaukee's Woody's or Green Bay's Shelter Club. But truly Dublin's gay community enjoys a much higher degree of integration then you find in the Midwest, most Dubliner's just don't seem to care what you take home. And many bars throughout the city, including the Temple Bar area, host gay nights throughout the week. As a point of note Galway on Ireland's western shore also hosts a couple of gay bars. We didn't get to see them, but a traveler can easily seek them out as well!

Around Dublin there are a host of tourist worthy sites as well. Just an hour's drive north of Dublin is the world famous site of Newgrange and its lesser known cousins of Knowth and Dowth. All three sites were built over 5000 years ago, and are the oldest known buildings made by man. Newgrange is only site that is open to the public, and if you want to

get a peek inside this very ancient spiritual center, you must get to its visitor center early to get tickets, as you can only buy them there in person. Newgrange is an ancient passage tomb whose central chamber is oriented to the rising sun of the Winter Solstice. Every year the park hosts a lottery to select 30 lucky people to be in the tomb over the three days that the sun light enters the tomb and lights up its deepest recesses...quite a moment I am sure.

The remainder of our time in Ireland we spent in County Clare in the middle of the western shore. There the landscape truly is a fairy tale. The landscape is dotted everywhere with ruins of old English Castles, Neolithic tombs, ancient stone hedges and old church ruins. Ireland's history goes back thousands of years, and bits and pieces of it lay everywhere. Photo perfect churchyards with a sea of High Cross are a photographer's dream and are a prominent feature of landscape of County Clare. The landscapes are breathtaking, especially along the coasts where one can find the

world famous Cliffs of Mohr, and they are everything they say they are...just don't stand to close the edge, as many a fool has, and paid the price.

If you are in the mood for scenic drives you must do either the 'Ring of Kerry', a circular day long drive around the peninsula of County Kerry in Ireland's SW corner, or a shorter but more dramatic drive around County Limerick's Dingle peninsula and its dramatic central mountain range and awe inspiring coast. County Clare's Burren district is another must see. The area is limestone that has eroded into an unbelievable landscape that has been occupied by humans for at least 5000 years and hosts the remains of ancient Neolithic stone forts and tombs alongside the ancient ruins of castles and old Catholic monasteries. County Cork on Ireland southern shore is another must see. Here is the highest concentration of ancient stone circles and other old culture remnants, it's also home to Ireland's famous Blarney Castle and its famous kissing stone.

Quest photographer and article author Will Sharkey (R) and his partner Jake (below) celebrated 10 years together in Ireland this past January!

More pictures are available online at www.quest-online.com



There is so much more to see and do in Ireland. What I have written about here is only a fraction of what Ireland has to offer the adventure-minded traveler. The hills of southern Ireland I hear are breathtaking, as are the mountains of Donegal in the north. And Northern Ireland and its capitol Belfast hold a host of must sees as well. So go and get your tickets, or call Peter Milwaukee's County Clare Inn & Pub tour planner to arrange a trip today... you won't regret it!

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ACCIDENTAL GENIUS: ART FROM THE ANTHONY PETULLO COLLECTION OPENS AT MAM FEB 10TH

By Paul Masterson

Following its incredibly successful *Impressionism – Masterworks on Paper*, the Milwaukee Art Museum opens a new major exhibition on February 10, 2012. *Accidental Genius: Art from the Anthony Petullo Collection* features more than two hundred works by modern self-taught artists. The exhibition includes many of the genre's most important European and American artists. It celebrates Milwaukee collector Anthony Petullo's significant gift of over 300 works to the Museum. According to Museum Director Daniel Keegan, *Accidental Genius* represents one of the most extensive groupings of modern self-taught art in any American museum.

"The gift of the Petullo Collection establishes the Milwaukee Art Museum as a leading American institution for the work of untrained creators, and comes at a crucial turning point in the history of the genre," said Keegan.

"My collection reflects the driving passion of both the creators, and the collector," said Anthony Petullo. "When I began collecting I had no idea the impact that my collection would have on the self-taught art world. I am grateful that I have had the fortune to share these incredible objects with so many, and I am honored that they will continue to be enjoyed at the Milwaukee Art Museum."

Previously defined as "outsider art," "art brut," or "naïve art," the works in the Petullo Collection, more often than not, were made by artists whose personal stories and motivations are as compelling as the art itself.

"*Accidental Genius* showcases an exceptional collection of eclectic modern self-taught art from creators driven by impulse, vision, and necessity, without regard for acclaim, popularity, or profit," said Margaret Andera, adjunct curator. "The exhibition

features drawings, paintings, and objects by leading artists, including Henry Darger, Martín Ramírez, Bill Traylor, Adolf Wölfl, Anna Zemankova, and Carlo Zinelli, among others."

Recognized as America's greatest outsider artist, Chicago native Henry Darger (1892-1973) is of particular interest to the gay viewer. While his sexual orientation remains a mystery, his extreme outsider-ism beyond his art makes him a perfect candidate for LGBT appeal. According to his biographer, John MacGregor, Darger, he was incarcerated in a home for feeble-minded children for obsessive masturbation. His isolation from the real world may have been due to various psychological issues including tourettes and aspergers syndromes. Obsessed by Catholicism and haunted by his own troubled past he remained distant from the world around him and had but one friend.

In his seclusion, he wrote *In the Realms of the Unreal* a mythic work of epic proportions. He illustrated the 15,000+ page novel with 300 watercolor paintings rendered on both sides of scroll-like 2x12' sheets. The subject matter is a fictional account of a great war pitting little girls, the Vivians, against an evil army that has enslaved them. The sexually ambiguous characters (often the figures are depicted naked with male genitalia) are taken from period advertisements like the Coppertone and Morton Salt girls. From these, Darger created templates for the thousands of drawings that comprise his output. His efforts went unnoticed until after his death when his landlord discovered the monumental work in his apartment.

Accidental Genius: Art from the Anthony Petullo Collection runs through May 6th. See www.mam.org for exhibition details.

THE PROMISE OF MARRIAGE EQUALITY UUCW Playhouse presents choral theatre premiere, "The Size of the Dream"

Milwaukee – A constitutional amendment to ban same-sex marriage is coming up for a vote on the state ballot. As campaigns for and against the amendment rage on, seven citizens tour the state to raise their voices in support of marriage equality.

It could be a story about the 2008 battle in California surrounding Proposition 8, but in this case, the voices will be raised in song and story in "The Size of the Dream: Celebrating the Promise of Marriage Equality" to be presented by UUCW Playhouse, Friday - Sunday, February 10-12, 2012 at Unitarian Universalist Church West in Brookfield.

In this choral theatre premiere, a compassionate community organizer leads the group across the state to tell their poignant and personal stories in order to win the hearts and votes of those who will be the hardest to convince. The stories will feature a prominent entertainer who joins the cause, a gay man who loses his lover, a lesbian couple with two children who struggle through the hassles of second-parent adoption, and an older lesbian facing the challenges of old age.

Written and directed by Kristen L. Weber, the show combines musical theatre and choral performance with images and video, and will include such musical selections as, "Our Children," from *Ragtime* by Lynn Ahrens & Stephen Flaherty, the Burt Bacharach classic "A House is Not a Home," Brandi Carlisle's "The Story," featured last year on *Grey's Anatomy*, and, "Proud," the theme song from NBC's *Biggest Loser*. The production is presented in partnership with Equality Wisconsin, a nonprofit social welfare organization dedicated to securing equal rights under the law for the state's gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender community.

Performances are Friday, Feb. 10 at 7:30 pm, Saturday, Feb. 11 at 4:30 & 7:30 pm, & Sunday, Feb. 12 at 3 & 6 pm at Unitarian Universalist Church West, located at 13001 West North Ave. in Brookfield. Handicap accessible. Tickets available online at <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/222222>



Henry Darger (American, 1892–1973) *Blengiglomeneans Displaying Their Wings (recto)*
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GAY WISCONSIN FACEBOOK GROUP TRIES TO ENERGIZE, UNITE WISCONSIN'S LGBT COMMUNITIES

by Mark Mariucci, Publisher

Tyler Baeten, Luke Ashauer James Sheets, Eric Meixl and Brad Lambie are putting the social network Facebook to good use with a project called Gay Wisconsin. A companion website is still in the works. The group was formed in reaction to the recent rise of teen suicides, but will evolve into much more than just help and support. The aim is to inform the community as well as unite it. All three men come from smaller communities in Wisconsin and like Quest's publisher, fully understand how those challenges are unique and just how painful it can be to be gay in rural or smaller towns.

"I envision and use Gay Wisconsin as a form of mass communication of important events that are important to our greater community. Other than that Gay Wisconsin serves as a social outlet for people in the more rural areas of the state who may feel isolated, disconnected, and targeted to remind them that they are not alone and there are others out there who can help them if needed," says Tyler Baeten in an emailed letter to Quest.

"One success story I had was using Gay Wisconsin along with other sources was to form a counter protest against the Westboro Baptist Church. For me it was like any other Friday (Feb 11 11) night I was working on some homework when I learned Fred Phelps and his hate group was going to protest the Laramie Project play at Neenah High school the next day. Within 24 hours I was able to spread the word and organize a group of slightly over 100 people to protest Fred Phelps and his group and support the play. We gathered Saturday (Feb 12 11) in support of the play and was able to raise money for local organizations that support LGBT causes, Fred Phelps and his group never showed up that night to meet us but we all had fun without the Phelps Family and had a good time raising money and awareness at the same time," continues Mr. Baeten

A link to the news article can be found here:

<http://www.fox11online.com/dpp/news/neenah-high-school-prepares-for-protesters>

Luke related to Quest, "Brad and I sat down and talked with each other and discussed a plan that would help to unite the LGBT community of Wisconsin. We wanted the group to help everyone; youth and adults alike, so that we could help stop the hurting. The goal we have is to unite all of the groups of Wisconsin and become mobile so that the networks can be as easy to access say 911. Taking each group and being able to get the message out faster and farther than before. Hopefully, someday, I want to unite each of the other state's groups to have a strong force, something that every person straight or gay can use if ever they need help. It would be an event so changing that the world would look anew. How-

ever the idea of united peoples is something we all can look forward to, so for right now I plan on sticking to Wisconsin.

The group itself is just that, a group of nearly 950 members who communicate and interact with each other. Each person inputs their opinions and ideas to help each other person out with any problems, concerns, ideas they may have. We, the administrators and I, go through the group and watch the members to make sure they do follow our simple rules. The rules are as follows, 1) No Hookups- we want the community to know that there is more to life than sex and one night stands. 2) No phone numbers- we want to protect the privacy of our members. That means any personal meets must be done on their own pages and not ours. 3) No Harassment- the group is a place of haven for all our members and we share it by keeping bullying very seriously. 4) Have fun and be you- it is as simple as that, Have fun and be yourself.

James Sheets: "The group is for LGBT youth/ community to talk about their problems and their thoughts and to find people that are more accepting to them. in a conservative state like Wisconsin, its hard to express yourself in public, but you are easily and safely able to find friends through this group. the staff of the group make it an every age friendly group, preventing any solicitive posts, and helping younger members if someone is harassing them through the internet or in real life. its an overall welcoming and safe group for everyone and I'm very happy/proud to be a part of such a respectable group."

Eric says the group is for better networking throughout the gay culture and for making lots of great friends.

That better networking goal is a primary purpose for magazines like *Our Lives*, *Wisconsin Gazette* and *Quest*. All of them also have websites and a facebook presence. What they may lack however is a core readership of the under 30 set. This is probably where Gay Wisconsin has it's greatest strenght. All of the administrators are very young.

"Being gay doesn't define you as a person, but in fact it's a very small part as to what a person is and of what their interests and talents are. In reality, we are all intertwined as family, friends, and people with similar and various interests. This website helps people that are gay, have a fun and fulfilling life, AND to connect with others with activities and similar interests that are shared without having to depend exclusively on the bar scene in order to find like-minded individuals," shared Brad Lambie after contacting me to write about the group.

(Editor's Note: Brad and I first met when I made arrangements to feature him on a cover for Quest.) The companion website can be found at:

http://s4.zetaboard.com/LGBT_Wisconsin/index/

PRIDEFEST MILWAUKEE PRESENTS "25 YEARS OF PRIDE" A MULTIMEDIA PHOTO EVENT

Milwaukee - In 2012 PrideFest will celebrate a milestone, as the festival turns 25. In celebrating this major event, the people of PrideFest Milwaukee invite you to join them for a stroll down a digital memory lane, with a fundraising event unlike any other on Friday, February 10, 2012, 6 - 10 PM at Milwaukee Gay Arts Center, 703 S 2nd Street Milwaukee, WI 53204. Ticket Price: \$50 including open beer and wine bar. Ticket Sales: 25.pridefest.com

"25 Years of Pride" is a digital multimedia event that will feature several large format High Definition screens presenting images of the people that have made up, and attended, PrideFest from year one to year 25. This event will give people a chance to see where PrideFest Milwaukee began, and how it has grown over the years.

"25 Years of Pride" also offers an interactive component allowing people to tag themselves, via Facebook, in any images they may appear in during the event. With several internet connected computer workstations, you will not only be able to tag yourself but others that may not be present, or may not be with the community any longer. These albums will remain a part of the PrideFest Milwaukee Facebook page permanently.

The event will be hosted at the Milwaukee Gay Arts Center and feature an open bar of wine presented by Barefoot Wines, and craft beers by a local Milwaukee Brewery. DJ John Murges of Milwaukee will be creating the soundscape for this unique event. As an added bonus, if you purchase your tickets online in advance, you will receive a voucher towards one free single day admission to this year's PrideFest celebration. This promises to be an event like no other, with a chance to connect yourself with the history of a incredibly dynamic festival and support its future expansion and growth.

Proceeds from this event, will benefit the 25th Annual PrideFest Celebration.

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NEW at the CINEMA Judas Kiss Reviewed by Glenn Bishop

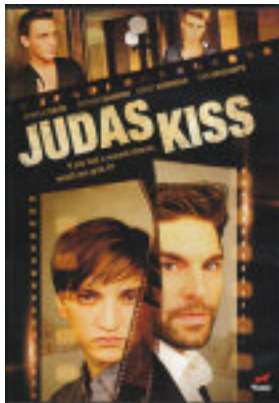
What with the holidays and an unexpectedly hectic social schedule, somehow Glenn managed to overlook J.T. Tepnapa's **Judas Kiss**, already a LGBT Film Festival fave and now a popular Wolfe Video DVD release.

The film, something of a time travel mash-up of **Peggy Sue Got Married** and Michael J. Fox's enormously successful franchise, **Back to the Future**, stars Charlie David, a familiar face from **Dante's Cove**, **Mulligans** plus the ubiquitous "Bump" travel series. Also along for the ride is Sean Paul Lockhart, the gay porn star formerly known as Brent Corrigan.

David plays Zachery Wells who, at tender age of 38, has already become a bitter, chain-smoking washout. Following early promise as winner of the prestigious Keystone Film Festival award, Danny Reyes (as he was then known as) skipped out of school, certain in the knowledge that Hollywood success was his for the taking. Once in Hollywood, Zachery learned that too much partying curiously led to little more than a series of rides on the rehab merry-go-round.

Meanwhile, his loyal friend Topher (Troy Fischnaller) has found success. As the film begins, Topher receives word that necessary funding has been secured for his next film, **Blood in Barcelona**. This news, in fact, provides Zachery with a second chance.

In Carlos Pedraza's needlessly convoluted screenplay,



Zachery is sent to Keystone in Topher's stead to act as a judge in this year's Film Festival. Unlike Kathleen Turner in Glenn's beloved **Peggy Sue Got Married**, Zachery doesn't actually go back into time when he heads back to alma mater: Keystone University. Nope, the past, in the form of his younger (cuter) self, comes to him.

Fleeing the familiar but Spartan charms of the freshman dorm room to which he's been assigned, Zachery heads out to a local club hosting its weekly "gay night." Once there, a toothsome youth (Richard Harmon) throws himself at Zachery. Sparks

fly – literally and figuratively. By morning, he's gone.

Only later does Zachery learn that the boy is a contestant for the Film Festival Scholarship. The boy's name Danny Reyes and he has entered a film titled, **Judas Kiss**. As it turns out, Zachery Wells' real name is Danny Reyes and years before he too entered a film titled, wait for it: **Judas Kiss**. Spooky.

After much pouting, countless more cigarettes as well as several confusing changes of POV, Zachery (finally) realizes that this Danny is in fact his younger self.

Yes, yes, shame on Glenn for spilling this spoiler but it is such an important spoiler, spilling it really couldn't be helped. For in this crucial spoiler is the key to the narrative which unfolds. In this younger Danny, Zachery sees hope of redemption. And he just happens to possess the means to change history. But at what cost?

Buy It, Rent It, or Forget It...

Unlike Peggy Sue's 25th high school reunion or Michael J. Fox's souped-up Delorean, **Judas Kiss** never offers moviegoers even the merest attempt of narrative logic. The cosmic forces which have brought Danny Reyes, younger and older (and even older?) together remain a mystery? And once together, are the cosmos likely leave all and sundry happily-ever-after, the touching moonlit scene notwithstanding?

Still, there's much to enjoy in **Judas Kiss**. First off, all the lads that attend Keystone University are gorgeous, gay and happy to drop trou. Richard Harmon as Danny Reyes-the younger is more than just a pretty face and Sean Paul Lockhart's boy-next-door sweetness might come as a surprise to those more familiar with his "performances" sans clothes.

Which leads Glenn to Laura Kenny's deliciously frumpish Mrs. Blossom. So taken with her was Glenn, he wished her character had taken a stronger stage management role in the proceedings as had Wendy Robie's wacky English teacher in the far superior **Were the World Mine**.

Just the facts...

Judas Kiss has a running time of 94 minutes and is in English. **Judas Kiss** is available on DVD with a SRP of \$24.95 All about **Judas Kiss** @ judaskissmovie.com/ Curiouser and curiouser: The DVD box credits Brent Corrigan with third billing whilst most official sources give credit to Sean Paul Lockhart, his non-porn 'nom de plume.' There are plenty of extras included the Official Trailer, deleted scenes and behind-the-scenes

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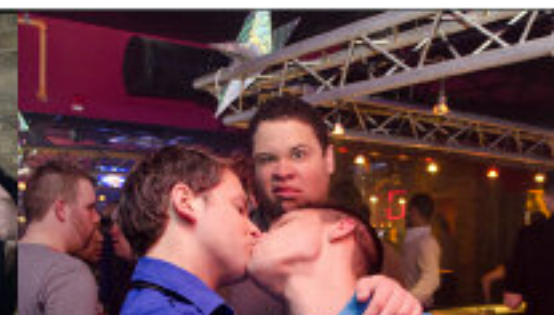




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photos from both
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Cordially Yours by Michael Johnston

Hello all my Valentines, and a happy month of love! A new month, a new year, and a new look for this publication... what do you think of the marriage of OutBound and Quest? In this time of continuing change and progress -- to quote Petula Clark -- "It's a sign of the times". As long as we can still be together once a month, I'm fine with it. Our trusted Publisher Za toasted in the New Year and the magazine's new format, in style, at a posh party at The Hamilton.



This great hide away is located on Milwaukee's exotic east side -- 823 East Hamilton Street 414-233-1020. They offer the latest and most interesting selections of wines, beers, cocktails, and assorted spirits. Kimberly Floyd is your Host -- she was formerly with Cuvee and certainly knows her bubbly!

The Hamilton has a huge Banquet Hall for celebrations and an enormous west side deck that doubles as a smoking lounge and offers an exquisite view of the sunset! So exquisite they have a Sun Set Club -- drop by and watch it go down...

The Launch Party was a huge success with such luminaries gracing the evening as: Dear Ruthie, Brent, Paul Masterson from the Gay Arts Center, Sy formerly of The Boot Camp Saloon, Fluid's Bill Wardlow, crooner/WAMI Winner Jerry Grillo, who informed me that Ginni Smith is leaving Angelo's on Saturday, February 11 so please hear this song bird one last time, entertainers Baby Jane Hudson and Dixie Kuppe, Performer Jordan Bass provided live music, remember her name, this girl is going places, Tony Torti & Dr. Jeff, The Shepherd Express' very own dynamic duo Boris & Doris, Todd Richards, Roger RamJet, John Kasper, Margaret who kept me so entertained, Jeff L, and Jerry Gin&Tonic to name but a few. Kudos John on your mixology.

What better way to get in that Valentine mood this month than taking in a show at The Northern Lights Theater at Potawatomi Bingo Casino? Wednesday, Feb. 1 Aaron Neville Duo at 8 PM Friday, Feb. 10 Tommy Castro Band/Bettye LaVette 8 PM Sat., Feb. 11 Cowboy Mouth/Jason D. Williams 8 PM Wed., Feb. 15 Karl Denson's Tiny Universe Presents The Rolling Stones album "Sticky Fingers" in it's entirety with Special Guests Anders Osborne and Others 8 PM And blowing in the March winds on Thursday, March 1 8 PM The incomparable Miss Joan Rivers! I adore this true Queen of Comedy! She was flawless two years ago at PrideFest. Come

and welcome her! While at Potawatomi why not dine at RuYi -- Authentic Asian Cuisine. RuYi translated: As You Wish, and they do see to your every wish. Sunday -- Thursday 11 AM -- Midnite Friday & Saturday 11 AM -- 2 AM 414-847-7335. Of course by now You all know Potawatomi will be once again changing our skyline, by adding a brand-spanking-new 20 floor hotel! Keep plugging those one-armed bandits and watch our city grow!

For the politically minded, and these days we all need to be, MONA's will be hosting a fundraiser for Jose Perez who is running for Alderman in the Walker's Point District - 12. The event is on Monday, February 13 5:30 -- 7:30 PM.

"Better Together" is the message Jennifer Morales is sharing in her pursuit for Alderperson in the 8th District. Please remember to Vote -- Tuesday, February 21 or Tuesday, April 3 depending on your address. For more information on Morales, please visit: VoteJenniferMorales.com

Carolina Maria Stark has thrown her hat in the ring for Branch 17 Milwaukee County Circuit Court Judge. "Dedicated to the Law -- Dedicated to Milwaukee" is her missive. For more data on this candidate www.CarolinaStarkforJudge.com

I personally met all the above Candidates at a fundraiser at Hamburger Mary's for Marina Dimitrijevic, who is seeking to be re-elected to County Supervisor District 4. Marina is very concerned and interested in the LGBT Community -- and was directly involved in getting the Bill passed for same-sex benefits in our fair city. Celebrating Marina were: Israel Ramon & David, Jay Reinke, Peggy West, Milford, Roger and our server Craig and bartender Mike who took perfect care of all of us.

Harper Lee's one and only memorable opus "To Kill a Mockingbird" nest here now through Sunday, March 4 at the Milwaukee Rep's stage. Not only will "Mockingbird" be winging on to the Rep, but a city-wide celebration of this modern day classic will be commemorated by leading community organizations, including the Milwaukee Public Library in awareness to this ageless tale. This property is described by the Authoress as "A Love story, pure and simple" Love for the South, a Father's Love for his Children and Their Love for Him".

The Florentine Opera Company offers up a romantic turn this month with "Isn't It Romantic" Love songs from Vienna to Broadway. No question that the Florentine will spark a fire in all our hearts with this gem Friday, February 10 7:30 PM, Saturday, February 11 2:30 PM & 7:30 PM, and Sunday, February 12 2:30 PM Vogel Hall of the Marcus Center for the Performing Arts. For your passport to love call: 414-291-5700. Please keep in mind an Opera Celebration takes place the Sunday before each production in The Other Room of Boom -- for this show: Sunday, February 5 7:00 PM. No cover charge, just an introduction to the production, an opportunity to

hear the fine Interns serenade you and a great way to introduce everyone to a great performing arts group in our community.

The 2011 -- 12 Off Broadway Series at The Marcus Center provides "Miss Abigail's Guide to Dating, Mating, & Marriage" Thurs., Feb. 16 -- Sunday, Feb. 19 414-273-7206 / www.marcuscenter.org. See romance is in the air...

Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra: Romeo & Juliet will classically get you in the mood! Friday, February 10 -- Sunday, February 12 Uihlein Hall at The Marcus, Tchaikowsky's Salute to Young Love! Amore! Amore!

The Milwaukee Ballet presents it's seasonal favorite "The Winter Series" Thursday, February 16 -- Sunday, February 19 The Pabst Theater. Cutting edge Choreographers challenge the dancer's bodies with three world premieres. Michael Pink's extraordinary vision is always breath taking!

Saturday, February 18 will bring "An Evening with Bill Engvall" at Uihlein Hall -- The Marcus 5 PM & 8 PM. You all know Bill from GSN's "Lingo" come and get your laugh on.

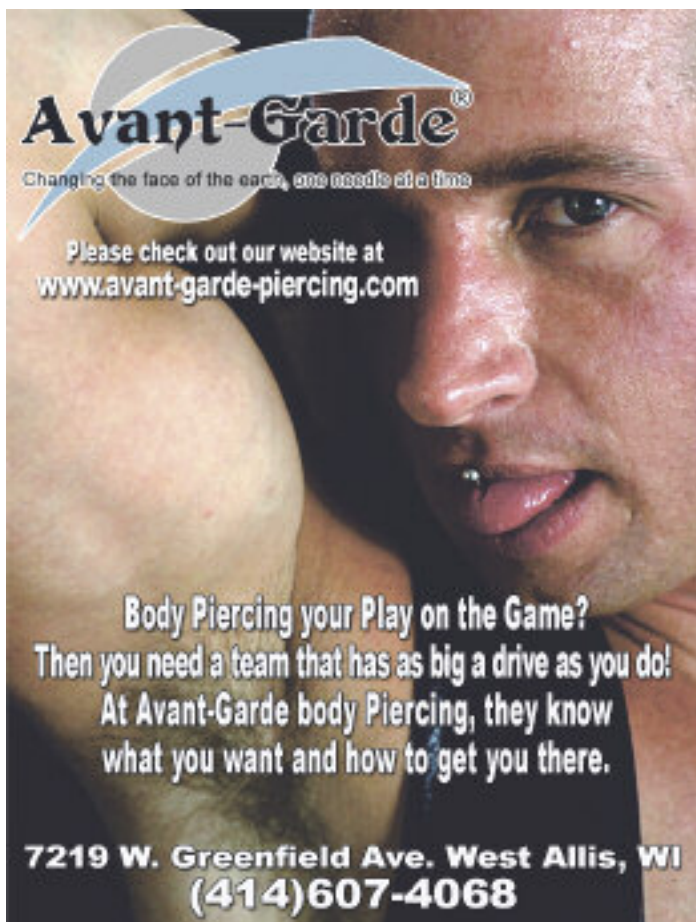
Disney and Cameron Mackintosh proudly present "Mary Poppins" Tuesday, February 28 -- Sunday, March 4 as part of The Broadway Across America Series. Who doesn't enjoy a red-hot Broadway musical to warm up the winter's weather? This is that Broadway musical to indulge in and bring back all those childhood memories. This show has all the bells, whistles, umbrellas, and magic we expect from Mary! 414-2737206/marcuscenter.org

Shauna Love is making such a splash at Hamburger Mary's that she will be having her own show/evening every Friday at 9 PM with "Flashback Fridays". Even though, I think she is too young to flash back! Break a heel, Girl!

Don't forget Music Under Glass at the Domes every Thursday evening 6:30 PM. Swing Nouveau starring Tommy Lueck was there recently and in spite of the weather brought the Dome down in thunderous applause! Thursday, February 2 Bascom Hill, Rock and Roll Review Thursday, February 9 Collage and Company -- Smooth Jazz Thursday, February 16 Charles Walker Band, providing the Blues Thursday, February 23 Liverpool '64, a Beatles Tribute Band If you like Jazz in the Park, you'll enjoy their sibling Under Glass.

This month also brings "Around the Corner with John McGivern" on PBS. Every Thursday at 7:30 PM on Channel 10, John will tour some of our town's most treasured neighborhoods, re-introducing us to all the spots that make up this great city. Wauwatosa -- Thursday, February 2, Riverwest Thursday, February 9, Cedarburg Thursday, February 16, Sheboygan Thursday, February 23. Get reacquainted with your hood!

If television isn't your thing, how about reading and enjoying all the movie recaps and photographs in John Fricke's latest book -- "Judy -- A Legendary Film Career". I received this salute to the phenomenal Garland as a Christmas present and have been transfixed ever since opening the front cover. Highly recommended! As many of you already know, John is a local boy, a John Marshall graduate, alumni of



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For those of you wondering, yes I started my Yoga regimen in the new year at Yoga Ward, LLC For a Fit Mind & Body 223 S. 2nd St. Suite 2N Milw. 53204 414-477-0341. Dean, John, Rita, and Jean are trying to get this old body fit, as for the mind – ooh well! Come on down and get your mind and body in union.

This month of love also includes Boom's 12th Anniversary! Sunday, February 12 A most marvelous celebration is in the making for this most marvelous night spot! The past Holidays snuck up on me once again – and were here and gone in the blink of an eye! Nonetheless fabulous times were had at Boom with Lance, Burt, Brad, Shawn, Huck, and David. My thanks for all the fun I had with this year's Holiday Show – The sparkling cast: Dear Ruthie, Maple Veneer, Bambi, and Goldie Adams. My thanks to our encouraging audience – Rona and all those delectable Princesses from Potawatomi, Boris & Doris from Shepherd Express, Kruz' Jerry & Serge and Crew, Dale Gutzman of Off the Wall Theatre, and all of You, thanks again for coming out and playing with us!

The Season with the Reason provided a festive time at Fluid with Bill, Collin, Roy, Allan, D.J. Kelly, Kitty, Puddy, Lizzie Bordeaux on microphone, and a capacity crowd of revelers having quite the time...

The Ball Game is always irresistible with Rick, Matt/Dylan, Max – wishing you a speedy recovery, Debi Vance, Jerry T., Nick, Tracy, Marlo, Little Donnie, Lady Samantha – all looking smashingly smoldering!

George had everything in the pink at This Is It! I

don't know how Dale does it but it is always without compare! Joe, Eric, Jerry Gin&Tonic, Jed, and new recruit's HIT's very own Ricky (Candy Stick) Steiner, Adam, and Jacob provide continuing fine service as you indulge in their incomparable juke box.

Recently I caught up with Jack H. Smith of Shorewest Realty, our very own Donald Trump who feels we are on the way to a great year, with him Root's pastry chef and James Beard winner Chase. Chase shared with me some of his creative concoctions, and trust me, make it a New Year's resolution to have your just desserts at Roots and try Chase's talents. You may remember him from the Hinterlands in The Historic Third Ward.

The Hybrid Lounge and their stable of fine studs – Bill, Nate, Patrick, John, Matt, Ben – congratz on signing with Wilhelmina, and the rest, always provide shelter from the storm. Some exciting changes/improvements are in the offing in the New Year.

Craig & Dawn of Club Charlie's always have the party going on – truly the Gayest Straight Bar I've ever sipped in. Gunner, Terri, Collin, Michael, the delightful Erick and the rest of the Staff provides my favorite spot to refresh in The Historic Third Ward. Dan & Scotty, MaryPat, Brad, Joe, Mike & Damien and so many enjoying their weekend - so easy to fit it here.

Taylor's never ceases to impress when Downtown. Dan, Jim, Caroline, Courtney, Sharon, Erin, Nick and etal, always make room for one more! People's Park of Waukesha has risen from the ashes and is serving great drinks and food, definitely worth the drive!

Thank you to all the Host out there who opened their hearts and doors throughout the Holidays to me.

Ooh what memories! Jon & Tom, Andy Cicero, Jeff Gosseck, Nick & Tom, Debbie LaDue & Pete, Tony – my Piano Man – thanks also Tony for the wonderful piano recital at The Other Room, David (B.B.) Rogers & Ron, Dr. Beto & D.J. Tim, David & LaQuisha, Jim & Deb, and forgive me if anyone's gathering slipped my memory – however if I didn't remember and didn't list it – it must have been a heck of a good time! Sorry If I didn't make it to your Gay-la ooh to be cloned and the power to be in two places at once!

The Hunger Task Force's Michael Jonas lost his beloved father, Urban "Bud" Jonas to cancer, and cancer took the life of Milwaukee's favorite Bon Vivant – Gary Jablonski. Ironical that dear Gary lost his nine month battle on New Year's Eve! A professional cocktailist for 30 years at Victor's on Van Buren, and as we all said good bye to 2011 we also had to say farewell to him...

Ms. Shirley Fitzpatrick 1933 – 2012 has left us after creating quite a legacy with being a founding member of the SSBL – dare I say the first woman, a life time member of the American Cribbage Congress, a one-of-a-kind lady who loved her Sheep's Head, The Ball Game, The Finale when it was still in business and making the world a better place. I saw Shirley the last time with Marlo attending the Gay World Series here two years ago – the stories she could share, there should be a book! After almost 44 years, a sad so long to "One Life To Live" and the continuing saga of Victoria Lord. You all will be so missed!

Remember my Valentines; it's the glamour, not the grammar – wishing you all a month of love, as I remain Still Cordially Yours.

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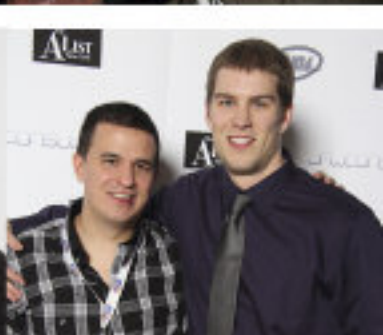
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February is finally here, Wait why was I excited about February? Ah well not like it matters, But since I have the space let's kick off this month with another healthy dose of Shameless pugs for Pridefest and the Pride Parade. Both are starting their gear up to 2012 so you may want to check out their websites at www.pridefest.com and www.prideparademke.org respectively.

So I decided to break with tradition this February, and instead of writing about genital piercings we are going to talk about a few facial piercings. So let's get to it!

There are so many things you can get pierced on your face it is hard for me to figure out where to start. I guess we will start at the top and work our way down. First you have the eyebrow piercing, fashionable yet wonderfully understated. Eyebrows are a great way to show off a great jaw line or showing off your jaw while you put it to good use! (Damn it hands stop writing dirty! I get

all excited and have to stop writing then!) Next you have the ear piercings, from the lobes to the cartilage and everything in between, these are a great way to express yourself while making sure you still have a job when you walk into work with them. You also then have the nostril piercing; these have become very popular as they make a person look delightfully trashy while still allowing them to cling to "high morals." (Yea, high morals, maybe there heels are high in the air! See I did it again!)

After the nostril you start getting in the mouth, I know all of you are happy to hear me talk about something you can really get inside of! (God f@*cking Damn it! I am really going to beat myself up over this column!) Anyway, lip piercings have become very fashionable in this day in age, why I haven't a clue but I think it has something to do with those cute punk kids standing in the corner. Also when talking about piercings

around the mouth you have to talk about the tongue piercing. (I bet you read this whole column just waiting for this!) The tongue piercing has roots that go way back, but it has become very popular and remains that way to this day. The tongue piercing has, for a long time, been associated with oral sex and making it better. For me I won't lie, sometimes it gets in the way and other times it makes me. . . . (You will have to get me very drunk to get the rest of that sentence out of me!) Either way there are all sorts of fun attachments you can put on it to get different sensations like smooth, hard, even spikes! (Owww, sorry I just think that would hurt. But of course we can't forget about our kinky counterparts. Gottah love them for doing what they do. Damn it I messed my pants again think about what they do!) Other than that I think that about wraps it up for facial piercings. Let's move along to some reader mail.

Dear Brent,

My lover says that I am too fat to get a navel piercing. What should I tell her? --- Suzi

Well Suzi first off thanks for writing in, and secondly I would tell her to get her sh*t and go! My personal belief is that if someone you care about is calling you fat and saying that you're not good enough for something then they are not good enough for you. As far as actually being too fat to get your navel pierced, that is a giant load of horsy poop! I have pierced women of all sizes and to be very honest it does not matter. As long as you take care of it and keep it clean you will be fine. Thanks a lot for writing in.

Don't forget, if you have a question or problem related to body piercing just write me at avantgarde@voyager.net. I will answer your questions as soon as I possibly can.

Also don't forget about the Pride Parade & Pridefest, Check out their websites at www.prideparademke.com and at www.pridefest.com. Until next time have a great February and a Happy Valentine's Day!

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9PM - CLOSE

\$1.00 MILLER
LITE TAPPEERS
\$3 Schlitz
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\$2 PBRs



AND
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Wednesday

4PM - 8PM
\$2 Miller
Lite Bottles
\$1 off
everything

9PM - CLOSE

\$2 off
All Whiskey
& Wine

Thursday

COLLEGE
NIGHT

9PM - CLOSE

\$2 PBRs
\$3 Schlitz
Tall Boys
\$4 Long
Islands

\$1 Kamihazes
10-Midnight

Friday

2-4-1
on all
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FRIDAY NITE
DJ SHAWNA
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Saturday

10AM - 4PM
\$4.50 Bloodys
Mosas &
Long Islands

4PM - 8PM

Beer Bust
\$8 domestic
\$12 import
& craft

12AM - 1AM

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SUPER SUNDAY!
February 5th
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Friday February 17, 11pm

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Saturday February 18, 11pm
Theme Show "90's Rewind"

Happy 4th Birthday
Entertainer Spotlight Show!
Wednesday February 22, 10pm

Special Birthday Show
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Friday March 2, 2012 11pm
Theme Show "A Tribute to Tina Turner"

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