

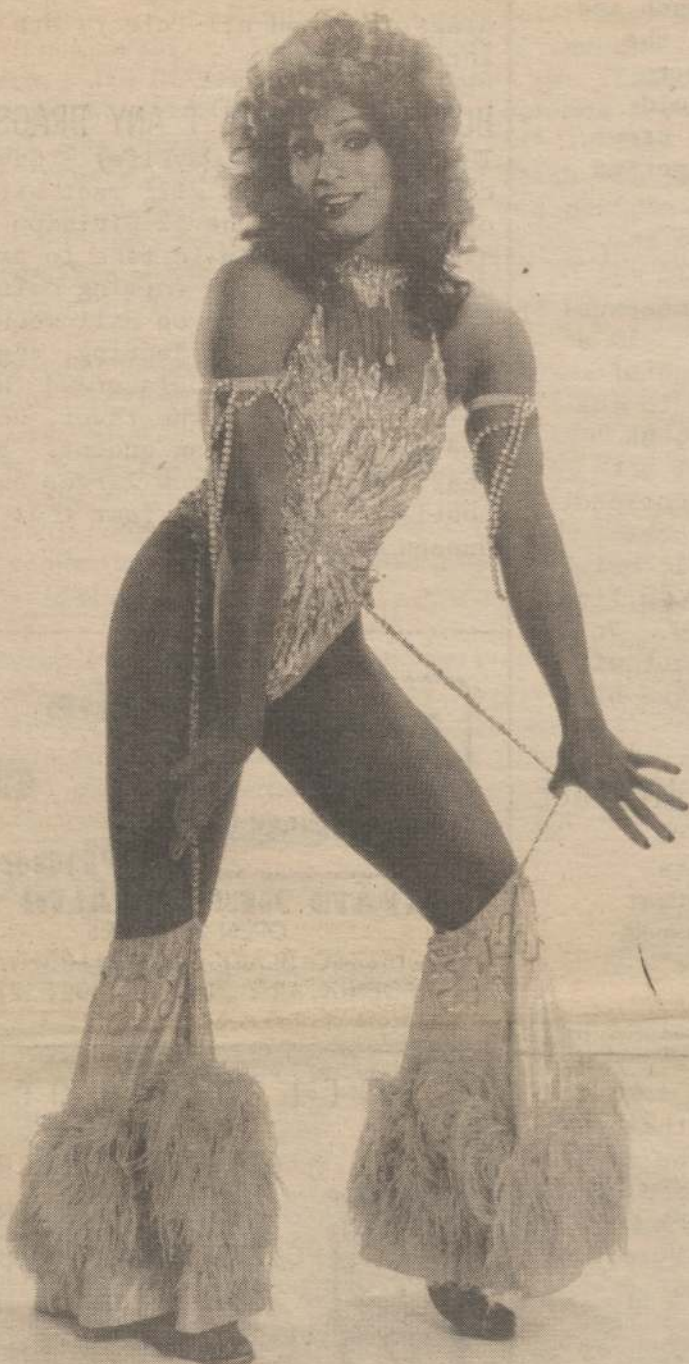
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PHOENIX - The Incomparable Carmen del Rio, pictured above, heads the star dusted galaxy review for Regal Productions "Empire Ball" next Friday night, October 31.

## Gay Empire Convenes for Halloween Ball

PHOENIX - As Kings, Queens, Witches and Warlocks ready themselves for that special evening, which has come to be known universally as "The Gay New Year's Eve", Regal Productions is putting final touches on "The Empire Ball". With excitement rising towards next Friday's costume gayla, everyone involved in its inception is filling the air with an energy that is known only to Phoenix. With weeks of preparation and planning behind them now, the newly formed production company headed by Phillip Santhon, John Goldschmid and James A. Howard, anticipate Arizona's Gay community to joyously reap the rewards of its efforts when the Adams Hotel Grand Ballroom doors open at 7:30 p.m. on October 31.

A very special "Star Dusted" line-up of entertainment has been assembled for the Ball with the widely famed talents of the Incomparable Carmen del Rio, the recently returned, ever Exotic, Moosala and the Fabulous Karri - the current reigning Miss Gay West Texas. Phoenix's own JoAnne will act as Mistress of Ceremonies with the aid of a select group of special guest MC's. The colorful costume parades will add a highlight that is sure to make "The Empire Ball" a sparkling memory in the ongoing and growing Gay history of events in the Grand Canyon State.

For ticket availability, call Regal Productions Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Regal Productions cordially invites "The Gay Empire" to join and share with them in an evening of fun, fantasy and the grandest of "illusions".

## Congressional Hearings Held

SAN FRANCISCO, CA - A first and important hurdle for the national Gay/Lesbian civil rights legislation has now been completed with the conclusion of the first Congressional Hearings on H.R. 2074, according to the Gay Rights National Lobby (GRNL). H.R. 2074 is the proposed national Gay Rights law. The hearings took place on October 10 in San Francisco before the Employment Opportunities Subcommittee of Education and Labor. The Subcommittee is chaired by Congressman Augustus Hawkins (D-CA). Other members of Congress present were Representatives Ted Weiss (one of the chief sponsors and a member of the Subcommittee), John Burton and Phil Burton (both from the San Francisco area). Minority Members of the Subcommittee were represented by the minority counsel, Jim Stephens.

The witnesses testifying included California Assemblyman Art Agnos, Rev. Cecil Williams, Grant Mikens (Executive Director of the Human Rights Commission of San Francisco), Delores Huerta (First Vice President of the United Farm Workers of America), Gwenn Craig (Vice President of the Harvey Milk Gay Democratic Club), Ray Hartman (Co-Chair of the Gay Rights National Lobby), and Dr. Judd Marmor (past President of the American Psychiatric Association). Steve Endean, Executive Director of GRNL, indicated that the Lobby was coordinating additional written testimony from a number of major religious denominations as well.

Rev. Charles McIlhenny, who had faced a discrimination suit for firing his organist when he discovered that the organist was Gay (AGN, Feb. 1, 1980), testified against the legislation. McIlhenny contended that this legislation would discriminate against morality. However, in response to effective questioning by Representative Weiss, McIlhenny confessed that his view of morality could lead him to firing someone who had committed adultery or fornication as well. Ray Hartman, Co-Chair of the Board of Gay Rights National Lobby, urged Members of the Subcommittee to re-examine the myth that support for Gay civil rights was politically damaging and specifically cited a recent poll by NBC/Associated Press showing that 49% favor extending fair housing and fair employment laws to Gays and that only 27% oppose.

Although Congressman Weiss and the Gay Rights National Lobby agreed that the Hearings marked a generally positive beginning to a long process, there were some minor reasons for concern. Even in San Francisco, the Hearing Room was only about half full (and that included a substantial number of opponents of the legislation) and much of the non-Gay press virtually ignored the event. And GRNL expressed concern that the questions of the Minority Counsel, which were often far-fetched, too often diverted the focus from the real issue of the legislation. Asked what the next step would be for H.R. 2074, Endean said, "After re-introduction of the bill next year, we expect to have additional hearings next spring, probably in Washington, DC."

## NGTF Files Lawsuit

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK - The National Gay Task Force (NGTF) filed a lawsuit on October 14, in Oklahoma City Federal District Court challenging the constitutionality of a 1978 Oklahoma law that prohibits the employment of homosexuals or any person who advocates Gay rights by Oklahoma school systems. Known as the "Helms Bill," the law is similar to a state-wide initiative in California (the Briggs initiative or Proposition 6) that was soundly defeated by California voters the same year.

"The Helms Bill is a patently discriminatory piece of legislation that singles out Lesbians and Gay men and any school employee association with us for harassment and abuse," commented NGTF Co-Director Lucia Valeska at a

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# News Briefs

## FALWELL IN PHOENIX OCTOBER 28

PHOENIX - Jerry Falwell leader of Moral Majority will hold a Moral Majority rally at the State Capitol Building in Phoenix Tuesday, October 28. The rally will begin at 11:00 a.m. and continue until 12:30 p.m. Moral Majority is a national campaign attempting to politicize Christians into electing leaders who are willing to stand up against abortion, taxing church properties, sex education in schools, homosexuality, Equal Rights Amendment, etc.

Gay-Cos (Gay Christian Outreach Services) will hold a very simple, quiet, Christian protest at the rally. Rev. Fred Pattison, Casa de Cristo MCC, has prepared a folder entitled "Welcome to Phoenix - Jerry," which will be distributed prior to the rally. Volunteers will meet at Casa de Cristo, 1029 E. Turney, at 9:30 a.m. for last minute instructions.

## GOLDWATER: ANTI-ABORTION ANTI-ERA ANTI-HOMOSEXUALITY

by Tom Beal

TUCSON - Sen. Barry Goldwater told a church group here last Monday that he supports a constitutional amendment to ban abortions, although his office has been saying otherwise to those who feel a woman should be able to make her own choice. "I have always felt that we should try to introduce a life amendment," Goldwater said in response to a question from choice advocate Greer Barkley. The senator said he doubts that Congress will pass the amendment because of its tendency to favor federally funded abortions, but added, "If it takes a constitutional amendment - it's a major step - then I'm going to go that way."

On other matters, Goldwater told the group he opposes the proposed Equal Rights Amendment, thinks creation should be taught in schools "without reference to any denomination," and sees homosexuality as a "perversion of normal and moral behavior," although he would not deny anyone's right to be homosexual.

## THEY JUST LOVE RONNIE!

LOS ANGELES, CA (GayLife) - "We have enough votes to run the country. And when the people say, 'We've had enough,' we are going to take over!" Those are the alarming words of Pat Robertson of the Christian Broadcasting Network. His group is supporting Reagan. And another quote: "The Republican platform as written in Detroit could have been written by a Klansman." Those are the words of wisdom(!) in a statement from the Ku Klux Klan's endorsement of Reagan.

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## WESTSIDE CAR WASH TO BENEFIT A.R.C.

PHOENIX - Dirty cars. Line up! Bob's Mobil station, 5843 West Indian School Road, will host an ARC benefit car wash on Saturday, November 1, from 9 a.m. until the last car rolls out of the driveway. It will be difficult to miss the twenty foot car wash sign announcing the clean-up event. All westside residents roll in for a super \$2.00 car wash which will aid the Alternative Relations Centers' 1980 Building Fund Drive.

Volunteers are needed in the following proportions: 3 for wash and spray; 1 to vacuum; 1 to clean the interior; 3 to dry and 2 more to hold the sign. Volunteers should contact ARC Board Member Gayle Brown at 247-8465 to donate their time and services.

## GAY IS OK IN SCOTLAND

LONDON, ENGLAND (GayLife) - Homosexual acts are now legal in Scotland. In a surprise move, the British House of Commons voted 203 to 80 to add to the Scottish Criminal Justice Bill, an amendment permitting homosexual acts between consenting adults in Scotland. The free vote, lead by Robin Cook, Labour MP for Edinburgh Central, brings Scottish laws on homosexuality in line with those of England and Wales. It is understood that the government will not oppose the amendment when the bill goes to the house of Lords.

## KKK IS PROUD OF ANTI-GAY VIOLENCE

FONTANA, CA (GayLife) - Southern California Klu Klux Klan members bragged at a press conference that they "know how to take care of perverts." The three men, who are supporters of KKK candidate for Congress, Tom Metzger, told a crowd at a Klan rally outside of Fontana, California, that they had "ran across three fags" by "accident" and that when they had "finished with the two faggots" that they "won't be good for anybody's use." They told how they had beat up two homosexual men in their early twenties who had propositioned them at a roadside rest room, and that they tied the two "fags" up and then stuck "tire irons we heated with a blow torch up their asses." The Klan members said that this is "the way real men deal with these disgusting creatures of satan."

## YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE HONEST TO BE IN POLITICS

LOS ANGELES, CA (GayLife) - Ronald Reagan is actually signing a bill to liberalize abortion in a piece of film being used in one of his commercials, although the announcer describes the legislation as a tax cut bill. A former legislator - U.S. Rep. Anthony Beilenson, a Federal Gay rights bill co-sponsor who is also in the ad - has pointed out the discrepancy. Reagan signed the abortion bill in 1967 and has since said he regrets signing it. Reagan's press secretary, Lyn Nofziger, has not announced any decision about the future use of the commercial, which has been running nationally since September 10.

## UoFA GAY STUDENTS LOOKING FOR TALENT FOR DECEMBER SHOW

TUCSON - The Gay Students Organization (GSO) of the University of Arizona have scheduled a Production Meeting for next Tuesday, October 28 to begin their talent hunt for a show to be held in December at Jekyll's. The meeting is scheduled for 9 P.M. in Room 353 in the Student Union.

Interested students who would like to appear in the show or help with staging, lights, music etc., are asked to attend. Singers, comedians, drags, any and all talents are needed for auditions.

## BUT THERE AREN'T ANY DRAGS!

TORONTO, CANADA (GayLife) - Gay community members will meet with police officials from the 52 Division to consider what action to take to prevent anti-Gay mobs from forming outside the St. Charles Tavern on Halloween. Each year, thousands of jeering, egg-throwing heterosexuals crowd the sidewalks across from the taver, hoping to see a parade of drag queens. Each year, the crowds grow larger and more hostile, despite the fact that no drag queens appear.



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## Harpo's/ARC Benefit Success

PHOENIX - It was more than a "Night at the Opera" at Harpo's on Wednesday, October 15, when a cast of "thousands" played to packed houses for two premier Alternative Relations Center (ARC) benefit shows that raised the handsome sum of \$603.00 for the 1980 ARC Building Fund Raising Drive. As Louella Parsons would have commented... "And a grand time was had by all". This superb cast danced, sang and talked their way through an evening that will long be remembered by the Phoenix Gay community. Each performed their hearts out to an audience that was so responsive that anything less would have been impossible.

Both shows produced stellar performances by Penelope and the Poopettes, Dani Reid, Tish Tanner, Goldie O'Brien and Toby Craig. Also highlighting the entertainment roster was the incomparable JoAnne, with musical numbers by Boom Boom Bombay, Jim Gillespi, Jesse Beaner, the flamboyant Dragon Lady, Talented Stasha and last, but not least, the delightful Bob Hegyi, who appeared in full leather regalia and then "finery", et al, the likes of which will probably never be seen again. Needless to say, his performance will be placed in the annals of theatrical history, as one of a kind. Possibly a new star has been added to the present constellation of Phoenix stage celebrities.

Waiters Chuck Gerhardt, Mark Arkanhan, Luke Lindsay and Michael Bradley, together with the entire Harpo's cast donated over \$300 in tips to the ARC 1980 fund raising drive. Without the expertise of manager Tim Williamson, the logistics of the evening would have been near impossible. His personal cooperation was super. Another "kudo" goes to Bob Wisbrocker who volunteered his time to collect the evening's admission donations.

Harpo's co-owners, Tony Bartoli and Jim Gillespi are to be commended for their community involvement. Without their cooperation, this special benefit evening would not have been. Further, a standing ovation should be given to the members of the Phoenix Gay community whose unstinting generosity contributed to the success of the evening.

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6, 7 and 8. All proceeds from the November 6th performance will benefit ARC's Building fund. . . . Sunday, November 9, will be Taylor's/Connection Disco Bash with a drawing for a remote control color television set. \$1.00 donation will benefit ARC. . . . The LADS Monte Carlo Night, Oct. 4, raised almost \$2,500. Money raised goes to continued social and charitable activities. . . . Most heart-felt congratulations to all my friends at Casa de Cristo MCC on the celebration of the church's 10th anniversary the weekend of October 3. As they embark on a second decade, may they reflect on the past and improve on the future. . . . The opening of Sammy's Steakhouse and Saloon was a fun-filled extravaganza with good food and great entertainment provided by Miss Ebony, Carmen del Rio and Danny "Bunny" Butler. Sammy and Bill provide the best in lunches and dinners with a variety of good food at moderate prices. Service has improved greatly since opening day. Stop by and enjoy a tasteful and festive time.

AND IN CLOSING: Tuesday, November 4, is Election Day. Make it your responsibility to vote for the candidates of your choice. Remember, Gay votes are important and they do make a difference. Your vote has power, so let yourself be heard. This is the most important election year in our history. The outcome at the polls will not only affect human rights for Gays, but for all people, possibly forever. It is important to absolutely express your preference by voting or it could be back to the closets for all of us.

The next few weeks are busy ones for all of us, and you can read about all of it here. Until next time, this is Trixie saying Ta-Ta for now:

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news conference in Oklahoma City. "It is an attack on every school employee's fundamental livelihood, especially those who are Gay, and we cannot allow this law to remain unchallenged." "The law punishes the constitutionally protected right to free speech, assembly and association," noted Stephen Parrish, of Gay Rights Advocates (GRA). "It creates a severe chilling effect that inhibits teachers and other employees from participating in organizations or political campaigns in which Gay rights is an issue. This is clearly a violation of Constitutional rights and must be struck down by the courts."

William B. Rogers of Oklahoma City who is serving as local cooperating attorney for the action noted the whichever side loses, the decision will be appealed. My clients are prepared to see this fight through to the U.S. Supreme Court if necessary. That any U.S. citizen is denied the right to teach or practice any profession or hold any job because of sexual orientation is intolerable. I do not believe the Supreme Court would sustain such an invasion of privacy or curtailment of free speech and assembly."

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PHOENIX - Well, here I am again with more information than I know what to do with, so here goes.

HOW SWEET THEY ARE: There is a bartender in Phoenix that has been around for years. He has constantly given good service and keeps the bar drinking and partying. Yes, anyone who goes to NuTowne Saloon, knows Oliver. He is a friend worth acknowledging.

A credit to the Lesbian community is Gayle of Full Moon. Gayle is a really nice person and a good, personable bartender. A tip of the tarnished tiara to you both.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ON SUNDAY: More and more bars now have full schedules of Sunday activities.

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GRAND CAMEL CLUB - In addition to the regular menu there is Sunday Brunch with a wide variety of omelets at \$2.00 beginning at noon.

NU TOWNE SALOON - Beginning at 12 noon, the Slut Sisters Brunch. The price still is \$1.50 with a varied menu each week.

SAMMY'S STEAKHOUSE AND SALOON - Hamburgers and Fries \$2.00 and Beer Bust for \$2.00 noon til 4 p.m. Country swing dance music begins at 2 p.m. Regular meal service begins at 6 p.m.

TAYLOR'S LOUNGE - Features the ever-popular brunch with a variety of omelets, sandwiches and salads beginning at \$4.00 and up. Doors open at noon.

I'm recommending each of these places to check out on Sundays. There's something for you!

AROUND THE TOWN: JANUS Production's "Lying In State," will be held October 31 and November 1 and again on Nov.

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## SPORTS JOURNAL

by Jim Larrabee

TUCSON - The nine teams comprising the Community Soap League converged on the Cactus Bowling Lanes, Wednesday, Oct. 15, for their weekly bowling session. The evening's action was highlighted by head-to-head matchups between the top four teams. High game of the night was a meager 176 by Mark Hall, the high series a lethargic 493 by this reporter. Individuals and team statistics remained unchanged. Averages in the league now range from 76.7 to 167.2.

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THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS	12	8	.600
RYAN'S HOPE	12	8	.600
THE DAYS OF OUR LIVES	11	9	.550
ALL MY CHILDREN	8	12	.400
THE EDGE OF NIGHT	7	13	.350
AS THE WORLD TURNS	7	13	.350

Opposing teams on October 22 will be: The Days Of Our Lives vs. The Young And The Restless; General Hospital vs. One Life To Live; As The World Turns vs. The Edge Of Night; and Three's Company vs. Ryan's Hope. All My Children gets a bye.

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### VOLLEYBALL VOX

The start of the Community Volleyball League (CVL) season was again delayed until October 26, Sunday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. on the Joshua Tree/Back Pocket court. Though only three teams started the day of practice, a fourth one was formed and will compete also on that date. Most teams need more players and new teams will be welcome to join the league. Just be present at JT/BP at that time. Entry fee/team is \$15.

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- ...The upcoming entertainment is causing a run on razor blades at the local stores.
- ...As a bonus, Eddie F's menu offers soup, salad or head - with a trace of dressing.
- ...George R. is into butts this week.
- ...Tommy S. has so many Danny's around, he can't keep them "straight".
- ...Doc H. was heard talking about getting a bike, and Buck replied, "Yes, a Moped with training wheels."
- ...The Fox is Albuquerque would like to see a certain President again real soon.
- ...Marana Danny has found a sudden affection for the pool table at the Hair Tiz.
- ...It takes a week for Lloyd B's stub to come out!
- ...Jeff O. insists Big George removed the handcuffs before he got dropped on the ground.
- ...If you fly like George M's husband, you don't need crutches like Woody Willy.
- ...Miss Polly knows some real men that wear gloves to do it.
- ...John H's payroll is expanding.
- ...The next time TJ and Lee buy a round at the Foxes, the bartender will smile.
- ...Brent F. would have had his legs in the air, but Teddy I held them down.
- ...Stewart collects his baseball pool winnings in quarters - no need for two transactions.
- ...Thom is complaining about the tired piece of meat at B/P.
- ...Dave P. and Mama Wawa are in a contest over the built-in floatation equipment.
- ...JoJo's cap reads "Medic" - does it indicate healing or heeling?
- ...Mr. President Lou is still waiting his turn and Dee and Jay want to say Hi to Lee.
- ...Space Cadet has been transformed into Mai Ling - the Chinese laundry lady.
- ...Don M. and Cindi D, sealed their contract with a healthy thunk!!!
- ...Luigi's bed keeps getting stolen with a certain frequency. Fiberglass and all.
- ...Miss Kitty keeps on acquiring new names. This week it's Danny La Douche.
- ...The relief cook's total commitment to Ralph G. is fondling.
- ...Rita's "have a nice day" cards are explicit.

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- 7:00(2)P\*O\*O\*P - Comedy  
Slop Lips and Colonel Potty are falling out of favor real quick for not letting their camp people out for a night. But they don't realize that the camp is staging an uprising against them. Slop Lips: Penelope Poop. Colonel Potty: Tony Baloney. (60 min.)
- (7)DORK AND CINDY - Comedy  
Poor Sarah! The big benefit is over. Lots of money was raised. It was a solid success - and her employers immediately put her to work on another show. Sarah: Brandi Snifter. (60 min.)
- (69)MOVIE - Drama  
"Anus Sturgeon" TV remake of the 1956 movie. A self-induced living legend returns to the stage to prove she is just that! And hosting the largest show of the year is no small task, but tackle it she will. (3 hrs.)
- 8:00(2)THAT'S INCOGNITO! - Variety  
Hostess Irene Undress lays back and takes it easy as her show has no guests this week. She talks of her life, loves and is bleeped continuously. (60 min.)
- (7)THE TAILOR'S SAGA - Drama  
With Miss Pinn out of town for a few days, our mysterious blonde celebrity starts setting up the works for a surprise for Miss Pinn. Guest starring: Miss Piggy. (60 min.)
- 9:00(2)THE DYKE VAN DICK SHOW - Comedy

Laura is boiling mad. Her employer won't give her time off to go to the party of the year. But Laura is soon to find out that revenge is sweet. Laura: Dani Bicardi. (60 min.)

(7)THE WILD QUEENDOM - Variety  
Christi Loveshitz interviews Miss Joanne Woodwark who explains what a bitch it is putting on her show. "But the fun will be worth it" she proclaims. Clinton Lunden Orch. (60 min.)

10:00(69) SPECIAL - The Telly Winners Special show showing clips of the winners and their comments upon receiving their awards:  
\*Imitation Butch of the Year - MELISSA YORKSHIRE

"I didn't try to win. I don't understand. But I'm working on it."

\*Best Return Engagement - MOOSIE - MOOSIE WETTER

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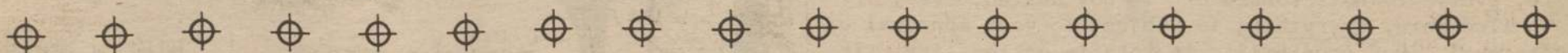
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Have you seen the mirror on the dance floor of the Full Moon? Two women are riding a broom across a big moon. It is very professional looking. Judy McCarthy is the artist and I hear she has done paintings for several restaurants. DON'T FORGETS - A.W.A.R.E. forums at Phoenix College every Friday at noon.....Meg Christian in concert on November 1. ....Chris Williamson in concert on the 22nd of November. ....JANUS production "Lying In State" to benefit ARC..... Monk's Pizza in Tempe will be having a Pancake Feed on October 26th in the morning....Raffle for remote control color T.V. to benefit ARC, call 254-6500 or Judy McCormick at 937-6669.....The shuttle the Phoenix Levi/Leather Club will be holding on Nov. 7, 8 and 9.....The Empire Ball coming up October 31.....Grand opening at the Mardi Gras this month.

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### \*\*\*\*\* THE PHOENIX WOMAN \*\*\*\*\*

PHOENIX - Well, at least the weather in Phoenix is beginning slowly the cool down. However, activities in the Valley are picking up, and there are a lot of "don't forgets" this week in the Valley.

But first, I had a phone call from Roland Atkins who has done a marvelous job at CCR. He has been hospitalized with back problems and is in traction. However, he obtained a copy of the AGN and called to say that his phone has been ringing off the wall with blacks calling in response to the Dear Blabby column that appeared in the Oct. 10th issue. What you, the readers of the AGN, must understand that the people who write for the Arizona Gay News are immediately under scrutiny - every little thing we write, every "t" not crossed or "i" not dotted, every misspelled word, everything is subject to your approval or disapproval. Our credibility is totally on the line. If in jest, an unkind remark is made, we hear about it. If a person is critical toward a bar, show or organization we hear about it. If, God forbid, we should happen to make a mistake, the whole community buzzes with it. Roland agreed that the comments made in Dear Blabby were made in fun, but where do we, supposedly responsible adults, draw the line? I have had the whole gamut of responses to my column since I started writing for AGN, including lawsuits, obscene phone calls and death threats. I have lost friends over this column. I go on the line every week trying to write an intelligent, worthwhile column to service the readers of AGN. I will not write a gossip column. Unity in the Gay community, among all of us, is a high priority item with me. What I am trying to say, dear readers, is that without you we can't survive. But please don't destroy us in the process. We are trying.

Okay - back to the action. Pinkie had five encores at the show at the Incognito and I think the walls almost tumbled down three times. I have never seen that many people in the bar at one time! Brenda and Terri (as usual) were super. By the way, extra chairs came from the Full Moon and the spotlight was loaned by the Unlimited.

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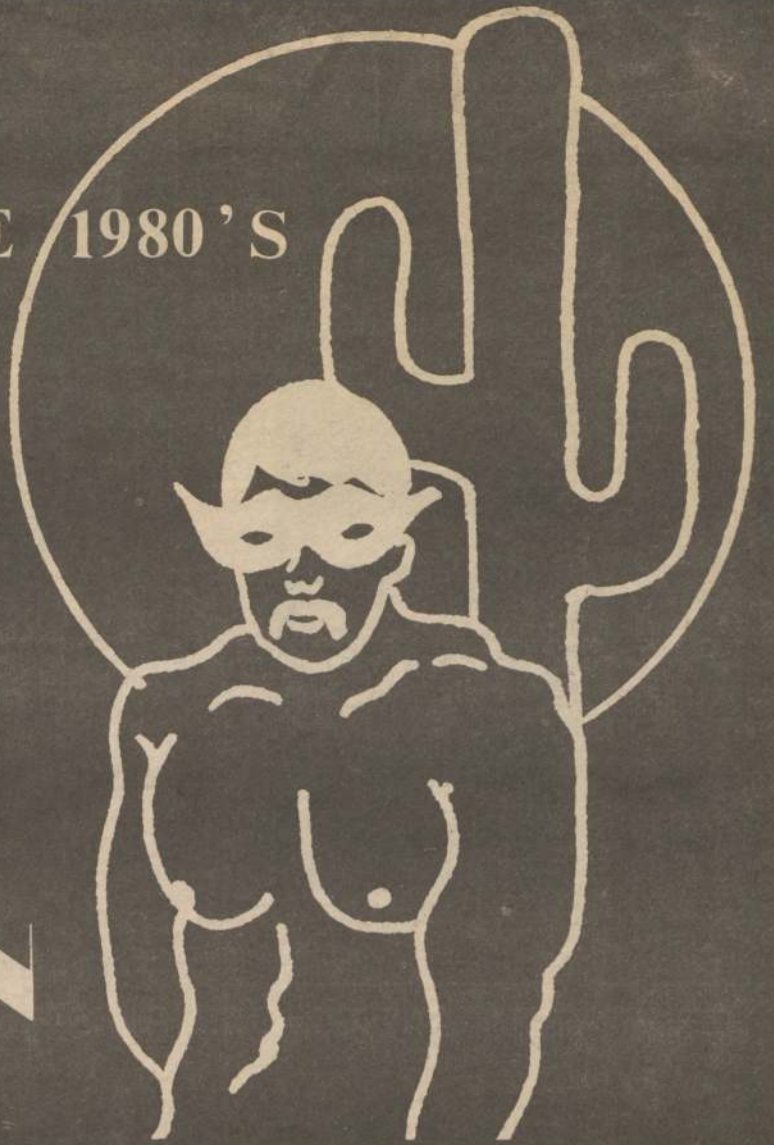


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# Church News

## NEW PHOENIX CHURCH OPENS NOV. 2

PHOENIX - The first service of celebration will take place on November 2 at the Calvary Grace Church of Faith. The service will consist of a liturgical form of worship, with a brief message and will end by celebrating Holy Communion.

The message will take the form of trying to get people to think and act positively in their lives. The service itself is designed after the more liturgical forms of worship experience.

All people are invited, regardless of their life-style, mode of dress or previous background. The format is designed around the Scripture verse John 3:16.

For further information call Rev. Lowell E. Clark, 241-0350.



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MCC's new telephone number is 622-4536. Randy's home number is 325-3822. Our new building address is 349 W. 35th Street (facing 10th Avenue on the corner of 10th Ave. and 35th Street. Office hours for counseling Monday - Thursday, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Emergency calls - 24 hours daily.

We now have seating for 75 people. Come and worship with us this Sunday - 10:00 a.m. Sunday School (adults and children); 10:45 a.m. English Worship Service; 2:30 p.m. Spanish Worship Service.

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Casa de Cristo's "Hispanic Familia" will be holding another service in Spanish on Saturday evening at 6 p.m.

The service is open to all who speak and/or understand Spanish and their friends. The service is held in the Sanctuary located at 1029 E. Turney.

Sunday will be a very special day at Casa de Cristo. A Reformation Day emphasis will be featured at both morning services at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Pastor Fred's message at these two services will be: "Luther's Contribution to the Christian Church". The service will also feature parts of Luther's German Mass. Two novice deacons will be set-aside as full deacons during the 11:00 service.

Casa's own Octoberfest is being held this Sunday beginning at 6:00 p.m. There will be food from around the world, including: German, Hungarian, Cuban, Mexican, Italian, Japanese, Turkish, Soul and others. All of the food specialties will be made by Casa members and friends coming from these various ethnic backgrounds. Casa de Cristo is truly a church where all are one in Jesus Christ. Immediately following the meal, there will be entertainment offered by several people. A short devotional service will close out the evening of fun and fellowship. This is not a fund-raising event but is presented as an additional means of Christian unity and love for one another. Men and women from the local community are most welcome to be a part of this Octoberfest.

Mr. Jerry Falwell will be leading one of his so-called Moral Majority rallies in Phoenix at the State Capitol on Tuesday, Oct. 28th, from 11:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Gay-Cos (Gay Christian Outreach Services) is planning a very simple quiet, Christian presence. Pastor Fred has published a folder: "Welcome to Phoenix - Jerry," which will be distributed prior to the rally. Volunteers will meet at Casa de Cristo at 9:30 a.m. for last minute instructions and a time of prayerful preparation.

The weekly Thursday Morning Devotions and Bible Study has been resumed. This informal group gathers weekly, on Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m. A short time of devotions and communion is held after which Bible Study is featured. Those available during this time are most welcome to join in with this group.

Were you aware of the fact that Casa de Cristo and Gay-Cos have a nation-wide literature ministry. The Casa Press continually receives requests for its literature from all over the United States. The folder, "Are Gay Christians A Cult?" has been reprinted and is available to those requesting same.



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Friday, Oct. 31, Holy Trinity will be hosting a Halloween Party at a private residence. Costuming will be in order. For details, call the church number.

God is really blessing our services. We praise Him for this, but one thing is missing -- YOU! See you Sunday. Remember that God loves you and so do we. Pastor Jim 323-2424

## HOUSE OF THE NEW DAWN

Everyone, but most of all, the members of our own community, spend their lives in a frantic search for love. We are always searching for the one perfect person who will fulfill our every dream of love. When we fail to find this person, often we become angry and bitter. Then we may make others around us suffer in our anger.

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### GLCS MEETING SCHEDULED

The Gay and Lesbian Community Services of Tucson will have its next meeting Tuesday, Nov. 4, at the MCC church building, located at 349 W. 35th St. (on the corner of 35th and 10th Ave.) The meeting is open to all interested persons. 44

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