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GAY PRIDE WEEK



TUCSON - On June 29, 1969, police began a routing raid at the Stonewall Inn, a Gay bar on Christopher Street in New York City. For the first time in recent history, police got more than they bargained for - hundreds of Gay men and Lesbians fought back, re-kindling the current Gay civil rights movement in this country.

The Christopher Street/Stonewall riots are commemorated each year in cities across the United States (and around the world) with parades, street carnivals, political rallies and other demonstrations of Gay Pride, renewing the determination of Lesbians and Gay men to secure their basic human rights - supposedly guaranteed to all Americans.

This year, the Gay community of Tucson will celebrate GAY PRIDE '78 with a rip-roarin' picnic at Himmel Park, this Sunday, June 25 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Every Gay organization and many Gay businessmen have contributed to make this a real celebration of Gay Pride. Ric Wilson is acting as coordinator for the big project.

The picnic will be a non-structured affair with everyone doing their "own thing." A softball diamond has been rented for those who want to play ball. Volleyball is also on the agenda and there will be "non-competitive" games as well. If none of these strikes your fancy, bring your own game. Bring food for yourself or more if you wish to share. The Gay Students Organization (GSO) will be providing liquid refreshments in the soft drink line. They would like a small donation to help defray the costs of the drinks they are providing. The four Gay bars, Back Pocket-Joshua Tree, Jekyll's Last Culture, Graduate and Hair Tiz have each contributed a keg of beer.

Because of the informal atmosphere of the picnic, it is difficult to say what other activities will be available but there surely will be some musicians (if you're a musician, feel free to join in), some improvisational dancing and maybe even a little body painting. A very large crowd is expected to join in on a fun day of exercising, lolling around, meeting new people from different segments of the Gay community.

The picnic area will be located in the Northeast corner of Himmel Park, located one block south of Speedway at Tucson Boulevard and 1st Street. A voters registration table will be available. If you would like to make any kind of a donation or need further information call Ric Wilson at 624-4544 evenings. After a hectic year that has seen much pro and con regarding Gay Rights, this is a day to let off steam, relax and enjoy each other in a true spirit of GAY PRIDE!

PHOENIX - The Phoenix Gay Community is planning its celebration of Gay Pride Week '78 during June 24 through 30. Gay Pride Week has always been an expression of awareness and unity among gay people in cities around the country. Phoenix has joined, for a second year, cities such as San Francisco, Chicago, and New York in a show of unity and strength. This year's Gay Pride Week's kickoff event will be a picnic sponsored by Sunday's Childe, a gay service organization, at Encanto Park, 15th Avenue and Encanto. The picnic area is located east of the swimming pool. Beer will be free but bring your own food. There will be a free raffle during the picnic with prizes drawn hourly, continuous volleyball games and information tables. That's Saturday, June 24 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 25, starts out with an interfaith service at M.C.C. at 11 a.m. The service will be held at 4035 E. McDowell Rd. From 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Sunday, Free Spirit will be holding an art show and art auction at the Phoenix Civic Plaza in the Prescott Room. The Civic Plaza is located at 3rd street and Washington. The art auction will begin at 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Monday night, June 26, Sunday's Childe will host Pizza Night at the Organ Stop Pizza Parlor. The dinner will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at 5330 N. 7th Street. Following Organ Stop, at 9 p.m., the Imperial Court de Arizona will hold its annual Coronation Ball at Hisco Disco 3839 N. 16th Street. The Ball will be a little different this year with live entertainment and a costume contest.

C.C.R. will be having a Barbeque at North Mountain Park from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 27. C.C.R. has promised free beer, hot dogs and live music for everyone there.

A forum on homosexuality will be held at the Johnson Room of the Unitarian Church at 4027 E. Lincoln Drive on Wednesday. Panelists include Dr. Dean Mitchell, a Phoenix psychologist, Dr. Draffan McBride, a gay pediatrician, and Jay Myers, chairperson of Free Spirit. The forum will begin at 7 p.m. Later that evening, Sunday's Childe is hosting a Rocky Horror Get-Together at Miss Matty's Attic. The party will start at 8 p.m. at 3241 E. Shea Blvd. Rocky Horror fans are invited to wear costumes.

Gay Pride Week culminates on June 29 with the M.C.C. Memorial Service honoring the gays who died in action for the cause, the Stonewall riots (June, 1969), and the New Orleans M.C.C. firebombing. The service will be at 4035 E. McDowell Rd. at 7:30 p.m. Also, on Thursday, Phoenix Levi and Leather in cooperation with Sons of Apollo will be having a Barbeque at the Connection, 4211 N. 7th Street.

The Razzle Dazzle Daze Company will be putting on a benefit at Diamond Lil's Friday, June 30. This last event for Gay Pride Week will be a totally new show with some new talent and all new numbers. All the tips which the performers receive will go to fight the Briggs Initiative in California. The Briggs Initiative states that anyone who is a homosexual or presumed to be a homosexual will be fired from a job dealing with children. This includes teachers, nurses, lifeguards, any job where the people may have contact with children. We must fight this initiative. So be at Diamond Lil's at 8:30 on Friday, June 30 for a fun evening and to help our cause.



News Briefs

SAN FRANCISCO (BAR) - Ethel Merman doubts that her counterpart Anita Bryant "helps anything by her anti-Gay stand". She recently told San Francisco reporters that people ought to "do what they want to do. Some of my best friends are homosexual."

Although it has not been established that former FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover, now deceased, was homosexual, Merman stated, "Everyone knew about him but he was the best chief the FBI ever had." Merman explained, "Well a lot of people have always been homosexual. Now they're out of the closet. To each his own. They don't bother me. I don't bother them. It's not anybody's business what people do. If they want to be Gay, let them be Gay."

LOS ANGELES (GCN) - Mayor Tom Bradley of Los Angeles met with the heads of thirty different Gay groups at city hall recently. Don Amador, the Mayor's liaison with the Gay community, arranged the meeting with groups representing Gay seniors, Black and Latino Gay people, teens and political groups. The meeting was an outgrowth of the First Tuesday meetings, a monthly council of Gay organizations that have been assembling for the last two years.

One of the items addressed to Mayor Bradley concerned his visibility in the Gay community; he promised to visit the Gay Community Center later this month, the first of other visits to Gay places. In response to a concern for the police misquotations on child molestation and Gay people, the Mayor asked Don Amador to write a report on the subject. Asked about the Briggs initiative, Bradley said he hadn't said much on the subject before because he didn't want to call attention to it, but now that it was an issue, he would be speaking out against it.

Gay Pride



LOS ANGELES (BAR) - State investigators are probing the relationship between various campaign and initiative committees which Senator John Briggs controls. The State Attorney General's office is concerned about \$317,956 that the senator borrowed from the anti-Gay California Defend Our Children group to help his ill-fated attempt to be governor. His campaign reports also reveal that he borrowed \$63,250 from his Citizens for an Effective Death Penalty Initiative committee. Defend Our Children was the funding agent for qualifying of the ban on Gay school employees initiative that will be on the November ballot in California.

State law restricts the use of money donated to initiative drives while allowing for a more liberal use of campaign funds. It appears to state attorneys that Briggs violated the law in order to bolster his flagging gubernatorial campaign. Although Briggs "borrowed" the money, such debts from one committee to another are frequently forgotten after elections. State law is emphatic in that money from initiative drives cannot be used for other purposes.

MADISON, WI. (GayLife) - Reacting in part to the repeal of Gay rights ordinances in other cities, a coalition of Madison citizens has started a petition drive to show support for that city's Gay rights ordinance. The petitions will have no legal effect but will show support for the ordinance and will hopefully prevent any effort to repeal it. Rev. Wayne Dillabaugh, pastor of the North Port Baptist Church is organizing a drive to repeal the ordinance and also has promised to reveal homosexuals in politics.

ANN ARBOR, MI. (GAYSWEEK) - The FBI has admitted spying on Ann Arbor's Gay Liberation Front in 1970 and 1971 according to documents released recently in a Freedom of Information request. In a front page story in the University of Michigan student newspaper, long time Gay activist Jim Toy stated that he had thought the FBI was surveilling his activities. "We were pretty sure we were being watched," he said.

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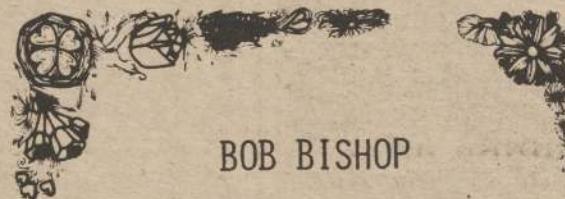
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Section 11-17 of the City Code prohibits loitering in or frequenting drinking establishments between the hours of 1:15 a.m. and 6 a.m. on any weekday or between 1:15 a.m. and 12 noon on Sunday.

Section 11-18 prohibits individual owners, operators, managers or employees from permitting the general public to loiter or frequent such places between the hours enumerated in Section 11-17.

These sections will be strictly enforced by the Tucson Police Department.

You are further given notice that there are no State statutory or City Code provisions allowing the operation of "After Hour Establishments" and the Tucson Police Department recognizes no authority to operate such "After Hour Establishments" in violation of Sections 11-17 or 11-18 of the Tucson City Code.

TUCSON POLICE DEPT.

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- ...Sonny was recently seen lying under an organ with her mouth open.
- ...Between Cherly and Cindy, no one at the Full Moon can figure out how many closets there are at that bar.
- ...Hey Teach, why do your eyes get so red during breaks at the Unlimited?
- ...Ask either Mo or Mary - what is it that when cut in half still fills a hole?
- ...What's this about B.J. being someone's Jewish mother?
- ...Sunny stands up more than she shows up.
- ...Toni at the Full Moon recently had a Mellow Monday!
- ...Ask Sandi at the Unlimited what's good for her and has no calories!
- ...A special Happy Birthday to toothpick Toni!
- ...Bronson, a certain someone wants to know who's #1 in the Bowling League.
- ...Is it true, Shirley and Marian, Encante Park is great?
- ...Diane gives out wrong numbers.
- ...Jenny is a whiz in a boxing ring. Not bad in rear windows, either!
- ...If our favorite owner of the Unlimited doesn't stop losing weight, she'll disappear.
- ...There's someone at the Unlimited who wants to swat more than flies!
- ...Rosie's are red, aren't they, Virgo?
- ...To whom it may concern: Teri still has chicken in her refrigerator.
- ...Check out the new shower curtains at the Full Moon.
- ...This month's the second month anniversary of Butch not beating up her truck.
- ...Teri swears she'll never go on vacation again!
- ...Melonie drinks Vodka-Sevens faster than a speeding bullet!
- ...Brookshire's really hops on Saturday nights.
- ...Many of us here in Phoenix had to wish Annie Greensprings a sad farewell. Best wishes in Texas, Annie!

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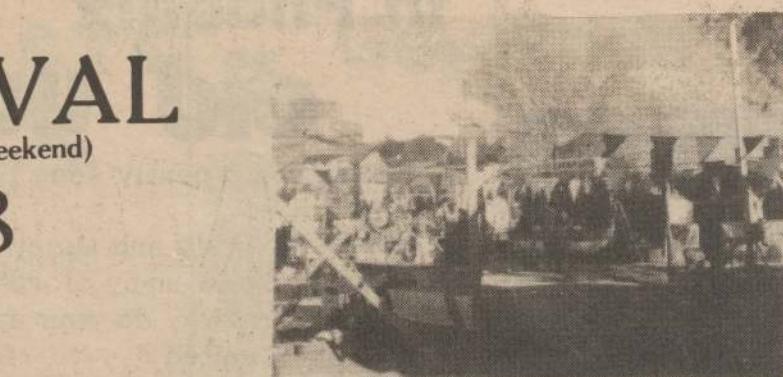


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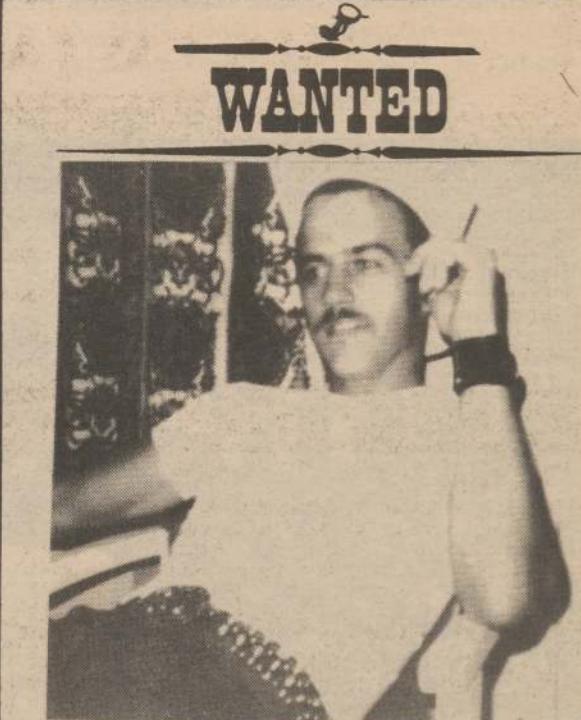
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A man going by the name of Bill Weren or Warren, about 39 (looks younger), brown hair, scar on his nose, about 5'9" and about 160 pounds arrived in Tucson about two weeks ago. He has been to Tucson before. He made an acquaintance with a group from Los Angeles who were going to Texas for a few days. He went along with the group and spent a couple of days in Houston with them. After gaining the party's confidence, he asked to borrow their van to go on an errand. He hasn't been seen since. There was over \$2,000 worth of clothing, camping equipment and tools in the van which was a brand new 1977 red Dodge van. Houston police have been notified and a warrant issued.

Subsequent checking by AGN reveals that Mr. Weren has several robberies on his record including two other car thefts that we have ascertained. He arrived in Tucson in a stolen vehicle from San Francisco.

If anyone reading this recognizes this individual, contact your local FBI, or University Park Police in Houston or your local police. Under no circumstances loan him your car keys.

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thursday

BACK POCKET - CHUCK WAGON LUNCHES 11:30 AM - 2 PM - COCKTAIL HOUR 5-8 PM.
DIGNITY - GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING - MEMBERS ONLY - 7451 N. ROSARIO CIRCLE.
GAY AA - LIVE & LET LIVE - 2460 N. DODGE IN LIBRARY AT 8:30 PM.
GRADUATE - OPENS AT NOON EVERY DAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT.
HAIR TIZ - GUEST BARTENDERS - JERRY & SWEDE
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 - "CABARET SHOW" LIVE AT 8:30 PM THEN
DISCO FROM 10:30 PM TILL 1 AM.
JOSHUA TREE - OPENS 8 PM - DANCING - NO COVER OR MINIMUM
PARENTS OF GAYS - THURSDAY 7 PM - CALL 844-9920 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT WITH PETE BEHIND THE BAR.

friday

BACK POCKET - CHUCK WAGON LUNCHES 11:30 AM - 2 PM - COCKTAIL HOUR 5-8 PM
NOOK OPEN + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +
GRADUATE - OPENS AT NOON EVERYDAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT.
HAIR TIZ - OPENS AT 9 AM WITH COCKTAIL HOUR PRICES EVERYDAY 4 - 7 PM.
INTEGRITY - RAP GROUP 7 PM - CALL 624-4544 FOR INFORMATION.
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 - DISCO STARTS 9 PM TILL 1 AM.
JOSHUA TREE - OPENS 8 PM - DANCING - NO COVER OR MINIMUM.
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT EVERY NIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

saturday

BACK POCKET - OPENS AT 11 AM FOR COCKTAILS - NOOK OPEN + + + + +
DIGNITY - WORK ON NEWSLETTER AT JOHN'S - 927 N. 6TH AVENUE.
GRADUATE - OPENS AT NOON EVERYDAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT.
HAIR TIZ - OPENS AT 9 AM WITH COCKTAIL HOUR PRICES EVERYDAY 4 - 7 PM.
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 - DISCO STARTS 9 PM TILL 1 AM.
JOSHUA TREE - OPENS 8 PM - DANCING - NO COVER OR MINIMUM.
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT EVERY NIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

sunday

GAY PRIDE PICNIC - 10 AM - HIMMEL PARK - FREE BEER - GAMES
NOON BACK POCKET OPENS
GRADUATE OPENS WITH 25¢ DRAFT
4:00 JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE OPENS WITH COCKTAIL PRICES TILL 7 PM
HAIR TIZ G-A-Y P-R-I-D-E W-E-E-K C-E-L-E-B-R-A-T-I-O-N STARTS
WITH COCKTAIL HOUR PRICES TILL 7 PM PLUS THE BEGINNING OF THE FRESH
FRUIT DAIRYRIS FROM 4 TO 6 PM 75¢ FOR THE SUMMER MONTHS.
6:00 "STEAK OUT B.B.Q. TILL 8 PM BACK POCKET - CROTCH WATCH 6 TO 8 PM
6:30 MCC - SERVIES AT 739 E. 5TH STREET
8:00 BEER BUST TILL 1 AM AT BACK POCKET
8:30 "CABARET SHOW" LIVE AT JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE
10:00 BARE CHEST NIGHT TILL MIDNIGHT AT BACK POCKET
10:30 DISCO TILL 1 AM AT JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE
12:00 TOOLE BOX OPENS AT MIDNIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

monday

BACK POCKET - CHUCK WAGON LUNCHES 11:30 AM - 2 PM - COCKTAIL HOUR 5-8 PM.
GRADUATE - OPENS AT NOON EVERYDAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT.
HAIR TIZ - COCKTAIL HOUR PRICES EVERYDAY 4 - 7 PM.
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 - DISCO 10 PM - 1 AM - SPAGHETTI FEAST
6 - 9 PM ALL YOU CAN EAT \$1.50 - 8 PM MOVIE: THE CHILDREN'S HOUR
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT EVERY NIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

tuesday

BACK POCKET - CHUCK WAGON LUNCHES 11:30 AM - 2 PM - COCKTAIL HOUR 5-8 PM.
GRADUATE - G-A-Y P-R-I-D-E W-E-E-K C-E-L-E-B-R-A-T-I-O-N - BEER BUST
ALL DAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT AND AT 7:30 TIL CLOSE 60¢ WELL & 55¢ BOTTLES.
HAIR TIZ - COCKTAIL HOUR PRICES EVERY DAY 4 - 7 PM.
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 "CABARET SHOW" LIVE AT 8:30 DISCO FROM
10:30 - 1 AM.
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT EVERY NIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

wednesday

BACK POCKET - G-A-Y P-R-I-D-E W-E-E-K C-E-L-E-B-R-A-T-I-O-N - OLD
FASHIONED BEER BLAST FOR GAY PRIDE WEEK - 1ST DRAFT \$1 THEN EACH BEER 10¢
CHUCK WAGON LUNCHES 11:30 AM - 2 PM - COCKTAIL HOUR 5 TO 3 PM.
GRADUATE - OPENS AT NOON EVERYDAY WITH 25¢ DRAFT.
HAIR TIZ - "WASTED WEDNESDAY" 4 PM TIL CLOSING - 60¢ WELL - 55¢ BOTTLE &
50¢ DRAFT.
JEKYLL'S-LAST CULTURE - G-A-Y P-R-I-D-E W-E-E-K C-E-L-E-B-R-A-T-I-O-N
FREE HORS D'OEUVRE FROM 7:30 PM PLUS "HAPPY KNIGHT" 4 PM TO 1 AM WITH
HAPPY HOUR PRICES ALL EVENING - DISCO FROM 9 PM TO 1 AM.
JOSHUA TREE - JOINS BACK POCKET IN CELEBRATION OF GAY PRIDE WEEK AT 8 PM WITH
DANCING - NO MINIMUM AND NO COVER.
TOOLE BOX - OPENS AT MIDNIGHT WITH FREE MOVIES + + + + +

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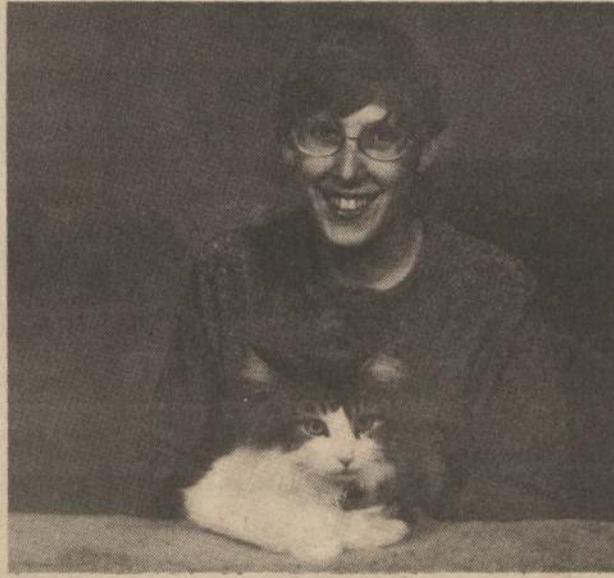
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Perspective



PHOENIX - There are those people in the Gay community who work, study, speak, raise money, educate, and in general, try to make a better life for themselves. In the process of their hard work they indirectly if not directly affect us all. Bj Bud is one such individual.

There are very few people in the Phoenix Gay community who could show us an accomplished resume as Ms. Bud. A midwest transplant, Bj became involved in the Gay community needs 2½ years ago as social director of Founders (Free Spirit). She remained there until August of '76 when approximately a dozen people started Sunday's Childe (a social organization established as an alternative to the bars). She became treasurer and served as the driving force to keep it operational for two years.

She also has worked or is working in several leadership capacities in the community:

Director of the Arizona Gay Community Council '77

Planning Board of Phoenix Gay Pride Week '77

Board Member of Information Network '78

Steering Board Member and Deputy Registrar Head (C.C.R)

'78

Phoenix Coordinator and major fund raiser for the Tucson Human Rights Rally '78

Planning Board of Gay Pride Week '78

Along with the above she takes the time to get involved in other groups and charities such as N.O.W., Free Spirit, Special Olympics, M.D., etc.

Bj describes herself as a "lesbian activist" because she says she is a "woman and Gay". She is open about her sexuality at home, work, or where ever she goes. She has had no problems and expects none from her friends or associates. "Those people who liked me before they found out I was Gay - still do, those who didn't - still don't."

Seeing the Gay movement in a difficult stage, most of our discussions centered around the future and today. She feels the biggest problem within the community is apathy. Bj also feels that the right wing extremists are a danger to the Gay community as well as to other groups. While believing that no one would be "stupid enough to pass laws that would put Gays in jail," she responds to the California Brigg's Initiative saying, "I can't believe they actually got signatures for it." In speaking of the Tucson Gay Rights Ordinance, Bj feels that it will not be repealed, mainly because of Beverly Ginn, whom she describes as a "miracle worker".

It is very hard in a few paragraphs to bring out all the activities and involvements of those who are really heavily involved. Bj works, maintains a healthy relationship with her lover, keeps up a house, and stays busy to insure the lifestyles of herself and others. Her plans - "stay active". her advice - "get involved!"

Gays and Baptists Collide at Parley

ATLANTA — They came resplendent in Sunday School finery, about 20,000 Baptist parents and children, many clasping Bibles and hymnals as they walked in. Alongside their path barricaded by police, were 1800 boisterous homosexual demonstrators, some arm-in-arm as they hoisted anti-Anita Bryant placards and chanted "Two, four, six, eight, we don't over-populate. Put it all together on opening night of the 121st annual Southern Baptist Convention, Sunday, June 11, and you had two of America's most distinctive cultures on a collision course.

Dozens of police managed to suppress even the remotest hint of violence. But the sneers, the stares, the glances, the homemade signs and the strong words spoke loudest for the rival groups, who warily eyed — even photographed — each other like species from two different planets.

"The Constitution of the United States, and not the Bible, is the law of this country," James Moody an Atlanta Gay Activist, told a rally outside an exhibition hall where Anita Bryant spoke and sang. "Anita Bryant, we will follow you everywhere!" said Ron Kilgore, who represented the University of Georgia Committee on Gay Education. "You have increased hatred in this world." Undaunted by the reversals of several Gay Rights Ordinances The Gays raised their voices — and their placard signs. "Gay, Straight, Black, White: Same Struggle, Same Fight," one sign read. "Jesus Does Not Discriminate" and "Stalin, Hitler, KKK, Idi Amin, Anita" were on other signs.

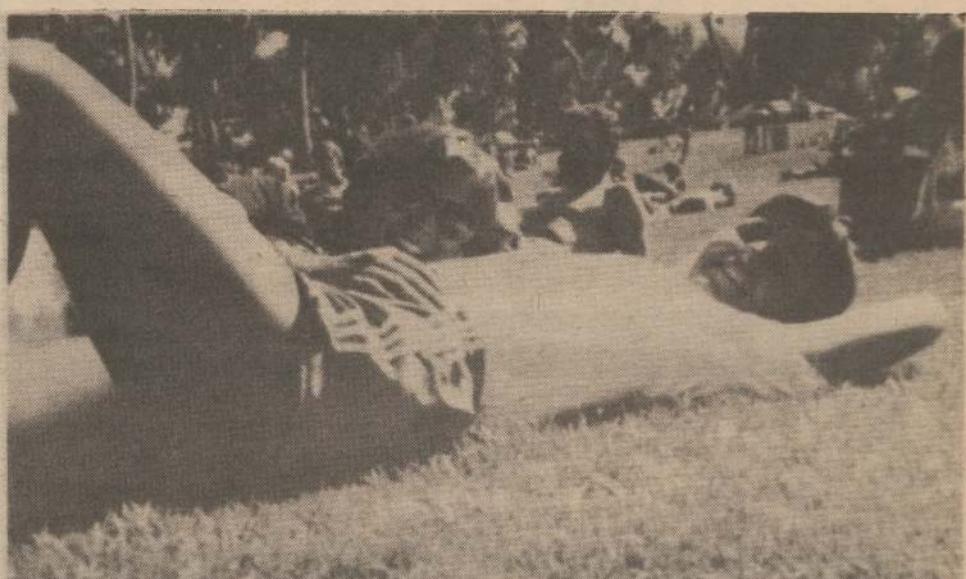
"We are staring at the shadow of the 1950's being revived and revamped — and not for our benefit," Marie Dolan, a self-described defiant lesbian, told the crowd. "The straight, white Christian businessmen who control the money and power in this country are trying to put their dead hands over the throats of any and all people who are not like themselves or who do not fit into the neat passive consumer and breeder of more passive consumers and breeders."

Nearby, the homosexual demonstrators were greeted by counterprotesters, most of them from the Southern Baptist Convention, which has strongly condemned homosexuality on Biblical grounds.

ATTENTION OUT OF TOWN GUESTS TO CARNIVAL '78

TUCSON — Carnival '78 being held at Back Pocket/Joshua Tree complex June 30 and July 1 welcomes out-of-town visitors. Should anyone require housing for overnight arrangements can be made to put you up in various homes in the Tucson area. Call "put-up" hotline in Tucson 622-1286 or 622-6233. Your opportunity to have a great time at the Carnival '78 and stay with new friends.

Gay Pride



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3 states look into mass homosexual kidnap

NEW YORK (AP) - Authorities in Connecticut, New York and Massachusetts are investigating reports that hundreds of young homosexuals from New York City have been abducted or lured to New England, tortured and, some of them murdered. In West Springfield, Mass., authorities are holding Kenneth A. Appleby in lieu of \$75,000 bail on a kidnap warrant from New York. Authorities in New York are investigating allegations that Appleby lured several young homosexuals to New England.

For 2½ days, police dug up Appleby's backyard in search of bodies. They only found rotten clothing and a dog carcass on the 3½ acre tract. Inside Appleby's dilapidated shanty police said they found chains, leg irons, clubs and a voodoo doll.

In a New York City Police Department intelligence report, Appleby is referred to as the "Oberst," which in German means "Colonel." According to the report, which details three alleged abductions dating to last October, Appleby says he heads an international Nazi organization.

One complainant in the New York police intelligence report alleged that he was "drugged, assaulted, handcuffed and forced to keep notes of "The Oberst's" ideas. He said that Appleby told him "that bodies were buried in the cesspool and near the barn." Police, however, said they had dug near the cesspool and several sheds and found no bodies.

The original complainant to New York authorities said Appleby forced him to assist in another kidnapping. According to the police report, the victim of that kidnapping confirmed the incident had occurred during October 1977, alleging he was "assaulted, imprisoned and sexually attacked." Another man told police that while being solicited by Appleby on May 2, he was shown a photo of the original complainant, saying that he "would go the way of the others."

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Summertime has come to my city, 110 degrees and all. It does not seem to have slowed my friends down very much, as observe all the following items. This is one time of year when my fiery nest is cooler than the streets of Phoenix, so I endeavor to stay close to home as much as possible. (I did try once to use a swamp cooler in my nest, but all I got was s-s-s-steam!

BAR STRUTTING: For those of you who have overstayed the meeting of the T.G.I.F. Club meeting, Palmer of the 307 has the ideal answer: "Come to the Saturday Morning Recovery Society gathering, and I'll soothe those jangled nerves." Palmer donates the first drink free to those in need (and who isn't?) every Saturday morning from 8:00 a.m. till Noon. . .

.... For those who haven't been to the Unlimited lately, better check out their dinner offerings. Not just sandwiches but also a full dinner menu with steak, lobster, etc., all at reasonable prices. Those of you on the west side (and the east side too), have you met that cute bartender at the Branding Iron West yet? His name is Gene, he works the late afternoons, and he'll knock your socks off! Whoops, almost forgot! Palmer and the 307 is having a June Babies Party on June 25th (good grief, that's going to be a busy week) with a free buffet and specials. Even if your birthday isn't in June, you'll be welcome, and watch for a birdthday party during your month. Better check the Phoenix Calendar for coming attractions at the Sportsman. Things are looking up there!

CLUB FOOTERS: We're not sure what the deadline for the Salt River Canyon Steak-Out Run, sponsored by the Sons of Apollo, is, but if you would like to stake yourself to a real meaty day, better contact the Ramrod as soon as you read this. Tariff is \$5.00, and there is likely to be plenty of transportation available if you act fast. The boys will gather at the Ramrod at 8:30 and leave at 9:00 Sunday morning (6/25). On Gay Pride Day, Thursday the 29th, the S.O.A. and the Phoenix Levi-Leather Club are serving up a Chicken BBQ at the Connection. For \$1.75, you will get one half of a delectable chicken, corn-on-the-cob, salad and dessert. Also the boys are asking that you bring any old serviceable clothing that can be donated to a Rest Home whose patients cannot afford clothing. They don't exactly run around naked, but due to their financial status, they are pretty desperate.

OFF THE TAIL FEATHER: This is history, but it must not go unnoticed: The battlers at the Talk of the Town recently raised almost \$2000 for Jerry's Kids. Surely they deserve a standing ovation for their energy and devotion, as well as generosity. It is the Bird's opinion that M.D. is a good and worthy cause. There may even be gay victims out there who need these monies. We only hope that the Gay communities will show equal generosity when it comes time to donate time, energy and cash to fight for the lives of their own rights. We must not burn ourselves out, only to fall back exhausted, unable to support the groups who are busy working to ensure our freedoms. Sunday's Childe, Free Spirit and the C.C.R. need equal support from all of us, or we won't have the abilities to work for Jerry's Kids or any other charity. . . . Just one other thing: Almost all of the bars, baths and organizations have donated something to insure the success of Gay Pride Week coming up. There is no way we have room to list each and every donor and donation in this issue, but I am going to make a special effort to thank them all personally. I suggest you do the same, for they're on your side!

RANDOM DROPPINGS: Who was it that needed the Roto-Rooter man at the Club Phoenix the other day? And while I am on the subject of the happy and healthful hermitage, let me extend best wishes to the new manager, Robin, and a tip of the tail feather to his new policy of \$2 lockers (at all times). Womansplace Book Store is sponsoring a Volleyball team for the Gay Pride picnic. Have they any challengers?? Will anybody dare?? Daytime Mike of the Ramrod: if you smile at me like that one more time, I am going to have an orgasm.

PHOENIX GAY CALENDAR

friday

BRANDING IRON WEST (THREE X'S) T.G.I.F. CLUB 9 PM - 1 AM - DRAFT 25¢ WELL 75¢.
BOARDWALK - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
CASA BLANCA - ALL NEW SUMMER REVIEW - SHOWTIME 9:45 TILL CLOSING.
DIAMOND LIL'S - LIVE SHOW STARTS AT 9 PM.
HIS CO. DISCO - OPENS 8 PM - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
RAMROD - SON'S NIGHT 9-11 PM - BOTTLES & CANS 50¢ - DRAFT & SOFT DRINKS 30¢.
SPORTSMAN - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - DISCO 9 PM - 1 AM.
307 - DOUBLE TEQUILLA DRINKS (SUNRISE'S - COLLINS) \$1.50 FROM 5 TO 7 PM.
UNLIMITED - SOLAR ENERGY 9 PM - 1 AM.

saturday

G-A-Y P-R-I-D-E W-E-E-K B-E-G-I-N-S - J-U-L-Y 2-4 T-O 3-0.
BOARDWALK - PEOPLE & PERSONS BOWLING BANQUET 6-10 PM - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
CASA BLANCA - ALL NEW SUMMER REVIEW - SHOWTIME 9:45 TILL CLOSING.
CONNECTION - BLOODY MARY'S 65¢ NOON TO 6 PM - POOL TOURNAMENT.
DIAMOND LIL'S - LIVE SHOW STARTS AT 9 PM.
HIS CO. DISCO - OPENS 8 PM - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
MISS MATTY'S ATTIC - BOBBY SOCKS 'N GREASE PARTY - 9 PM.
NU TOWNE SALOON - POOL TOURNAMENT - 2 PM (GUARANTEED \$25 Winnings)
RAMROD - BEER BUST - 5-8 PM - BOTTLES & CANS 50¢ - DRAFT & SOFT DRINKS 30¢.
SPORTSMAN - BEER BUST 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT \$1.75 - AFTER HOURS TILL 3 AM.
SUNDAY'S CHILDE - PICNIC & FAIR AT ENCANTO PARK - FREE BEER - 11 AM - 6 PM.
307 - FIRST DRINK ON PALMER - 8 AM TO NOON - DOUBLE TEQUILLA \$1.50 5-7 PM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - DISCO 9 PM TO 1 AM.
UNLIMITED - SOLAR ENERGY 9 PM TO 1 AM.

sunday

BOARDWALK - BRUNCH 2 PM TO 6 PM \$1.
BRANDING IRON WEST (THREE X'S) - GAY PRIDE SPECIAL - DRAFT 15¢ - WELL 60¢.
CASA BLANCA - ALL NEW SUMMER REVIEW - SHOWTIME 9:45 PM TO CLOSING.
CONNECTION - DRAFT 25¢ & WELL 50¢ NOON - 6 PM - CHILI DOGS 1 PM TILL ??-??.
DIAMOND LIL'S - BEER BUST & DISCO FROM 9 PM.
FORUM-BOARDWALK - MR. FORUM CONTEST BEGINS AT 6 PM.
FREE SPIRIT ART SHOW - PHOENIX CIVIC PLAZA - PRESCOTT ROOM - 3RD & WASHINGTON.
FULL MOON - WHITE RUSSIANS - \$1 FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
M.C.C. - INTERFAITH SERVICE - 11 AM AT 4035 E. MC DOWELL ROAD.
NU TOWNE SALOON - BRUNCH - NOON TO 4 PM.
RAMROD - SON'S OF APOLLO SALT RIVER CANYON STEAK OUT RUN - LV RAMROD 9 AM.
RAMROD - SON'S OF APOLLO SALT RIVER CANYON STEAK OUT RUN - LV RAMROD 9 AM.
BEER BUST 5 TO 8 PM BOTTLES & CANS 40¢ - DRAFT & SOFT DRINKS 35¢.
SPORTSMAN - BEER BUST 5 TO 10 PM - \$1.75.
307 - JUNE BABIES PARTY - FREE BUFFET AND DRINK SPECIALS.
TALK OF THE TOWN - BRUNCH 1 PM TO 4 PM.
UNLIMITED - WOMEN'S POOL TOURNAMENT AT 5 PM.

monday

BRANDING IRON WEST (THREE X'S) - BEER BUST 9 PM - 1 AM - \$1.50.
CASA BLANCA - WHISPER NIGHT.
CONNECTION - WHITE LIQUOR SALE - 75¢ FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
DIAMOND LIL'S - 2 FERS - 4 PM TO 7 PM.
FORUM - BEER BUST 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
FREE SPIRIT - COFFEE HOUSE - 8 PM AT 11034 N. 23RD DR. # 109.
FULL MOON - WINE COOLERS - 75¢ FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
HIS CO. DISCO - IMPERIAL COURT CORONATION - COSTUME CONTEST & ENTERTAINMENT.
MISS MATTY'S ATTIC - ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT 4 PM TO 7 PM - DOUBLES \$1.
NU TOWNE SALOON - BEER BUST - 9 PM TO 1 AM \$1.
RAMROD - FREE POOL & MUSIC - NOON TO 4 PM.
SUNDAY'S CHILDE - PIZZA NIGHT - ORGAN STOP - 5330 N. 7TH ST. 6 PM TO 9 PM.
307 - DOUBLE TEQUILLA DRINKS (SUNRISE'S - COLLINS) \$1.50 FROM 5 TO 7 PM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - COMFORTABLE MONDAY - COMFORT SHOTS 75¢.
UNLIMITED - HAPPY HOUR 4-7 PM - BEER BUST 7-10 PM - \$1.25.

tuesday

CCR BARBECUE - NORTH MOUNTAIN PARK - FREE BEER & HOT DOGS - MUSIC.
CASA BLANCA - BEER BUST & SPECIAL EVENTS NIGHT 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
CONNECTION - MARGARITA'S - 50¢ A GLASS OR \$1.69 A PITCHER FROM 9 TO MIDNIGHT.
FULL MOON - 69'ER SCREWDRIVERS (+ 1¢ HANDLING) 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
HIS CO. DISCO - BEER BUST - 8 PM TO 1 AM.
MISS MATTY'S ATTIC - "A CATERED AFFAIR" 6:30-9:30 PM - RESERVATIONS 996-6460.
RAMROD - FREE POOL & MUSIC - NOON TO 4 PM.
307 - DOUBLE TEQUILLA DRINKS (SUNRISE'S - COLLINS) \$1.50 - 5 PM TO 7 PM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - SPECIALS - 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT - TEQUILLA DRINKS.
UNLIMITED - HAPPY HOUR 4 PM TO 7 PM.

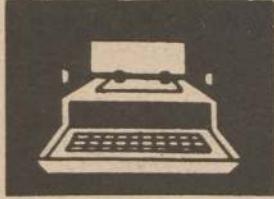
wednesday

BRANDING IRON WEST (THREE X'S) - WELL DRINKS 75¢ - DRAFT 25¢ 9 PM TO 1 AM.
CASA BLANCA - SHOWTIME SHAMBLES - 10 PM TO 1 AM.
CONNECTION - BEER BUST - 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
DIAMOND LIL'S - HAPPY HOUR - 4 PM TILL CLOSING.
FORUM-BOARDWALK - ITALIAN NIGHT - BEER BUST 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
FULL MOON - BEER BUST - DRAFT BEER 30¢ FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
HOMOSEXUALITY FORUM - UNITARIAN CHURCH - JOHNSON ROOM - 4027 E. LINCOLN DR.
SPORTSMAN - BEER BLAST - ALL YOU CAN DRINK \$1.75 FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
SUNDAY'S CHILDE - ROCKY HORROR GATHERING AT MISS MATTY'S ATTIC 8 PM - 1 AM.
307 - DOUBLE TEQUILLA DRINKS (SUNRISE'S - COLLINS) \$1.50 FROM 5 TO 7 PM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - BOOZE BASH \$3 FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
SWIM & SEA CLUB - C-A-S-H D-R-A-W-I-N-G \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
UNLIMITED - HAPPY HOUR 4 TO 7 PM - 2 FOR 1 WELL FROM 7 TO 10 PM.

thursday

CASA BLANCA - MINI-BEER BUST - 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
CONNECTION - BARE CHEST NIGHT - ALL DRINKS HALF PRICE.
DIAMOND LIL'S - BEER BUST - \$1.50 FOR ALL YOU CAN DRINK FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
FORUM - BOOZE BASH - \$3 + 25¢ FOR WELL DRINKS.
FREE SPIRIT - RAP GROUP 7:30 PM AT 815 S. FORREST - TEMPE.
FULL MOON - SOUTHERN COMFORT 75¢ FROM 9 PM TO MIDNIGHT.
HIS CO. DISCO - OPENS 8 PM FOR DISCO DANCING.
M.C.C. - MEMORIAL SERVICE AT 7:30 PM - 4035 E. MC DOWELL RD.
MISS MATTY'S ATTIC - \$1.50 FOR ALL THE BEER YOU CAN DRINK FROM 9 PM TO 12 PM.
PHOENIX LEVI-LEATHER CLUB AND SONS OF APOLLO - BARBECUE AT THE CONNECTION.
RAMROD - FREE MUSIC & POOL - NOON TO 4 PM.
307 - DOUBLE TEQUILLA DRINKS (SUNRISE'S - COLLINS) \$1.50 FROM 5 TO 7 PM.
TALK OF THE TOWN - BEER BUST - \$1.50 FOR ALL YOU CAN DRINK FROM 9 TO 12 PM.
UNLIMITED - SURPRISE BOOZE SALE 8 PM TILL MIDNIGHT - SOLAR ENERGY 9 PM - 1 AM.

Well, I must fly along for now. I am lunching at the top of the Valley National Bank building. I can primp and comb my feathers all the way up, thanks to those lovely mirrored walls. (I once flew by a bit boozed up and scared myself out of a century's growth!) I am not dining at the Golden Eagle (which is strictly for the birds, but not this bird!). I am partaking on the real roof, where my favorite chef Pierre is preparing my favorite birdseed omelette right on the deck under the baking sun. How's that for energy conservation?



Letters to the editor

Dear Editor:

I'm good and tired about people worried about certain columns saying this and saying that about Lesbians and Bisexuals. Well, let me say that rather than being worried about such petty stuff, we should join together and do something worth while. I've been here in Tucson for 1 year and all I've ever seen in this year is fights and competition between everyone - Gay and straight - male female and everyone. Instead of bitching about what is jokingly said about everyone and being worried about Dear Blabby (whom, may I say, has done more than most people in this town). We should take the example of Phoenix in conjunction with M.D. and other Gay organizations, has raised so much money.

Tucson has done nothing, as usual, but I refuse to help when last year, I worked my butt off to help do something along with all the other so-called drag queens in this town, who in three hours of a show and 17 hours of work raised with the help of mostly Gay girls and some Gay men, who by the way, bitched about two drag queens taking the money they worked for and the money they made in the show, \$760. No Gay man or woman organized it, we tried in everyway. I've tried everything possible, I never worked in a town where so many people, with so much to give, can't get their stuff together. There is so much to offer in Tucson but very little togetherness.

The most togetherness I've ever seen was at the Anita Bryant rally. I was never as proud of anything as I was that night; but now I look at what we have done and what we can do and I really have to cry, for I feel there is too much fighting and not enough of being together and standing up for each other, male or female or anything. Who cares what we are? We are all in the same boat. Please let's get our shit together. We need it now.

Lady Casondra
aka Anne Furthermore
aka Don Dold

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GCS Tucson Alive and well! Yes, GCS is reviving with a renewed support from the Gay community. Our Spring Picnic which was held June 11th, was a great success. Total proceeds were \$257.94 less \$177.21 expenses for a profit of \$80.73. We would like to thank Mother Johnny and Lloyd for the use of their home, Mother Johnny for the potato salad, Jerry and Fun Tym Bookstore for the baked beans, and last but not least all of the people who came out for support and a fun day.

July 10th from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. is the first night of our VD clinic staffed by professional men and women. VD Clinics will be held each 2nd and 4th Monday of the month. Classes will be held for drawing blood June 26th and July 24th at 8:00 p.m. Anyone interested in helping with the clinic should contact Jim Smith.

Remember the Gay Pride Picnic June 25th in the Northeast corner of Himmel Park. GCS, 144E East University Tucson, AZ., 624-2324 or 622-8867.

Gay Pride

MCC Tucson MCC/Tucson will be sponsoring a benefit Barbeque Chicken Dinner this Saturday, June 24 from 4 to 8 p.m. The "All You Can Eat" affair includes the chicken, tossed salad and baked beans. Hair Tiz Bar will be the site of the big dinner which is the kick-off of Gay Pride Week. Come out and join your friends in an evening of fun and great food.



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MCC Phoenix Casa De Cristo M.C.C. will participate again this year in the annual Gay Pride Week observance with two of the events being held in the Church. This Sunday morning at 10:45 the Annual Inter-faith Service will be held. Pastor Fred L. Pattison's message will be: "Working For Changes in the Gay Community." The second event will be held on Thursday evening, June 29th, at 7:30 with the observance of the Annual Gay Memorial. This year's observance will be especially significant since Casa de Cristo lost its church building to arsonists since last year's observance. The Thursday night service will begin at the church, 4035 E. McDowell Rd. and then proceed to the old church property where a Candlelight Service will be held, next to the burned out building as a testimony to the community that we are alive and cannot be stopped. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Remember, that Casa de Cristo M.C.C. is presently holding its services in a rented store at 4035 E. McDowell Rd., #7. The phone number is 273-7000.

A liturgical Communion Service is held each Thursday morning at 10. At 7 p.m. an informal Prayer Group meets on Thursdays. Prayer is the spiritual powerhouse of a true Christian church.

The first Sunday in July promises to be a special day in the life of the church. At the 10:45 a.m. Celebration there will be the setting aside of a new Exhorter, Ms. Kay Palin as well as the setting aside of three new Deacons. New members will also be received into the church during the Service. Mr. Ron Trusley was recently set aside as an Exhorter. The office of Exhorter in the U.F.M.C.C. is a man or woman who feels called to prepare for the full-time ministry of the Lord's work. Casa de Cristo M.C.C. is fortunate to presently have two such individuals.

PHOENIX GAY PRIDE WEEK SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, June 24th
Picnic and Raffle, Booths, etc. Encanto Park
11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

SUNDAY, June 25th
Interfaith Service, MCC, 4035 E. McDowell 11 a.m.
Free Spirit Art Show,
Phoenix Civic Plaza, 1 to 7 p.m.

MONDAY, June 26th
Pizza Night (Sunday's Childe) Organstop 6-9 p.m.
Imperial Court Coronation, His Co. Disco 9 p.m.
will also include show and costume contest.

TUESDAY, June 27th
CCR BBQ, North Mountain Park, 7:30-10:30 p.m.
"An Evening in the Park"

WEDNESDAY, June 28th
Rocky Horror Dance (Sunday's Childe)
at Miss Matty's Attic, 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, June 29th
MCC Memorial Service, 4035 E. McDowell, 7 p.m.
SOA, PL&L & Connection BBQ
at The Connection 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, June 30th
Razzle Dazzle Co. Benefit Show, DL's 8:30 p.m.



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The Stonewall complex (Joshua Tree/Back Pocket/Nook) is sponsoring without a doubt, the largest annual Gay event in the state, looks to be the best yet with the most fun and the largest crowd in its three year tradition. Well over 1500 are expected for this 2-day spectacle.

The carnival area is now under construction and will be ready for the June 30 and July 1 Carnival '78. A sneak prevue shows us that after buying your admission ticket (which includes a free ticket to use toward any of the 30 booths you are given a sparklet to light up your way to this fantasy. There will be constant live entertainment in the carnival area and Back Pocket both.

The food booths will pamper your palate with Near-Eastern, Mexican, Oriental and American specialties. A full bar in the carnival area and other refreshing liquids including lemonade, beer, sno cones (with or without booze), and watermelon daiquiri's. Crafts, plants and carnival games as well as information, service and specialty booths along with voter registrars on the premises will keep the evening going at a rapid pace.

For anyone visiting from out of town and who needs a place to stay call the "Carnival '78 Hotline" 622-6233 or 622-1286. More about this "happening" next issue.

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...A white, white Cadillac Limo was seen parked in the bike parking area at Jekyll's.
...Roy C. and Larry use air conditioning hoses for straws.
...Lynn and Connie from Jekyll's celebrated their anniversary this weekend.
...Tony Valdez won the "Grease" dance contest at the Buena Vista theater, Thursday, June 14th.
...Barbara Thurston (Jarvis) recently underwent major surgery. Her friends will be glad to know that she is on the road to recovery and is now at home.
...Greg G. is a new bartender at Jekyll's.
...Ronnie Rios was given a rousing ovation after DJaying Saturday night at the Joshua Tree.
...Jerry C. of Fun Tym would rather be on his knees.
...Arthur L. was not at the Hair Tiz last Sunday. Is he joining the Mormon Church?
...Bobby was seen carrying his tricks up the back stairs.
...Douglas Az. must have enough people to pay for it - Billy W. was in town with a new shirt.
...Meeting Sommer Daughnne for the first time is a distant encounter of the third kind.
...Kitty Litter's real initials are B.M.
...P.J. and Phillip went to Atlanta with the First Place trophy from the Hair Tiz bowling League. P.J. also won a trophy for most improved bowler. Good Luck.
...Steve G. lost his fingernail on Toole.
...Candas has reserved all tea rooms and truck stops for the weekend of July 9th - a certain person is out of town.
...Singer Sam moved to a new apartment complex - not for the apartment but because of all the single men there.
...Louise is now living in Phoenix - Good luck and we'll miss you.
...The AGN Benefit Bucket has met an ignominious end - it now rests under the urinal at Hair Tiz.
...The outdoor construction for Carnival '78 at Back Pocket is rivaling Barnum and Bailey.
...Buff lusted in her heart after eating a polish sausage sandwich.
...Acapulco count down - 26 weeks!
...J.R. was seen on her hands and knees sniffing the carpet, and what was that white powder at Austinettes?
...Gary H. from Jekyll's had an unforgettable employee party, way to go Cody.
...Wanda is wondering if she can ever do a show at the Last Culture.
...The mirror ball at Jekyll's is hard to start, right Don.

...Things are cooling down at the Back Pocket since the air conditioners were worked on.
...Kerri and Dorrie are the hottest looking couple in town. We hear it is a symptom of Love Bug Fever - the permanent kind.
...Bernie has the wrong number again.
...Dave P. admits his birth year is 1851.
...Arizona's Finest new motto is "Better Late Than Never."
...Max and Mark plan to make the big move to Show Low soon.
...Poor Edna is wondering why Richard has trouble getting back to work after lunch.
...John H. is now doing telephone trade at the Back Pocket.
...Loretta drinks bourbon and cork.
...Customers have been seen leaving Jekyll's 2 for 1 cocktail hours with smiles on their faces.
...D.P. still loves R.N. no matter what.
...Johnny D. bought a new wardrobe - all short shorts although he refuses to wear them at parties.

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THE SHADOWETTES KNOW

PHOENIX - Hi! First off, the Shadowettes would like to apologize to all you sweeties and this great paper for not visiting with you all these last few weeks, but the Shadowettes were on vacation visiting all those fabulous folk in the City by the Bay. And while on the subject, a big special thanks goes out to Steve and Guy for being more than just gracious hosts, to Gene L. for making it all possible and being the great guy that he is, and to the Czar and his contingent for making the trip one of the best times any Shadowette could hope for. Thanks again to you all for being more than just friends. And now for some Phoenix happenings!

After a good informative edition (as was previously acknowledged by the Shadowettes), the latest issue of The Pride certainly left this Shadowette with her fingers holding her nose. Outside of the columns of the Dragon Lady, Joanne and Moon, it was hardly worth the tissue it was written on. We can only note and hope that the only direction for this rag is up!

Dragon Lady renewed old acquaintances the other night at the Casa with Mme. Bette Davis in a near tearful reunion. (D.L. hasn't been that emotional since she was called back for an encore for her last drag performance at the Home for the Dumb, Deaf and Blind) and rightly so since the Shadowettes know the great Mme. Davis to be one of the all time super people of Phoenix.

Larry of the Forum (The Polish Peacock of Phoenix) strutting his stuff seems to be his own greatest fan. We're glad someone likes you sweet chips, even if it is yourself. Frankly, the rest of us are tired of hearing it!

BARTENDER OF THE WEEK: To Mike of the 3-0-7 for putting up with all that nonsense.

After visiting the new girl's bar in town, the Shadowettes feel that the FULL MOON will be a real winner. Good atmosphere and the music's alright. Catch this one.

Congratulations to Moon and her group for devoting their time and effort to making the M.D. drive a tremendous success in the Phoenix Gay Community. Special mention should be made of the T.O.T.T. and Casa benefits which collected lots of dineros for the cause - Maybe this time Jerry will say something.

FOOL OF THE WEEK AWARD: To Eunice for hitting the deck - as in wreck!

The Shadowettes hear that the Casa begins a new affair every Wednesday night beginning next week called "Showtime Shambles." A show where anyone can get up on stage and do anything should prove to be hilarious if anything. Talent night will be back every second week. No cover makes this even more fun. Maybe the sleeper Casa has been looking for.

Well, that's it for this week, kids. Remember that the "Shadowettes Know" will be an every two week affair from now on so look for us then. Till next time, hoping all your troubles are BIG ones. We are

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Aries: March 21 to April 19

If you weren't ready for last week, then you won't be this week either. Red is your color for the next month. Look to a Gemini for strange tails.



Taurus: April 20 to May 20

Things may take on odd proportions this week. Watch and wait for things to slack off. Learn something new and you can reach higher next time.



Gemini: May 21 to June 20

There you are and here I am, could be your romantic situation this week. Give in and strike up the band, you could find that they're playing a different song.



CANCER: June 21 to July 22

Happy Birthday! Is it twenty nine again? This is your time, so play hard and see how much you can get away with. A great time to stretch the limit.



Leo: July 23 to August 22

How would you like a live in house person. There's one just around the corner waiting for you. With probably more in mind than living-in.



Virgo: August 23 to September 22

When packing for a trip, remember where you're going. Travel is on the road, and it goes on and on. 26 is a pretty good number, so keep it.



Libra: September 23 to October 23

Not a time to cancel anything. Go through with everything you've planned. Some may appear to present problems, re-evaluate some things and they won't be there.



Scorpio: October 24 to November 22

Hi there Scorpio! See what a pickle you've gotten yourself into. There's no one to call this time, you've got to do it on your own.



Sagittarius: November 23 to December 21

This is take a ride week! And if you can't take it, give it away. After all it wasn't yours to begin with. But then again, it might not be back.



Capricorn: December 22 to January 19

Blond, 5' 10", 175 pounds, green eyes, dimple in chin, fair complexion, athletic, into bondage and whips. Now go out and find him.



Aquarius: January 20 to February 18

Have you checked your water level lately? Summer's upon you hardest of all. Cooler times are around and will be after Sunday.



Pisces: February 19 to March 20

Dig deep down little darlings and bring up what you can. There's a smorgasboard right under your nose. This is a time for new dishes.

WEEK OF JUNE 23 - 29

The moon moves from Capricorn through Aquarius and Pisces ending in Aries.

Sun - Gemini / Saturn - Leo
Mercury - Gemini / Uranus - Libra
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