




# THE GAYZETTE

EVENTS OF INTEREST TO METROPOLITAN OMAHA & LINCOLN

## THINK IT CAN'T HAPPEN IN SMALL TOWN AMERICA?? Small Pennsylvania Town Enacts GLBT EQUALITY



In a town described as "Rockwellian," the New Hope Borough Council voted last night for passage of a measure that would protect its lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender citizens from discrimination in employment, housing and access to public accommodations. New Hope, a bedroom community of Philadelphia with approximately 1,400 residents, passed the new ordinance with a unanimous vote at the September 10 council meeting.

OutFront, a Philadelphia-based gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender advocacy group, and the Center for Lesbian and Gay Civil Rights, an education, legal services and legislative police resource, were instrumental in developing the language for New Hope Ordinance 2002-4. This came

on the heels of Outfront-led coalition to have gender identity added to the nondiscrimination language of Philadelphia's Fair Practices code in early May.

Randy Flagler, an attorney for Flagler & Yockey, a member on the New Hope Borough Council, worked with OutFront and the Center for Lesbian & Gay Civil Rights, to craft the final version of the ordinance.

New Hope's vote reaffirms the community's "history of tolerance and acceptance for members of their LGBT community," commented Doug Shaps, executive director of OutFront.

"The New Hope Borough Council should be praised for taking proactive steps toward fairness and justice," said Stacey Sobel, executive director of the Center for Lesbian and Gay Civil Rights.

Not content to sit on their victory, the New Hope borough council hopes to lead by example and encourage protection from discrimination in other communities and across Pennsylvania. "New Hope, the Little Town that Roared, sends a loud clear message through a resolution and an ordinance," said borough council member Geri Delevich, original sponsor of the resolution. "This ordinance is about dignity and respect."

New Hope council member Randy Flagler also proposed a companion bill according to Kathy Padilla, board member for both the National Transgender Advocacy Coalition (NTAC) and Outfront - whose efforts produced the successful vote. Flagler's proposal "would require immediately updating the borough's employment guidelines to reflect the new law," reported Padilla, "and would send a copy of the ordinance to all other municipalities in the state, encouraging them to pass similar legislation."

It's time for the community of New Hope to stand tall and lead the way," said the Rev. Charles Stevens of the Unitarian Universalist Church in New Hope during the council meeting. Underscoring that, officials from neighboring Norristown and Doylestown were in attendance at the borough council meeting last night, getting tips for their own potential ordinances.

The sentiment in the Bucks County borough with the 'Norman Rockwell' appearance was unquestionably supportive. After the borough council meeting at the local High School, where according to Padilla of NTAC, even the Chief of Police testified in favor of the measure, the mood was celebratory. While such laws are common in larger cities, New Hope is the first "small town" to approve such a law, state officials said.

New Hope becomes the seventh municipality in Pennsylvania to have non-discrimination ordinances protecting gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered its citizens.

"We view the passage of this as a celebration," said an ebullient council member Delevich after the vote. "We can now proudly say 'with liberty and justice for all.'"

As a pleased Kathy Padilla succinctly put it immediately following the council vote, "a damn good night!"



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CONNECTIONS, SAT., SEPT. 21

## SUZANNA MALLOW OF RED LETTER DAY

SUZANNA MALLOW of RED LETTER DAY will appear Saturday, September 21 at 9pm at CONNECTIONS, 1901 Leavenworth St, 933.3033 with a \$5 cover. MALLOW, known as the "Chick who plays everything," puts on a show that is much more than a concert; it's a refreshing folk-alterna-pop-vaudeville experience! Her monumental solo performance is a multi-instrumental experience incorporating rousing vocals, acoustic & electric guitars, bass, mandolin, harmonica, and percussion in muscular folk, alternative rock, bluegrass, blues & even country spirited music! Lyrics are clever and evocative, profound yet equally irreverent, personal but never melodramatic with a fondness for humor that takes the listener on a journey of emotions that rollercoasters over quixotic hills of love, through valleys of emptiness, around curves of hysterical satire, and through straight-aways of hope. This award-winning artist has recently received national recognition with a nomination for BEST POP-FOLK SONG OF 2001 by JUST PLAIN FOLK for Loser (track 3 on BEEFCANDY).

### PFLAG FORUM

PFLAG-GLSEN is doing a Forum as a part of NCOD on our regular meeting night, Thursday, Oct. 10, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Four panelists will tell their own stories, and each also will represent a community organization and will tell a little about that organization, and then the panel will take questions. If you attended last year, this is somewhat the same except we are putting more focus on key community organizations, while keeping the human stories.

### HEARTLAND METH WORSHIP TIME

Heartland UMC worship time has returned to 9:30am. Worship location still at 2712 R St.

### CONTEMPORARY SERVICE AT MCC

Saturday, October 5th, MCC-Omaha will have their first Contemporary Worship experience at 7:00pm, hoping to reach out to the youth and those who do not attend Sunday Worship services. Contemporary Christian Music will be included in this service, along with the preaching debut of our member Derek. Plan to attend support this new outreach Service!

### WORSHIP IN THE GARDEN

On October 6th MCC's 11am service will be held in the gardens (weather permitting). There will be guitar music, and enjoy the blessings of our yard and utilize the beautiful land of which we are stewards. The 9am service will be conducted in the sanctuary as usual.

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7 pm

Sat., Oct. 5

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Oct. 11

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# LIVING BETTER III CONFERENCE

October 26 (Saturday) is the Living Better III Conference for the GLBT Community. It takes place at the Unitarian Church, 63rd & A Streets in Lincoln, NE between 8 am - 4 pm. Cost is \$20; scholarships are available. Breakfast and lunch provided.

There will be a keynote speaker and the Shower of Stoles will be displayed. A variety of workshops are available.

The conference is presented by the Welcoming Congregation of the Unitarian Church and lunch is prepared by the Social Action Committee. Patrons include: PFLAG Cornhusker, Omaha Unitarian Universalists for Tolerance, Nebraska AIDS Project, UHC Sexuality Education eXchange, Citizens for Equal Protection, National Organization for Women-Lincoln, Social Action Committee, Omaha Second Unitarian Church.

For information, scholarships, and work barter, call 402-475-3437.

To register, send \$20 and your name, address, phone number, housing needs, number attending, and checks to: Living Better III, P.O. Box 80842, Lincoln, NE 68501. Please be specific if you have any special accommodations.



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**Ad Deadlines: Friday, September 27 for Publication October 4 Friday, October 11 for Publication October 18**



## **POLY-AMORY GROUP TO MEET**

\*1ST MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE RAINBOW OUTREACH GLBT RESOURCE CENTER ON OCTOBER 12TH, 2002 AT 5:30 PM. (Should it dictate-will be moved)

THEREAFTER, WE WILL MEET AT HAWTHORN SUITES 11025 m STREET, OMAHA WITH ROOM OPENING AT 5:30 PM THE 2ND SATURDAY EACH MONTH.

The Founder is Sheila Moon Balderson of Lincoln She/he is Transgender/TS. Member of River City Gender Alliance (Age 50). Throughout the USA there are several Poly groups that meet. Nebraska has never had such as group. OUR LISTING WILL BE IN LOVING MORE MAGAZINE IN THE NEAR FUTURE ALONG WITH OTHER U.S. LISTINGS.

## **FALL HARVEST '02 IS COMING SOON!**

The River City Gender Alliance, one of the Midwest's leading support group, is proud to host the return of Fall Harvest, one of the nation's most affordable and highly respected transgender weekend, December 6th through the 8th, 2002.

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## **VAGINA MONOLOGUES — PLANNING & AUDITIONS**

The Vagina Monologues (TVM) 2003 Planning Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 2nd, 2002 in the Culture Center between 5:30 ? 7:30 pm. If you are interested in auditioning or otherwise helping out with the production of this award winning play, please attend. TVM has an all-woman cast. For more information contact Pat @ 472-7447 or email: [ptetreault1@unl.edu](mailto:ptetreault1@unl.edu) Sponsored by the University Health Center Sexuality Education eXchange.



# NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY 2002 – “BEING OUT ROCKS” - UPDATE

The Human Rights Campaign has designated “Being Out Rocks” – celebrating openly gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender musicians – as the theme for this year’s National Coming Out Day Project. Rainbow Celebrations and the NCOD committee are busy planning eastern Nebraska and Western Iowa’s National Coming Out Day events. Details are still being finalized for some events and some events may be added. Below is the current schedule:

**Thursday, Oct. 3,** (time to be announced)

**Stop the Hate Vigil,** a community-organized rally  
Heartland of America Park, 8th & Douglas streets

**Saturday, Oct. 5– at 7 p.m.**

**Contemporary Praise & Worship Service**

Metropolitan Community Church, 819 S. 22nd St.

\* This event is sponsored by Metropolitan Community Church

**Thursday, Oct. 10 – at 7 p.m. (social time 6:30)**

**Coming Out Panel Discussion**

First United Methodist Church, 7020 Cass St., Mead Hall

- Handicap accessible

\* This event is sponsored by Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) & The Gay Lesbian Straight Educators Network (GLSEN)

**NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY, Fri, Oct. 11**

**11:30 a.m.–1 p.m.: Being Out Rocks Rally at UNO**

Outside on the Plaza – of the Milo Bail Student Center on the UNO campus

- Handicap accessible

\* This event is sponsored by Gay and Lesbian Organization @ UNO

**7:00 p.m.: Out at the Movies (film to be announced)**

**The Max – Stosh’s Saloon, 1417 Jackson Street**

- Handicap accessible

- 21 and over only

- \$4.00 admission fee

**7:00 p.m.: Being Out Rocks Youth Dance**

**First United Methodist, 7020 Cass St., Cary Hall**

- ages 13-23

- \$1.00 donation at the door

\* This event is sponsored by Proud Horizons Youth Group

**Saturday, Oct. 12**

**10 a.m.–12 p.m.: CFEP NCOD 2002 Brunch and CFEP Raffle Drawing**

**1105 Howard Street (Vendor’s Square) 2nd floor**

- Handicap Accessible

\*This event is sponsored by Citizens For Equal Protection

**12 p.m.–9 p.m.: Out in the Old Market - a unique shopping experience!**

From 10th Street to 13th Street and Farnam Street to Jackson Street– Old Market. Shop and dine at many supportive businesses! Wear a Rainbow Ribbon for special discounts!

- Handicap Accessible

\*This event is sponsored by Rainbow Celebrations and the NCOD 2002 Committee

**9 p.m.: Rainbow Celebration Dessert Reception (place to be announced)**

\*This event is sponsored by Rainbow Celebrations and the NCOD 2002 Committee

Those interested in volunteering to help with NCOD events are encouraged to attend one of Rainbow Celebrations’ NCOD committee meetings. The remaining meeting schedule is: Tuesday, September 24th at 7:00 p.m. and Tuesday, October 1st at 7:00 p.m. Both meetings will be at the Rainbow Outreach Resource Center; located at 1719 Leavenworth Street in Omaha. For the most up-to-date information about National Coming Out Day please visit Rainbow Celebrations’ Web site: [www.rainbowcelebrations.org](http://www.rainbowcelebrations.org) or contact the NCOD co-chairs via e-mail at [NCOD2002@rainbowcelebrations.org](mailto:NCOD2002@rainbowcelebrations.org) or phone 402-502-1577.



being out ROCKS

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

National Coming Out day is Friday October 11<sup>th</sup>.

Your NCOD committee is planning a variety of events.

Visit [www.rainbowcelebrations.org](http://www.rainbowcelebrations.org) for details.

### CORRECTION

The Living Better Article in the September 6 Gayzette listed an incorrect date for the conference. The conference is on Saturday, October 26.

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# EXPERIENCE Two Packed Bars!....

Friday - SEPTEMBER 20th

## THE N'JOY SHOW!

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## October Teasers!

- \*The N'JOY Show One Year Anniversary Party!\*
- \*Moulin Rouge Party with DVD Player giveaway!\*
- \*JOY Casino Night!\*
- \*Omaha's Best Halloween Bash!\*
- \*THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW!\*



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# GAYZETTE EVENTS

**MON, SEPT 23—WED, SEPT 25**

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**SATURDAY, SEPT 28**

**OUT AND ABOUT MEET & GREET**

**PICNIC**, 1pm, 910 Allied Road, Bellevue, neoutabout@yahoo.com

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3**

**STOP THE HATE RALLY**, Heartland Pk

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**

**"CONTEMPORARY PRAISE SERVICE"** MCC-Omaha, 7pm

**"CLUB PRIDE DANCE & SHOW"** Doors open 7:30pm, Holiday Inn, York, NE

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6**

**"WORSHIP IN THE GARDEN"** 11am, MCC-Omaha, 819 S. 22

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10**

**"PFLAG FORUM"**, 7pm, First Methodist Church, 7020 Cass

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11**

**"NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY"**

**"GALO BEING OUT ROCKS RALLY"**, UNO, 11am-1:30pm

**"OUT AT THE MOVIES"**, 7pm, Stosh's Saloon @ The MAX

**"PROUD HORIZONS YOUTH DANCE"**, 7pm, First Methodist, Carey Hall,

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12**

**"CFEP COMING OUT BRUNCH"**, 1105 Howard, 10am-12 pm

**THINK PINK: CABARET** The MAX 6pm

**"OUT IN THE OLD MARKET: A UNIQUE SHOPPING EXPERIENCE"**, 12noon-9 pm

**"RAINBOW CELEBRATIONS DESERT RECEPTION"**, 9 pm

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20**

**LIVING BETTER III CONFERENCE**, Unitarian Church, 6300 "A" Lincoln

## WEEKLY EVENTS

**Every Sunday**

**WORSHIP SERVICES:**

**DIETZ METHODIST** 1423 S.10, 11AM

**IST METH** 7020 Cass, 8:30 & 10:45am

**METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY**

CHURCH 819 S. 22, 9am & 11am

**HEARTLAND METHODIST** 27 & R, Omaha, 9:30Am; 682-9552.

**FIRST UNITARIAN** 3114 Harney, 11am

**LOWE AVE PRES** 1023 N. 40, 10am

**UNITY CHURCH OF OMAHA,**

3424 N. 90, Omaha, 9am, 11am

**HASTINGS COLLEGE GSA** 8PM

FFI: Judy Sandeen (402) 461-7372

**LINCOLN WOMYN'S POTLUCK**

Cheryl 474-1937 11:30am-4pm

**WIMMIN'S SHOW** KZUM 89.3 12:30pm

**RIVER CITY II MIXED BOWLING,**

3pm, Maplewood Lanes,

**QUEER AS FOLK** 9pm

**Every Monday**

**HIV TESTING**, 7- 9:30pm, 139 S. 40<sup>th</sup>

**A A GLBT "RAINBOW GROUP"** Meeting Place, 28 & S, Lincoln, 7:30 p.m.

**Every Tuesday**

**UNL LESBIAN/BI/QUESTIONING**

**SUPPORT GRP** 7-8:30pm, Women's Ctr, Nebr Union, 12 & R, Lincoln, 472-9428

**OMAHA MEN'S SUPPORT GROUP,**

MCC-Omaha, 819 S. 22, 7:30pm

**OMAHA WOMEN'S SUPPORT GRP,**

ROC, 1719 Leavenworth, 7:30pm

**Every Wednesday**

**WORSHIP SERVICES**

**METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY**

**CHURCH OF OMAHA,** 7pm

**UNITY CHURCH OF OMAHA,** 7pm

**HIV TESTS**, 1-4 pm NAP, 139 S. 40

**FRONTRUNNERS RUN/WALK** 6:30pm

AkSarBen Lot 5, Omaha

**LGBT A A** 7:30pm, Alcohol Treatment Ctr

2116 W. Faidley, Grand Island. Peggy

(308) 226-8286, Center (308) 398-5427

**KARAOKE W/ STACY** 8:30pm DC's

**Every Thursday**

**GLBT FELLOWSHIP**, 6:30pm, Trinity

Cathedral Clarkson Center, 109 N. 18

Info: 391-1950; dknoxsae@qwest.net.

**HIV TEST** 7- 9:30 pm, NAP, 139 S. 40<sup>th</sup>

**KARAOKE** 9pm, Connections

**Every Friday**

**SAGE POTLUCK DINNER** 6 - 9pm,

ROCC, 1719 Leavenworth, 341-0330

**FREE FRIDAY MOVIE** 7:45PM,

Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Ctr

**LAMBDA TV**, Lincoln Cable Ch 13. 3pm

**HIV TESTING**, 5 - 10 pm, NAP Outreach Center, 1723 Leavenworth

**LGBT AA** 8pm, Boys & Girls Home Sioux

City, IA (712) 252-4272,

**Every Saturday**

**LAMBDA TV** Lincoln Cable Ch 13. 3 pm

**PROUD HORIZON YOUTH GROUP** 4-6pm, 291-6781, proudhorizons@yahoo.com

## MONTHLY EVENTS

**1<sup>st</sup> Saturday**

**RIVER CITY GENDER ALLIANCE** Room

Open: 4pm Meeting at 7pm, 991-8845 or email: rega@tgforum.com

**GAY/BI SUPPORT GROUP FOR HIV+**

**MEN**, 6-8pm, NAP, 220 S. 17, Lincoln FFI: Mark Giesler 476-7000.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Friday**

**FREE, CONFIDENTIAL, ANONYMOUS**

**HIV TEST** UNL campus FFI: 476-0355. 1-3:30pm

**SUDS RAPID HIV TESTING**, (2 hour results)

5 - 10 pm, NAP Outreach, 1723 Leavenworth

**2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday**

**LEATHER ENGINEERS—OMAHA**

Meeting 7pm, Gilligan's

**HIV TESTING** UNL campus. Cornerstone,

476-0355. 1:30-3:30pm

**LEARNING TO EXCHANGE POWER**

L2EP@aol.com 1pm; 1719 Leavenworth

**POLY SUPPORT GROUP**, Hawthorn Suites,

11025 M, Omaha, Room opens 5:30pm

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday**

**INTEGRITY GROUP** 6-7:30pm, St. Marks

Episcopal, 13 & "R" Lincoln

**2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday**

**"OUT AND ABOUT NEBR"** 7pm Discussion

Group, Rainbow Outreach, 341-0330

**FLAT WATER BEARS** 7:30pm, The MAX

**2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday**

**PFLAG—OMAHA**, 7pm, 1st Meth, Mead Hall

**2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday**

**GLSEN OMAHA** Board Mtg, 9:30-11:30 am

South High

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday**

**SOUL FOOD SUNDAY** 5-9pm, CLUB OLIS

**3<sup>rd</sup> Monday**

**IMPERIAL COURT OF NEBR MTG** MCC-O, 819 S. 22<sup>nd</sup> St., 6:30pm

**GAY/BI SUPPORT GRP FOR HIV+ MEN**

6-8pm NAP, 220 S. 17, Lincoln, 476-7000.

**4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday**

**PFLAG-CORNHUSKER** Unitarian Church, 6300 A St., Lincoln, 7 p.m.

**YOUTH HIV TEST** Lighthouse, 2530 N, Lincoln, ages 13 to 18, FFI: 475-3220. 3-5:30 pm

**4<sup>th</sup> Saturday**

**HIV TESTING** UNL campus. Cornerstone,

476-0355. 1:30-3:30pm



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**UNPLUGGED**, by Paul McComas (John Daniel & Company, 2002, 258 p., \$14.95, ISBN 188028460X). Bisexual Dayna Clay begins to heal the wounds of an abusive childhood.

**GHOST OF CHANCE**, by William S. Burroughs (Serpent's Tail, 2002, 58 p., \$11.00, ISBN 1852424575). (Fiction). "Ghost of Chance" is an adventure story set in the jungle of Madagascar.

**THE TRAGEDY OF MISS GENEVA FLOWERS**, by Joe Babcock (Closest Case Books, 2002, 357 p., \$15.95, ISBN 0972048405). Erick Taylor is stuck in Catholic school, and unsure if he wants to live.

**THE LODGER**, by Drew Gummerson (GMP, 2002, 331 p., \$13.95, ISBN 1902852400). (Gay Mystery). Comic, compelling and strangely touching. "The Lodger" shows sharing really can be murder.

**UNDER THE GUN**, by Lori L. Lake (Quest Books, 2002, 490 p., \$22.95, ISBN 1930928440). (Lesbian Fiction). the long-awaited sequel to the best-selling novel, "Gun Shy", continuing the story of St. Paul Police Officers Dez Reilly and Jaylynn Savage.

**ARROYO** by Summer Wood (Chronicle Books, 2001 [2002], 257 p., \$14.95, ISBN 0811836827). (Lesbian Fiction). Willie Lee Woolston, a thirty-three-year-old burned-out blues singer moves to a dusty mining town to hide from the ghosts of her past.

### CALENDARS

**COLT MEN 2003 CALENDAR**, by Colt Studio (Colt Studio, 2002, ISBN 1880777819).

**JIM FRENCH PHOTOGRAPHY ANNUAL MAN 2003 CALENDAR**, by Jim French (State of Man, 2002, ISBN 1880777835).

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**Gilligan's Pub, 449-9147**

1407 Harney, Omaha

**JOY, 341-7337**

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**The MAX, 346-4110**

1417 Jackson, Omaha

**Omaha Mining Co., 449-8703,**

1715 Leavenworth, Omaha

**Panic, 435-8764, 200 S. 18<sup>th</sup> Lincoln**

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## NEBRASKA AIDS PROJECT NAMES NEW DIRECTOR

As reported in the Omaha World Herald, Nebraska AIDS Project has named Tim Sullivan, 44, leader of the St. Louis Effort for AIDS as executive director of the Nebraska AIDS Project. Sullivan was quoted in the World Herald as saying, "There is a lot of potential in this organization. As a statewide agency, NAP has a lot of work to do and that is a strong attraction to me. I've lost many people who are dear to me who had this disease, and I've always been an advocate for the underdog." Sullivan ran the St. Louis organization for several years, and was named to the National Institute for HIV Prevention Leadership earlier this year.

Nebraska only reports one-third of the AIDS and HIV cases that the St. Louis region reports each year.

## RIVER CITY II MIXED BOWLING LEAGUE STARTS 9/8/2002 AT MAPLEWOOD LANES

It is not too late to still join the River City II Mixed Bowling League that starts Sunday, September 8th at 3:00PM, Maplewood Lanes 102nd and Maple, Omaha, Ne. For more information on sign-up contact Norma Harrison, League Secretary, (402) 731-5706, or Maplewood Lanes (402) 572-9393.

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# RAINBOW OUTREACH GLBT RESOURCE LIST

## OMAHA BASED

- BiMenNebraska**, Social Support for Bi and BiCurious Men <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/BiMenNebraska> and <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Bi-MEN-MIDWEST>  
Citizens for Equal Protection 1102 Howard St. Suite 2, Omaha NE 68102, 398-3027  
web: <http://www.cfep-ne.org/>  
email: [info@cfep-ne.org](mailto:info@cfep-ne.org)
- Flat Water Bears**, Box 3751, Omaha 68103  
[flatwaterbears@yahoo.com](mailto:flatwaterbears@yahoo.com) Hirsute men and admirers, 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed, The MAX, 7:30pm
- Front Runners/Walkers**, Box 4583, Omaha 68104 (402) 496-3658 Fun Run/Walks 10am Sun, 6pm Wed
- GALO (Gay & Lesbian Org at UNO)**  
[www.angelfire.com/home/GALO](http://www.angelfire.com/home/GALO) contact: [unogalo@hotmail.com](mailto:unogalo@hotmail.com) or SPO (Student Organizations) at 554-2711.
- Gay, Lesbian, Straight Education Network -Omaha**, Box 641676, Omaha 68164, 596-2596  
Website: <http://www.glsenomaha.org>
- Heartland Gay Rodeo Association**  
Box 3354, Omaha 68103 800-561-6918
- Ice Bowl Invitational Bowling Tournament (IBIT)** P.O. Box 31838, Omaha, 68131 R. Hollendieck (402) 556-5556
- Imperial Court of Nebraska**, Box 3772, Omaha 68103 556-9907, Board Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon, 819 S. 22
- Learning to Exchange Power**, [L2EP@aol.com](mailto:L2EP@aol.com); Social, educational group novices in Leather Lifestyle
- Leather Engineers of Omaha (LEO)** Box 8101, Omaha, 68108-8101 Gay men in leather lifestyle, Mt 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat Gilligan's 7pm
- LinOma Bares**, Box 8493, Omaha 68108 Nudist/ Nudist Club for gay/bi men Info: Eric (402) 553-5944; Jerry (402) 553-6626
- Mpower**, c/o Nebr AIDS Project, 139 S. 40, Omaha 68131 [www.mpower-nap.org](http://www.mpower-nap.org). Men teaching men about HIV
- Men's Support Group-Omaha**, 819 S. 22 St., 345-2563; Tuesday 7:30pm <http://mike2tom.home.radiks.net/msgomaha/>
- Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha**, 819 S. 22 St., Omaha 68108 345-2563, [mccomaha@radiks.net](mailto:mccomaha@radiks.net)  
Website: [www.mccomaha.org](http://www.mccomaha.org)  
Sunday Worship 9 & 11am, Wed Eve 7pm
- Nebraska AIDS Project**, 552-9260  
Watanabe Wellness Ctr, 139 S. 40, Omaha 68131, Testing Mon, Thurs Eve, Wed aft
- NAP Outreach Center**, 1723 Leavenworth, Testing & Counseling: Fri Nights
- Nebraska Advocates for Justice & Equality**, 1102 Howard, Suite 2, Omaha 68102, 402.346-5960 [naje\\_now@hotmail.com](mailto:naje_now@hotmail.com)
- Nebraska Gay Dads** group list exchange emails posted to the list for discussion <http://mike2tom.home.radiks.net/nebraskagaydads/>

- Omaha Nebr Gay Pride WebPage**  
<http://members.cyberwolves.com/omahanegaypride> PO Box 4154, Omaha, 68104-4154 402-502-9195  
[omahanegaypride@cox.net](mailto:omahanegaypride@cox.net)
- Onyx Images**, Box 31026, 68132-9998  
[Onyximages@hotmail.com](mailto:Onyximages@hotmail.com) Fraternity for African American Men
- Out and About in Nebraska**, Summer meets 2nd Wed 7pm, Rainbow Outreach Center, website: [www.travel.to/outabout](http://www.travel.to/outabout)  
Email: [NeOutAbout@yahoo.com](mailto:NeOutAbout@yahoo.com)
- Parents and Friends of Lesbians And Gays (PFLAG) Omaha Chapter**  
Box 390064, Omaha, 68139-0064 291-6781 Website: [www.pflag-omaha.org](http://www.pflag-omaha.org), email [info@pflag-omaha.org](mailto:info@pflag-omaha.org) Meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs, 1st United Meth, 7020 Cass,
- Proud Horizons Youth Group**, Sat Afternoon, info: (402) 291-6781 or email [proudhorizons@yahoo.com](mailto:proudhorizons@yahoo.com)
- Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Ctr.**  
1719 Leavenworth, Omaha, 341-0330, Web Site: [www.ROCC.org](http://www.ROCC.org), email: [rainbow@rocc.org](mailto:rainbow@rocc.org)  
Info Line, Library, Movies, Gayzette
- Rainbow Bible Study**, Fridays, 6-7:30pm, Lowe Ave Presbyterian, 1023 N. 40 St.
- Rainbow Celebrations**, Box 8583, Omaha, 68108 402.502.1577 Pride Parade & Festival, National Coming Out Day Event info: [info@rainbowcelebrations.org](mailto:info@rainbowcelebrations.org)  
**Pride 2003** Box 8583, Omaha, 68108 [pride@rainbowcelebrations.org](mailto:pride@rainbowcelebrations.org)  
**National Coming Out Day 2002**  
P.O. Box 8583, Omaha, 68108  
[NCOD2002@rainbowcelebrations.org](mailto:NCOD2002@rainbowcelebrations.org)
- River City Gender Alliance**, Box 8076, Omaha 68108, 402-991-8845, email: [rcga@tgforum.com](mailto:rcga@tgforum.com), Website: [www.genderalliance.com](http://www.genderalliance.com)  
Social/Support Group for transgender/transsexual/cross-dressers and supporters
- River City Mixed Bowling I**, 12:45pm, Sundays, Mockingbird Bowl, Omaha:
- River City Mixed Bowling II** 3pm, Sundays, Maplewood Lanes, Omaha  
Norma Harrison (402) 731-5706
- River City Mixed Chorus**, Box 3267, Omaha, NE 68103, 402-341-SING  
Website: [www.rcmc.org](http://www.rcmc.org)
- SNAP Productions**, Box 8464, Omaha, NE 68108 [www.snapproductions.com](http://www.snapproductions.com)
- Unity Church of Omaha** 3424 N. 90, Omaha, Sunday worship: 9am, 11am  
Wednesday evening worship 7pm; 571-1344; [www.unityomaha.org](http://www.unityomaha.org)
- Women's Support Group**, Tuesdays 7:30pm, Rainbow Outreach Center, 1719 Leavenworth, 342-0330
- WomenSpace**, Box 24712, Omaha 68124  
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## LINCOLN BASED

- Alias Jane Band**, (402) 435-8764  
Kara & Kelly at The Panic
- Boondoggles** 122 N. 14 St. (under Zero Street Records, Entrance in alley) shop online <http://www.ideviate.net>
- Gay/Lesbian/Bi/Straight Alliance**  
2229 J St., Lincoln 68510  
(402) 436-1301 ext. 232 Ruth Kupfer
- Gay/Lesbian Film Fest**, Deanna Zaffke, [cea@unlserve.unl.edu](mailto:cea@unlserve.unl.edu)
- Gay Men's Support Group**, UNL Health Center, Counseling & Psychology, Rm. 214, Lincoln 68588-0618 472-7450
- Lesbian, Bisexual and Questioning-Women's Discussion Group**, University of Nebraska, Lincoln Women's Center (sponsor), Room 340, Nebraska Union, Lincoln 68588-0446. 402/472-2597.
- Nebraska AIDS Project**, 220 S. 17th St. Lincoln, NE 68508. (402) 476-7000
- Nebraska Coalition for LGBT Civil Rts.**  
122 S. 11 St, Ste 200, Lincoln 68508 Doug & Bob 402.742.9102  
[nebrcoalition@yahoo.com](mailto:nebrcoalition@yahoo.com)
- Omaha Women's Riverboat Cruise**, 4949 N. 73, Lincoln, 68507 467-5737
- Parents, Friends of Lesbians & Gays, Cornhusker Chapter**; Box 30128, Lincoln 68508, Meet 4<sup>th</sup> Tues, Unitarian Church, 6300 A, Barbara Kimberly [jbkimber@msn.com](mailto:jbkimber@msn.com), Website: <http://pflag.ineb.org/>
- Plainsmen**, for FtM's (Female to Male), Drag Kings TV Butches, 402-820-1267
- PolyGroup (PG)** P.O. Box 22881, Lincoln NE 68542-2881, phone 1-402-423-1580, Singles seeking poly moresomes and poly-pagans. Beginning Nov. Meet 2nd Sat, Hawthorn Suites, 11025 M, Omaha, Open 5:30pm
- SAGE**, Box 22043, Lincoln 68542 Coffee House 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat, 6 - 9pm, Lesbian Videos 7:15pm, 3319 S. 46
- Sexuality Education eXchange**, University Health Ctr, 15th & U, Rm.12h, 472-7447 or email: [ptetreault1@unl.edu](mailto:ptetreault1@unl.edu) Comprehensive, inclusive sexuality/sexual health info, resources/referrals including sexual orientation, ally and diversity training.
- Straight Spouse Support Grp** 489-9088
- Women In Trades/YWCA**, 1432 N St., Lincoln 68508; 434-3494,
- UNL Committee on GLBT Concerns**, contact: Pat Tetreault, c/o University Health Center, 15th & U Streets, Rm. 12h Lincoln, NE 68588-0618, (402) 472-7447 or email: [ptetreault1@unl.edu](mailto:ptetreault1@unl.edu)
- Youth Support Group**, (402) 434-9880
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