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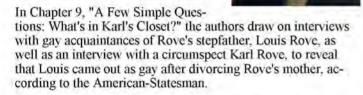
GAYZETTE

News and Events for the GLBTA Communities

Karl Rove's Stepfather Was Gay

A new book from the authors of a previous tome about the life and work of Bush political adviser Karl Rove claims that Rove's stepfather was gay, the American-Statesman newspaper of Austin, Texas, reported.

In "The Architect: Karl Rove and the Master Plan for Absolute Power,"
James Moore and Wayne Slater dedicate two chapters to the touchier side of the Republican Party's exploitation of antigay sentiment.



The chapter jabs hard at Rove, pointing out that Louis Rove, who was clearly Rove's primary father figure, died in Palm Springs, Calif., just as "his son was in the midst of launching the anti-gay issues campaign that was to lead to the re-election of George W. Bush."

The authors quote Rove and friends of Rove's stepfather to illustrate that Rove was close to him throughout his life and seemed not to judge his sexuality. This, and Rove's selfprofessed agnosticism, are major exhibits in Moore and Slater's claim of hypocrisy.

Moore, an Austin-based journalist, and Slater, senior political writer for the Dallas Morning News, paint a sharp portrait of an intelligent, ruthless, and deeply cynical Karl Rove.

Though this is their second book on Rove (after 2003's "Bush's Brain"), there's little overlap. Bush's Brain focused on Rove's rise and the development of his association with George W. Bush; "The Architect" focuses on how he pursued the creation of an enduring Republican hegemony. (The Advocate)

Ugandan Paper's Listing of Alleged Gay Men Assailed

NEW YORK, New York (Reuters) -- A Ugandan newspaper's decision to publish the names of alleged gay men is a chilling development in the African country's vilification of homosexuals, a U.S.-based human rights watchdog said Thursday.

Human Rights Watch said the publication of the first names, workplaces and other identifying information of the 45 men could be foreshadowing a government crackdown in the country, where sodomy is a crime punishable by life in prison.

"For years, President Yoweri Museveni's government routinely threatens and vilifies lesbians and gays, and subjects sexual rights activists to harassment," Human Rights Watch researcher Jessica Stern said in a statement.

"At a moment when sensational publicity has spread fear among a whole community, the authorities must exercise their responsibility to protect, not persecute."

The rights group said the list of names was published last month in the tabloid newspaper Red Pepper and that the paper has since told activists that it plans to publish a similar list of alleged lesbians.

Similar allegations by the newspaper have led to police action, Human Rights Watch said.

OU'RE INVITED

Something N Salurcay AT THE GLBT CENTER

There's something fun to do in Omaha each Saturday afternoon - something relaxing, something social, something for everyone. Every Saturday, excluding major holidays, drop down anytime between 1 pm - 6 pm to the Rainbow Outreach Metro Omaha GLBT Center at 1719 Leavenworth to enjoy Something On Saturday.

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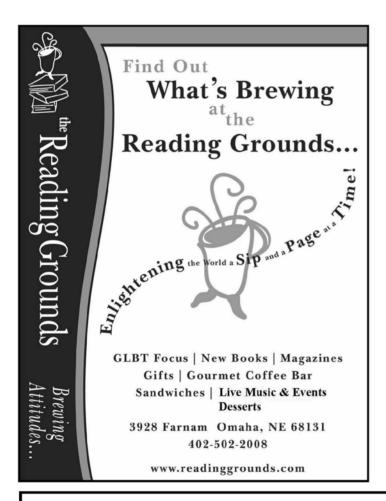
Jeremy & James Will be hosting Game Day at the Center 1719 Leavenworth St

Sundays: 2:00pm - 4:00pm

Come down and check out the games we have available or bring your favorite game and show us how to play.

Ages 5 - 105.

Parents bring the kids down and play or read some of the books in our Library while they play.





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Helping the Center is Easier than Ever!

The Center is now accepting donations of household items that can be sold on eBay to raise money!

A special thanks to Cleve Evans for his donations of videos to the GLBT Center library. Thanks Cleve!!!
We accept donations during regular Center hours or arrange for local pickup. We are currently accepting the following types of items:

Clothing & Accessories
Working Electronic Equipment
Houseware & Giftware
Tools
Jewelry
Books
Music CD's
DVD's & VHS tapes
Video Games
And more....

If you are not sure if we can accept an item, call (402) 341-0330 or email: auctions@rainbowoutreach.org and we will be happy to assist you! Please Remember; All Donations to the Rainbow Outreach GLBT Center are TAX DEDUCTIBLE!!!

GAYZETTE AD RATES, PRINTED COPY AND ON THE WEB

Whole Page 7 ½ X 10 Fourth Page 3 ¾ X 4 ¾ \$100.00 \$ 25.00 Half Page 7 ½ X 4 ¾ Business Card \$ 50.00 \$ 15.00

All ads must be camera ready. Payment must accompany ad, Checks should be made payable to Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Center. 10% Discount for on-going ads of any size. Payment and ads should be delivered to the Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Center, P.O. Box 8583, Omaha NE 68102 on or before the deadline or emailed to news@RainbowOutreach.org. Please email or call ahead to reserve space. We reserve the right to refuse any ad which we deem to be inappropriate.

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9.24 Sunday... Champagne Brunch & Bingo

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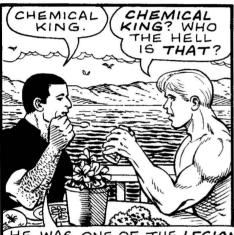






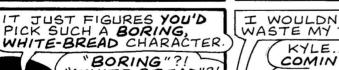
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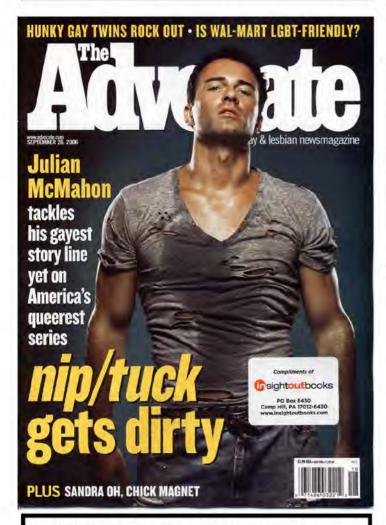






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4679 Leavenworth • Omaha, NE 68106 • 402.660.0778 Tues., Wed., Thurs. — 3-8 pm. Fri.— 2-6 pm. Saturday — 10-6 pm.



Would you like a FREE Copy of the Advocate?

Stop in at the GLBT Community Center at 1719 Leavenworth and pick up a copy. Free while supplies last. Limit one copy per person while 50 copies of each issue lasts.

HUGE CHARITY GARAGE SALE

Thousands of items from antiques to furniture to Christmas items. September 23, 7:30 am - 4:00 pm just north of Leavenworth on Saddlecreek road. 712 South Saddlecreek.

Senior 50+ Group Meeting

Every Third Saturday except Holidays
A new group has begun regular social meetings at the Rainbow Outreach Metro Omaha GLBT Center at 1719 Leavenworth Street. The next meeting is on Saturday, September 16th, from 7 until 10PM.

If you're 50 or older, or like to socialize with your older peers, share your experiences and viewpoints, then this group is for you. Not into the bar scene? Then stop in for a visit, enjoy some great conversation, and make some new friends. The event is free

Don't be an old Scrooge, come on down and have some fun!

and open to everyone.



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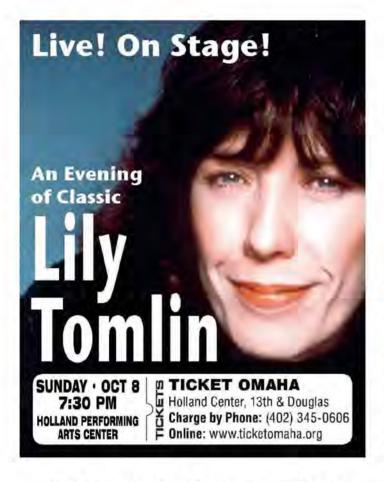


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AA Benefit Garage Sale

The Heartland Roundup fundraising committee will be holding a Garage sale, Saturday September 23rd from 7:30am until 4:00pm, location of the sales will be in the east parking lot Of Jim's Seek & Save, located at 4679 Leavenworth. All proceeds will benefit the 2007 Heartland Roundup general operating

The Roundup itself is held annually, during the last full weekend in April, and consists of speakers, work shops and fellowship that encourages and supports sobriety, specifically but not limited to the gay, lesbian and transgender community.

Individuals interested in making donations of clean items for the Garage sales may contact Mac @ 203-1478 or mike @ 933-6595, pick up assistance me be available, all donations are tax deductible. Thank you in advance for your support!

MCC Hosts Estate Planning Workshop

Bradley Z. Haumont, an openly gay attorney practicing in Omaha, will conduct a program on Estate Planning for GLBT Families on Sunday, September 17, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Social Hall of Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha, 819 South 22 Street.

The program will include review of Nebraska inheritance rules for persons who die without a will, planning for after-death transfers of property, inheritance taxes, life insurance and joint ownership of property, and numerous other topics.

The public is invited to join the congregation of MCC-Omaha for this program. They are also welcome to join the congregation for worship at 11 a.m. and for a potluck dinner which will precede the program. For more information, contact Mary Riley. Minister of Health and Wellness for MCC. She may be reached through the church office at 345-2563.

In Memoriam

Memorial Services were held Monday Sept. 11th for William "Billy" Bohnannon, a dear friend of Omaha and our community, who passed away quietly after a lengthy illness.

His "passion in life" was theatre. Known often for the roles he played on stage. Billy was also a talented director, choreographer and costumer. Over the past years the Omaha Community Playhouse, Bellevue Little Theatre. Dundee Dinner Theatre and Center Stage to name just a few. were much richer for his talents. Most recently, his contributions were visible at SNAP Productions and the Chanticleer Community Theatre in Council Bluffs. He last directed "Six Dance Lessons in Six Weeks" for SNAP, which



earned both Best Costume Design and Best Comedy at the 2006 Theatre Arts Guild Awards (TAG).

His talents and contributions to the Omaha Theatre Community were acknowledged in 2005, when he received the prestigious TAG Lifetime Achievement Award. That same year, his reprisal of the role of Hoke Colburn in "Driving Miss Daisy" drew critical acclaim and rave reviews at The Bellevue Little Thea-

Billy's contributions were also very visible in the Gay community. The Imperial Court of Nebraska (ICON) benefited from his set design and choreography talents on countless occasions, Billy also held titles on several Royal Families. The Omaha Meatpackers valued his contributions as well, for the staging and direction of many of their shows. He was a valuable asset to the MCC Choir and a past Show Director at THE MAX. He did outreach work for the Nebraska Aids Project (NAP) by directing educational skits for AIDS Awareness.

His ability to put an entire production together with hot glue and duct tape, his willingness "to help" no matter what, and his uncompromising vision and spirit will be greatly missed by all. Thank you Billy.

Presbyterians do it decently and in order.

However you do it, you're welcome here.

Lowe Avenue Presbyterian Church 1023 N. 40th, Omaha

Sunday services 10 a.m.

Rainbow Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Saturdays.
(Now reading Proverbs)

Call the church at 551-5207 or Cleve Evans at 733-1360 for more information.

Pope Chastises Canada on Gay Marriage, Abortion

VATICAN CITY (AP) -- Pope Benedict XVI hit out Friday at Canada's laws allowing same-sex marriage and abortion, saying they result from Catholic politicians ignoring the values of their religion.

"In the name of `tolerance' your country has had to endure the folly of the redefinition of spouse, and in the name of `freedom of choice' it is confronted with the daily destruction of unborn children," the pope told a group of bishops from Ontario.

Such laws, he said, are the result of "the exclusion of God from the public sphere."

He lamented that Catholic politicians yielded to "ephemeral social trends and the spurious demands of opinion polls."

Benedict has made the defense of traditional family values a major goal of his papacy, speaking out often on the issue.

During a trip to Spain in July, he challenged that country's Socialist government for instituting liberal reforms such as gay marriage and fast-track divorce.

Same-sex marriage was recognized by Canada's parliament last year.

New Conservative Prime Minister Stephen Harper has pledged to hold a vote in the House of Commons later this year to determine whether the issue should be revisited.



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Former Bank Auditor Says ...

"Credit Card Users Are Paying Too Much..."

—Free Report Shows Omaha Gay and Lesbian Community How To Save Thousands Of Dollars On Unnecessary Interest Payments.

Homeowners with substantial credit card debts are missing important savings opportunities by failing to act immediately. Unknown to most financial planners and CPA's, this free consumer report reveals how to save thousands in unnecessary interest payments and finance charges.

"Unbelievable", said one homeowner. "I can't believe how this simple little trick is able to save me thousands of dollars a year." Banks and credit card companies hope you never read this report because they want to keep charging you interest on a balance that will take more than 30 years to pay off. Consumers have been fooled by offers of low teaser rates to induce them to transfer balances, only to see their rate double or triple a few months later. This report explains how to avoid being tricked by the tactics of these large banks and credit card companies and how to turn the table so you get the interest, not them.

NOTÉ: The revised version of this report was recently released and the response has been overwhelming. A toll-free 24hr/day recorded message hotline has been set up to handle the expected volume, but you are urged to call right away. Quantities are limited. Call 1-800-475-9610...press option 1...ext 8605, leave your name and address, and the report will be mailed to you.

Call 1-800-475-9610 ... option 1 ... ext 8605

Free Report

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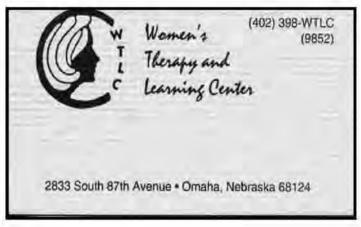
Saturday, September 23rd 2006
The Q, Lincoln 9:30 P.M.
Scheduled to appear:
Ms.Gay Pride Nebraska 2006, Susan
Mr. Gay Pride Nebraska 2005, Johnnie Ms. City Sweetheart, Donya
David Jensen, Julia, Jewels, Cupid
Mr. Adams County, Taz & more...

GAME DAY WITH RAINBOW CELEBRATIONS

GO BIG RED! Come on down to DC's Saloon on September 16th at 7pm to watch Nebraska take on the University of Southern California Trojans.

Enjoy some Big Red hot dogs, nacho chips, brownies and other snack foods. \$3.00 donation to help sponsor Nebraska Pride 2007. All proceeds will be donated to Nebraska Pride.

Don't forget to wear RED. Bring your pom poms and HUSK-ER SPIRIT. Special prizes will be given away to all those wearing RED. Come early and get your favorite seat.



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Monday Night Happy Hour \$1.00 Domestic Draws - \$1.50 Wells

UNDERWEAR NIGHT

Every Tuesday

Drink Discounts When You Strip Down

KARAOKE With STACY

\$5.00 Domestic Pitchers

Every Wednesday

\$2.00 Wells - \$2.00 Schnapps

GORDON'S

Thursday Night Dance Lessons

Starting Soon. Watch For Details

\$2.00 Domestic 12oz - \$2.50 Jack Daniels

FRIDAY NIGHT'S

\$2.50 Bacardi Rums - \$1.00 Domestic Draws

Midnight - Close

\$1.00 OFF ALL Liquor and Bottles Beer

SATURDAY NIGHT'S

\$2.50 Jose Quervo & Southern Comfort \$1.50

Cactus Juice

SUNDAY NIGHT'S

Beer Bust with VICKI

\$3.00 1st Glass - .50 Refills

\$2.50 Absolut Vodkas

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GAYZETTE COMING EVENTS

The GLBT Center welcomes gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and allied persons; we encourage all to attend GLBT Center events and activities. We celebrate unity and diversity - sexual orientation, gender identity, sex, race, religion, age, ability, ethnic and national origin.

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17TH
1ST ANNUAL DIAMOND PRINCESS
PAGEANT, AT The Max, 9PM, pageant@diamond-foundation.org for details

22ND ANNUAL WOMYN'S RIVER-BOAT CRUISE, from 5:30 to 8:30, boarding around 5:00. Call Tauni or Sheryl in Lincoln at 476-5737.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 23RD MDA and NEBRASKA PRIDE BENEFIT starting at 9PM at The Q in Lincoln

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH
ACLU NEBRASKA HOLDS BANNED
BOOK READING EVENT starting at
7PM,

At The Reading Grounds, 3928 Farnam St.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 1ST NCOD BENEFIT AT DC'S starting at 9PM Hosted by Mr. Gay Pride NE 2005 Johnnie Richards

SATURDAY OCTOBER 7TH OUT IN THE OLD MARKET, Noon till 9PM, 43 merchants are giving discounts

SUNDAY OCTOBER 8TH
COMMUNITY PICNIC, 1PM TO 4PM,
MCC-Omaha grounds and gardens, 819 So.
22nd St

INTERFAITH WORSHIP SERVICE, 4:30pm, presented by Brenner-Beckstead Ministries, MCC-Omaha, 819 So. 22nd St.

NEBRASKA PRIDE IDOL REUNION SHOW, Old Market Event Center, 9PM, next door to Flixx Video Bar

MONDAY OCTOBER 9TH
WORKSHOP AT MCC-OMAHA
at 7PM, Reclaiming the Bible

TUESDAY OCTOBER 10TH
COMING OUT RALLY AT UNO starting at 11:30am, Fireside Lounge, Milo Bail Student Union

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 11TH
NATIONAL COMING OUT DAY, Rainbow Celebrations Dessert Reception/Raffle, 7 to 9pm, The Reading Grounds, 3928 Farnam **THURSDAY OCTOBER 12TH**

COMING OUT DAY PANEL starting at 7PM TILL 9PM, Presented by Omaha PFLAG, First United Methodist Church, Mead Hall (at West end entrance)

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 5TH
DIAMOND FOUNDATION, GLBT Scholarship Benefit at The Q, 9:30PM

SATURDAY DECEMBER 9TH
LIGHTING THE FIRST GLBT HOLIDAY
TREE, details to be announced

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10TH GLBT SCHOLARSHIP DINNER, Old Market Event Center, 6PM

WEEKLY EVENTS

Every Sunday WORSHIP SERVICES:

AA LAMBDA STAG, 4pm, OPEN TO MEN ONLY, 1023 North 40th Street in basement of Lowe Ave. Presbyterian Church

<u>DIETZ METHODIST</u> 1423 S.10, Coffeehouse casual downstairs at 9am, Traditional Worship at 11am

EPISCOPAL GLBT FELLOWSHIP, St. Andrews Church, 84th & Pacific, 6-7PM, email: EpiscopalGLBT@yahoo.com

FIRST CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UNITED CHURCH of CHRIST, info at: www.firstcentral.org

FIRST UNITED METHODIST 7020 Cass, 8:30 & 10:45am services

FIRST UNITARIAN 3114 Harney, 11am services

LOWE AVE PRESBYTERIAN, 1023 N 40 10am service

METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH
OF OMAHA 819 S. 22, 345-2563 Sunday
Worship: 11am

NA-RAINBOW GROUP, Narcotics Anonymous, every Sunday at 6PM, MCC-Omaha, 819 South 22nd St., for info contact Kip K. at 612-4648

SECOND UNITARIAN, 10:30am Sunday service, 3012 South 119th St., Omaha NE UNITY CHURCH OF OMAHA,

3424 N. 90, Omaha, 10:30am service and Wednesday meditation service at 7pm

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,

GAMES DAY AT THE GLBT CENTER, 1719 Leavenworth, 2PM to 4PM

GAY MEN'S ALCOHOLICS ANONY-MOUS 4pm Lowe Avenue Presbyterian, 1023 N. 40 St Info call Mark 639-3055

Every Monday

A A RAINBOW RECOVERY", an AA
group meeting at the MCCO Church at
6pm. Call 612-4648 for more info. Starting

April 10th 2006

A A GLBT "RAINBOW GROUP"

Meeting Place, 28 & S, Lincoln, 7:30 pm

GAY/BI/STRAIGHT SUPPORT GROUP HIV+ MEN. 7pm every Monday, NAP, 2147 S. 15th St., Lincoln NE, contact Nick or Rick at 402-476-3144

RIVER CITY MIXED CHORUS RE-HEARSALS, 6:45PM—9:15PM, First United Methodist Church, 7020 Cass St.

Every Tuesday
UNL LESBIAN/BI/QUESTIONING SUPPORT GROUP, 7-8:30PM, Women's
Center, Nebraska Union, Lincoln, 472-5644

Every Wednesday

AA FOURTH DIMENSION, 7pm, Open to men and women, 219 North 48th Street

WORSHIP SERVICES
MCC OMAHA, Bible Study, 7pm

UNITY CHURCH OF OMAHA, 7pm

READING GROUNDS OPEN MIC

NIGHTS, Music, poetry, comedy or whatever . 40th & Farnam St.,

HIV TESTING, 1:30–4 pm NAP, 139 S. 40 St., results in one week

HIV TESTING LINCOLN, 4-7 pm, using
Orasure, results in one week; results in 20
minutes on the last Wednesday of the
month. 2147 South 15th #476-7000

FRONTRUNNERS RUN/WALK 6:30pm, Elmwood Park Parking Lot by softball field, Omaha

LGBT A A 7:30pm, Alcohol Ctr 2116 W. Faidley, Grand Island. Peggy (308) 226-8286, Center (308) 398-5427

KARAOKE W/STACY 8:30pm DC's

Every Thursday <u>HIV TESTING</u> 7- 9pm, NAP, 139 S. 40th Results available in one week

KARAOKE 9pm, Connections Bar

FREE CONFIDENTIAL ANONYMOUS HIV

TEST, UN-L 472-7447, 3-5:00pm, University Health Center Room 158D (in Radiology on the first floor), Orasure test, no needles, Lincoln

Every Friday

AA ALTERNATIVE MEETING, 7pm, open to men and women, at Lowe Avenue Presbyterian Church in the basement, 1023 North 40th Street

AA LIVE & LET LIVE, 8:15pm, Open to men and women, at Underwood Hills Presbyterian Church, 851 North 74th Street

GLBT CENTER YOUTH NIGHT, 5PM to 9PM, for ages 13 to 23. Youth sponsored and organized activities, under adult supervision. Every Friday, excluding holidays. 1719 Leavenworth Street

FREE CONFIDENTIAL ANONYMOUS HIV

TEST, UN-L 472-7447, 2:30-4pm, University Health Center Room 158D (in Radiology on the first floor), Orasure test, no needles, Lincoln

GLBT AA 7PM to 8PM, Lowe Avenue Presbyterian, Call 556-8364, ask for Sanford

GLBT SEXUAL COMPULSIVE ANONY-

MOUS, (SCA), A program of recovery, 8pm to 9pm, call Tony at 933-1318

<u>HIV TESTING</u> 5-10pm, NAP, 139 S. 40th Results available in 20 minutes

READING GROUNDS GAYME NIGHT,

Music, laughter & board games. 23yrs. Old & up, 40th & Farnam St., 502-2008

RAINBOW BIBLE STUDY, 6 to 7:30PM, Lowe Ave. Presbyterian, 1023 No. 40th St.

Every Saturday

SOMETHING ON SATURDAY, 1 to 6PM, Rainbow Outreach GLBT Community Center, 1719 Leavenworth Street. Something to do on a lazy Saturday afternoon. Come on down and relax, socialize or just read a book.

AA SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 1:30pm, Open to men and women, 219 North 48th Street, call 402-558-0733 for more info

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

MONTHLY EVENTS

1st Tuesday

CENTER LIBRARY FAIRIES, 7PM. Bookworms become butterflies. Stretch your wings helping the Center library. No experience necessary to volunteer.

Drop-in to the GLBT Center, 1719 Leavenworth.

VOLUNQUEER DROP-IN, at the GLBT Center. Be a "VolunQueer" and help out. Spend an hour or two volunteering at the Center - 6:30PM No special skills or ongoing commitment required. VolunQueers have fun and make a difference.

1st Friday

LINCOLN MIXED CHORUS 6:30pm, Unitarian Church, 6300 A. Lincoln

FIRST FRIDAY COFFEE HOUSE

8pm, Musicians, poets, open mic, First Unitarian Church, 3114 Harney, Omaha

1st Saturday RIVER CITY GENDER ALLIANCE

No Current RCGA Information Available

1st Sunday

GAY GUYŚ SPAGHETTI NIGHT, at a Lincoln restaurant, call 402-483-6183 to reserve a seat up until the day before

2nd Tuesday

CENTER WÉSTERN IOWA COM-MITTEE, 6:30PM at the GLBT Center, 1719 Leavenworth, Omaha. For details, visit rainbowoutreach.org

2nd Thursday

PFLAG- OMAHA, 7pm, First United Methodist Church

2nd Saturday

LEARNING TO EXCHANGE POWER
L2EP@aol.com 2pm; DC's Saloon

2nd Sunday

INTEGRITY 6-7:30pm, St. Marks, Lincoln

OUUT SECOND SUNDAY SCREEN-

ING (glbt film shown at 6:30pm followed by discussion) First Unitarian, 3114 Harney

3rd Monday

IMPERIAL COURT OF NEBR 6:30pm, Doubletree Hotel Downtown,

www.icon.impcourt.org

3rd Tuesday

VOLUNQUEER DROP-IN, at the GLBT Center. Be a "VolunQueer" and help out. Spend an hour or two volunteering at the Center - 6:30PM or 7:30PM, your choice, whenever it fits your schedule. No special skills or ongoing commitment required. VolunQueers have fun and make a difference.

3rd Thursday

LES/BI/GAY BOOK DISCUSSION
GROUP, Village Inn, 78th & Dodge, 7

3rd Friday

<u>**GAY/BI SUPPORT GRP FOR HIV+**</u> <u>**MEN**</u> 6-8pm NAP, 220 S. 17, <u>Lincoln</u>, 476-7000.

LINCOLN MIXED CHORUS 6:30pm, Unitarian Church, 6300 A, Lincoln

COFFEE HOUSE Unitarian Church, 6300 A, Lincoln

4th Tuesday

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

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

4th Friday

LEO LEATHER ENGINEERS—OMAHANot currently meeting.

4th Saturday

FREE MATINEE MOVIE, at the GLBT Center, 1:30PM, Bring a snack to share, everyone is welcome, 2nd and 4th Saturdays every month

LAST Sunday

REAL FAMILIES Omaha-area families headed by gay/lesbian parents, Margaux at 561-6738 or email MargauxPolo@aol.com

Email Your Event to: news@rainbowoutreach.org

Did you know that you can see the entire **GAYZETTE** on our web site? Go to:

www.rainbowoutreach.org
And click on the Publications link.
George W. Bush reads the Gayzette.
(Ok, he just looks at the pictures.)

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 1105 Howard St. Suite 2, Omaha NE 68102, 398-3027 www.cfep-ne.org, email to: Michael@cfep-ne.org
- Diamond Foundation, GLBT Scholar ships, Mentoring and Leadership, call 877-87-DIAMOND or see www.diamond-foundation.org
- Family Foundations Therapy for individuals, couples or families, for info call 558-3856
- First Central Congregational Church UCC, 421 South 36th St., 402-345-1533, www.firstcentral.org, GLBT-affirming
- First Lutheran Church, 542 So. 31st St., 402-345-7506, GLBT Friendly www.firstlutheranomaha.org
- First United Methodist Church, 7020 Cass St., 402-556-6262, www.fumcomaha.org, GLBT-affirming
- Flat Water Bears, (group disbanded)
 Front Runners/Walkers, Wednesdays at
 6:30pm, Elmwood Park Parking Lot by
 softball field, Omaha
- GALO (Gay & Lesbian Org at UNO) www.angelfire.com/home/GALO contact: unogalo@hotmail.com or SPO (Student Organizations) at 554-2711.
- Gay Lesbian Straight Education Network Omaha, Box 641676, Omaha 68164, 712-325-0117 http://www.glsenomaha.org
- GayLibrary.com, World Wide Resources Heartland Gay Rodeo Association Box 3354, Omaha 68103
- 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 Meets 3rd Monday, Doubletree Hotel Downtown, www.icon.impcourt.org
- Learning to Exchange Power, L2EP@aol.com; Social, educational group novices in Leather, S/M, B/D Lifestyle
- **Leather Engineers of Omaha (LEO)** Box 8101, Omaha, 68108-8101 Gay men in leather lifestyle, not currently meeting
- LinOma Bares, Box 24547, Omaha 68124 Nudist/ Naturist Club for gay/bi men Info: Linomabares@yahoo.com or call Eric at (402) 553-5944 or Tim S (712) 527-5887
- Lowe Avenue Presbyterian Church, 1023 No. 40th St., fully open to GLBT's,
- Mpower Program, 139 S. 40, Omaha 68131 email: mpower@nap.org website: www.mpower-nap.org phone: 402.552.9260x20, Holistic Gay Men's Health Program
- Metropolitan Community Church of Omaha, 819 S. 22 St., Omaha 68108 345-2563, mccomaha@mccomaha.org
 Website:www.mccomaha.org Sunday
 Worship 11am, Wed Evening Bible Study at 7pm
- NA Rainbow Group, Narcotics Anonymous, meets every Sunday at 6pm, MCC-

- Omaha Church, 819 South 22nd St **Nebraska AIDS Project**, 552-9260 Watanabe Wellness Ctr, 139 S. 40, Omaha 68131, Testing Wed from 1:30-4PM by appointment only, Thurs 7PM-9PM results in a week, Fri 5PM-10PM with 20 minute results Call 402-552-9255 info
- NebraskaEquality.org, Find out everything about Nebraska and the GLBT Community
- Nebraska GLBT Events, Community Events Calendar web site, see www.NebraskaGLBTEvents.com
- Nebraska Zen Center, Soto Zen Buddhist, 3625 Lafayette Ave., 402-551-9035, www.prairiewindzen.org GLBT inclusive
- The 'Ohana Group, (GLBT / Nontraditional Family group), email to: Theohanagroup@msn.com
- Omaha Bi Married Men Yahoo Group http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ OmahaBiMarriedMen
- Omaha Nebr Gay Pride WebPage http://ONGP.com; email to: omahanegaypride@cox.net or ongp@cox.net
- Onyx Images, Box 31026, 68131-0026 Social/Support Organization for African American Males age 21 and over
- Out and About in Nebraska, website: www.travel.to/outabout Email: NeOutAboout@vahoo.com
- OUUT (Omaha Unitarian Universalists for Tolerance) First Unitarian Church, 3114 Harney, 68131, 345-3039, www.ouut.org
- Parents and Friends of Lesbians And Gays (PFLAG) Omaha Chapter Box 390064, Omaha, 68139-0064 291-6781 Website:www.pflag-omaha.org, email info@pflag-omaha.org Meet 2nd Thurs, 1st United Meth, 7020 Cass
- Proud Horizons Youth Group, Sat Afternoon, info: (402) 291-6781 or email proudhorizons@yahoo.com
- Rainbow Outreach GLBT Resource Ctr, 1719 Leavenworth, Omaha, 341-0330
- Rainbow Bible Study, Fridays, 6-7:30pm, Lowe Ave Presbyterian, 1023 N. 40 St.
- Rainbow Celebrations, PO Box 8488, Omaha, 68108, 402-212-6302 locally, 866-NE-PRIDE toll free, sponsors of annual Gay Pride & National Coming Out Day, for complete information see www.rainbowcelebrations.org
- Real Families, Omaha-area families headed by gay/lesbian parents, meet last Sunday of every month. Info: Margaux at 561-6738 or email MargauxPolo@aol.com
- River City Gender Alliance, No Current RCGA Information Available
- 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
- SNAP Productions, Box 8464, Omaha, NE 68108 www.snapproductions.com Temple Israel Synagogue, 7023 Cass St.,

- 402-556-6536, member of the Union for Reform Judaism, GLBT inclusive
- Unity Church of Omaha 3424 N. 90, Omaha, Sunday worship: 10:30am Wednesday meditation service 7pm; 571-1344; www.unityomaha.org
- WomenSpace, no current info is available

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- GLBT and Ally Programs and Services at UNL, D. Moritz, Assistant Director, 402-472-1752 email: dmoritz2@unl.edu Located in Student Involvement Office of the Nebraska Union, Room 200.
- Gay/Lesbian/Bi/Straight Alliance 2229 J St., Lincoln 68510 (402) 436-1301 ext. 232 Ruth Kupfer
- Gay Men's Support Group, UNL Health Center, Counseling & Psychology, Rm. 214, Lincoln 68588-0618 472-7450
- Lesbian, Bisexual and QuestioningWomen's Discussion Group, University of Nebraska, Lincoln Women's Center (sponsor), Room 340, Nebraska Union, Lincoln 68588-0446. 402/472-5644.
- Nebraska AIDS Project, 2147 S. 15th St. Lincoln, NE 68502. (402) 476-7000
- Mixed Chorus, Rehearse 1st & 3rd Fridays, Unitarian Church, 6300 A, No auditions, Just a desire to sing, info contact Scott at sdorchid@neb.rr.com
- Omaha Women's Riverboat Cruise, 4949 N. 73rd, Lincoln, 68507 467-5737
- Parents, Friends of Lesbians & Gays, Cornhusker Chapter, Box 30128, Lincoln 68508, Meet 4th Tues, Unitarian Church, 6300 A, email to Barbara Kimberly, jbkiber@hotmail.com. Website: http://pflag.ineb.org/
- Plainsmen, Support FtM's (Female to Male) Drag Kings TV Butches, 402-820-1267
- SAGE, Box 22043, Lincoln 68542 Coffee House 2nd 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 Comprehensive, inclusive sexuality/sexual health info, resources/referrals including sexual orientation, ally and diversity training.
- Straight Spouse Support Grp 402-429-6094 Trevor-24-hour National Suicide Hotline for GLBT and Questioning Youth 1-800-850-8078 or email: http:// www.thetrevorproject.org/helpline.html
- TriCity GLBT, serving Central Nebraska, web site at http://www.tri-city-glbt.com/
- 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
- Women În Trades/YWCA, 1432 N St., Lincoln 68508; 434-3494,
- Youth Support Group, (402) 434-9880

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The Fitness Corner

"And no one's getting fat except Mama Cass." Everyone wants to lose weight. Many folks want something for nothing. Fad weight –loss diets are just the way to do this (could this be sarcasm). Just ask all the people who



have lost weight by fad dieting. The problem is that no one checks the status of these people one year later. There are good odds that these individuals have regained the weight or have experienced health problems from nutritional deficits. I also only hear from the winners; if you can call them that. It's exactly like gambling. I only hear from those who have won the big jackpot in Las Vegas. But where oh where are all those gamblers who have lost at the slot machines and the poker tables. The truth is that you will only hear from Dick and Jane when they bag a pelf of riches in Sin City. FAD DIETING DOESN'T WORK! Want to know why? Cue the music.

There are the carb diets that want you to restrict your intake of carbohydrates. Good idea until you realize that carbohydrates provide almost all the energy for your body and call me crazy but I'd like to have energy to go dancing, wash my Honda, and play Parcheesi.

Let's spin the fad diet wheel again and Houston we've got a problem! We've landed on protein-restrictive diets. Muscle soreness, fatigue, and overall weakness are what you've won. Studies have shown that 98% of the atoms in your body are replaced within one year. These new atoms come from those pesky proteins. No proteins, no atoms. HMMMM. Guess that doesn't work either. On to the next one.

Let's give a warm welcome to fad diet #3. It's the fad diet that eliminates almost all the fat. Now this sounds really good. What the devil could that killjoy fitness guy Ron say negative about this. Ron says that you need some fat in your diet. The saturated fat is the bad fat guy you can do without but you do need some of the unsaturated fat. The unsaturated fat is the stuff that acts as a carrier for the vitamins A, D, E, and K. Someone has to transport these little darlings around the body. So saturated is good; unsaturated is bad. Gotcha!

We're climbing the charts and we're now up to the extremely-low calorie fad diet. This diet cuts calories down below 1200 calories per day. These diets are called A) calorie-restictive; B) stupid; C) ineffective; or D) dangerous. Of course the answer is all of the above or it wouldn't fit with my theme of sarcasm. The body's top priority is to obtain sufficient energy to carry on vital functions such as circulation, respiration, and digestion. You're not gonna do it with a thousand calories a day.

Some of the top-selling diet plans on the market are: The Zone Diet, Atkins Diet, Fat Blocker Diet, Fit for Life, New Pritkin Diet, and the New Beverly Hills Diet. These are all fad diets and they don't work properly. The only winners with all of these diet plans are the marketing and advertising firms that sell this dreck to the public and become wealthy doing so.

Remember that it's better to win the war and lose a few battles than it is to win some battles and lose the war. These fad diets only allow you to grab some quick battles. Your ultimate goal should be to win that war by losing weight gradually and keeping healthy throughout. The correct way to do this is very simple: expend more calories than you take in daily, eat soundly, exercise regularly and give some time to lose the weight. "And California Dreaming is becoming a reality."

Ron Blake is a Certified Personal Fitness Trainer and Owner of Blake Fitness, LLC. He can be reached on the web at www.blakefitness.com.

Just for Laffs

A guy goes to the supermarket and notices a beautiful blond woman wave at him and say hello.

He's rather taken aback, because he can't place where he knows her from

So he says, "Do you Know me?"

To which she replies, "I think you're the father of one of my kids." Now his mind travels back to the only time he has ever been unfaithful to his wife and says, "My God, are you the stripper from my bachelor party that I laid on the pool table with all my buddies watching, while your partner whipped my butt with wet celery and then stuck a carrot up my butt????" She looks into his eyes and calmly says, "No, I'm your son's math teacher."

Retirement Planning

If you had purchased \$1000.00 of Nortel stock one year ago, it would now be worth \$49.00.

With Enron, you would have had \$16.50 left of the original \$1000.00.

With WorldCom, you would have had less than \$5.00 left.

If you had purchased \$1000 of Delta Air Lines stock you would have \$49.00 left

But, if you had purchased \$1,000.00 worth of beer one year ago, drank all the beer, then turned in the cans for the aluminum recycling REFUND, You would have had \$214.00.

Based on the above, the best current investment advice is to drink heavily and recycle.

It's called the 401-Keg Plan.

Let's Play Ball !!!

August 29th Game Highlights

It was a mix up of team members for this game. Drawing out of a bag was the fate of the team. It was a good mix up with 4 Ballerz being traded to the Snatchers and 5 Snatchers to the Ballerz.

Some great plays happened in the game as follows. Becky, being a sub for the game, caught two pop flys in the last inning. Jill got an out when she zipped a pop fly but AJ did not let it get by her on third. Chris G. tackled Chad to be safe on home plate. Windell hit a triple to score in three runs. Tamara, being a lefty, fooled everyone when she knocked it out into left field. Michael hit a double scoring a run. Telly sank it far into the outfield a couple times and Jesse made a great effort to tag out a player or two at third base.

Jen was chopped down by an opponent half way through the game and Ed. S. struck out a player which was the only strike out during the game. Chad made a great foul pop catch at home.

Join us next week as the teams go through another scramble. Games are at 34th Leavenworth Park. Please join us for our final game September 24th at 1:00 PM.

The league would like to thank volunteers Jackie, Brady, and Sarah and, of course, all the people who come to watch us as well.





September 5th Game Highlights

The game went back to normal teams for the night. The Ballerz VS. the Snatchers in game 12. It was a wonderful night to play and the bleachers were filling fast.

The first inning didn't deliver any runs for either team. Some players had trouble straightening out the ball. Others just sent it backwards into the crowd as a foul ball.

Other highlights from the game.

The Ballerz got many pop flys sent to them with most all of them getting caught. Windell hit for a triple. Chris G. hit a home run scoring 2 other players. Ed S. got a pop fly right off of the pitchers mound. Brian got a pop fly directly to him on third. Justin got a double after fouling twice. Hank also scored a double and got a couple of forced outs on second. Dave was covering first and got around the bases a few times. Michael and Chad defended the outfield while getting single base hits. The Snatchers were having a hard time staying on bases for the evening. Leana, though getting a great pop fly, was caught on home plate. Ashleigh provided very good defense in left field. Jenni was covering center but the ball fell short of her a few times and it got back to the infield fast. Becky was covering second later on but was replaced, with Kristin going out to the right field. Jesse and Telly tried to pickle Chris G from the Ballerz but he says he didn't want to play that game. A.J. made great catches on first for defense while Jill did the same over at

The league would like to thank the entire crowd for their attendance. We appreciate it. Thank you also to our volunteer umps Jackie, Brady, and Kathy as well as our scorekeeper Sarah. The final game will be Sunday September 24th at 1 PM at 34th Leavenworth Park. The next sport offered by the Omaha Metro GLBT Sports League will be indoor volleyball. Sign up dates will be in October. Play will be Sundays in November at the Downtown Y from 2PM - 4PM





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