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GAY CIVIL RIGHTS BILL

Things are happening very quickly with LD 430 "An Act To Prevent Discrimination". By the time you get this copy of the newsletter the fate of the bill may already be decided, but it's possible that it may still be caught up in the legislative process. LD 430, if enacted, would protect the rights of gays and lesbians in the areas of employment, housing, public accommodations and credit. As of this writing, the bill passed by a slim margin in the state senate, then was sent on to the house of representatives where it was defeated. It must now go back to the senate for another vote. If you haven't contacted your congress people asking them to support the bill, it is vital that they hear from you.

Charlie Howard Weekend

A small group of GLCN members are beginning to make plans for this year's celebration of the life of Charlie Howard. This is an important anniversary to our community; a time to show Bangor, Maine that not only do we exist here, but that we laugh, we love, we make music, and we're proud of who we are. It's a celebration of all of our lives.

By the time you receive this issue of "The Networker" the fate of LD 430, the Gay Civil Rights Bill, will probably be known. Whatever the outcome, we need to "come out" clearer and stronger than ever this year; to support and love ourselves in the face of ignorance, bigotry, violence, and hate.

As in years past events will take place the first weekend in July. We need input from the lesbian and gay community as to what types of things you'd like to see. If you'd like to help or share ideas come to the Peace and Justice Center on April 17 at 7:30, or call 862-5907.

JUST SAY YES!!
To another Lesbian Pot Luck Brunch!!
Yes! Yes! Yes! Another Lesbian Pot Luck Brunch is planned for Sunday April 28, from noon till 3PM. Just bring a dish to share, if you want to, and yourself, and get ready to meet a nice group of women!

The brunch will be held at the Peace and Justice Center in Bangor, but don't forget: IT HAS MOVED to 58 Columbia St.

So...Do we know anyone who isn't moving...??
The Peace and Justice Center of Eastern Maine, the organization which has provided our meeting space for the past two years has moved to 58 Columbia Street, across from the Columbia St. Baptist Church. So, from now on, all GLCN meetings will be held at the new location unless otherwise specified. The new space is handicap accessible.

Also...Robin G. one of the main contact people for GLCN has a new phone number 941-2189.

Our Community's Calendar

Monday April 8 Begins U Maine's Lesbian Bisexual Gay Awareness Week. See enclosed flyer.

Wed April 10 No GLCN meeting.
Sat. April 13  "Silence = Death", The Movies 10 Exchange St. Portland, ME. To benefit ACT UP Maine. 774-7224
Sunday April 14 Casino Night River Front Lounge. See ad.
Wed April 17 GLCN Organizational Meeting for Charlie Howard Weekend. 7:30 PM 58 Columbia St. Bangor.
Wed. April 24 GLCN General Meeting. 7:30 PM 58 Columbia St.
Sat. April 27 "Health In Our Hands". Women's Health Conference. Mabel Wadsworth Women's Health Center. 947-5337.
Sun. April 28 Lesbian Pot Luck Brunch. See article.

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OUTRIGHT TOO Gay Lesbian Youth Group meets every Tues. PM 7:30 Peace and Justice Center 58 Columbia St. Bangor.
HIV/AIDS Group For anyone affected by AIDS or HIV. Meets every Tuesday Eve. in Ellsworth. Call 667-3506 for info.
Women's HIV Group 7:30 to 9 PM every first and third Thursday. Call 667-3506 or 469-6405 or 947-0700 for info. Bangor group.
HIV Care Giver's 1:30 to 3 PM every second and fourth Tuesday. Ellsworth. call 667-3506 or 422-3686 for info.

CLASSIFIEDS
Gay male Grad student seeks quiet lesbian or gay male to share Broadway apt. Avail 6/1 2 BDRMS, Dining rm, spacious sunny liv rm. Off St. park, garage space, storage. 250/mo includes heat and hot water. Call Ken early AM or eve. 941-8454. Sorry, no pets.

Wanted: Info on area Bed and Breakfasts for gays and lesbians. Is anyone aware of a local listing of this kind? If so call 862-5907.