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Apr. 3-9.......... Railroad Square Cinema, Waterville. At Play In The Fields of The Lord. 873-6526.

Apr. 5 ............ Two Nice Girls, at the Nightstage, 823 Main St., in Cambridge, MA. At 8PM, tickets $10.50. A night of comedy, more info 617-931-2000.

Apr. 6-10.......... "Celebrating Our Families & Friends." Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Awareness Week, with various activities. Wilde-Stien Club, Mem. Union, UMO.

Apr. 10 .......... Melinda Goodman, author of Middle Sister, will read from her book. 7PM. at the Lunaria Bookstore, 90 King St. Northampton, MA. 413-586-7851.


Apr. 11 ........... 3rd. Annual Womland Coffeehouse. 7:30PM. @ the Abbott Room, in the Belfast Free Library. $5.00, call 525-7755.

Apr. 11 .......... Heather Bishop with Sherry Shute in concert. 8PM, 1st. Parish Church, 425 Congress St., Portland. $11.50 in advance, $13.00 at the door. More info in the Newsletter.

Apr. 14-16........ Railroad Square Cinema, Waterville. Let Him Have It, 873-6526.

Apr. 17 .......... Diana Hansen at 90 Main Street Restaurant, 90 Main St., Belfast. 9PM no Charge. Diana sings everything from Pop, Jazz, Blues, & Folk.


Apr. 18.......... Pixie Lauer & Diana Hansen will perform at the Blue Angle, 58 Bay View St., Camden, ME.

Apr. 18-26....... Railroad Square Cinema, Waterville. Creature From The Black Lagoon. (in 3-D) 873-6526.

Apr. 21-23 ...... Railroad Square Cinema, Waterville. Life on a String. 873-6526.


Apr. 24- 5/2....... Railroad Square Cinema, Waterville. Naked Lunch, 873-6526.


May 9 ............ Kate Clinton, comedian, with special guests, Diana Hansen & Pixie Lauer. 8PM., 1st. Parish Church, 425 Congress St., Portland. $12.50 in advance, $14.00 @ the door.

Sunday:
Lesbian/Gay Alchoholics Anonymous, 4PM Discussion, Unitarian Church, Union Street, Bangor, Maine.

GLASS, 6:30-8:00PM. Speakers Meeting. Williston West Church, 32 Thomas Street, Portland, ME. Non-smokers.

Monday:
Adult Children of Alcoholics, 7:00-8:00PM, Open Discussion, YMCA 87 Spring Street, Portland, ME.

Pride Group. Alternate Step/Discussion, 7:30-8:30PM. Matthew's Church, Hallowell.

Tuesday:
Gays in Sobriety, Beginners Meeting. 7:00-8:00PM. Williston West Church, 32 Thomas St., Portland, ME.

Lesbian ACOA Support Group. 7:00-8:30PM. Unitarian Universalist Church, Annex 2nd. floor. 15 Pleasant St., Brunswick, ME. Non-smoking. All women welcome.

Women's Support Group 12 Womens Issues. Penobscot Methodist Church, 7:30-8:30PM.

Wednesday:
Lesbian/Gay AA. 7:30 PM. Unitarian Church, Broadway, Rockland, ME.

Gay/Lesbian Live and Let Live. 8:00-9:00PM. Mercy Hospital, 4th. floor. Portland, ME. Big Book Meeting.

Thursday:
Gay/Lesbian Live & Let Live. 7:30PM. Discussion Meeting. Unitarian Church, Union St. Bangor, ME.

ACOA, 6:00-7:00PM Step Meeting. Mercy Hospital, 144 State St., Portland, ME.

Friday:
Gay/Lesbian AA meeting, 6:00PM. Unitarian Church, Ellsworth, ME. WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

Free To Be Group, AA, 7:30-9:00PM. Open discussion. Fire Station, rear of building, Hospital St., Augusta, ME.

Augusta:
Waterville-Augusta Area Gay Men's Support Group, 6:30-8:30PM. For more info., call 873-4301.
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Nina Totenberg a reporter for NPR, will speak @ UMO @ Wells Commons. Apr. 24 @ 7PM. She will speak on reporters and sources. She will also be a panelist on the discussion on, Would You Go To Jail To Protect the Identity of Your News Source? That will be in the afternoon. Torenberg was the first to broadcast part of Anita Hills confidential affidavit.

Second Annual "Women's" Campout Week-end. June 19-21st., Swan Island, Richmond, ME. Limit to 60, MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW! Cost $10 per person due when you send in your reservations. Must have by APRIL 1st. Any questions call 822-9672 11AM-9PM. Or mail in your money to; Polly E Dalton, RR2 Box 204, Wiscasset, ME 04578. Let her know if you are a single or a couple.

A Consciousness Raising Group...

...is a safe place for women of all ages, religions, nationalities, sexual orientation and economic back­grounds to share their thoughts, feelings and experiences with other women.

The goal of a CR group is to transform personal experiences into a political perspective of women's oppression, which leads to self and group empowerment. There are no group leaders or authorities; every woman is an equal participant.

If you are interested in finding out you're "not the only one" having certain experiences and wish to become part of an empowering process, call the Women's Resource Center at 581-1508 and let them know when you could meet.

Greetings!

The Gay/Lesbian Freedom Celebration Committee is a newly formed organization in the Bangor area comprised of social work students and local professionals. Our organization was formed to enrich the local Lesbian and Gay community by celebrating diversity and embracing freedom. We are excited to announce the First Annual Gay/Lesbian Freedom Celebration. The festivities will begin with a parade through downtown Bangor and culminate with music and merriment at Paul Bunyan Park. The date set for this grand event is Saturday, June 20, 1992.

We are extending an invitation for you to join us as we begin our undertaking of this bold new adventure. Your work in promoting awareness and embracing diversity has brought you to mind. We are asking for your continued support of Lesbian and Gay activities. We need your creative ideas and suggestions; as well as: flatbed trucks, crepe paper, banners, musicians, crafts, and, yes, money. Donations can be made to Gay/Lesbian Freedom Celebration.

If you would like more information or want to help us plan any part of the celebration you can contact Jim at 990-3420 or write to GLFCC, PO Box 462, Hampden, Maine 04444.

Mark your calendars for June 20th and join us in the celebration!

Many Thanks!

Sarah Lowden  Jim Martin  Melanie Noyes
GLFCC Chairpersons
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Sunday
ML/GPA meets the third Sunday of every mo., at the All Souls Church, 11 King St., Augusta, 2-4PM.

Monday
On the 3rd. Mon. of each month at 6:45 PM. Group for anyone affected by AIDS/HIV. Meets in Belfast. Call WKAC at 338-1427 or Alan at 338-3135 for information.

Act-up/ Maine, meets at 7PM. every Mon. nite. At the Peoples Building, 55 Brackett St., Portland.

Tuesday:
HIV/AIDS Supervision/ Support Meeting. Every 2nd. & 4th. Tuesday 1:30 - 3:00 PM. Down East Network, 114 State St., Ellsworth. Open to area professionals and other trained caregivers, who work with HIV+ individuals or their families. Call Doug Kimmel, Ph.D. at 422-3686 or Bobby Poulin 667-3506.


Wednesday:
Gay/Lesbian Community Network meets every Wed. at 7:30PM. at the Peace & Justice Center. For more info. call 866-7958 or 862-5907.

Thursday
Mother's Group. For mothers of people with AIDS/HIV or who have died of AIDS. Meets in Belfast. Margie Spencer Smith, facilitator, LCSW. Call 338-1427 for information. Every other Thurs.

OUT FOR GOOD. A Lesbian Support /Discussion Group. 7-9 PM Thursday in Saco. For information & directions call, 247-3461.

PWA/HIV Support Group at 7:15PM. Facilitated by Jean Tracy, LCSW, in the Rockland area. Call WKAC, 338-1427, for more info.

Women's HIV Group. 1st. & 3rd. Thursday evenings in Bangor. For women who are HIV+ or children or have had HIV+ partners. Call Bobby 667-3506 or Patty 947-0700 (a children's group also meets)

Young people's HIV Group. 1st. & 3rd. Thursday evenings in Bangor. For anyone under 18 affected by HIV.

Saturday
Gay 90's Men's Group, for Waldo County Area. Meets one Sat. a month. For information contact Paul at 342-5886 or write, RR1 Box560, Morrill, ME 04952-0000.

KATE CLINTON
with special guests

Diana Hansen and Pixie Lauer

Saturday
May 9th, 1992
8:00 p.m.
First Parish Church
425 Congress Street
Portland, Maine

$12.50 in advance
GENERAL ADMISSION $14.00 at the door

Special Reserved Seating, $17.50 by mail from:
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May 22-25, 1992  
University of Maine - Presque Isle campus  
hosted by/Northern Lambda Nord  

First SYMPOSIUM MIXED DOUBLES (butch/femme) TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Are you a "top spinner" (butch) or are you into making a color-coordinated fashion statement on the court (femme)? If you're a butch, find a femme partner to pair up with, or vice versa. We're not gender-oriented; the only requirement is butch/femme. Even if you can't bring a partner, SIGN UP! We'll find you one. Bring either a new can of tennis balls or a $3 entry fee per team, plus a racquet, tennis shoes, and bug repellant (just in case). Fill in this form:

- Butch's name ____________________________
- Femme's name ____________________________
- I need a partner (check box)
- Estimated arrival day/time in Presque Isle ________  
- Departure day/time ________  

2nd annual SYMPOSIUM LIP-SYNC/VOGUEING CONTEST

YES! I wish to sign up for  
- Lip-Sync  
- Voguing  

I will bring my music on  
- Cassette  
- CD  

Other requirements: ____________________________

GET-TO-KNOW-ME SCAVENGER HUNT

- My hobby or interest ____________________________
- My favorite color/food/other interesting thing ____________________________
- A gay or lesbian organization I belong to is ____________________________

Something unique about me ____________________________

Make check payable to/Veuillez faire le chèque à ordre de NLN-SYMPOSIUM XIX

Mail form and payment to:Envoyez la formule et la paiement à SYMPOSIUM XIX, POB 990, Caribou, ME 04736-0990 USA
MAINE LESBIAN & GAYMEN'S SYMPOSIUM XIX

Our state's nineteenth annual statewide gathering is scheduled for Memorial Day weekend, Friday-Monday, May 22-25, 1992. It will be held on the Presque Isle campus of the University of Maine. This year's hosts are the men and women of Northern Lambda Nord, the gay-lesbian-bisexual organization which serves the four counties of Aroostook (Maine), Madawaska, Victoria, and Carleton (New Brunswick).

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS
Hon. DAVID SCONDRAS, openly gay member of the Boston City Council
Ms. ANNE BISHOP, Nova Scotia activist

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
TOM WILSON-WEINBERG and LISA JOY BERNSTEIN, cabaret entertainers
DIANA HANSEN & PIXIE LAUER, folk-pop duo
MARTIN SWINGER, folksinger

SPECIAL EVENTS
First Symposium Butch/Femme (Mixed Doubles) TENNIS TOURNAMENT
Second Annual Symposium LIP-SYNC & VOGUEING CONTEST
Display of THE QUILT, presented by the Names Project/Maine

ACTIVITIES
A weekend filled with workshops, discussions, films, dancing, games, making new friends, meeting old acquaintances, and lots of fun!

WORKSHOPS
Discussions and presentations include such varied topics as: Being out in the workplace, Parenting, Runnig for public office, Legal and health issues, Bisexuality, Our place in history, Relationships, and many more.

HOUSING
Dormitory rooms are available on the UMPI campus. All rooms are double occupancy, and your linen, blanket, pillow, and towel are provided. SPACE IS LIMITED. first come, first served. Guaranteed reservations for housing MUST be received by May 1, 1992.

MEALS
Arrangements have been made to provide meals on campus. The FULL MEAL PLAN includes Saturday's breakfast, lunch, and buffet supper, plus Sunday's brunch and evening barbeque. All menus include both meat and vegetarian selections. Reservations for meal tickets MUST be received by May 1, '92.

CHILD CARE
Free child care is available on the UMPI campus (ages 2½ and older) but requests MUST be received by May 1, 1992.

REGISTRATION
Your registration fee includes admission to all events: workshops, panel discussion, films, dance, and entertainment. Housing and meals are not included in the registration fee.

PICK-A-PLAN
To simplify registration, you have five choices:

PLAN A - "The Full Package" includes three nights lodging, five meals, and registration, all for $89 (requires a $45 non-refundable deposit).
PLAN B - Two nights lodging, five meals, and registration for $75 (requires $35 non-refundable deposit).
PLAN C - One night lodging, four meals, and registration for $60 (requires $30 non-refundable deposit).
PLAN D - Includes five meals plus your registration for $50 (requires $25 non-refundable deposit).
PLAN E - Registration only - $18. This may be paid at the door; no deposit is required.

PLEASE NOTE: The non-refundable deposits for Plans A, B, C, and D MUST be received by May 1, 1992. All fees are payable in U.S. funds only; Canadian money cannot be accepted.

WORK EXCHANGE
A limited number of reduced-price plans are available for limited-income persons who wish to work in exchange for fees; students are especially encouraged to apply. Please write TODAY for further details.

SPECIAL GET-TO-KNOW-YOU SCAVENGER HUNT
There will be a special scavenger hunt from Friday evening through Saturday morning, so that people can meet other Symposium participants. This scavenger hunt asks for signatures of registrants according to a list of certain requirements. In order for the Symposium Committee to put together the varied list of items on the scavenger hunt, registrants are asked to fill in the short questionnaire on the registration form.

SEND IN YOUR PRE-REGISTRATION TODAY
Complete the form on the reverse side and return it by May 1, 1992 in order to guarantee your housing, food, and any special requests. SPACE IS LIMITED in the dormitory. We cannot guarantee housing on the UMPI campus unless we receive your reservations by May 1st.

This mailing was authorized by the MLGPA. Your confidentiality was not compromised.
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Utilities extra. Call Nan or Susan at 338-5559 before 9AM or evenings.

Looking For Lesbian Women:
Looking to meet Lesbian women from Bangor to Millinocket radius that are interested in (1) Mutual friendship, companionship, & social activities. Age group 35-45. Positive, honest, career oriented and out of the closet". (2) In need of a larger support system to validate self. (3) Need to connect up with women who are looking to improve themselves; grow intellectually, spiritually, emotionally, and care about one's physical being from diet, exercise, to preventive medicine. (4) Women who are clean & sober and work a twelve step program. (5) Women, who have a healthy sense of who they are, and think about what else they want to in life. To be able to talk about goals, ambitions, and choices. (6) Looking for bonding, support, and good company to talk, go to a movie, go out to eat, etc. (7) Also looking for women interested in starting a group. If interested please write to, Clean & Sober, PO Box 59, Lincoln Center, ME 04458.

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LIFE ON A STRING
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Mar. 27 - Apr. 2
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(until 4/1/92)
Can you believe it?! It's the
3rd Annual Womland COFFEEHOUSE!

Featuring:
Karin Spitfire
Martha Borzoni
Larraine Brown
and a superb local acappella singing group!

Saturday, April 11 at 7:30 pm
at the Abbott Room, Belfast Library

$5 suggested donation to benefit Womland, a feminist spiritual organization whose primary purpose is to preserve and protect land. For more info call 525-7755.

Refreshments, a raffle and a showing of local artists' work.

All are welcome.
Hi Folks,

This publication is for you to get the word out. So, if you know of a happening or if you're having a happening, tell us so we can let the community know!

Also, if we have incorrect information on self-help groups or organizations, please let us know so we can print it correctly. If your group is not listed and would like to be, please let us know. Listings for these groups are free.

Rates

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