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OOOOOPS!!

We made a mistake. The announced presentation of "Out into the Open: Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, Evangeline Whipple, and Lesbianism in America", by UMO history professor Paula Petrik, will not be held this month. This not-to-be-missed lecture has been rescheduled for September 19. The presentation is part of the Gay Lesbian Community Network Political-Education Task Force's continuing efforts to enlighten, enrich, excite, enthrall, and otherwise entertain us all!! More about this later.

Charlie Howard Weekend July 6-8, 1990

Plans are underway for this year's Charlie Howard Memorial. The weekend will begin with a Friday evening potluck and showing of the video "The Times of Harvey Milk". Saturday evening the Gay Lesbian Community Network will sponsor a dance featuring some new and different tunes. Sunday's Memorial service will begin with the Unitarian service followed by the march and gathering at the park. The keynote speaker for this year will be Rev. Douglas Morgan Strong. Additional details will be available in June's "Networker". If anyone is interested in helping to plan these events (and we NEED it!) please call Robin or Janet at 862-5907.

Support for Area Teens

We are considering forming a program for young adults ages 16-22. We're looking for ideas, comments, suggestions, and volunteers.

Contact Jeanne, 525-4467.

Movies!

Last month's showing of "Desert Hearts" and "Torch Song Trilogy" proved very successful. So.....riding on that success.....were gonna like a do.....ah...some more for ya!! May 25th is the date! Friday is the day! 7PM is the time! Peace and Justice Center is the place! "My Beautiful Launderette" is the Movie!

Free Admission (But "the hat" will be passed for donations) Bring your own popcorn. Soda and juice on sale.

Be there or don't be there.

FUN With FUNDRAISING

The Gay Lesbian Community Network is planning to participate in this year's "World's Largest Garage Sale" !! The sale will be held on June 16, from 9am to 4pm, at the Pickering Square Parking Garage. This is an annual event sponsored by WLBZ-TV. It's time to clean out the closet for a good cause!!! We need your used goods! If you have stuff to donate, or want to help(!!!) please contact Marguerite at 827-3107.

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Speaking of money....GLCN is experiencing a fiscal crunch. Sending out the monthly "Networker" to almost 300 people is costing us quite a bit. Each individual copy takes .60 to .70 cents to produce and send. We want to make the newsletter available to everybody, whether or not you have money, but we are soliciting donations.

Our only income at this time are our fundraising activities and donations. The Wendy B. dances that have been held regularly, are her own private endeavors and not functions of GLCN. Wendy does donate a small sum to GLCN when GLCN members help her out.

We have included a form in the newsletter this month for your convenience and donating pleasure.

Name _____

Address _____

Suggested Donation: \$5 _____ \$10 _____ \$15 _____ Other _____

Comments and Suggestions for future activities _____

Please Return to GLCN PO Box 212 Bangor Me. 04401

Networker Classifieds

Camp for Rent on the Holden side of Brewer Lake. Very private camp with running cold water and electricity. Outside privy. Access to a beach area; paddle boat and canoe for your enjoyment. Call Denise or Sarah for more details, 945-5932.

Wendy B's Dance *May 12* Veazie Community Center* "Where's that?" you ask, Go right out State Street in Bangor to Veazie past the Blinking yellow light, past the Oriental Dang restaurant. Take first right on Main Street (almost across from Lancasters Market), go across the RR Tracks, past Lemon Street. Take left onto Olive Street Big white building on right. Any questions??? Call 989-1680. \$4.00 cover 9-1.

Networker Classifieds are available for \$4.00 per issue; please mail check and ad copy to GLCN, PO Box 212, Bangor, ME 04401 by the 28 of the month for publication in the following month's issue. Please include name and phone number even if not used in ad. Questions ? Call Robin at 866-7958.

The Community's Calendar

Thurs & Fri. May 4 & 5, Spruce Run yard sale. ~~62~~ Wiley Street Bangor, ME
For more information call 990-3253.

Wed., May 9, 7:30-9:00pm, GLCN Support Group, Discussion topic "More Coming Out Stories". Peace and Justice Center, 9 Central Street.

May 11, 12, 13 Maine Gay/Lesbian Film Festival Portland, Maine. Call 799-1703 for more information.

Sun, May 13 11:30am - 2:30 Lesbian Brunch, Peace and Justice Center, 9 Central Street, Bangor (3rd floor above Mr. Paperback).

Wed, May, 16 7:30pm-9:00, GLCN Political/Education Task Force Meeting.

Wed, May 23, 7:30-9:00, GLCN General Meeting, Peace and Justice Center 9 Central Street Bangor.

May 25, 26, 27 XVII Lesbian/Gay Symposium, Unity College, Unity, Maine.
P.O. Box 536 Orono, Maine 04493 Call Victor, Sun - Thurs evenings 581-3014

Fri., May 25 7:00pm GLCN Movie Night "My Beautiful Launderette" Peace and Justice Center, 9 Central Street, Bangor.

Wed., June 6 7:30, GLCN Newsletter folding party. Peace and Justice Center, 9 Central Street, Bangor.

Remember Charlie Howard Memorial Weekend Activities. July 6, 7, 8.

Sat, June 19, World's Largest Garage Sale. See story page 2.

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