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A Calendar of Events for by
Lesbian Women in the Central Pennsylvania area.

JULY, 1985

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3 - 8PM...John Calvi in Concert, on banjo and guitar. Fine writer of songs and entertainer. Worker for AIDS. Come spend a wonderful night out! Cost - Contribution. Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

SUNDAY, JULY 7 - 5PM...Dignity sponsored Mass for Lesbian/Gay Community, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

SUNDAY, JULY 7 - 3PM...MCC Worship Service, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

SUNDAY, JULY 7 - 7PM...MCC Worship Service, Unitarian Church of Lancaster, 538 W. Chestnut St.

FRIDAY, JULY 12 - 11PM-2AM...Sue Reider on Guitar at the Scarab Bar in Reading.

SATURDAY, JULY 13 - 1-8PM...Lambda Alive Picnic. Food, Beer, Soda, Games, Prizes, Entertainment. \$9. Reading area. Come out for a good time. Write: Bev + Kathy, Box 107, Dauberville, Pa. 19511

SUNDAY, JULY 14 - 3PM...MCC Worship Service, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

SUNDAY, JULY 14 - 7PM...MCC Worship Service, Unitarian Center of Lancaster, 538 W. Chestnut St.

SUNDAY, JULY 14 - 12 NOON TILL DUSK...Dignity sponsored picnic at Pine Grove Furance State Park. Celebrate Dignity's 10th Anniversary. Volleyball, charcoal, hotdogs and condiments provided. Bring food/beverage to share. Pine Grove State Park, Rt. 233, South of Newville. Call 236-1081 for more information.

MONDAY, JULY 15 - 7:30PM...Social Support Group meets in the York Area. A good opportunity to meet people and to enjoy good conversation. Call 848-9142 for location.

SATURDAY, JULY 20 - Dignity's Anniversary Mass and Birthday Party (10th). 3PM reception for Sister Jeannine at 33 Woods Drive, Mechanicsburg, 6PM Anniversary Mass at Lakeside Lutheran Church, Green and Division Sts., Hbg. 7PM cocktails and dinner at Excellent Inn, North Front Street, Hbg. \$20. Call 234-4550.

SATURDAY, JULY 20 - 7:30PM...Lancaster Women's Potluck. Gourmet food, wonderful conversation. Call Helpline for location at 397-0691.

SUNDAY, JULY 21 - 7PM...MCC Worship Service, Unitarian Church of Lancaster, 538 W. Chestnut St.

SUNDAY, JULY 21 - 10:30 AM...Women's Center sponsored Feminist Brunch. Bring fruit, cheese or bread. Egg, coffee, tea provided. Also good conversation. Call 233-4004 for location.

SUNDAY, JULY 24 - 3PM...MCC Worship Service, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

FRIDAY, JULY 26 - 7-8...Dignity sponsored Women's Concern Camping Trip. From 12 Noon Friday till 4PM Sunday, Saunders Park, Mercersburg, Call 766-0819 for more information.

FRIDAY, JULY 26 - AUGUST 15...Iris Glen Feminist Camp. A Women's Retreat on the South River, Annapolis, Maryland. Send yourself to camp, one day or one week. Hiking, swimming, canoeing, sports, sailing, fishing and more. Take a vacation with other women, you deserve it! Write: Glen Feminist Camp, P.O. Box 265, Edewater, Maryland, 21037. Call (301) 858-6910.

SUNDAY, JULY 28 - 3PM...MCC Worship Service, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

SUNDAY, JULY 28 - 7PM...MCC Worship Service, Unitarian Center of Lancaster, 538 W. Chestnut St.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3 - 12 NOON...Dignity sponsored Potluck Picnic and "retreat". Shuffleboard, swimming, wooded atmosphere. Bring food/beverage to share. Call 238-4368 for more information.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4 - 5PM...Dignity sponsored mass for gay/lesbian community. Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

COMING IN AUGUST...Women's Motorcycle Festival '85. August 23-26. Write WMF '85, 7 Lent Avenue, Leroy, New York 14482. Call (716) 768-6054.

AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 2...New England Women's Musical Retreat. Teresa Trull, Chris Williamson and Band, Mary Watkins, Linda Tillery with Kate Clinton M.C. and much more. Three day ticket includes camping space, food, concerts and activities (including swimming). \$85, \$75 unemployed/student. For more information write: N.E.M.R., P.O. Box 728, West Hartford, CT. 06107. Call (203) 233-7394.

SEPTEMBER 14 - Dayliner Cruise sponsored by Women on the Move. 5000 Women on one Cruise! For more information write: Women on the Move, P.O. Box 1317, Scarsdale, New York 10583. Call (914) 693-8922.

Looking for Wimmie of a like mind who are interested in studying and discussing the positive aspects of WICAA, WICCANTISM, WIMMIN'S Spirituality. Call 234-6432 or Write: Box 1527, Hbg., Pa. 17105

Anyone interested in attending softball games in the Hbg.-Middletown area, send a stamped self-addressed envelope to L.L. Softball, P.O. Box 1527, Hbg., 17105. (Not all teams are Lesbian however).

WE WANT YOU TO SEND IN THIS COUPON ONCE, SO YOU WILL BE SURE TO RECEIVE THE LAVENDER LETTER EACH MONTH. TO ASSURE YOUR PRIVACY, IT WILL ARRIVE IN AN UNMARKED, SECURITY ENVELOPE. A DONATION OF \$4.00 (MORE IF YOU CAN, LESS IF YOU CAN'T) WOULD HELP COVER POSTAGE & PRINTING FOR THE YEAR.

PLEASE SEND CHECKS IN THE NAME OF "CASH". THANKS!

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If you have any news of events that others should know about, send them to: P.O. Box 1527, Harrisburg, PA 17105

July, 1985

Are you an undiscovered playwright, director, actress, etc.? I am forming a group of women interested in all phases of theater. Nothing fancy. Just informal get togethers. Call Ro after 6:00 at 737-1356. This could be your first step toward Broadway!

COMING IN SEPTEMBER... A women's gathering at Twin Oaks Community. "A Celebration of Ourselves" featuring Casse Culver in concert, camping, workshops, childcare, food, fun. Sliding scale: 125-60. Write: Women of Twin Oaks Community, Louisa, VA, 23093 or call 703-894-5126.



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(Beginning July 1st we will be closed Sundays & we'll open at 7pm Fri. & Sat.)

Hours:

Tues. - Thurs. & Sun.
5pm - Midnight
Fri. & Sat.
5pm - 4am

MOVIE CLUB - Join our growing list of people interested in seeing the local flicks. Call 697-3503 and receive a listing of people interested in getting together to see the latest show.

ROOMMATE wanted for Hershey apartment. Call Pasty at 1-867-4964.

LAMBDA ALIVE and PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF GAYS are co-sponsoring the local Gay Hotline. To volunteer your time call 278-9376.

NOW FORMING... A Lesbian Mothers Group. A place to socialize and/or share common experiences with other Lesbian Mothers. Anyone interested in helping to organize this group or anyone interested in meeting other Lesbian Mothers please write: P.O. Box 1527, Harrisburg, PA 17105.

"DIVORCED" (newly separated) Wimmin of Wimmin seeking to share experiences, strengths, and hopes; identify and relate to other wimmin coming from a similar space in the Lancaster-Harrisburg area. Call the Lancaster Helpline at 397-0691 for more information.

READING AREA WOMYN... interested in a support group (non-smokers) for pot-luck dinners and socializing, call 944-8214.

CRISISLINE - to report anti-gay violence, call toll-free 1-800-221-7044.

RESOURCES.....

DIGNITY CENTRAL PA., HARRISBURG... Mass 5PM, First Sunday of the month, Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts. Write P.O. Box 297, Federal Square Station, Harrisburg, PA 17108.

GAY AND LESBIAN SWITCHBOARD OF STATE COLLEGE AREA... 814/237-1950 (6-9PM Daily).

GAY SWITCHBOARD OF HARRISBURG... 234-0328. Monday thru Friday. 6 To 10PM.

HARRISBURG AREA WOMEN'S NEWS (HAWN)... A monthly newspaper for all women of the Harrisburg area. \$7 for 11 issues. Write: HAWN, Room 204, PSSU Building, 1037 Maclay Street., Harrisburg, Pa. 17103.

HARRISBURG GAY A.A... Fridays 8:30 at Friends Meeting House, 6th and Herr. For additional info., call the Gay Switchboard, 234-0328.

HARRISBURG AREA WOMENS CENTER... Information and referrals. Wednesday Evenings 6:00-9:00 PM. Call 233-4004.

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T-W-TH-SUN, 6:30-9:30 PM

WILLIAMSPORT HELPLINE - 323-8555

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