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# Lavender Letter

A CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR AND BY LESBIAN WOMEN  
IN CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

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**SUNDAYS** ★★ - 7:30PM...MCC Worship Service,  
Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.  
★★ - 7PM...MCC Worship Service,  
Unitarian Church of Lancaster, 538 W. Chestnut St.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 2** - 7:30PM - 9:30PM...MCC sponsored  
Lesbian Rap Group. Open to all women in the area  
and seeks to provide a relaxed atmosphere for  
discussion. Quaker Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3** - 8:30-12...Bobbi Carmitchell  
in concert at the Golden Eagle. (?) Call G.E. for  
confirmation. 170 East King Street, Lancaster.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 5** - 8PM-2AM...Oldies But Goodies Night  
at Altland's Ranch. Mostly Women. No charge  
(10 miles West of York, Rt. 30).

**FRIDAY, JUNE 5** - Jane Chambers' Play: "A Late  
Snow" at Theater Center Philadelphia, 622 South  
4th Street.

FOR TICKETS: June 5-7: 476-7462  
June 10-14: 849-0467  
June 17-21: 545-5226

Also at Giovanni's Room, 12th & Pine Sts., Phila.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 5** - 7:30PM... "The Women of Summer"  
presented by the Lesbian and Gay Library/Archives  
of Phila. and the Lesbian Hotline. Wine and cheese  
to follow. 3500 Lancaster Ave. Phila. \$2.50.  
Call: 222-5110 or 386-6676.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 6** - 9:30-1:30...Bobbi Carmitchell  
in concert at the First Capital, corner of Pershing  
and Phila., York, PA.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 6** - 11AM...Integrity, an organ-  
ization for Gay and Lesbian Episcopalians and  
friends, will hold their monthly service at St.  
Paul's Episcopal Church, 550 Wiconisco St., Hbg.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 7** - 5PM...Dignity sponsored Mass -  
potluck supper and video "Before Stonewall".  
Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts., Hbg.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 7** - Gay Pride Festival, Phila.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 7** - 12 Noon...Lancaster Annual NOW  
Picnic at Mountville Borough Park (Mountville, PA)  
Food, games, music and entertainment by Bobbi  
Carmitchell. Auction of items donated by Alan  
Alda, Lily Tomlin, Ronnie Gilbert and more. \$5.  
Includes food. Contact Linda Martin 393-2883.  
Mountville Exit Off Rt. 30 - Can be seen from  
expressway.

**JUNE 11** - 8PM...Suede in concert at Port In a  
Storm, Baltimore, MD. \$7 (low income \$5).  
Call 256-4652.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 12** - 8PM-2AM...Oldies But Goodies Night  
at Altland's Ranch. Mostly women. No charge.  
(10 miles West of York, Rt. 30).

**FRIDAY, JUNE 12** - 10PM-1AM...Bobbi Carmitchell in  
concert at the 14-Carrat, West Market St., York, PA

**SUNDAY, JUNE 14** - Dignity sponsored Flea market.  
Harrisburg Drive-In, 6001 Allentown Blvd., Hbg.  
Call 234-5850 for info. on helping or just come  
and buy something.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 14** - Gay Pride Festival, Washington,  
D.C. 202/837-5525.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17** - 6PM-8PM...M.C.C. sponsored  
summer potluck picnic and Bible Study in the Park.  
The Book of The Acts of the Apostles will be  
studied. Call 236-7387, Hbg.

**FRIDAY, JUNE 19** - 8PM-2AM...Oldies But Goodies Night  
at Altland's Ranch. Mostly women. No charge.  
(10 miles West of York, Rt. 30)

**FRIDAY, SATURDAY, JUNE 19 - 20** - 9:30-1:30-

Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at The Ground  
Round, Taylor Bridge By-Pass, Camp Hill, PA

**SATURDAY, JUNE 20** - 7:30...Lancaster Women  
Potluck. Food, Women and conversation. A  
delightful place to meet people. Call HELPLINE  
Wed./Sun. 6:30-9:30PM at 397-0691.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 20** - 11AM... Dignity sponsored  
walking tour of 6 historic homes/businesses in  
Marietta. Tour will start at the Railroad House,  
Front & Perry Sts., Marietta. Call 234-2024.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 21** - Gay Pride Festival, Baltimore.  
Call 301/837-5445.

**MONDAY, JUNE 22** - 7:30PM...York Support Group.  
Get together for support, conversation and fun  
with people from the York area. Call 848-9142  
for location.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 23** - "The Fabulous Dyke-tones",  
50's Rock & Roll Band at Tracks in Washington, D.C.  
after 9.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24** - 6PM-8PM...M.C.C. sponsored  
picnic and Bible Study. (See June 17).

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24** - 8:30-12...Bobbi Carmitchell  
in concert at the Golden Eagle. (?) Call G.E. for  
confirmation. 170 E. King St., Lancaster, PA

**THURSDAY, JUNE 25** - 9:30-1AM...Bobbi Carmitchell  
in concert at the First Capital, corner of  
Pershing and Phila. Sts., York, PA

**FRIDAY, JUNE 26** - 8PM-2AM...Oldies But Goodies  
Night at Altland's Ranch. Mostly women. No charge.  
(10 miles West of York, Rt. 30)

**SATURDAY, JUNE 27** - 9:30-1AM...Bobbi Carmitchell  
in concert at Bubes Brewery, 102 N. Market Street,  
Mt. Joy, PA

**SATURDAY-SUNDAY, JUNE 27-28** - 11AM-7PM...Sister-  
fire - 5th Anniversary Open-air festival in  
celebration of women artists. Theatre, Dance,  
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**SUNDAY, JUNE 28** - 7AM...New York City Gay Pride  
March. \$22 per person. Will return about midnight.  
Leaves from Labor & Industry Building Parking Lot,  
6th & Boas Street, Hbg. Call 233-8105 for  
reservations. Bus from Allentown call: 433-7377.

...Training for female  
volunteers needed to work with female AIDS  
patients in Hbg. area. SCAAN sponsored (South  
Cen. Aids Assis. Network). Make your own time  
commitment. Bring a bag lunch. Call Jackie  
Schulze 238-2376 or Roger Beatty 236-4772.

**SPIRIT WINGS**...The newsletter of Metropolitan  
Community Church of the Spirit, Hbg. is published  
every two months. To place your name on the  
confidential mailing list write: MCC of the  
Spirit, P.O. Box 11543, Hbg. PA 17108.

The 12th Michigan Womyn's Music Festival. August  
12-13-14-15-16, 1987, Hart, Michigan. Write  
with SASE to: WWTMC, Box 22, Walhalls, Michigan,  
49458.

**NEWMR** - The New England Women's Musical Retreat is  
back! Labor Day Weekend, Sept. 4-7, 1987. For  
info write: NEWMR, P.O. Box 217, New Haven, CT.,  
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CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_ CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_ CONTACT.....

As you realize, it is often difficult to connect with people in the Central PA area. We would like to enlist a bevy of people in Harrisburg and surrounding areas to be contact people. They would be information givers and a link to the community. If you are interested in being a contact person we would need your number to be printed in L.L.

Contact people at present:

Carlisle, Nancy & Jeanne, 249-6508  
Chambersburg: Cynthia 597-9781  
E-Petersburg, 560-0432  
Harrisburg, 232-7144  
Octorara: Ann 857-2480  
York: Cindy 848-9142

SOUTHERN YORK COUNTY: Kit & Ev 927-9067  
DALLISTOWN/RED LION: Terry 244-2843  
Coatesville: Kathy 383-9664  
Hanover: Barb & Donna 632-1484

Any women (or men) interested in a support group for Gay Cancer patients. Call 540-9958.

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M-Thur/10-5:30  
Fri/10-9  
Sat/10-5



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## poetry contest

THE SECOND ANNUAL WOMEN'S POETRY CONTEST...  
Typed entries will be accepted before June 31.  
Fee \$1 per poem. Up to 3 poems accepted. First prize \$25, second prize \$10. No entries will be returned unless accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope. A mini-anthology of selected poems will be published in the fall. Credits given with discretion. Send entries to POETRY, c/o Lavender Letter, P.O. Box 1527, Hbg., PA 17105.

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