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PENNSYLVANIA
LESBIAN/GAY
CONFERENCE

PRIDE
'80

UNITY IN DIVERSITY

OCTOBER 3,4,5, 1980

HARRISBURG, PA.

PRIDE '80 is the annual Pennsylvania Lesbian/Gay conference. This year's theme will be *Unity In Diversity*. PRIDE '80 will provide a time to share ideas and talents, to learn about ourselves and others, and to increase our strength as a community. The movement for Lesbian/Gay rights in Pennsylvania is now in its third decade, and while much has been achieved, the next ten years will be crucial to our eventual success. Working together we can all grow. We hope you will be able to join us.

PRIDE '80 promises to be a very active weekend, as the schedule at the right shows. Details of these events are still being worked out, and more will likely be added. The conference will be held at the Holiday Inn in Harrisburg — 2nd & Chestnut Sts. — just a few blocks from the State Capitol building.

PRIDE '80 is sponsored by the Pennsylvania Lesbian/Gay Support Network with help from groups and individuals all over the state. PLEASE read the brochure carefully before filling out the registration form. If you have any questions, please contact us: **PRIDE '80**, P.O. Box 822, Federal Square Station, Harrisburg, PA 17101. Or call your local Hotline/Switchboard.

REGISTRATION FEES

The general conference admission fee is \$18.00. Advance registration must be received before September 22, to reserve a place. Registration will also be conducted at the conference. (Checks received after September 22nd will be returned.) General admission includes all meetings and workshops; Saturday evening banquet; entertainment.

Partial fees: If you wish to attend only the workshops, the fee will be: \$10. If you wish to attend only the Saturday banquet, the fee will be: \$10.

SPECIAL SERVICES

PRIDE '80 will be providing child care and sign language interpretation for the deaf. If you will be using these services you must check the appropriate box on the registration form.



MORE INFORMATION ON REVERSE

PRIDE '80 — SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY OCTOBER 3rd

7 - Midnight REGISTRATION

8:30 - 11 PM EXHIBIT HALL OPEN

Booths and displays by Lesbian/Gay businesses and groups. Stop by, browse and find out what's happening around the state. EXHIBITS will be open on Saturday from 9AM to 6PM and on Sunday from 9AM to 3PM

9 PM KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

Rita Addessa; Exec. Director, Phila. Lesbian & Gay Task Force
Phil Parr; Exec. Director, Pittsburgh Free Clinic

10 PM ENTERTAINMENT

Performers from the Lesbian/Gay Community

SATURDAY OCTOBER 4th

8 AM REGISTRATION (all day)

9 AM - 1 PM SPECIAL NEEDS WORKSHOPS

1. BLACK & THIRD WORLD
Meetings for Lesbians and Gays of color
2. HANDICAP & AGE
Meetings for Youth, Older persons, and the Handicapped

9 AM - 5 PM GENERAL WORKSHOPS

Coming Out; Living in the Closet; As A Parent; Sadism & Masochism; Newsletter Production; Demonstration Tactics; Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting

2 PM - 5:30 PM SPECIAL NEEDS WORKSHOPS

3. WOMEN ONLY
Workshops of special interest to Lesbians
4. MEN ONLY
Workshops of special interest to Gay men

9 AM - 5 PM MINI FILM FESTIVAL

* *A Comedy In Six Unnatural Acts; Home Movie; In The Best Interests of the Children; Gay, Proud & Sober; Gay USA; Word Is Out; Love It Like A Fool; Rollin' With Love; Who Happen To Be Gay*

*Titles subject to change

6:45 PM ANNUAL PRIDE BANQUET

Following the banquet will be the introduction of special guests and the presentation of the Pa. Lesbian/Gay Support Network's community service awards.

9:30 PM ENTERTAINMENT

More of the vast talent from our community

SUNDAY OCTOBER 5th

10 AM - 1 PM COMMON GOALS WORKSHOPS

Lesbians, Gays & The Labor Movement; Electoral Politics; Building Coalitions; Legislative Tactics; Getting Ourselves Together; Practical Community Organizing

2 - 5 PM SUMMARY SESSION

General Discussion of the issues raised during the conference. Suggestions for future action.

MEDIA REGISTRATION

Representatives of Lesbian/Gay media must register upon arrival at the conference. In order to protect the anonymity of all participants, *no photography* will be allowed on the conference site. Media liasons will be available to assist those covering the conference. No non-Lesbian/Gay media will be invited to cover **PRIDE '80**.

EXHIBITS & BOOTHS

There is a limited amount of space for Lesbian/Gay businesses and organizations to set up booths and displays. If you are interested, check the box on the registration form and an application will be sent to you.

Tables will be available for groups to put out just literature, free of charge.

REGISTER EARLY!!

(be sure to fill out other side)

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NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ APT. No. _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

- I would like to help at PRIDE '80
- I will need sign language interpretation
- I will need child care for _____ children; ages _____
- I/We would like information on booths/displays

NAME OF GROUP/BUSINESS _____

MAIL THIS COUPON TO: PRIDE '80, P.O. Box 822, Federal Square Station, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

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General admission — \$18.00

OR: Separately,

Meetings & Workshops only — \$10.00

Saturday Banquet only — \$10.00

\$ _____

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\$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

ACCOMMODATIONS: In order to reserve a room at the Holiday Inn, check the appropriate box below. If you will be sharing a room with another person, enclose their registration forms with this one.

Please check which nights you will be staying at the hotel: Friday _____ Saturday _____ Sunday _____

single - one person

double - two people

double - three people

double - four people

I would like off-site housing, if possible. (See note under Accommodations of this side of the brochure.)

REGISTRATION CONFIRMED ONLY IF THIS FORM IS ACCOMPANIED BY CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: PRIDE '80

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ACCOMMODATIONS

All rooms at the Holiday Inn are equipped with the usual amenities: bath, TV, heat/air conditioning. The hotel also has a pool. **ROOM RESERVATIONS** will be made at the same time as you register for the conference. **PAYMENT FOR ROOMS** goes directly to the Holiday Inn. If paying by check, they will need two pieces of identification.

ROOM CHARGES: (add %6 tax to all charges)

Single: 1 person, 1 bed	\$28 a night, per room
Double: 2 people, 2 beds	\$34 a night, per room
Double: 3 people, 2 beds	\$37 a night, per room
Double: 4 people, 2 beds	\$40 a night, per room

There will be limited housing spaces available outside the conference site, in the Harrisburg area. Most will be within 20 minutes of the conference. Priority will be given to the first people to sign up and to those who have to travel the longest distances.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Space has been set aside for those who want to participate in Lesbian/Gay worship services. Though not all have been confirmed as of publication, there will probably be a Jewish service on Friday evening, and services conducted by MCC, Dignity, and the Friends (Quaker) on Sunday. Other religious groups wishing to hold services should notify the **PRIDE '80** planning committee at the address on the registration form in order to reserve space.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

Each year the Pennsylvania Lesbian/Gay Support Network presents awards recognizing 'exemplary community service', to individuals and groups who have consistently and selflessly served the Penna. Lesbian/Gay community. The recipients are selected by the executive committee of the Network, from nominations submitted by people from around the state.

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TRAVEL INFORMATION

BY AIR: TWA and USAir have regularly scheduled air service to Harrisburg. Call your local airline agent for information.

BY BUS: Greyhound and Trailways have frequent service to Harrisburg from most Pa. cities. Call for schedule and fares.

BY TRAIN: AMTRAK has regular service from Philadelphia, Lancaster and points in between to Harrisburg. There are three trains daily from Pittsburgh to Harrisburg.

BUS AND TRAIN TERMINALS are in the same building, which is just two blocks from the Holiday Inn. If you don't want to walk, there is ample taxi service at the terminal.

BY CAR: (Many organizations will be arranging car pools, call your local groups or switchboard for information.)

The Holiday Inn is located at 2nd & Chestnut Sts., in Downtown Harrisburg. Second St. is one way, North; Chestnut St. is one way, east. The map below will show you how to get to the conference from the Turnpike, Interstate system (i.e. I 80), and other major highways.

