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# Lavender Letter

February is Black History Month.

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A Calendar of Events for and by Lesbian Women  
in Central Pennsylvania

February 1991

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2

6:30 pm: York Area Single's Night Out Dinner. Call for location: 653-1863, 845-7089 or 225-6042

6:30 pm: Lambda Alive and Lavender Supper Club (Reading Area) get together for dinner. Ponderosa Steak House on Burn Rod. For directions call (215) 372-6713 (D) or 372-0382 (E).

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3

5:30 pm: Susquehanna Lambda of Williamsport, fifth birthday party spaghetti dinner. St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Market St., Williamsport. \$4.00 cover. For information call 322-8793

6:00 pm: York Support dinner at Ponderosa Steakhouse on S. Queen St. Call 848-9142 for details.

Potluck at Christianna Friends Meeting House, sponsored by Lesbos (Lesbian Box Holders of Sadsburyville). Inviting women from Lancaster, Wilmington & West Chester.

Elizabeth Blackwell born 1821.

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Rosa Parks born 1913; Betty Friedan born 1921

10 am and 8 pm: "Hats: A Tribute to Harriet Tubman". Program in Gible Theater in Esbenshade Hall, Elizabethtown College. Free. One-woman play about the courage of Harriet Tubman - electrifying musical performance.

7 pm: Lewisburg Area Dining Out at Peking Chef at the Columbia Mall. R.S.V.P. to 286-8805, Til. Sponsored by PALS (Pa Lesbian Socials).

## FEBRUARY 7-8-9

Girls & Women's Sports Symposium at Slippery Rock University. Presenters and speakers (Willye White and Darlene Kluka) Topics: Girls and Women in Sports, G & W of Color, Gender Relations, Media & Gender, Older Women in Sports, Handicapped, Homophobia in Sports, Economic Disparities, Coaching and Post Title IX Era. (Entertainment - Holly Near) For additional info call (412) 738-2027.

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8

8 pm: Holly Near and Cross Current in concert at Slippery Rock University. Call 738-0512 for info. Multi Purpose Room/ Univ. Union.

## SAT. & SUN., FEBRUARY 9-10

Feminism in the 90's. Bridging the gap between theory and practice - Conference. Paper Presentations, Panels, Guest speakers. Sliding scale \$40. - \$20. - \$0. Yale Journal of Law and Feminism, Box 401A Yale Station, New Haven, Ct. 06520.

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

10 pm - 1:30 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Cafe EmJay's on 6th St. in Harrisburg.

6:30 pm: York Area Single's Night Out Dinner. Call for location 653-1863, 845-7089 or 225-6042.

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

3 pm: Ladies for the 80's Valentine's Day Party at the Cartwheel in New Hope. One hour open bar and buffet. Rt 202.

6 pm: Regular monthly meeting of Susquehanna Lambda of Williamsport. Mt. Mark's Lutheran Church, Market St. Discussion.

6 pm: York Support Dinner at Ponderosa Steakhouse on South Queen St. Call 848-9142 for details.

5 pm: York Support Progressive Dinner for the benefit of York Support. Reservations paid in advance \$10. Call before Feb 5. 848-9142 or 846-9636. An excellent evening of continuous eating.

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7:30 pm: PA Justice Campaign for Lesbians and Gay Rights. 2nd Monday of Month. 319 S. Front St. Hbg. Call 234-7273 for info.



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## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8 pm: Maya Angelow, poet, author, educator, historian, actress, playwright and civil rights activist to speak at Millersville University. Lyte Auditorium. Tickets \$3.50 at Student Memorial Center (SMAC) ticket office: 872-3512.

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8 pm - 11 pm: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Steinbecher's on Cabbage Hill in Lancaster.



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## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

### VALENTINE'S DAY

8 pm: Barbara Higbie in concert at Godfrey Daniels in Allentown, (a real treat). Tickets approx. \$7. Call 872-4512 for info.

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15

6:30 pm: Harrisburg Area Ladies' Night Out. A nice way to meet some new faces. This month: Pizza. Call for reservations and location by Wed, the 13th. 232-1201.

Susan B. Anthony born 1820.

9 pm - 12 am: Women's Valentine Dance, featuring Fast Forward. Altland's Ranch, Thomasville. \$4. Cover. For info call 225-4479.

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10 pm - 1:30 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at the Lancaster Dispensing Co., Lancaster.

GLORA (Gays & Lesbians of Reading & Allentown) Valentine's Party in Allentown. Call for directions. 376-3342.

7:30: York Area Women's Potluck. Call 848-9142 for location.

6:30 pm: York Area Single's Night Out Dinner. Call for location 653-1863, 845-7089 or 225-6042.

Buddy Training for those who would like to be part of a support system for people with Aids. Call SCAAN in Harrisburg: 238-2437.

7 pm: Chapter 2. A lesbian support group in York. Call 764-3242 for directions. (3rd Sat. of month).

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17

4 pm: President's Day Celebration with Ladies for the 80's at Taylor's Rt 70, Cherry Hill, N.J. Room for 1800. (Monday's a holiday).

4 pm: Harrisburg Area Business and Professional Women's Group Monthly meeting. This month Maggie Copenhaver, licensed massage therapist, will demonstrate basic massage techniques. Informative & Fun. Lots of time for socializing, too. \$5. Cover. For directions and info R.S.V.P. by Feb 16 234-0461.

6 pm: York Support dinner at Ponderosa Steakhouse on S. Queen St. Call 848-9142 for details.

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## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18

7 pm: PFLAG (Parents & Friends of Lesbians & Gays) meeting at Tressler Lutheran Services. 960 Century Drive, Mechanicsburg.

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Barbara Jordan's birthday.

9 pm - 12 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Barrels in Park City.

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23

7 pm: MCC/Dignity sponsored Volleyball Benefit for the Gay and Lesbian Switchboard at the Salvation Army Gym. Green & Calder Sts. Hbg. Any group or business interested in sponsoring a team, call 236-1081. Women interested in playing, please call. Spectators are welcome. Pledges welcome also.



# Center Piece

## Lavender Letter

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### CHURCH

**HARRISBURG MCC Sunday Services** - 7:30 pm at Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts. 236-7387

**LANCASTER MCC Sunday Services** - 7:00 pm at Vision of Hope MCC. 610 Second St.

**DIGNITY/CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA**, Box 297, Harrisburg, PA 17108, 652-7683.

#### SUNDAYS, 7:30

MCC of Hbg. Worship Service at Quaker Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts. Harrisburg.  
Bible Study - 11 am - 12:30 pm 1st & 3rd Sundays, Church office, 319 S. Front St.  
Prayer Gathering - 7:30 pm every Thursday, 216 Herr St. Rite of Healing offered on the 3rd Thursday of month.

#### THURSDAYS, 7:30 PM

MCC of Hbg. prayer gathering 216 Herr St. Hbg.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1

7:30 pm: MCC of Hbg. Newcomers' Social at the Church Office, 319 S. Front St. A reception with refreshments for those wishing to become acquainted with MCC. The video, "God, Gays and the Gospel to be shown."

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3

MCC of Hbg. sponsored offering of food to the Ecumenical Food Pantry. Any non-perishable food items. Please bring to serve.

5 pm: Dignity sponsored mass and potluck. Program: Basilica's Quartet (Video). Friends Meeting House, 6th & Herr, Hbg.

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

7:30 pm: Dignity sponsored Dialogue Discussion Group. 1514 N. 2nd St. Hbg.

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

7:30 pm: MCC of Hbg. showing of video "The Male Couple," about the stages of Coupleship. Church office. 319 S. Front St.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

7 pm: MCC of Hbg sponsored bowling party to be held at Uptown Lanes. Call 236-7387.

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

MCC of Hbg. Ash Wednesday Service. Quaker Meeting House, 6th & Herr Sts.

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17

12:30 pm: Dignity sponsored brunch at Isaac's Restaurant, Meadowbrook Village in York. Co-sponsored with York Support Group. RSVP by Feb. 12: 846-9636 or 652-7683.

### STATE COLLEGE

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3

1 pm: T.L.C. (The Lesbian Connection) sponsored potluck brunch and games. Altoona. Call (814) 355-2618.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

5 pm: T.L.C. sponsored potluck and basketball (7:30 - to watch) game. Call for location: (814) 355-2618.

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

5:30 pm: T.L.C. sponsored potluck and get together to watch basketball (7:30). Call T.L.C.

#### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

T.L.C. Planning meeting. Call for location and time (814) 355-2618.

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18

7:30 pm: Dignity sponsored Dialogue Discussion Group. 1514 N. 2nd St. Hbg.

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Bucknell	Laura (W.O.W.) 523-4996
Chambersburg	Cynthia: 597-9781
Dillsburg	Jenny: 432-2157
Hanover	Barb & Katye: 225-5563
Harrisburg	Lavender Letter: 232-1201
Lancaster	Jean: 394-5718
Octoraria	Ann: 857-2480
New Foundland	1-676-3330
Reading	Peg: 589-4854
Scranton	Margaret: 347-1316
S. York	D. Mikaela: 235-3603
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7 pm: Dining Out in Danville. Italian Pavilion, 212 Mill St. RSVP 672-2067 for directions, Sponsored by PALS (PA Lesbian Socials).

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### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24

1:30 pm: Lambda Alive (Reading Area) sponsored game day. Outburst, Taboo, Pinochle, Charades and more. Bring munchies to share. Call 589-4854 for directions.

2 pm - 7 pm: Benefit for the defense fund for Higgin's Pigeon Shoot Protesters. Fort Hunter, Front St., Hbg. 4 - 5 pm... Bobbi Carmitchell. For info call: 872-4512.

6 pm: York Support dinner at Ponderosa Steakhouse on S. Queen St. Call 848-9142 for details.

6 pm: York Support potluck and meeting at New Visions Bookstore, 570 N. Belvidere Ave. York. Bring food & beverage to share. Table settings provided. Call 843-8067 for info.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28

8:30 - 12 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Bube's Brewery, at the Central Hotel in Mt. Joy.

Showing of the National Aids Memorial Quilt at Muhlenberg College Field House. Over 1,000 panels will be shown. Allentown, Call for times. (215) 820-5519. Also to be shown March 1-3.

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### FRIDAY, MARCH 1

9 pm - 12 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Steinbecker's on Cabbage Hill in Lancaster.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

10 pm - 1:30 am: Bobbi Carmitchell in concert at Cafe EmJay's on 6th St. in Harrisburg.

7 pm: Lancaster Lambda Wine Tasting and Social at the Twin Brook Winery in Gap PA. (Lancaster Area). Cost \$4. Light refreshments/entertainment.

### SUNDAY, MARCH 3

4 pm to 8 pm: Tea Dance at Lewisburg Hotel. Mixed Gay Gathering. 136 Market St., Lewisburg. \$5, Cash bar.



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### JUNE 27 - 30

Conference on Gender & Music at University of Minnesota in Minneapolis. Anyone interested in attending call Jane at 944-0857. Conference will address aspects of gender in music to include sexual orientation, women's aesthetic's, etc.

## Gay & Lesbian Switchboard of Harrisburg:

6 pm - 10 pm weekdays. 234-0328

Women needed to staff the Harrisburg Gay & Lesbian Switchboard. Will Train. Call 234-0328.

Anyone interested in receiving a copy of the Gay Guide put out by the Gay and Lesbian Switchboard of Hbg, send a SASE (business size) (.29 postage) to L.L., P.O. Box 1527 Hbg, PA 17105. The Guide includes a map of Hbg with locations of Gay Bars and some Gay owned businesses and points of interest.

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