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Thursday, July 4th

1pm... Susquehanna Lambda (Williamsport Area) sponsored picnic at Milton State Park. Bring covered dish to share and silverware. Hotdogs and hamburgers provided. \$2.00 donation. Call: 322-8793 for info.

2pm... State College T.L.C. sponsored potluck picnic. Call (814) 355-2618 for location.

Friday, July 5

8pm... State College T.L.C. sponsored evening of bowling. Call (814) 355-2618 for location.

Saturday, July 6

6:30pm... York area Singles Night Out. Every Saturday night. A great dinner followed by a lively discussion at someone's home or a planned activity. Call Sue 845-7089, Peg 225-6042, (Lancaster) Sandy 653-1863 or (Hbg.) Jane 938-8943. A good way to meet new people from a wide area.

Sunday, July 7

1pm... York Support Group Picnic at John Rudy Park, in York. Bring a picnic lunch. (Badmitten tournament planned, and Ordinance update). Call: 846-9636 or 848-9142.

1pm... Women's volleyball at Brightbill Park in Harrisburg. Call Vickie 761-2692.

1pm... Glora sponsored (Reading - Allentown) Lunch and Stroll through St. Peter's Village in Chester County. Meet at Pathmark Plaza near Meridian Bank on Rt. 422 business (east of Reading). Call Dorothy at (215) 777-9460 for info.

3:30-4:00 pm... Lambda Alive (Reading) sponsored golf at Village Greens, Sinking Spring. Call for tee-off times: 589-4854.

6pm-9pm... Tea Dance at Lewisburg Hotel. Cover charge, cash bar. An elegant place, a great crowd.

Wednesday, July 10-14

State College Arts Festival.

Saturday, July 13

Get together for Lesbian Mothers and partners. For info. call 225-5563 or 751-0283. Harrisburg-York.

7pm... Glora (Reading-Lancaster Area) sponsored miniature golf with Lambda Alive at Olympic Diner (Rt. 422 business in Mt. Penn). Call (215) 374-9938 for details.

8pm... Suede in concert at Sadsbury Friends Meeting House in Christiana. Suede is a strong and wonderful voice, with or without the trumpet. You'll come away saying "Wow!" Tickets: \$10. Call (215) 857-2480 or (717) 392-8162.

Susquehanna Lambda (Williamsport Area) trip to Unity Festival. Call: 327-1411 for info.

Glora's (Reading Area-Allentown) trip to Unity Festival. Call 868-7183.

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Saturday, July 13

Bernadette Lewis in concert with acoustic, blues & jazz at Cafe EmJay, Hbg. See this great performer before she leaves for Europe.

Sunday, July 14

6pm... Susquehanna Lambda (Williamsport Area) regular monthly meeting/rap on politics. Planning for Unity Festival. (Tickets available from Dan: \$20.00 - \$25.00 at gate) St. Marks Lutheran Church, 142 Market St., Williamsport.

Monday, July 15

7pm... Meeting of Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) of Central PA. at Tressler Lutheran Services, 960 Century Drive, Mechanicsburg.

Friday, July 19

State College T.L.C. sponsored camping trip. For info, call (814) 355-2618. Women's's Camping Weekend at Otter Creek Campgrounds in York County. Plans to go to York Potluck on Sat. evening. Call for info: 848-9142.

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August 30-September 2

North East Women's Musical Retreat in Hardwick, Mass. Alix Dobkin, Suede, Sue Fink, Marga Gomez and more. Workshops, swimming, crafts, dancing, videos. Sliding scale: \$160-185. For information: NEWMR, PO Box 217, New Haven, Ct 06513.

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Saturday, July 13

7pm... Dignity sponsored "Sweet 16" Anniversary Mass. Party to follow at Friends Meeting House, 6th and Herr Sts., Hbg.

Sunday, July 14

12:00 pm... Dignity sponsored "Sweet 16" Anniversary Picnic, Pine Grove Furnace State Park, (Newville ex. off I-81) Bring a dish and beverage to share. Volleyball, swimming, hiking. For info call 652-7683.

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