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A Word From Our Pride President

Dear Central PA Pride Festival Vendors & Attendees:

Courage. A simple word heavy with meaning and responsibility. Each one of us has the right and the responsibility to show courage in our endeavors.

When our rights are challenged - as they are now - we must act.

Taking action means more than registering a "Like" on a social media web site. Sometimes action means you have to actually show up in person. Put your flesh on the line. Not in a way that endangers you but in a way that enables you. We're all worth it.

Our challenge moving forward in an anti-LGBTQ environment is to stay hopeful, engaged, and laugh a little.

Enjoy 2018 Pride brought to you by dedicated volunteers!

Yours truly,

BRAD MARTIN, President

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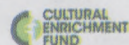
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Proclamation Pride Month, June 2018

WHEREAS, the United States Declaration of Independence proclaims that all people are created equal, and William Penn founded Pennsylvania on the principles of fairness, tolerance, and inclusion for all individuals; and

WHEREAS, many LGBTQ individuals and allies have played significant roles in Pennsylvania's economic, cultural, spiritual, and political development while working tirelessly to maintain and promote their culture and history; and

WHEREAS, Pennsylvania remains committed to equality, demonstrated through actions like the signing of the Non-Discrimination Executive Orders of 2016, which ensure that state government practices and procedures support greater diversity, inclusion, and fairness in employment opportunities within the commonwealth's workforce; and

WHEREAS, despite broad bipartisan support, Pennsylvania is the only state in the northeastern U.S. without legislation protecting LGBTQ individuals from discrimination due to the stalling of the PA Fairness Act in our legislature; and

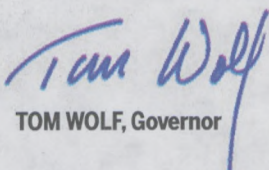
WHEREAS, the PA Fairness Act would extend current protections against discrimination based on an individual's race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, education status, handicap, or disability to include sexual orientation, and gender expression or identity; and

WHEREAS, PRIDE MONTH is a time to take a positive stance against discrimination and violence toward LGBTQ individuals, to promote self-affirmation, dignity, and equality, and to build community and celebrate diversity; and

WHEREAS, the commonwealth is proud to honor the history and contributions of the LGBTQ community in our state and throughout the nation.

THEREFORE, in recognition of the unwavering dedication of advocates and allies to promote equality, I, Tom Wolf, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby proclaim June 2018 as PRIDE MONTH. I encourage all Pennsylvanians to celebrate this important observance and to continue to work toward the goal of liberty and justice for all.

GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Governor, at the City of Harrisburg, this twenty-fifth day of May two thousand eighteen, in the year of the commonwealth the two hundred forty-second.


TOM WOLF, Governor



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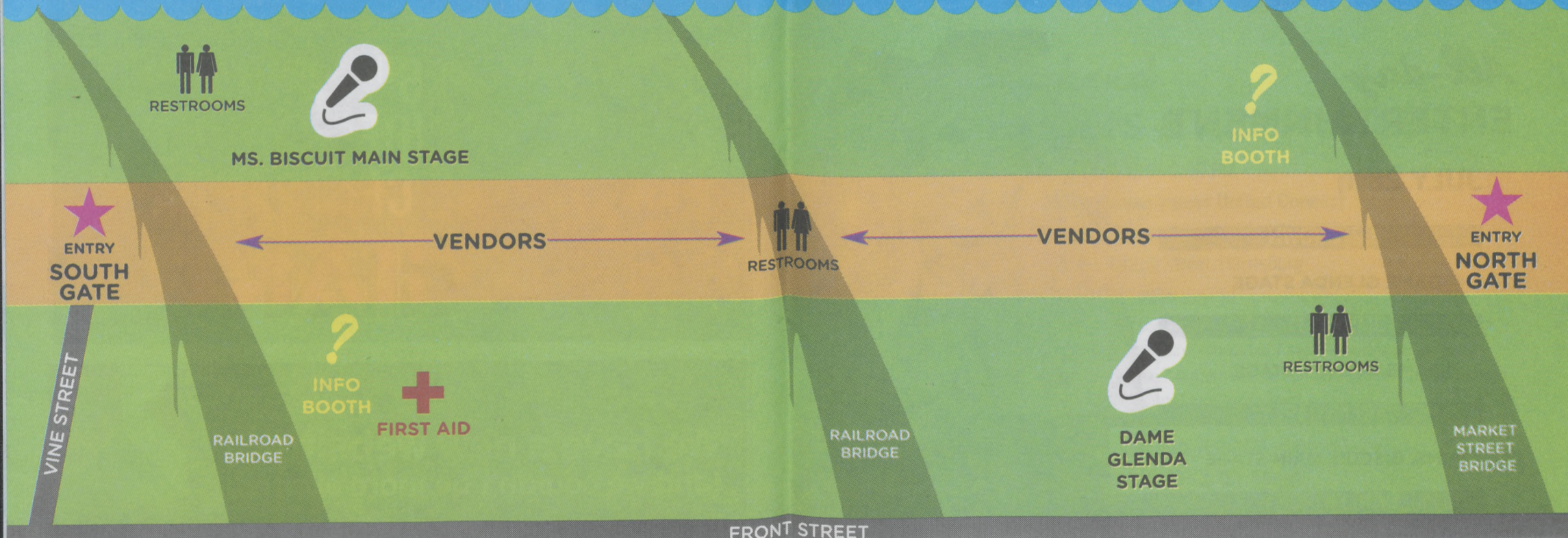
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 Castaway Critters
 Central PA Womyn's Chorus
 Central Pennsylvania Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce
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- Bucky's Festival Foods
- Family Grill
- Food Fest
- Greek & Mediterranean Cuisine
- Kona Ice
- Mad Dash Concessions
- Munchie Monsters Grill & Catering
- Soul Burrito

EVENT

All-day ENTERTAINMENT

JULY 28th

12:00 PM: SUZI BROWN

@ DAME GLENDA STAGE

1:00 PM: BUMBADA!

@ DAME GLENDA STAGE

2:00 PM: JAREMI CAREY

@ MS. BISCUIT MAIN STAGE

2:00 PM: DANI FIORE

@ DAME GLENDA STAGE

3:00 PM: FREE REIGN

@ DAME GLENDA STAGE

4:00 PM: BRODY RAY

@ DAME GLENDA STAGE

5:00 PM

FESTIVAL HEADLINER:
ALASKA THUNDERFUCK

FOR STAGE LOCATIONS, SEE PAGES 8 + 9



GUIDE

Weekend

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Friday, July 27th, 8:00 PM

13th Annual Voices United Concert

Market Square Presbyterian Church
20 South 2nd Street, Harrisburg

\$15 PER PERSON

A tradition of the Pride Festival of Central PA since 2006, Voices United is a musical cantata of various LGBT and allied choral groups of the Harrisburg area. It is a musical celebration of all that Pride has come to mean in the central Pennsylvania area.

Saturday, July 28th, 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM

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Sunday, July 29th, 5:00 PM

Spirits United

Metropolitan Community Church of the Spirit
2973 Jefferson Street, Harrisburg

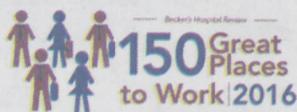
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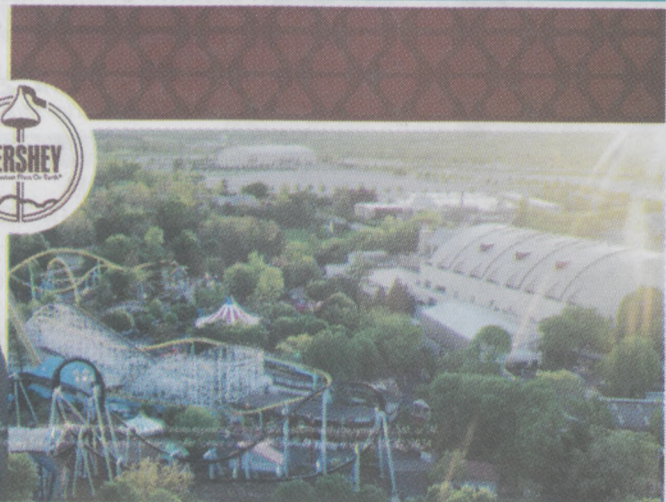
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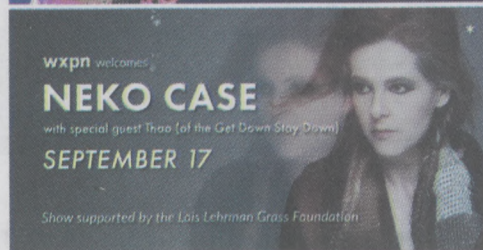
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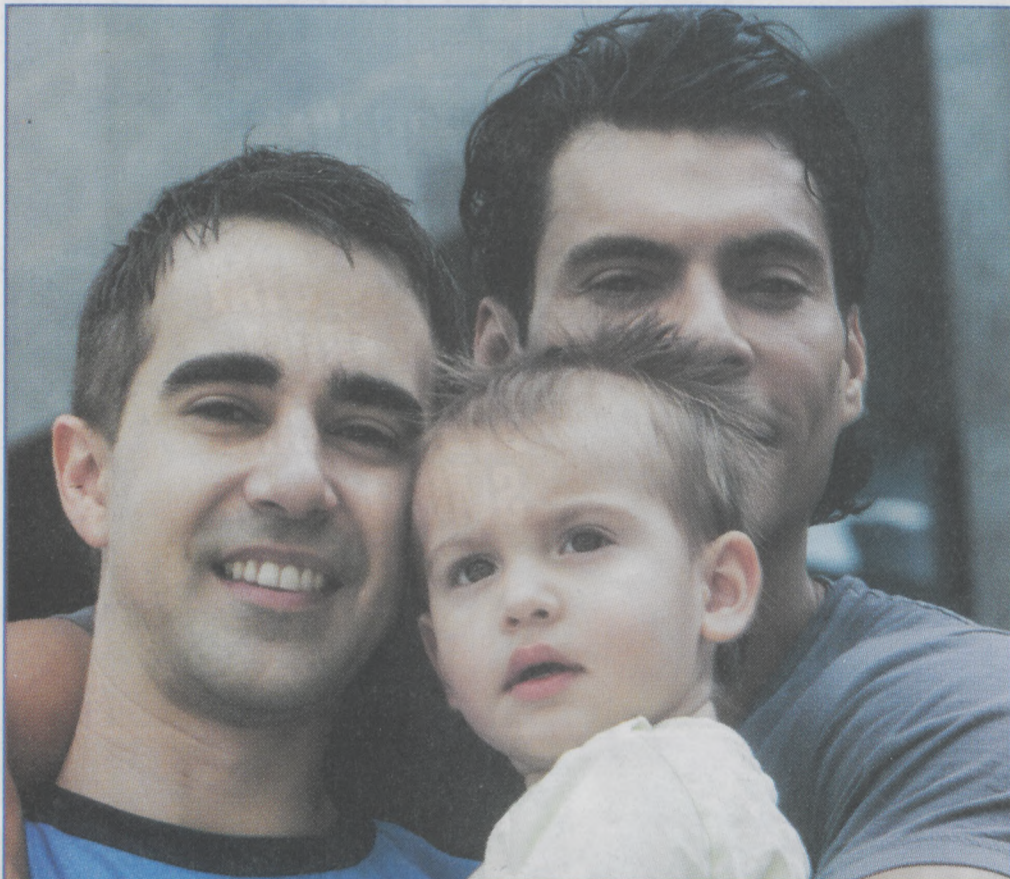
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