

Army Drops Case Against Steve May

By Mark R. Kerr

PHOENIX (ON) - In a stunning reversal, twenty-one months after the Army launched a discharge investigation and vigorous prosecution against Reserve Lt. and Arizona Representative, Steve May, R-Phoenix, for alleged "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" violations, the Army decided to drop its case, Monday, January 15, on Martin Luther King Day.

A spokesman said the Army had changed its mind after May pledged not to seek to extend his term but C. Dixon Osburn, Executive Director of the Servicemembers Legal Defense Network (SLDN), a watchdog organization protecting the rights of people serving in the military who are being investigated under the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy, and who provided legal assistance in May's case, said the Army declined to provide an official reason for dropping the discharge action.

With the Army's reversal, May will be able to complete his term of service, slated to end in May.

In September, 2000, a Involuntary Separation Hearing board of three Colonels ruled that May violated the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" rules governing Gays and Lesbians in the military and recommended his honorable discharge, going against the wishes of Army attorneys, who had sought a general discharge, a lower category.



Arizona State Representative (Lieutenant) Steve May

In November, that recommendation was accepted by the commanding General, John Scott, of the Army 63rd Regional Support Command which oversees the 348th Transportation Company in which May serves with as a nuclear, biolog-

ical and chemical officer, training soldiers in chemical defense, and May's discharge was pending when the Army's decision came.

"It appears the Army finally real-

ized that the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy shouldn't be stretched beyond its intended scope, especially in the case of an officer described by the Army's own command as "one of the best and brightest" and revered by his troops." May's civilian attorney, Christopher Wolf, of Pruskauer Rose LLP said after the decision was announced.

"We have argued all along that the Army mindless went on a 'search and destroy' mission against one of its own, essentially playing a game of 'gotcha' in order to oust a Gay officer. That is not what Congress intended when it passed 'Don't Ask, Don't Tell' in 1993," Wolf, who was the legal counsel for Master Chief Petty Officer Timothy McVeigh, winner of the only federal lawsuit in which a branch of the armed services had been found guilty of violating the DADT policy, added.

May became the subject of an inquiry by the Army Reserve after testifying before the Arizona House Government Reform Committee in February 1999 on a bill that would prohibit local government entities (such as Pima County and the City of Tucson) from extending benefits to the domestic partners of their employees.

"When you attack my family and my freedom I will not sit in my office quietly," he responded in impassioned testimony before the committee; May spoke

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G/L Leaders Brace For Bush Onslaught

WASHINGTON, DC - Though George W. Bush has yet to make mention of the issue since prevailing in the post-election legal battle over the presidency, most of the leaders of the nation's Gay and Lesbian advocacy groups are bracing for a full scale assault on the rights of Gay and Lesbian Americans.

The evidence they point to during Bush's tenure as Texas governor speaks for itself: Bush opposed Gay adoptions, resisted attempts to add sexual orientation to the state's hate crimes law and supported retention of the state's 1879 anti-sodomy law. For many months during his campaign he pointedly refused to meet with Gay Republicans.

Bush's cabinet nominations have blackened an already dark mood. The Human Rights Campaign joined other civil rights groups in opposing Republican John Ashcroft, as Bush's attorney general nominee. Citing a raft of anti-Gay rhetoric and a chorus of enthusiastic cheers from religious conservatives, the HRC called Ashcroft's nomination a "frightening halt to the moderate tone set by previous nominations."

Noting his stands against Gay rights, reproductive freedom and the separation of church and state, the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force leader Elizabeth Toledo issued a call to action. "We are urging our members all across the nation to read the Ashcroft record and then call the members of the Senate Judiciary Committee and register their displeasure with this nomination."

Kate Kendall, executive director of the National Center for Lesbian Rights summed up the community's sentiments this way: "What we've been able to enjoy the last eight years is the ability to coast. We've had an administration that truly had some genuine concerns about basic equal justice and fairness issues," she said. "Under a Bush administration, it is abundantly clear that the breather is over."

Longtime friend and former advisor to President Clinton, David Mixner, said that Ashcroft's nomination was ominous sign. "The first signs are very disturbing," he said. "To place John Ashcroft as

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Gay Dad Beats Surrogate In Court

NEW YORK, NY (NP) - There was no legal contract (you can't do that in New York) and the mother was never paid, but the court ruled that the father should retain custody of their son.

A New York City Gay man has retained sole custody of his three-year-old son, but the boy's biological mother - an artificially inseminated "surrogate" mother who was never paid for her services as planned - gained both generous visitation rights and responsibility for paying child support in her lawsuit against the father in a December 11 ruling by a state trial judge that was made public January 10. Surrogate parenting contracts are illegal in New York. The mother plans to continue her quest for custody in an appeal.

The boy (known as "T") has lived with his father (known as "G") and his father's domestic partner since his birth. Judge Marilyn Diamond wrote that, "The law is well settled that present custody arrangements should not be disturbed absent evidence that the custodial parent is unfit, or less fit than the non-custodial parent." She was supported in that finding by the testimony of two court-appointed psychiatrists who agreed that it was in T's

best interest to remain in his present home. One of those psychiatrists, Dr. Joseph Merlino, testified that the mother (known as "C") was "naive, unrealistic and fanciful about the difficulty in raising the child."

Judge Diamond said she relied on a letter of agreement between the mother and father to show their intentions, even though since it was not legal in the state she could not enforce it as a contract. C runs a graphic design firm where G worked for her. In 1996, they agreed that C would bear G's child by artificial insemination for a payment of \$30,000 (which was never paid). G was to take the child to his home directly from the hospital, "KEEP him/her" - C's written emphasis - and adopt him after "a respectable period of time." G was to refrain from seeking child support and C to refrain from demanding regular visitation or interfering in the child's upbringing. T was born in September 1997 and G took him home as planned, but as time went by C's demands for visitation increased. Finally she filed the lawsuit seeking custody and medical and legal fees. Although C was denied custody, the court has ordered G to seek C's opinion on child-rearing matters.

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Positions Available At SAAF

TUCSON - The Southern Arizona AIDS Foundation (SAAF) is looking for qualified individuals for the following positions:

Case Manager: Experienced social worker to provide comprehensive case management to people with HIV/AIDS. Requires experience in provision of direct case management services and substance abuse programs. MSW preferred, plus two to four years experience in human services. Salary up to \$24,500, excellent benefits.

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Reveille Chorus Update

TUCSON - RGMC (Reveille Gay Men's Chorus) began rehearsals for its March concert, "Classically Reveille," to include music from the classics with a Gay twist.

The concert will be at Pima Community College Center for the Arts March 23 and 24, and it will be a fund raiser for Gay youth. A Gay youth support program was the beneficiary of our "Prayers for Bobby" concert three years ago, and Reveille plans to make this fund raiser a part of their concert season.

Would you like to sing with Reveille. The Chorus rehearses Tuesday evenings, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at Metropolitan Community Church, 3269 N. Mountain (just North of Ft. Lowell). The Chorus will be under new artistic direction starting with this concert. Reveille hopes to see lots of new singers and encourages former singers to join the Chorus again as well. If you missed the first rehearsal, you can still join Reveille on January 23. ...

Plan now to attend "The Red Affair," the first Valentine Dance specifically for the GLBT community, February 10, 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. for an evening of music, dancing, food and drink. Bring your special Valentine, or perhaps find one there.

The Red Affair will be held at the "artsy" Mat Bevel Institute, 530 N. Stone Avenue. Tickets are \$20 per person, \$30 per couple. Tickets will be available next week at Antigone's Books, Desert Pride, Rainbow Planet Coffee House, and Tucson Trunk. Call (520) 617-3100 for reservations.

Rainbow Planet Coffee House Update

TUCSON - The Rainbow Planet Coffee House has added a back patio and changed its menu.

The patio in the back is great in the mornings when the sun is shining and has a chiminea for heating in the evenings. The new menu has added some vegetarian dishes and more organic food. The Planet is now featuring organic coffees and using filtered water for brewing.

In the Rainbow Room, a new art show of etchings by John will be up for the rest of the month. A new artist will be featured each month. Tom Welbank, who plays acoustic jazz, will be featured on Tuesday. You can also catch the most recent program of "Queer As Folk" and on Thursday's, see "Will and Grace" as it is being broadcast.

Position Available At AHRF

TUCSON - The Arizona Human Rights is seeking a qualified individual for the following position:

Director of Education/Membership, for which the position will raise the Arizona Human Rights Fund visibility, community engagement and membership in Southern Arizona. The position is part time, (15 hours), at \$11/hour.

Mail resumes to: Arizona Human Rights Fund, 3938 E. Grant Road, PMB 103, Tucson, AZ 85712. For more information, call Bruce Lehman (520) 881-1510.

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Doors will open at 11:30 a.m., with lunch served at noon. Following lunch, there will be several games of Bingo (with prizes), other board and card games, social time, and a chance to be creative with crafts, until 2:30 p.m.

Poz Cafe is fully sponsored by AGRA, St. Francis in the Foothills and other caring individuals and congregations of TIHAN. The menu is not just "health food," but a healthy balance between good nutrition and comfort foods that taste good and are made with lots of love from TIHAN's volunteers. Like all TIHAN's programs, it's Gay friendly, free of charge and no proselytizing or evangelizing is permitted. The purpose is to enhance social opportunities and nutrition for people living with HIV and AIDS.

Volunteers from Congregation Ner Tamid are hosting this month's Poz Cafe. On the menu for this month will include: Penne Pasta with your choice of meat or vegetarian Marinara sauce, fresh Caesar Salad and garlic bread with Parmesan and Romano cheese. Dessert will include either Spumoni, vanilla ice cream and shortbread cookies. A selection of beverages, including iced tea and coffee will be available as well as the hospitality table with punch and snacks.

Reservations are requested so TIHAN can have an idea of how much food to cook. To make a reservation, please call the TIHAN office by Monday, January 15. Transportation can be provided with advance notice by calling the TIHAN office as well. Each HIV+ person may have one guest accompany them if they so choose. All attendees and volunteers will be reminded of confidentiality concerns.

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OKLAHOMA CITY, OK (NP) - Wanda Jean Allen, African-American, Lesbian, and mentally disabled, was put to death by the state despite a flurry of last-minute appeals and the arrest of 27 protesters.

African-American Lesbian Wanda Jean Allen, 41, died at 9:21 p.m. Central Time on January 11, 2001 of a lethal injection administered by the state of Oklahoma in punishment for the shooting death of her lover Gloria Leathers in 1988. Allen had met Leathers while serving time on a manslaughter conviction for shooting to death her previous partner Debra Pettus. Some of Allen's last words to the press had been, "I'm not afraid of what man can do to me, because my trust is in someone else [God]. She said, 'Take no thought of tomorrow because we don't know what tomorrow is bringing.'" Most of her last days were spent in prayer.

The U.S. Supreme Court denied a last-minute petition for a stay of execution at 6:55 p.m. (CT) without explanation. The 10th Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals had rejected an appeal at about 4 p.m. on January 11, finding for the state on every count, following a rejection January 10 by U.S. District Judge Tim Leonard.

These appeals were based primarily on a prosecutor's overstatement of Allen's academic achievements to the Oklahoma Pardon and Parole Board last month, an exaggeration which was forgiven because it merely echoed Allen's own testimony during her sentencing hearing. It had been stated that she had a high school degree and a medical assistant certificate from Rose State College - but in fact she dropped out of both high school and the medical assistant program. This was significant because Allen's defenders were arguing in light of a recent U.S. Supreme Court decision that she should not be put to death because of her mental deficits, including an IQ measured after her sentencing at 80 (the borderline between normal and developmental disability) and measured when she was 15 at 69. Allen's defenders reported that with the facts of the matter, one clemency board member might have voted for her to be imprisoned for life instead of put to death. The board had voted to uphold the death sentence by 3 to 1 with one member absent.

Allen's attorneys had told the federal appeals court that, "The federal courts have not defined what the lowest

level of due process should be [in a clemency proceeding]," and that question remains unanswered. The appeals court wrote that, "Although Ms. Allen now contends her trial testimony was incorrect, we find no basis in the record for concluding that the state acted improperly. In short, Ms. Allen has failed to substantiate her allegation of a due process violation."

Oklahoma Governor Frank Keating (R) announced at 5:00 p.m. on January 11 that he would not refer Allen's case back to the clemency board for reconsideration. His spokesperson said, "There is no question she knew right from wrong, the ramifications of her actions." His decision followed a consultation with state Attorney General Drew Edmondson. Both were satisfied by the courts' findings that Assistant Attorney General Sandy Howard had not acted in bad faith in representing Allen's academic status to the clemency board. Keating had met earlier in the day with civil rights leader the Reverend Jesse Jackson and death penalty opponent state Representative Opio Toure, promising to keep an open mind.

It was not reported whether Jackson was present at Allen's execution as per her request. On the evening of January 10, he and 27 others were arrested for trespassing in a peaceful civil disobedience protesting the execution outside the Mabel Bassell Correctional Center, the facility where Allen had been held until a few hours earlier. Jackson described those arrested as "human sacrifices" in an attempt to stop the state of Oklahoma from becoming "a killing machine," leading the nation in executions per capita. Another 150 protesters continued to demonstrate following the arrests. Jackson had vowed that, "She must not die in the dark. She must not die alone. We intend to be with her all the way."

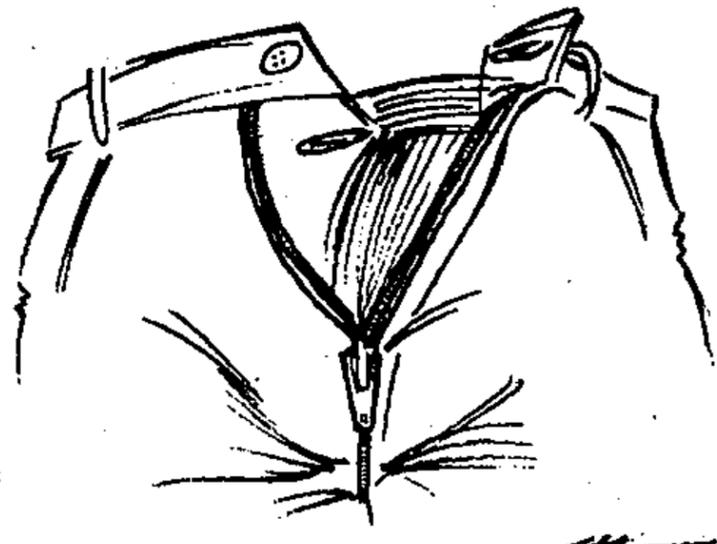
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'The Far Right Doesn't Control The Process Anymore'

State Representative Ken Chevront, D-Phoenix, the House Minority Leader said "the far right doesn't control the process anymore," after the House voted 33-25 to allow 31 state representatives to petition to have a bill removed from the House Rules Committee, chaired by the homophobic state Representative Karen Johnson, R-Mesa, and bring it to the floor for debate and vote, even if the bill had been voted down in the committee.

State Representative Steve May, R-Paradise Valley, proposed the change. "One person, or a small body, should not be able to prevent a bill from coming to the floor for debate," May said. "It's pretty clear from the people who opposed this that they don't think a majority of members should rule," May said during the floor debate on the procedural change, Tuesday, January 16.

Existing rules had precluded resurrection of a bill once the Rules Committee voted it down, and the committee's chair the power to refuse to schedule a measure for a vote. The Rules Committee is supposed to review every piece of legislation to determine if it is constitutional and in proper form, but Johnson had said it wouldn't have precluded her from using the Rules Committee to quash legislation she doesn't like. "People know where my heart is coming from," she said.

Ron Passarelli of the Arizona Human Rights Fund stated "Karen's heart" was a problem, since legislation of concern to the community had trouble getting measures to the floor due to the conservatives. With the vote, the "leadership," according to Passarelli showed an even handed intent, and a majority of the Arizona House showed good sense for providing a mechanism to vote on measures that would benefit the Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender community in Arizona. "This is a resounding victory for fairness in Arizona," he added.

With the Arizona Legislature in the second week of business, more bills of concern have been introduced and assigned to committees for consideration.

Arizona state Representative Mark Anderson, R-Mesa, has introduced House Bill 2403 to prohibit cities, school districts and other political entities from acting to "discriminate against, investigate or deny or withdraw access to public property" for the Boy Scouts of America (BSA). HB 2403 would further prohibit the use of public funds to "compel" the Scouts to accept gays and atheists and agnostics or anyone else inconsistent with the group's "policies, programs, morals or mission." Anderson's bill was first read, Tuesday, January 16, and assigned to the House Human Services Committee, which is chaired by Anderson.

As previously reported, State Senator Ed Cirillo, R-Sun City, reintroduced his measure, SB 1014, which would repeal Arizona's archaic laws, dealing with cohabitation and sodomy, thinly veiled statutes against Gays and Lesbian. Cirillo's bill was second read and referred to the Senate Judiciary Committee, chaired by Tucson Democrat, Elaine Richardson. SB 1014 was on the committee's agenda for this week but was held up, to shore up support. HB 2414, the companion measure

in the Arizona House, was first read this week and assigned to the House Judiciary and Human Services Committees.

State Representatives Ken Chevront, D-Phoenix, and Steve May, R-Paradise Valley, are among the 15 legislators who have sponsored or cosponsored HB 2319, a measure that would expand the state's civil rights laws to include "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" as protected categories. A spokesperson for Arizona Attorney Janet Napolitano said the bill is one of Napolitano's legislative priorities and would "provide equality and fairness to people that need it." HB 2319 was assigned to two committees, Retirement and Government Operations and Judiciary.

HB 2237, a proposed Arizona Employment Non-Discrimination Act, was introduced in the House by five state Representatives, including the openly Gay state Representative, Ed Poelstra, R-Tucson. Discrimination in the workplace, based on sexual orientation, would be prohibited by HB 2237. The bill was assigned to the House Commerce and Economic Development and Judiciary Committees.

During the last session of the Arizona Legislature, state Senator David Petersen, R-Mesa, tried to prohibit local government authority on extending medical and dental benefits to the domestic partners of government employees. Petersen has introduced for consideration during the 45th Legislature, SB 1158, which would require a majority vote by the local government authority to extend benefits and prohibit state employees from getting medical and dental benefits for their domestic partners.

On Monday, February 5, the Arizona Human Rights Fund (AHRF) will be holding their annual Lobby Day at the Arizona Legislature, 1700 W. Washington, in Phoenix.

Organizers of the Lobby Day said it is important for every Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered Arizonans to either show up for the event, or sign petitions urging legislators to support bills of concern. Registration will begin from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on the Capitol Mall.

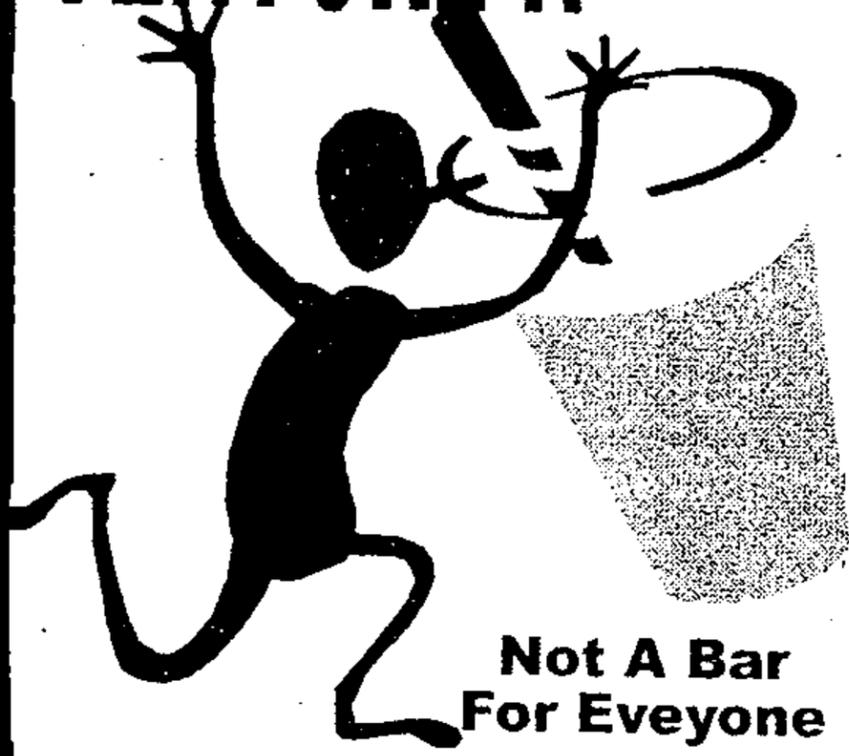
AHRF's Community Action Network is in the process of recruiting AHRF members and supporters to meet with selected Senators and Representatives, from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The purpose of which, according to organizers, is to have key Legislators meet with constituents from their own districts to hear why they should be in favor of passage of these bills. A barbecue, at 11:30 a.m., will also be held, so supporters could meet with legislators on an informal basis.

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A moment.

It is at once reassuring and terrifying to have a relationship with a friend like this. There are few -in any- secrets between us. From nearly the first moment, we settled into a comfort level that is more than remarkable, it is downright bizarre, in a Shirley MacLaine-channeling-Deepak-Chopra kind of way.

Rik was one of the bright spots in my two year excursion to the Left Coast in mid-1990's. He is also a person I do not see nearly enough - although our Moments do seem to keep us connected. And although he is cute as hell, Rik throws conventional Los Angeles gay wisdom to the wind by drilling down past the surface in any situation, and asks exactly the question you may have been avoiding all day. He is the kind of friend who cares enough to make you think for yourself. All of this love-fest of a column comes about because another friend of mine, upon me rant upon the state of relationships, asked me with an exasperated look on her face if there was anybody (her voice even italicized the word) that I thought was "it". And, as I write these words 31,000 feet above America in a flight that will take me back to a relationship that is sometimes sound, I find myself also wondering - who would be "it"? There have been a lot of arrows near the bullseye: Rolf was a big part of my life and remains a

testament to continuing friendship. Michael helped me be stronger by virtue of his absence; Brian gave me a first hint of what love might be; Kevin, a sense of stability. And now, Robert, who has allowed me to consider the wonder of being a parent. There is a laundry list of relationships over the past twenty years, and lessons to be learned from each. It's the Goldilocks of Gay Dating: some too cold; some too hot, some too quick, some lost for not being quick enough. And knows how my own brand of insanity has fit into the equation of what did or did not work in each of those.

But Rik - the person with whom I have had only real date - I kept wondering, could he be "it"? Or is part of my gay gene to romanticize too much those things unexplored. Or, as Rik himself once posed: have we already explored those feelings in past lives? It's a bigger question than this column, and as the plane I am on banks into a starless night, I ask myself too many of these questions - who, what, when? My brow furrows until a new thought comes to mind, and I smile

I'm having a Moment.

And somewhere, three thousand miles and three time zones away, I wonder if Rik might not be thinking to himself to drop me a line. Am I alright, he will ask. And I will respond, sure, and never concede this particular Moment. My point then is, is anybody really "it" or is "it" a shadow, a ghost that whispers every now and then in your ear? A spectre that promises you the world. The plane lands. Connections are made. The moment, passes.

[Thomas Long has been writing Longshots for more than a decade. You can reach him at Longshotz@aol.com, or visit him at www.hometown.aol.com/Longshotz. Be sure to see the world premiere of his first original play, That Old Gang of Mine, in St. Louis March 15-18, 2001.]

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DEAR OBSERVER AND COMMUNITY:

We would like to thank the Tucson Knight Owls (TKO) for their generous donation of an astounding 25 complete Holiday Turkey Dinners to TIHAN for distribution to persons living with HIV/AIDS. These dinners made it possible for these families and individuals with HIV/AIDS to have a brighter holiday, and they have all been very grateful for the meal.

In fact, just today, one of the recipients told me this was the very best turkey he'd ever prepared—tender and delicious—and made his Christmas even more special. And TIHAN volunteer John R, who helped play "Santa" and make some of the dinner deliveries the day before Christmas Eve, was very moved by the experience. He commented on how gracious and grateful the dinner recipients were, and it reminded him of the true meaning and spirit of Christmas.

We would like to specifically thank the hard-working Merlin Cummins, president of TKO, and Ray Gregg and Jim Dondson of the Venture-N, along with everyone who made this possible. I know there was a ton of effort required to raise the money to provide these dinners. The TKO Christmas Carnival at the Venture was a huge success, and because of the generosity of TKO and the community, it

translated into wonderful holiday meals for people living with HIV/AIDS. Please know you have done a very good thing, and it truly made a difference in the lives of many people.

On behalf of all of us at TIHAN and those we serve, thank you!
 With love and gratitude,
 Scott Blades Executive Director

EDITOR:

A big heartfelt thanks goes out to IBT's for allowing GMHP the opportunity of their barbecue fund raiser which netted GMHP \$140 and for donating \$150 for the Sunday version of the Girlie Show.

Thanks also to Mark, Mike and Ruben for helping run the food. Thanks also goes to those fabulous performers Faith Michaels, Bunny FuFu, Miss Saigon, Janec Star, Samantha White and Miss Kristin for going beyond the call of duty and raising \$236 in tips for a grand total of \$526. All of this money goes to the Condom Brigade which helps put condoms and lube in all the Gay bars in Tucson.

Again, thanks to all who took the time and energy to help my program. I couldn't do it with out you.
 Bearhugs,
 Scott A. Davey
 GMHP Coordinator

Girl Scouts Attacked By Far Right Group

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO - James Dobson and his conservative Christian group, Focus on the Family, unleashed a scathing public attack on The Girl Scouts for what the organization and its leader implied was an abandonment of its cultural and spiritual values.

Dobson published his attacks in the latest issue of Citizen magazine, which is published by Focus on the Family.

The Girl Scouts, it said, "welcome Lesbians and made 'loyalty' and God optional long ago."

Even more damning, the Girl Scouts -- "2.7 million liberal feminists-in-training" - have avoided controversy by "surrender(ing) to the same cultural forces the Boy Scouts are resisting."

"This article is meant to serve as a contrast with our cover story the previous issue praising the Boy Scouts," explained Citizen Editor in Chief Tom Hess. The piece was written by Kathryn Jean Lopez, an associate editor at National Review, where it first appeared.

Dobson gives the Boy Scouts credit

for "the things that they are teaching and trying to defend -- moral principles -- vital to this generation of boys and they're not getting it other places." The Girl Scouts have avoided such controversies with an inclusive nondiscrimination policy that doesn't deal with sex.

"We have firm standards relating to appropriate conduct: We don't permit sexual displays of any sort by our members, and we don't permit advocacy or promotion of a personal lifestyle," said Girl Scouts national spokeswoman Ellen Ach. "These are private matters for girls and their families."

Ach said the Girl Scouts "are nonsectarian and always have been" since their founding in 1912. She added that the group's 1994 decision to leave it to the girls themselves to decide whether to recite that part of their oath promising to "do my duty to God and my country" stresses the organization's inclusiveness.

That change in 1994 became the object of Dobson's fury seven years ago, in which he blasted the organization for being a captive of "humanists and radical feminists."

COMMENTARY

'The Execution Of Wanda Jean Allen'

By Joann Bell

Our hearts are heavy today, as last night at 9:21 p.m., January 11, Wanda Jean Allen was pronounced dead after lethal injection at the Oklahoma State Penitentiary in McAlester.

It took the State of Oklahoma 21 minutes to kill Wanda Jean, but those of us who have worked for years on her behalf know that the state began killing her a long time ago. Though she was convicted of

murder, she was executed because of she was -- a mentally impaired, African-American, impoverished Lesbian. No reasonable person can review Wanda Jean's trial transcripts and not realize that multiple biases, including anti-Gay stereotypes, determined her sentence.

As an Oklahoman and an American, I am deeply saddened by Wanda Jean Allen's execution. As a longtime LGBT rights activist who serves on the board of PFLAG Oklahoma, I am chilled by this injustice. Wanda Jean Allen should have been punished for committing a crime. She should not have been killed in part because of her sexual orientation.

The death penalty is not a "Gay issue" only when Lesbians or Gay men are executed. Our criminal justice system is incapable of administering capital punishment equally, which gives members of every despised minority good reason to fear it and oppose it vigorously.

Today, as we grieve Wanda Jean Allen, we look for meaning in her life and her death. And we call on all Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgendered Americans to actively support an end to capital punishment. [The ACLU's death penalty Action Center at <http://www.aclu.org/death-penalty/> provides tools and information to work statewide and nationally against capital punishment.]

It's not enough to mourn the dead. We must fight for the living.

[Joann Bell is the executive director of the Oklahoma Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union. The American Civil Liberties Union has for decades opposed capital punishment in all instances. The Lesbian and Gay Rights Project of the ACLU has worked on behalf of several Lesbians and Gay men whose sexual orientation played a role in their sentencing. In addition to Allen, such cases are currently pending in Texas, Missouri and Arizona.]

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MTV's Hypocrisy On Hate

By Gay Boy Ric

First there was Bill and Ted. Then there was Beavis and Butthead. Now it seems like there's just Brian Graden.

On January 10, MTV launched a year-long public service campaign against discrimination and hate crimes entitled "Fight For Your Rights: Take A Stand Against Discrimination."

The opening program in the campaign was the MTV original movie ANATOMY OF A HATE CRIME, an exploration of the backgrounds and motivations of Aaron McKinney and Russell Henderson, the two young men who brutally killed Gay student Matthew Shepard and left him to die on a fence in Laramie, Wyoming. In one scene after the murder, McKinney (Brendan Fletcher) tells a reporter, "I don't hate Gay people." Ironically, these are the exact same words with which rapper Eminem has defended himself several times on MTV specials purporting to examine the controversy over the violently homophobic lyrics on THE MARSHALL MATHERS LP -- even though MTV itself promoted that very same CD to an extraordinary degree.

On January 4, in a national telephone press conference, Brian Graden, MTV's openly Gay head of programming, confessed that the campaign was partially inspired by MTV's growing concern over its own promotion of Eminem in 2000. However, he also said that the network would continue to include Eminem in its programming during the year-long campaign.

If the logic of Graden's stance seems elusive, it may help to know that, as a young man fresh out of high school, Graden enrolled at the conservative Christian Oral Roberts University, not for reasons of faith or conservatism ... but because the leader of his high school rock band had been forced to go there as a punishment by his parents. "The band broke up midway (through college), and I was like, 'What the f**k have I done?'" Graden told the Gay newsmagazine THE ADVOCATE in an interview last May.

Prior to MTV, Graden began his career as a producer at Fox, where he created the series STUDS and COPS. More notably, Graden discovered the popular subversive animated comedy series SOUTH PARK. In 1995, Graden gave then-unemployed SOUTH PARK creators Trey Stone and Matt Parker \$1200 to create a video Christmas card featuring the now-famous SOUTH PARK kids. When Graden mailed "The Spirit of Christmas" out, it immediately became a hot Hollywood must-see item. Comedy Central offered Parker and Stone a series, and Graden served as executive producer of SOUTH PARK for 17 months, before joining MTV in 1997.

Graden is now the top programming executive at MTV. When he replaced MTV's previous programming head in December 1997, VARIETY said the move "effectively put (Graden) in charge of all programming systemwide." Nevertheless, Graden talks about the subject of Eminem's

inclusion in MTV's programming as though it was a matter out of his hands or decision-making capability.

"Our social contract with young adults is a very, very delicate thing," Graden said to the journalists participating in the tele-conference. "MTV is 'cool' to them. Young adults take MTV seriously. That means, whether I like it or not ... and not discounting that Eminem has struck a chord ... in order for them to listen to anything else we have to say ... then we have to be first and foremost be perceived as 'cool.'"

Although the presence of violently anti-Gay lyrics THE MARSHALL MATHERS LP is old news, it is worth repeating some of those lyrics in order to underscore the extent to which Eminem's message contradicts the message of MTV's new anti-hate campaign.

On the song "Kill You," Eminem sings: You faggots keep eggin' me on till I have you at knife point, then you beg me to stop? SHUT UP! / Give me your hands and feet, I said SHUT UP when I'm talkin' to you YOU HEAR ME? / ANSWER ME! / Or I'ma kill you!"

And on the song "Criminal": My words are like a dagger with a jagged edge that'll stab you in the head whether you're a fag or lez, or the homosex, hermaph or a trans-a-vest. Pants or dress. Hate fags? The answer's 'yes.'"

In the press conference, Graden also said that artists like Eminem routinely submit sanitized versions of potentially offensive songs in order to gain airplay and that, as long as the sanitized versions fit the network's standards, the videos would continue to receive airplay. "I would lie if I said it wasn't something we struggled with and talked about, and what we ultimately came to, and what I think is the right place for MTV to be is that, if an artist delivers a video, and the video perfectly meets our standards, it's not our role to censor pop culture."

MTV is clearly trying to have it both ways. It says it is taking a stand against discrimination and hate. At the same time, in order to justify continuing to air a controversial but popular artist, it claims it is taking a stand against censorship. This is as hypocritical and bogus as Eminem himself.

Rejecting an artist on the grounds of unacceptable hate-mongering lyrical content on a CD which the artist has "cleaned up" in order to gain airplay and increase sales is not censorship, it is exercising choice. And when it comes to Eminem and his expressions of hatred against Gay men and Lesbians, MTV does have a choice -- it can, as the network is so fond of saying, choose or lose.

Unfortunately, the loss may not just be their own.

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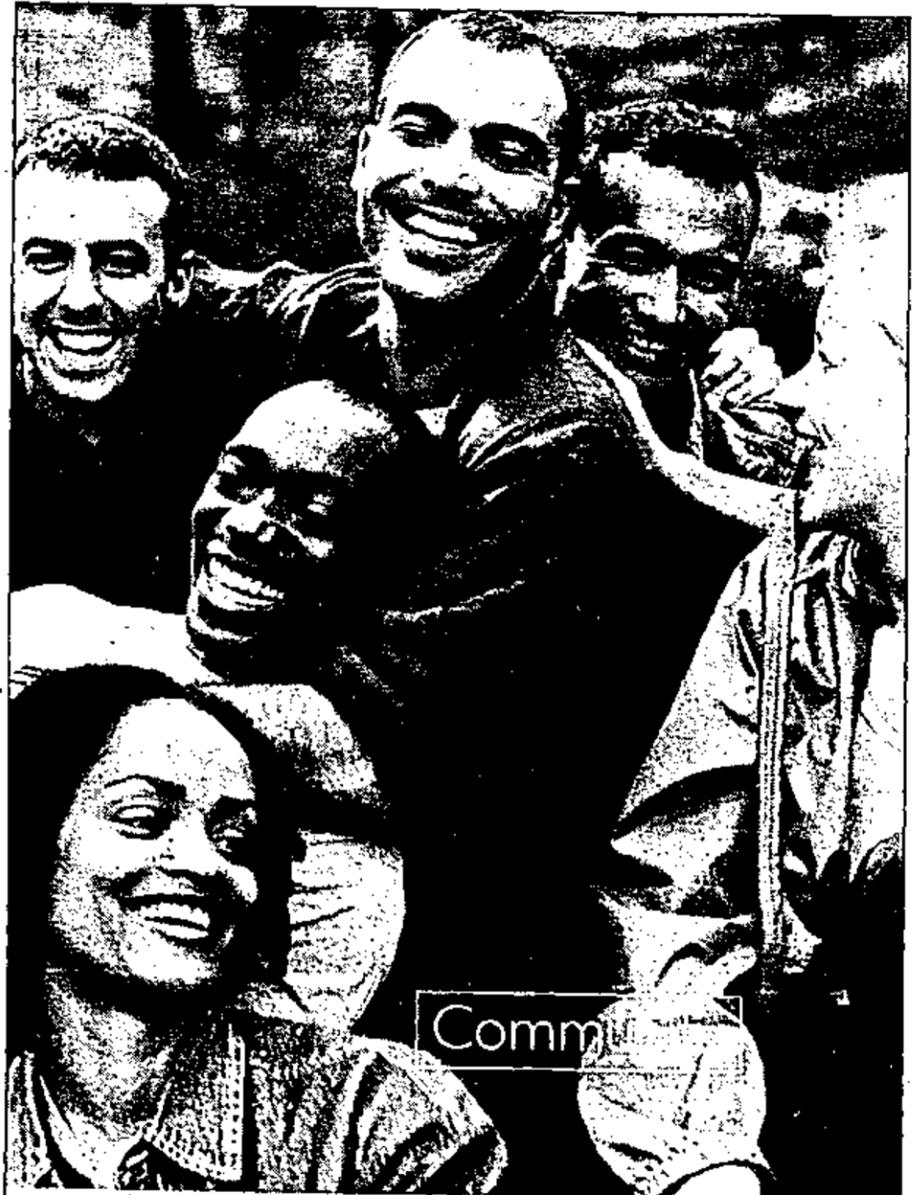
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BY C. LICHTENSTEIN

Intellectual and talkative Mercury changes signs this week, moving from conservative Capricorn to airy Aquarius. We may find our thoughts are far more in sync with our environment and our goals. Got an idea? Give it a spin before February 2nd while this fabulous mental energy is most powerful.

ARIES

MARCH 21 - APRIL 20

Compadres provide an unusual amount of intellectual stimulation when Mercury dances into Aquarius. Join a group or five (you may never get enough stimulation, you know...). Spread those fabulous ideas around. Yell, march, wave a flag, prepare to demonstrate your Pride. A spark is there to start a roaring fire and we all know how much proud Rams love a good blaze.

TAURUS

APRIL 21 - MAY 21

It is now time to pursue any and all ideas related to career and professional growth. Mercury in Aquarius gives even your crackpot theories a genius quality enabling you to dispense ideas with a clever air of authority. Grab the attention of someone in power and show them what you can do. The possibilities are endless. Success is at hand. Ah but which hand?

GEMINI

MAY 22 - JUNE 21

Travel and global thinking brings unexpected benefits when Mercury dives into Aquarius. Pursue any ideas related to international or even electronic issues. Scholastic endeavors lead to new opportunities. Plan vacations while this planetary energy is right; you can handle detailed planning with acuity and flair. Expansion is the keyword, cousin; Think big, big, bigger! Ooo!

CANCER

JUNE 22 - JULY 23

Steamy proud Crab bisque is featured on the menu when Mercury thrusts into Aquarius. All thoughts turn to sex! Use this encouraging energy to strategize what you can do to satisfy lovers rather than vice versa. Remember love is most delicious when there is reciprocal enjoyment. If you can't be generous, it may be better to keep your thoughts to yourself for now.

LEO

JULY 24 - AUGUST 23

Mercury demands that you reprioritize projects so that relationships lead the list of things to do. Put more thought and planning into making partnerships a true team effort. Regal proud Leos don't mean to be forgetful; it's just that they love being the center of attention. I suggest that you now attend to the one who has always stood by you and who now deserves a little t.l.c.

VIRGO

AUGUST 24 - SEPTEMBER 23

Queer Virgos feel much more in control now that Mercury has entered Aquarius. You are able to tackle any highly detailed job with verve and intense direction. Apply this intense clarity of thought to any day-to-day task or any mundane job project. You will be able to clear off your desk so that next month you'll be free for more entertaining endeavors. No names please!

LIBRA

SEPTEMBER 24 - OCTOBER 23

Delightful fun is in store now that Mercury dances into Aquarius. The floodgates open and the party starts. What can you possibly think of to pump up the energy? The ideas will pour in, but listen to my advice; It is better use of this transit to become more involved in creative, artistic pursuits. Try to feel the muse and play your instrument... or is it vice versa?

SCORPIO

OCTOBER 24 - NOVEMBER 22

Family and home life take precedence when Mercury enters Aquarius. Settle intransigent family issues now when your thoughts are clear and in tune with your true feelings. It is no longer reasonable for you to be someone you are not. Explain why in a clear manner. Any fallout makes the offending party look pretty offensive. Use moxie, not mace.

SAGITTARIUS

NOVEMBER 23 - DECEMBER 22

Pink Archers are mentally in tune with Mercury in Aquarius. You have your finger on the pulse of the community so allow all ideas room to roam and develop. Thankfully, Sags are not ones to daydream their best thoughts away. It is the time to put ideas into practical action by discussing them with the right person or group. The Cause waits in anxious anticipation, comrades.

CAPRICORN

DECEMBER 23 - JANUARY 20

Thoughts turn to the delightfully expensive joys in life when Mercury cascades into Aquarius. Investing bears green fruit if you do your homework, talk to experts and plant those seeds before February 2nd. At the same time, you certainly enjoy a bit of fun shopping for assorted trinkets. Gay Caps may overspend a bit in this department, but what the heck; life must be beautiful.

AQUARIUS

JANUARY 21 - FEBRUARY 19

Mercury in your own sign is quite a blessing for you, especially if you are embarking on new projects and contemplating new beginnings in your life journey. My advice is to use this time to talk to as many new people as possible, you have a lot to say and some of your better bon mots find fertile ground for growth. Don't be shy, Aquarius. Launch your ad campaign now, bubble.

PISCES

FEBRUARY 20 - MARCH 20

Pink Fish are sensitive and intuitive. Now, with zippy Mercury in zappy Aquarius, you are able to dredge up a psychic thought or two. Allow your imagination to run a wild; creativity surges and you may solve a mystery. Mercury won't stand for any locked closets and neither should you. Anything that you have shut away in shame or fear can be dumped with all of our blessings!

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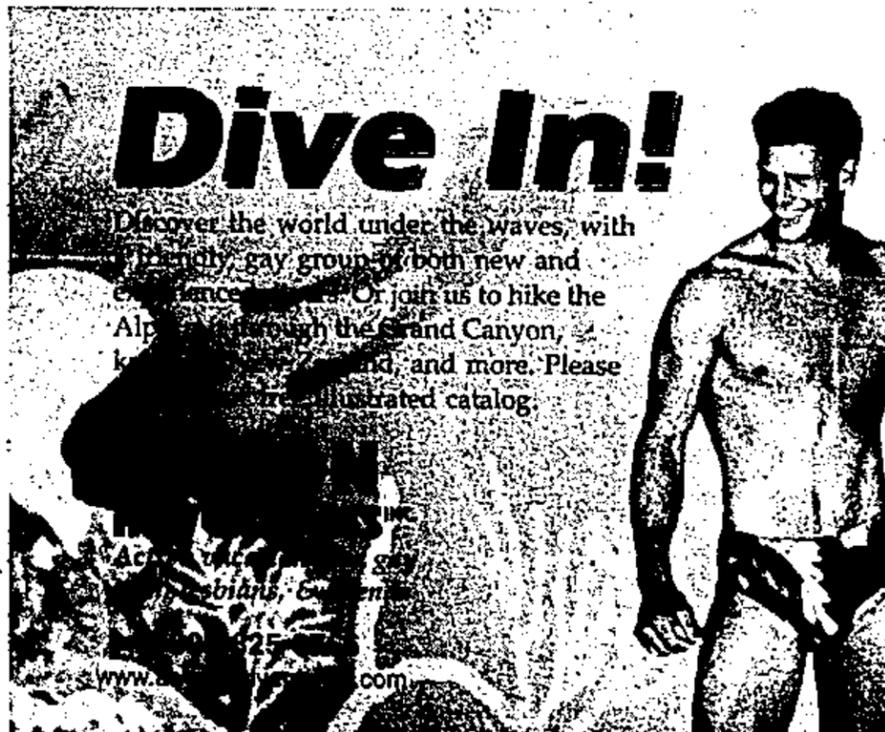
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High Average - Keith D., 227; JoAnn S., 181; Mamas Family, 537.

High Series Scratch - Keith D., 768; JoAnn S., 667; Rebellious!, 1817.

High Game Scratch - Keith D./Jeff T., 300; JoAnn S., 265; Rebellious!, 670.

High Series Handicap - Keith D., 768; Kristen S., 753; Rebellious!, 2027.

High Game Handicap - Keith D./Jeff T., 300; Kristen S., 293; Rebellious!, 740.

DESERT COYOTES NEEDS BOWLERS

TUCSON - The Desert Coyotes, Tucson's Gay and Lesbian bowling are looking for some bowlers for openings on a couple of teams.

The league, consisting of teams of three, bowls on Wednesday's, 9:00 p.m., at Golden Pin Lanes, 1010 W. Miracle Mile. Skill isn't important, having fun is, averages in the league range from 100 to over 200. League fees are \$10 a week plus initial sanction fee.

If interested, just show up a few minutes prior to the start time. For more information, please call (520) 323-6449.

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What a year for "Dr." Laura Schlessinger: pilloried in the media and by activists over her description of homosexuality as a "biological error," stricken with horrible reviews and low ratings for her poorly received (and allegedly close-to-cancellation) TV show, and now ranked seventh on fashion designer Mr. Blackwell's legendary annual "Worst-Dressed" list, now in its 41st year. "When it comes down to fashion horror, no one does it better than Dr. Laura," writes the openly Gay critic about the advice-dispensing physiologist, adding that she's "a turtle-necked terror."

In Tucson, where Schlessinger's "turtle-necked terrorism" still spews at 3:00 p.m., a total of 96 businesses have stopped advertising on the "Dr." Laura television program. Call the list of businesses who have run ads during the past week, and tell them to pull their ads from the program or you will spend your dollars elsewhere, at their competition!

Precision Toyota/Auto Solutions, (520) 795-5565/887-4180. Empire Glass, (520) 622-3033. Apollo College, (520) 888-5885. Automall Resale, (520) 292-2777. Arizona Clinical Research Center, (520) 290-9896. Carpet One, (520) 327-6838/625-9477. Payless Cars & Trucks, (520) 624-3344. Tucson Greyhound Park, (520) 884-7576. Alpine Clock Shop, (520) 745-6211. Renzi & Co., (520) 790-2227. Mercado Law Firm, (520) 624-1400. Jeff's Pub, (520) 886-1001/917-0852. Tucson Appliance Co., (520) 881-1207. All-star Auto Exchange, (520) 808-8060. Play It Again Sports, (520) 293-2010/795-0363/296-6888/206-0691. Eeger's, (520) 294-3333.

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Non-Bar Calendar

Groups / Clubs / Organizations

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17
 Tucson Prime Timers, 1:00 p.m. Lunch at Wildcat House, 1801 N. Stone. Call 622-1835 for details.

Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). Join Jorge for Dinner Out as we go to Pipian's. Please phone in our reservation to Jorge as soon as possible so we can notify the restaurant of the number of men attending. For directions and reservations, please contact Jorge at 869-7219.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19
 Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Join us for our monthly Pizza Party held at Jerry & Les' home. It's a chance to meet 60-75 new faces. Simply bring \$4.00 and join in for a fun evening of food and good conversation. Salad and dessert are also served. Vegetarian pizza offered as well. For reservations and directions, please call Jerry or Les at 690-9565. Please note: reservations should be made by Thursday, January 18 at noon so we can order the proper number of pizzas (but we do order a couple of extra pizzas just in case this isn't read until the day of the event).

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20
 1. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Join Marc & Jeff for a Topic of Discussion on "Putting Your Best Foot Forward" when meeting men. For reservations and directions, please call Jeff at 299-1194.

2. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 8:00 p.m. Lloyd sponsors the Lois Brandwynne concert. This classic pianist grew up in Tucson and is returning for this special concert. For details, please call Lloyd at 792-8537.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
 Desert Valley Squares "dance party", 7 to 9pm, Augustana Lutheran Church, 14th St & Virginia, call 602-331-8839 or email gmazaw@qwest.net for more info.

MONDAY, JANUARY 22
 Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 6:30 p.m. Tom leads the Triangle Tribe-a support group with MSN which is designed to teach openness and communication. For reservations and directions, please call Tom at 318-1650.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23
 Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Join Peter as he hosts Bridge Night. Beginners and seasoned players are welcomed. For reservations and directions, please call Peter at 615-8974.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24
 1. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Help us in getting out the newsletter for the coming month. It's quick and simple, and you get to know the guys you're working with! We also have door prizes and dessert. For reservations and directions, please call Jerry or Les at 690-9565.

2. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 8:00 p.m. Join us as we show "Relax...It's Just Sex"-a movie that starts out as a light and breezy comedy until something shocking happens in the middle of the movie and changes the lives of everyone. Out gay actor, Mitchell Anderson plays the gay man at the center of the story. For reservations and directions, please call Les or Jerry at 690-9565.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26
 Desert Valley Squares "Fun Night" at Charlie's, 727 W. Camelback Road, in Phoenix, 7:30pm to 9pm. Information: 602-331-8839 or email gmazaw@qwest.net

Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Join us for the latest showing of "Queer As Folk" at Bill's house. For reservations and directions, please call Bill at 546-7539.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27
 Tucson Prime Timers, 5:00 p.m. Dinner at Old Pueblo Grill, 60 N. Ahernon Way. Call 622-1835 for details.

1. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 1:30 p.m. Join us for our "almost annual" Miniature Golf Tournament. Dan will host this event. For reservations and directions, please call Dan at 690-9565.

2. Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 7:00 p.m. Pinochle is the game we're playing-and you're invited. If you don't know how to play, but want to learn, we'll teach you. If you already know how, you'll fit right in. For reservations and directions, please call Bill at 297-3569.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10
 Plan now to attend "The Red Affair", the first Valentine Dance specifically for the GLBT Community. 8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. At the Mat Bevel Institute, 530 N. Stone Avenue. Tickets are \$20 per person or \$30 per couple for an evening of music, dancing, food and drink. Tickets will be available at Antigone Books, Desert Pride, Rainbow Planet Coffee House and Tucson Trunk. You may call 617-3100 for reservations. "The Red Affair" is sponsored by Reveille Gay Men's Chorus and is planned as an annual event for the entire GLBT Community. Bring your special Valentine, or perhaps find one there!

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
 Desert Valley Squares "dance party", 7 to 9pm, Augustana Lutheran Church, 14th St & Virginia, call 602-331-8839 or email gmazaw@qwest.net for more info.

Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 4:00 p.m. Super Bowled out already, and the game hasn't even been played? If so, join us for an alternative-a day Down Under. We'll start

BAR CALENDAR

OF UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17
 IBTS - 9:00 P.M., "The Girlie Show" hosted by Lucinda Holiday and featuring Phaedra, Janoc Starr and Domino Blush.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
 IBTS - Sunday Smirnoff Party Line-up includes Jeff's Bloody Mary Recovery Bar from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Karaoke with Billy Dee on the patio from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., Benefit Bar-B-Que / Beer Bust from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. This weeks proceeds go to Reveille Gay Men's Chorus. Then from 9:00 p.m. to midnight it's 2 for 1 White Well!

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24
 IBTS - "The Girlie Show" hosted by Lucinda Holiday and featuring Bunny FuFu, Angela Dodd and Miss Saigon.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
 IBTS - Super Bowl Sunday. Watch for upcoming ads.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14
 IBTS - Valentine's Day and Mardi-Gras Party. Watch for the details.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27
 IBTS - Mardi Gras Party in the planning stages here. Mark your calendars.

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with two movies: "The Adventures of Priscilla, Queen of the Desert" at 4, followed by "The Sum of Us" at 6. Around 8ish, we'll tune in to "Survivor 2" which is set in Australia. For directions, please call Jerry or Les at 690-9565

MONDAY, JANUARY 29
 Men's Social Network (Gay men of all ages; guests always welcome). 6:30 p.m. Tom leads the Triangle Tribe-a support group with MSN which is designed to teach openness and communication. For reservations and directions, please call Tom at 318-1650.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4
 Gay Pagan Circle meets the first Sunday of each month at Ft. Lowell Park at Noon at the riparian area. Informal meetings, potluck, socialize with fellow Gay, Bi and Lesbian pagans. For more info call Andrew at 326-2224 and leave a message.

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Daily Bar Calendar

sunday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZ - Beer Bust 5-10, \$1.25 pitchers. Latin Music with DJ Hill 9-1. Shot specials all night.
 IBT's - Open 11am-1am. Happy Hour 11-4pm, \$2.00 domestic beer and well, \$1.75 well & domestic beer 4-9pm. Benefit B-B-Q and Beer Bust for community organizations 4:30-7pm. Karaoke with Billy Dee on the patio 4:30-7:30. Hi energy dancing 9pm to close. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 10am. Patio open noon. Patio Beer Bust 3-7pm 75¢ draft, \$2 pitchers. 301 Dart Tournament 5pm \$3 entry fee (pot matched). Bosa Burgers 5-7pm Hides Leather Goods opens at 4pm.
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7 pm. Pick-up Volleyball games 5:30 pm. B-B-Q 5-9pm. \$2.50 airforn burger. Karaoke with Billy Dee 9pm to close. Patio Bar Open.

monday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZ - Happy Hour Two-For-One 2-7, \$1.50 Wells 8-midnight, 25¢ cups of draft 8 to closing.
 IBT's - Open 10am. Martini Monday all day all call martinis \$2.50. Happy Hour 10am-4pm, \$2.00 domestic beer and well, \$1.75 well and domestic beer 4-9pm. 9pm to closing, \$1.50 / 32oz pitchers. Karaoke Billy Dee 7:00-9:30pm Retro 80's dance 9:30pm to closing. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Dart Tourney 8pm, pot matched. Patio opens 5pm
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. Karaoke w/Billy Dee 9pm to close. Special drink prices 8pm to close for American Airlines - American Express - AOL employees.

tuesday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZNESS - Happy Hour Two-For-One 2-7pm. Pool touney 7:30pm. \$3 entry, pot matched. \$1.50 longnecks for pool players. \$2 Long Islands all nite. Dance to music w/DJ S. Country music 9 to close
 IBT's - Open 10am. Happy Hour 10am-4pm, \$2.00 domestic beer & well, \$1.75 well & domestic beer 4-9pm. 9 pm to close, or buy an IBT's T-shirt for \$5 and get a complimentary drink. House Hi-Nergy Dance 9pm to closing.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Patio open 5pm.
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. 7pm Dart Tournament with Doc. Pot matched. Trivia Party 8pm-close. Top score on NTN per game wins special prizes. Sky's the limit \$2.25.

wednesday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZNESS - Happy Hour Two-For-One 2-7pm. \$1.50 pitchers 9-close. 80s Retro & house music with DJ Sarafina.
 IBT's - Open 10am to 1am. Happy Hour 10am to 4pm, \$2.00 domestic beer & well, \$1.75 well & domestic beer 4-9pm. \$1.75 Bud Products 9pm to close. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Patio opens at 5pm.
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. Pick-up Volleyball games start 7pm. Spaghetti & meatballs 5-9pm \$2.50. Patio bar open.

thursday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZNESS - Happy Hour 2-7pm, 2for1. Karaoke with Liz 9pm to close. \$1.50 Tequila & 75¢ Watermelons.
 IBT's - Open 10am to 1am. Happy Hour 10am-4pm \$2.00 domestic beer and well, \$1.75 Well & domestic 4-9. Underwear Nite. \$1.50 well and \$1.75 domestic beer to those in their underwear (part check available) Male Box Night hosted by GMHP 9:00pm, meet new friends. Hi energy dancing 9-close. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Patio open 5pm. Day prices for men in leather 7pm to close. Pool Tournament 7pm-ish. \$3 entry. Hides Leather shop opens at 8pm
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. Trivia Thursday 8pm-close plus 50¢ off all Big Ass drinks. Top score on NTN per game wins special prizes. Volleyball Court is Open. See bartender. Patio Bar Open.

friday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZNESS - Happy Hour Two-For-One 2-7. Free food at 5:30pm. Dance music 9-1 w/ DJ Hill. Drink specials every 1/2 hour
 IBT's - Open 10am. Happy Hour 10am-4pm \$2.00 domestic beer and well, \$1.75 well & domestic beer 4-9. Live Jazz on the patio with the Susan & Tracey 5:30-8:30pm. Patio Bar 9-1. Dance Party 9 to 1. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Snacks served at 5pm. Patio open 5pm. Hides Leather Store opens 8pm.
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. Martini Party - Well Martini's \$2.50 all day. Call Martini's \$3 from 4pm to close. Volleyball Court is Open. See bartender. Patio Bar Open.

saturday
 AINT NOBODY'S BIZNESS - Open at 2pm. Drink specials all day. Pool Tournament 6:30pm \$3 entry. Pot matched. \$2 pitchers for pool players. Dance music w/DJ Hill 9-close. Drink specials every half hour.
 IBT's - Open 10am to 1am. Happy Hour 10am-4pm \$2.00 domestic beer and well, \$1.75 well & domestic beer 4-9pm. Patio bar 9-1. Dance 9-1. All drink specials not available during special events.
 VENTURE-N - Open 6am. Patio Bar open at 3pm. Patio Beer Bust with 50¢ drafts, \$1.50 pitchers. Hides Leather Store opens at 8pm.
 WOODY'S - Open Noon. Happy Hour 3-7pm. Volleyball Court is Open. See bartender. Steak Fry 5-9pm Filet Mignon, vegetables, salad, potato & roll \$4.50. Patio Bar Open.

NOTICES

TUCSON INTERFAITH HIV/AIDS NETWORK (TIHAN), a coalition of faith communities committed to a compassionate response to HIV/AIDS, provides HIV education in congregational settings, volunteer CareTeams to support HIV+ persons, a referral network of HIV-sensitive clergy, and interfaith services of healing and hope. For more information call 299-6647.

LESBIAN/GAY/BI-SEXUAL OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS. Saturdays 1 to 2pm new location Wingspan, 300 E. 6th St. Contacts 325-6678 or 327-4293.

ANONYMOUS HIV COUNSELING AND TESTING is available through the Pima County Health Department at sites throughout Tucson. Very Gay Friendly. For more information or to make an appointment call 791-7878.

GRACE GROUP - CATHOLIC GAY/LESBIAN SUPPORT GROUP meets every 2nd Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Madonna Hall at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 1436 N. Campbell across from University Hospital. For more info. Call Eddie Betrano 688-4595.

SMART (Self Management And Recovery Training) a free non-12-step self-help alternative for people working to overcome addictive and other emotional problems meets in Tucson Monday thru Thursdays at different locations. For more information about SMART, contact Brenda at 684-9920, Ext.448 or Emmett 322-6057 (eveiten@ic.net.com)

AZdykes is a new email list for Lesbians living in Arizona. For information mail tyan@theriver.com and request guidelines.

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THEATER / DINNER / ETC! Non-Smoking Lesbian Network meets every 3rd Saturday night of each month. If you'd like to meet women 35+ (flexible) and socialize in a smoke-free environment 858-8010 before 10:00 p.m. The group dines out and attends shows or movies. Now in their 16th year! (2nd in Tucson).

SOUTHERN ARIZONA GENDER ALLIANCE (SAGA). Meetings on the 1st Monday, 7pm. Desert Girls (MTF) Meets 2nd Monday at 7pm. Desert Boys meets 3rd Tuesday at 7pm. of every month. All meetings take place at Wingspan, 300 E. 6th St. Call 824-1779 for more info. SAGAE-mail@aol.com http://members.aol.com/sagaemail

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AAPSP - ARIZONA ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY PROFESSIONALS - a confidential organization committed to providing support and networking for all Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual public safety professionals in Arizona. Membership open to Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, Probation, Parole and Corrections Officers and civilians working within these agencies. Website: AAPSP.org or e-mail: AAPSP@aol.com or call Dave (520)745-9059 (Tucson) or Kim (602)534-8219 (Phoenix)

GLSEN - Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network meets first Thursday of every month at 4:30pm at Wingspan, 300 E. 6th Street. 743-4800.

TUCSON CATHOLIC GAY & LESBIAN FAMILY MINISTRY. Currently meeting the 4th Monday of every month at SS Peter & Paul Church, Madonna Hall 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Fr. Fiedler in attendance every meeting and willing to speak one on one. Reaching out to Parents and Families. For more info call Doc or Barbara 293-6624.

SAA (Sex Addicts Anonymous) has 5 meetings a week in Tucson. People who wish to stop their compulsive sexual behavior, please call (520)570-1225 for current information.

LUTHERANS CONCERNED - Tucson chapter for Gay/Lesbian Lutherans meets 4th Sunday, 6:30 p.m. each month at Santa Cruz Lutheran Church, 8809 S. Cardinal Ave. For information visit www.lctucson.org write: LC, 7014 E. Golf Links Road, PMB 212, Tucson, AZ 85730.

ABUSIVE RELATIONSHIPS: Confidential Individual or group support for Gay, Bisexual or Trans men who are victims/survivors of domestic violence. For more information call 624-0348 (24-hour line)

REVELLE GAY MEN'S CHORUS rehearses Tuesdays 7-10pm at MCC Church, 3269 N. Mountain. Have any history/experience singing? Join us! Call 617-3100 for more info.

The **TUCSON Chapter of PRIME TIMERS WORLDWIDE** invites Gay or Bisexual men and their admirers to join and share Prime Timers fellowship. We welcome mature men (and admirers) who wish to become involved with planned and future Prime Timers activities. Meetings luncheons and dinners are held monthly. For dates, times and information call 529-9344, leave name and phone number.

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TUCSON GAY INFORMATION AND REFERRAL. For information on human service organizations, health and mental health services, financial and government assistance, emergency services such as food and shelter, education, etc. Call Information and Referral 881-1794 - 8 am - 5 pm Mon. - Fri.

AIDS HOTLINE - 326-AIDS. Hours M-F, 9:00 am to 10:00 pm. Information, counseling, HIV-related services, Tucson.

SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASE CLINIC provided daily by the Pima County Health Department. Gay friendly. Confidential. Treatment and Medication too! Any questions? Call 624-8272

SOUTHERN ARIZONA AIDS FOUNDATION (SAAF), 375 S. EUCLID. Office Hours 8am to 5pm, Monday through Friday. Direct services and emotional support for persons with and affected by HIV. Anonymous HIV testing and support groups available. Prevention education programs. 628-SAAF (7223). World wide web: http://www.saaaf.org. VOLUNTEERS WELCOME.

LESBIAN SUPPORT GROUP. Involving discussion, support and activities. Designed to support each other. Meets 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month from 9:30 to 11am. Alternate Saturdays the group meets for social activities. For info call Dorian Easty, facilitator. 682-7723

P.F.L.A.G. - Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays - is a support group available to anyone who has a son, daughter or friend who is Gay. Call 575-8880 or write P.O. Box 35264, Tucson, AZ 85740-8264. All replies confidential.

TUCSON GLBT ALANON GROUP meets Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. at Wingspan, 300 E. 6th Street. Call 624-1779 for more information.

YOUNG AND GAY?

GLBT Youth 23 and under, meet every Saturday in Tucson for sharing, support and information. Meetings are held at 300 E. 6th Street from 3 to 4:30 pm. You are not alone. For more info call Wingspan, 624-1779.

GAY OR BI-SEXUAL MEN in relationships with women. Need friends you can talk to? Weekly support group meets Wednesdays 8:30 - 8:00 pm. Licensed psychologist facilitator. Call 745-8977 in Tucson for more information. Strictly confidential.

WINGSPAN - Tucson's Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual Community Center, 300 E. 6th St., offers support groups / info line / social events / library / meeting space. Volunteer Opportunities. Board meetings every 2nd Thursday (open to all), 6:00 p.m. Information 624-1779.

SUPPORT GROUP: Gays, Lesbians and Bisexuals meet weekly for open discussions in a loving, supportive atmosphere. Meetings Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:30 pm at St. Francis in the foothills Church, Swan and River Road, Room 43. Call the church at Davey at 886-1208 or Brian at 882-4728 for information.

HIKE & BIKE DYKES. Meets 2nd Monday at 7pm. Call 327-7239 for info.

GREATER PHOENIX GAY & LESBIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (GPGCC) P.O. BOX 2097, Phoenix, AZ 85001-2097. E-mail: webmaster@gpgcc.org or call (802)225-8444.

SOURCES UNLIMITED, a Lesbian & Gay referral service. Business and individual listings are free of charge. All information available to anyone just simply by asking. 322-5655. Leave message.

GAY COWBOY CLUB - Nationwide Personal Ads. Admirers welcome too. Send stamp for information: Mavericks, Box 9543, Santa Fe, NM 87504.

ATTENTION ALL NUDISTS - Tucson Tanners is a nudist group open to all - Nude activities scheduled both indoor and outdoors. Not "Gay Only", but Gays are welcome and invited to join. For further information send SASE to: Tucson Tanners, P.O. Box 84-G, Cortaro, AZ 85652.

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BEARS OF THE OLD PUEBLO - a social club for bears and bigger, more robust men (and of course, those who prefer their company). For more info, Call the Bears Hotline (520)327-1520 or write P.O. Box 43910, Tucson, AZ 85733-3910, or come to our general meetings the second Friday of every month. Location listed on our hotline.

SOFTBALL - For info on the Tucson Greater Softball Association T.G.S.A., please contact: Mary 770-9979 or Bertie 318-3415.

CARE TEAMS ARE AVAILABLE to offer support to people living with HIV/AIDS. The Tucson Interfaith HIV/AIDS Network offers trained, compassionate and committed volunteers to provide services including friendly visits, light housekeeping, assistance with meals, shopping, errands, transportation and companionship for medical appointments, and respite care for primary care givers. No judgement or proselytizing - we are here to be of service. For information call Scott at 299-6647.

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT SPORTS TEAMS and updates on Gay Games 2002, contact TEAM ARIZONA at their website: teamarizona.org

ARE YOU GAY OR BISEXUAL AND UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE? The Gay Young Men's Project is now looking for volunteers for the project. We need people who want to help create a positive social change for young Gay men as well as reduce the risk for HIV infection. For more information please call 828-7223.

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THE MEN'S MASSAGE GROUP meets the 3rd Sunday of each month. It is a good way to meet other men of all ages, safely, and with the art of nurturing touch. There is a fee. You must sign up in advance to participate. Call Marc at 881-4582 for more information or sign up.

COMMUNITY BUSINESS ASSOCIATION (CBA). Tucson's Gay and Lesbian business networking group holds regular meetings the third Thursday of every month. Call 615-8438 for more info.

TUCSON LESBIAN/GAY ALLIANCE (TLGA) meets on the second Tuesday at Wingspan, 300 E. 6th Street at 7pm. For more information call 622-3200.

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LAMBDA CAR CLUB, a social organization of Gays and Lesbians who share interest, information and fellowship involving all cars and trucks. New Southern Arizona Region now in Tucson. Call the HOTline for info at 888-5541

LESBIAN AND GAY ALANON - Affected by someone's drinking? Meeting every Tuesday 8:45 to 9:45 p.m. at Lambda Center, 2940 E. Thomas, Phoenix. Ellis 581-8850 or Ronn 968-2364.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE GROUP - Outreach to Gay and Lesbian people in Arizona. Meets monthly. Write to P.O. Box 983, Phoenix, AZ 85001 or call Eddy Walters, (602)371-1102

CRONIES SOCIAL GROUP. A Social group for Gay men who enjoy the fellowship of their peers. Call Leo at 624-8768.

T-SQUARES Lesbian and Gay square dance club meets every Tuesday from 8:30-9:00 p.m. at Cornerstone Fellowship Social Hall, 2902 N. Geronimo (near 1st Ave. and Laguna). Open to All. Call Liz at 325-9488 or Ray at 749-5247.

LIGHTNING LIGHTING will provide lighting for AIDS and related benefits at no charge. For more info call Adrienne at 889-7298.

GAY & LESBIAN SPIRITUALITY GROUP of St. Phillips in the Hills Episcopal Church meets first and third Mondays. Call David, 323-7943 for more information.

LESBIAN/GAY WRITERS: Workshop at 7:00 p.m. third Wednesday of every month. Read and critique current projects. Network and support. For info call 325-4737.

DESERT VOICES, Tucson's Gay & Lesbian Chorus rehearses Monday evenings from 8:30 to 9:30pm at Armory Park Senior Center, 220 S. 6th Ave. Call 791-9682.

Join the **LESBIAN & GAY PUBLIC AWARENESS PROJECT**. In Tucson write Awareness Project, 3661 N. Campbell Ave. #365, Tucson, AZ 85719.

AA Meeting with HIV/AIDS focus, Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., MCC Church, 3269 N. Mountain. All alcoholics welcome.

MEN'S SOCIAL NETWORK: Social organization for men of all ages. Building an extended Gay family in Tucson. Monthly social potluck gatherings the first Saturday of each month and almost weekly social activities. Call Jerry at 690-9565 for information and a newsletter. Check the Non-Bar Calendar in the Observer.

BISEXUAL INFORMATION/SUPPORT GROUP for women and men. Meetings 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. at Wingspan, 300 E. 6th St. 624-1779.

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