ects; new or amateur knitters are welcome too. We'll provide the needles and yarn. Come out for some free food, networking, and a chance to learn how to make a scarf or gloves to keep you warm or to give as a gift during the holiday season!

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## Monday 11

ARLINGTON - Alcoholics Anonymous - Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Meeting 7 -8 PM At St James Church, across from Stewart's convenience store. Open meeting of AA, meaning that anyone with a desire to stop drinking can attend.

BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - Gayme Night 6PM At R.U.1.2? Headquarters, 1 Steele Street, Burlington. The lovely Anne Moore returns to gayme night on a new week day. Try to take on the Boggle queen!

NEW YORK, NY - BEARAPALOOZA-A
Celebration of Fur in Music 7PM-12AM At Finally
Freda's - 765 Washington St. NYC Cover: \$10.
BEARAPALOOZA is the first concert to bring
together musicians who identify with the growing
movement of people known as the Bear community. "Bears" tend to be furry, ample bodied gay men,
but the community itself embraces men of many
different body types and lifestyles. Performers
include: Martin Swinger, Michael Todd & Midnite
Circus, Freddy Freeman, Ernie Lijoi, Woof. Hosted
by Mamma Bear and gender warrior Yolanda!
FMI:Freddy Freeman at 201 770 1953 or
Acousticub@mediateck.net

WINOOSKI - American Cancer Society - Look Good ... Feel Better Program 5:30-6:30PM A community based, free service, provides group cosmetology consults with make-up and skin care tips for cancer patients at Appearances in Winooski. Second Monday of each month. Please register in advance by calling 802 655-2000

### Wednesday 13

BURLINGTON - Outright Vermont - Drop-In Center 6-8:30PM Open for evening activities - movie nights, discussion groups, sex proud workshops, etc. Location: 187 St. Paul Street (between King and Maple) in Burlington. Info: 1-800-GLB-CHAT, www.outrightvt.org

BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - American Tribal Belly Dancing Workshop 7:30PM At R.U.1.2? Headquarters, 1 Steele Street, Burlington. Imagine a time when the bounce and sway of a woman's hips was so beautiful they set it to music and made a dance. American Tribal Style Bellydance is a fusion of dance influences from India, the Middle East, North Africa and Spain, stylized and adapted for American audiences. Let dancer Christine Demarais share some of the history, culture and dance techniques. Men are welcome as well.

### Thursday 14

BURLINGTON - R.U.12 ? - Questioning and Coming Out Support Group 6:30-8PM Group for lesbian, gay, bi, trans, and questioning adults 23 and up. 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month, at R.U.1.2? Headquarters at 1 Steele St., Suite 113 on Burlington's Waterfront bikepath. The group is open, ongoing, free-of-charge and co-facilitated by supportive health professionals and peers. FMI:(802) 860-RU12 or email thecenter@ru12.org.

ST JOHNSBURY - Public Access TV - Noel & Yves Show Charter Cable Channel 7 in St. Johnsbury: Thursdays at 12:30pm and 9pm.

### Friday 15

BURLINGTON - Outright Vermont - Peer Social/Support Meeting Friday Night Group 7-8:30PM. See Friday 01 listing for more information.

BURLINGTON - Outright Vermont - Youth Activist Committee 5:30-6:45PM. See Friday 01 listing for more information.

SOUTH BURLINGTON - Vermont Catholics for a Free Choice - Annual Meeting 5:30PM 13th Annual Meeting, featuring an address by VT Attorney General William Sorrell on the sexual abuse scandal in the Catholic Church. Registration (\$15/\$5 low income or student) and supper at 5:30pm; annual meeting at 6:30pm; keynote address by William Sorrell, followed by response panel and audience questions. Clarion Hotel (formerly the Ramada Inn), 1117 Williston Rd., South Burlington.

### Saturday 16

BENNINGTON - SW Vermont GLBTQ - Thankfulness Pot Luck Dinner 6-9 PM What are we thankful for in our Lives? (Hopefully an intact Civil Union law Post-Election). At the Second Congregational Church, Hillside Street. Please bring seasonal dishes, \$3 suggested donation per person at the dinner for paper goods, utensils, drinks and ice. FMI: 447-8398

#### Sunday 17

BURLINGTON - RU12 - Women's Social 4-7PM R.U.1.2? Community Center presents Women's Social at R.U.1.2? Headquarters. Singles, couples and friends all invited to come and relax, have fun, socialize. Please show up by 5PM as some events meet at R.U.1.2? Headquarters (Rm113, Wing Bldg. 1 Steele St., Burlington.) and leave for a cup 'o' coffee or a movie, etc. Call 860-RU12(7812) for directions or more information.

DUXBURY - Autumn Afternoon Tea - MPM Benefit 2-5PM You are cordially invited to An Autumn Afternoon Tea hosted by Moose Meadow Lodge (http://www.moosemeadowlodge.com) and featuring Vermont Liberty Tea Company teas, to benefit Mountain Pride Media:. The event will be held at Moose Meadow Lodge in Duxbury. Join us for great food & teas in a beautiful setting. A \$30 donation is suggested. Please RSVP for directions by November 8th to rsvp@moosemeadowlodge.com or 802-244-5378. FMI: Roland Palmer

rfpvt@together.net or 802-383-7679 (days)

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WHITE RIVER JCT - Ariel and The Barony of All Vermont - Drag Bingo 7PM Esquire Ariel (Mom) and The Barony of All Vermont invite you to join us for Drag Bingo at Cactus Jack's. Door admission is \$10. Proceeds to Benefit R.U.1.2? Doors open at 7pm. Show starts at 8pm. Please join us for an evening of fun! For more information contact: hmpbrdlmh@aol.com or

baronyofalivermont@yahoo.com. To play the game you pay \$1.00 per card or \$5.00 for SIX cards. The winner will receive half the take and choose the next performer in the show. Winners have the option of turning their half of the winnings back to the beneficiary.

### Monday 18

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SHELBURNE - Navigating Adolescence - David Frassier 7:30-9PM David Frassier, MD, a child psychiatrist, will conduct the discussion based on his book Help Me, I 'm Sad. He will explain with wisdom and empathy how parents can play a vital role in helping a child overcome, and even prevent, depression, as he did on the Oprah Winfrey show. Held at the Gailer School, Srielburne Rd. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 802-985-1276

# **Tuesday 19**

BURLINGTON - Eat Out Evening - MPM Benefit 5PM Why cook when you can Eat Out? Please join us from 5pm until close at The Waiting Room - 156 St. Paul Street for our Eat Out Evening (an equal opportunity event) to benefit Mountain Pride Media, publisher of Out In The Mountains. A percentage of all the evening's sales will be donated to MPM so join us for a drink or an entire meal. Reservations for dinner are highly recommended and can be made by calling The Waiting Room at 802-862-3455. We hope to see you there! FMI: Roland Palmer rfpvt@together.net or 802-383-7679 (days)

# Wednesday 20

BURLINGTON - American Cancer Society - Look Good ... Feel Better Program 1-2PM A community based, free service, provides group cosmetology consults with make-up and skin care tips for cancer patients at the University Health Center, Arnold 2, Burlington. Third Wednesday of each month. Please register in advance by calling 802 655-2000

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etc. Location: 187 St. Paul Street (between King and Maple) in Burlington. Info: 1-800-GLB-CHAT, www.outrightvt.org

BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - X-Treme Dance Workshop 7PM At the McClure Multigenerational Center. Don't be a wallflower anymore. Join R.U.1.2? and Straight Talk Vermont's dance troupe, X-Treme Dance, for an evening of music, dance and improvisation. Learn the latest moves to burn up the dance floor. All ages and abilities welcome.

### **Thursday 21**

BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - Womens' Coming Out Support Group 6:30-9PM For women 25 years and up. Co-facilitated by supportive health professionals and peers. Group is ongoing and free of charge. FMI: 802 860 RU12 or e-mail thecenter@ru12.org

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### Saturday 23

BURLINGTON - Peace and Justice Center - Linda Hollingdale book signing 1-3 PM Linda Hollingdale will sign copies of her photo/essay book, Creating Civil Union: Opening Hearts and Minds. Peace and Justice Center, 21 Church St. FMI: 802863-2345.

LOWELL, MA - Miracle Providers NorthEast - Annual Caberet 8PM The Miracle Provider 's NorthEast Inc. will be holding their Annual Cabaret Show Divas Lost Vegas to benefit local children and families of the Merrimac Valley and Southern NH area infected/affected by HIV/AIDS. Featuring Live Singers, Comedy numbers and Female Impersonators. All proceeds from the show goes directly to the purchase of NEW toys for the children during the Holiday Season. Location: Evos Arts, 98 Middle Street, Lowell, MA 01852. Tickets are \$10.00 dollars each FMI: www.mpsnortheast.com or call and speak with Marc or Brian at 978-458-9838

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LOWELL, MA - Miracle Providers NorthEast -Annual Caberet. 7PM. See Saturday 23 listing for more information.

# community compass

with a huge "We Came Out More" cake. Cake and ice cream helped to start the Friday Night Group meeting on the final day of events. The group has long been one of the most popular and well-attended events at Outright. Thanks to all the youth who came OUT to celebrate all week long!

Anyone interested in ongoing events at Outright, please call us 1-800-GLB-CHAT or check us out online: www.outrightvt.org. There are always things to do; people to hang out

with and we are completely confidential.

Outright Vermont is planning another month of fabulous events for November! The usual suspects are Womyn's Group on the first Monday of the month and Trans group on the last Monday of the month. Both these groups are confidential and start at 6:30pm on their respective days. Friday Night Group is keeping the tradition rockin' by meeting every Friday from 7pm-8:30pm at the Burlington offices – we are like

the mail, no matter sleet, hail or mean dogs we hold our group no matter what! (That means holidays too!) Wednesday Drop Ins this month will involve scalp treatment & massage, a trip to the Blue Plate Ceramic Tile folks, a movie & lots more! QYR, Queer Youth Radicals are active and makin' a difference. All youth who want to make something change in this world should come and check this group out. Meetings every Friday at 5:30pm! And hot off the press! Montpelier folk and

those around, mark your calendars for Nov. 15th. We are planning a wonderful event for you folks down there. Check the web for more information! Be sure to check our website: www.outrightvt.org for the latest and greatest information and impromptu events for weekends & more! 1-800-GLB-CHAT.

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Each month, Mountain Pride

Media (MPM) acknowledges the individuals who help get *Out In The Mountains* (*OITM*) out into the community by attending the monthly "stuffing." Thanks to Tania, Roland, Dan, Stephen, Euan, Pete, and Don. The November "Stuffing" (December Issue) will be on Friday, November 29th (yes, the day after Thanksgiving) starting at 12 NOON at our office, above The Daily Bread, in Richmond, Vermont. Please feel free to stop by, say hello and help out.