

**BURLINGTON - Outright VT - Friday Night Group.** Burlington Friday Night Group, Ages 22 and under. A little bit social, a little bit support. Free Pizza & barrier demos the first Friday of the month. 7-8:30pm 187 St. Paul St. Burlington, VT 800-GLB-CHAT or info@outrightvt.org or www.outrightvt.org.

**BURLINGTON - Vermont Gay Social Alternatives - Wine & Dine.** 7:00 PM. Join VGSA for this monthly first Friday event the Wine Works on St. Paul Street in downtown Burlington. After tasting several different wines, a nearby restaurant is selected for dining. Check out vgsa.com for more information

## Saturday 6

**BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2?/Outright - Winter Coffee House.** 7:00 PM. Come to the Rose Street Artists' co-op for holiday cheer and a night of open mic performance.

**BURLINGTON - Border's - APRIL CORNELL AT HOME.** 1 PM. We are honored to welcome artist, designer, and lifestyle entrepreneur, April Cornell to Borders! April will bring with her a variety of linens to mix and match to demonstrate her stunning approach to design and decorating. She will also give you some tips on designing a lovely setting for your holiday table. Ask April your questions on creating your own unique style of decorating.

**BURLINGTON - Barbershop Harmony Holiday Concert.** 3:00 PM. The Champlain Echoes, Harmony, Inc., of Burlington, the Green Mountain Chorus, SPEBSQSA, of Burlington and the Barre-Tones, Harmony Inc., of Barre will present two barbershop Holiday Concerts on Saturday, December 6. The first performance will be at 3pm at North Avenue Alliance Church, 901 North Avenue, in Burlington. The second performance will be at 7pm at Hunger Mountain Christian Assembly, Route 100, Waterbury Center. The combined chorus of seventy singers will present all-time favorite holiday music in barbershop harmony style. The Champlain Echoes are under the direction of Becky Senesac, the Green Mountain chorus is under the direction of Greg Morrill, and the Barre-Tones are under the direction of Carol Hollenbeck. Ticket prices are \$8.00 for adults, \$6.00 for seniors, and \$4.00 for students. For further information please call 879.3087, 860.6455 or 485.7712.

**WATERBURY CENTER - Barbershop Harmony Holiday Concert,** 7:00 PM. See above Burlington entry for detail.

## Sunday 7

**BURLINGTON - Christ Church Presbyterian - Sunday Service,** 9:30 AM. CCP is a "More Light"

church. We welcome all persons, regardless of sexual orientation, into full participation in the life, membership, and leadership of this church, and strive, as part of the Body of Christ, to reach out in ministry to lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgendered people both within and outside of our congregation. Christ Church Presbyterian (CCP) is located on UVM Redstone Campus between the water tower and the Catholic Center.

**BURLINGTON - RU12 - Womynnetplay,** 2:00 PM. Womynnetplay seeks to build a community of queer womyn by connecting womyn with each other, to Vermont resources and the RU12? Community Center. We invite womyn to attend our events, bring their thoughts and ideas to planning Womynnetplay activities and enjoy the Vermont queer community. We meet every other Sunday during the womyn's social group at RU12? to plan upcoming events, hang out and socialize.

**BURLINGTON - VGSA - Volleyball,** 6:00-8:00 PM. VGSA Volleyball. Christ the King Church, Burlington, donation. Info at vgsa.com.

**BURLINGTON - Vermont Gay Social Alternatives - Steering Committee Meeting,** 7:00 PM. The VGSA provides opportunities for gay men and lesbian women to meet in comfortable, non-threatening social surroundings. It's steering committee holds meetings at the R.U.1.2? Center.

**SOUTH BURLINGTON - Samadhi Singers - Winter Concert,** The Samadhi Singers will perform their Winter Concert on Dec. 7 at 3:00 p.m. at Temple Beth Sinai, 500 Swift St., So. Burlington. Tickets are \$10. For information call 658-5313.

**VERMONT - Vermont Public TV - In the Life.** December's "In the Life" airs on Vermont Public Television Sunday, Dec. 7, at 11:30 p.m. The Fundamental Fight - Hosted by Tony winner Cherry Jones and Tony nominee David Marshall Grant, in the Life's "The Fundamental Fight" delves into the religious right's crusade against lesbians and gays as it plays out on our televisions and ballots, inside our classrooms and libraries, and within our houses of worship.

## Monday 8

**ARLINGTON - Alcoholics Anonymous - Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Meeting,** 7 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? - Center Book Club,** 5:30 pm

**MONTPELIER - Survivors of Incest Anonymous,** 6:00 PM. For more information see Monday 1st.

**WINOOSKI - American Cancer Society - Look**

Good ... Feel Better Program, 2:30 PM. At Appearances in Winooski. Sponsored by the American Cancer Society, Cosmetic, Toiletry and Fragrance Association, and National Cosmetology Association. Second Monday of each month. Please register by calling (802) 655-2000.

## Tuesday 9

**BENNINGTON - The Turning Point Club - Overeaters Anonymous,** 6:30-7:30 PM See Tuesday 2nd for more information.

**BRATTLEBORO - AIDS Project of Southern Vermont - Syringe Exchange** 6-9 PM. At the Brattleboro Drop-In Center, 60 South Main St. Anonymous. For more info call 802-254-8263

**BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - Proud and Sober GLBTAA,** 7 PM. For more info see Monday 2nd.

## Wednesday 10

**BURLINGTON - Border's - Meet Valerie Hurley,** 7:00 PM. AUTHOR OF ST. URSULA'S GIRLS AGAINST THE ATOMIC BOMB Please join us to meet this Vermont author and hear her read from and talk about this insightful, sincere, thoughtful, and funny book.

**ST JOHNSBURY - Vermont CARES - Oral HIV Testing,** 3 - 6 PM, See Wednesday 3rd FMI

**ST JOHNSBURY - Vermont CARES - Needle Exchange,** 3-6 PM. See Wednesday 3rd FMI

## Friday 12

**Brattleboro - AIDS Project Southern Vermont, T.H.E. Men's Program - Potluck Dinner** 7:00 PM. For directions and other information, call Glenn Johnson at AIDS Project Southern Vermont's T.H.E. Men's Program 802-254-8263 Extension 107. (Please bring a dish to share)

**BURLINGTON - Outright VT - Friday Night Group,** 7:00-8:30 PM. See Friday 5th for more info

**BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - Trans Partners Social and Support Group,** 6:00 PM. Are you dating, in a civil union, married to, or attracted to a person who is transgendered? Looking for others like you to meet and talk to in a safe, casual atmosphere? We have the peer support and socializing opportunity you've been looking for! The R.U.1.2? Trans Partners and their Allies group meets on a monthly basis at the R.U.1.2? Community Center. Please bring stories, glittering personalities and creative energies to share with the community.

## Saturday 13

**BURLINGTON - House of LeMay - "Yet ANOTH-**

ER Beaver Pond Christmas", 8:00 PM. The House of LeMay presents, "Yet ANOTHER Beaver Pond Christmas", where the girls from the Hot Damn Trailer Park show what's hiding in their stockings. Doors open at 8pm, show at 9pm, \$10, St. John's Club, Burlington. Contact houseoflemay@hotmail.com for info.

## Sunday 14

**BURLINGTON - Christ Church Presbyterian - Sunday Service,** 9:30 AM. See Sunday 7th for more information.

**BURLINGTON - Interweave - Potluck,** 12:30 PM. Interweave (the UU group for GLBTQIA people, our friends and families) monthly potluck downstairs in the Social Room at the Unitarian Universalist Meeting House at 152 Pearl Street in Burlington. Interweave is a fun, social group which is open to all. There is a potluck the second Sunday of each month (September to June). Everyone is welcome. Bring a dish to share and join us!

**BURLINGTON - Metropolitan Community Church - Sunday Service,** 2:00 PM. MCC is a denomination with a special ministry with the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender community where everyone is welcome. Services at RU12?

**BURLINGTON - House of LeMay - "Yet ANOTHER Beaver Pond Christmas",** 5 PM. The House of LeMay presents, "Yet ANOTHER Beaver Pond Christmas", see Saturday 13th for description. Doors open at 5pm, buffet dinner at 6pm, show at 7pm, \$20, St. John's Club, Burlington. Contact houseoflemay@hotmail.com for info.

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**WHITE RIVER JUNCTION - Poetry Night** at the Tip Top will continue!... time is moved up to 7 PM, as it gets dark so early now. And, good news, Matte and Michael of the Cooler Gallery are proving again how cool they are by inviting Cat and her band of rhyming rovers to hold "Poetry Night at the Tip Top" up there! Third Monday of each month! Read new or old work, or the work of a favorite poet, or... whatever! Rants about the current administration particularly welcome! In December, find the Cooler Gallery on the second floor of the Tip Top Building. It's a great space!

and for now we just need help in our Burlington location. So if you frequent the Queen city or live near it, we want you! Details on the variety of roles can be found at our website: www.outrightvt.org If you are interested please email the staff at info@outrightvt.org or call us at (802) 865-9677.

### Holiday Coffeehouse

R.U.1.2? and the Rose Street Gallery are joining together to present a holiday coffee house on December 6th from 7:00 - 10:00pm. There will be performances by

Danielle Hallisey, Sandy Stones, Harold and the Stompers, Color Complex, Matt Borden, Mary Fifield, Nato, Jason P. Lorber and the Steph Pappas Experience. In addition the Green Mountain Growlers will be showcasing some fine art pieces, which may be presented as part of an entire show in early 2004. Admission is free but donations are always welcome.

The Rose Street Gallery is located at 78 Rose Street in the old north end of Burlington. For more info, contact Ted Looby at 860.2429 or rosestreetgallery@hotmail.com.

### Queer Family Friendly

We like to say that R.U.1.2? is your community center, and we at R.U.1.2? are committed to making your community center a multi-generational space welcoming to queer people of all ages. During the community focus groups conducted this summer, we identified the need for more programming for LGBT families and their children. We'd like to let you know about what we already have planned and also ask you for your input for future programming.

Starting in December, two new groups designed to offer sup-

port and fellowship to parents and families will be meeting at the center:

Starting December 4, there will be a support group meeting on the first Thursday of every month from 6:30 to 8:00 pm open to all parents and families. This group will be co-sponsored and co-facilitated by Vermont Federation of Families, an organization that offers support to families and parents of children with emotional challenges and mental illnesses.

Starting December 18, there will be a support group meet-

ing on the third Thursday of every month from 6:30 to 8:00 pm that will be specifically focused on LGBT parents and families and the issues and challenges they face. We are interested in involving an LGBT parent or family caregiver to co-facilitate this group. If you would like to take on a facilitative role, please contact the center (802.860.7812 or thecenter@ru12.org) for more details.