

calendar: july 2005

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www.mountainpridemedi.org/calendar_index.htm

Friday 1

BURLINGTON - VGSA - Wine & Dine: Meet at Wine Works on upper St. Paul St. in Burlington @7pm. Enjoy a glass or two of wine before heading out to a local restaurant for dinner. FMI contact Randy at 863-3669.

BURLINGTON - Outright Vermont - Peer Social & Support Friday Night Group. EVERY Friday in July 7-8:30pm at 187 St. Paul St. in Burlington. Ages 22 and under. All sexual orientations & gender identities welcome! Contact 802-865-9677 or visit www.outrightvt.org for more info.

DORSET - Dorset Theatre Festival - The Woman in Black. Playing from July 1 - July 6 & July 14 - 17. This English thriller centers around an actor and a lawyer who recreate the events of a "dark and stormy night." Sponsored by Dorset Village Properties. For ticket information, call 802-867-5777, or online at www.dorsettheatrefestival.org.

STOWE - Stowe Theatre Guild- Nunsense! Wednesdays - Saturdays, through July 9. All shows at 8 pm at the Town Hall Theatre, Stowe. Reservations at 253-3961 or tickets@stowetheatre.com Adults - \$17, children \$10.

WAITSFIELD - Valley Players - The Mystery of Edwin Drood. July 1-3, and July 8 & 9 at 8 pm, and July 10 at 2 pm. Valley Players Theater on Rt. 100 in Waitsfield. A bawdy Victorian musical mystery that allows the audience to vote on the ending of the play. Rated "PG-13". www.valleyplayers.com or call Ruth Ann Pattee, 496-6318.

Saturday 2

BURLINGTON - The Firehouse Center for the Visual Arts - Open Studio. Clark Russell is Burlington City Arts fourth Artist-in-Residence. 135 Church Street, Burlington, VT 05401. 865-7165 or visit www.BurlingtonCityArts.com.

BURLINGTON - Outright Vermont - Saturday Night Socials. EVERY Saturday in July 7-8:30pm at 187 St. Paul St. in Burlington. Ages 22 and under. All sexual orientations & gender identities welcome! Featuring movies, games & even swim-

ming! 865-9677 or www.outrightvt.org.

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MIDDLEBURY - Middlebury College - Foreign Film Festival, 7 and 9:30 p.m. "Look at Me" (Comme une image). France/Italy, 2004. Directed by Agnès Jaoui, French with English subtitles. 110 min. Color. The story of Lolita Cassard, a 20-year-old girl who is angry at the whole world because she does not look like the girls in magazines. Dana Auditorium in the Sunderland Language Center on College Street (Route 125). Free and open to the public. <http://www.middlebury.edu/academics/sl/resources/film/>.

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Sunday 3

BURLINGTON - Christ Church Presbyterian - Sunday Service, 9:30AM. CCP is a "More Light" church. We welcome all persons, regardless of sexual orientation. Christ Church Presbyterian (CCP) is located on UVM Redstone Campus between the water tower and the Catholic Center.

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VERMONT - VPT - In The Life. 11:00 PM. Emmy® and Tony® award-winning actress Laura Linney (Kinsey, P.S.) hosts In the Life. www.itl.tv.

Monday 4

BENNINGTON - Alcoholics Anonymous - GLBT Meeting. Every Monday from 7-8 PM. At the Turning Point Club, 465 Main St., Bennington. FMI 802-442-9700. Open meeting of AA.

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MONTPELIER - Survivors of Incest Anonymous - Meeting. 6 PM At the UCC Bethany Church on Main Street (on the right, just past Ben & Jerry's if you are coming from the interstate). Every Monday in the Blue Door Room, come in front door go to the Basement, stairs on left, then to the end of the hall to the room with the blue door. FMI: 229-2153 or 454-7822.

Tuesday 5

BRATTLEBORO - AIDS Project of Southern Vermont - Syringe Exchange 6:00-9:00 PM. At the Brattleboro Drop-In Center, 60 South Main Street. Anonymous. For more information call 802-254-8263.

BURLINGTON - Proud and Sober Alcoholics Anonymous at Christ Church Presbyterian, UVM Redstone campus, GLBT-friendly and affirming Alcoholics Anonymous group meeting at Christ Church Presbyterian at Redstone Campus, UVM. 7pm.

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Wednesday 6

BARRE - Barre Partnership's free Performances in the Park 7 p.m. City Hall Park. Robert Resnick and Marty Morrissey. Historic songs from the North Country, Celtic, and Franco-American tunes. Call 476-4605.

BURLINGTON - R.U.1.2? - Trans Social and Support Group 6:30 PM - Looking for peer support among other transgendered folks? Need a safe space to relax and be yourself? 34 Elmwood Avenue. 860-7812 or thecenter@ru12.org.

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HANOVER, NH - UV Rays Soccer. The Upper Valley's GLBT soccer team plays every Wed.

Open to all levels - novices to advanced. Noncompetitive fun and exercise. Email us at UVRaysSoccerTeam@yahoo.com for directions.

ST JOHNSBURY - Vermont C.A.R.E.S - Oral HIV Testing and needle exchange Free every Wednesday 3-6pm. at Vermont CARES 1235 Hospital Drive Suite two. Other testing times are available by appointment. For more info call Penni at 802-748-9061.

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Thursday 7

BURLINGTON - Waterfront Theatre - Death of a Salesman. Opening production at Burlington's new Waterfront Theatre. SALESMAN is being presented in rotation with TYING UP SANDIMA, a new play by local playwright Maura Campbell, and FOOLS by Neil Simon. TIX: \$16, 862-7469 (862-SHOW) INFO: www.WaynesWorldStage.Com.

DORSET - Dorset Theatre Festival - The Importance of Being Earnest. Sponsored by Simple Coffeeworks. 802-867-5777 or www.dorsettheatrefestival.org.

RUTLAND - VTCARES - Oral HIV Testing, FREE & ANONYMOUS. First Thursday of Every Month from 12 noon to 4pm At Asa Bloomer State Office Building (On Merchants Row, Rutland) 1st Floor Clinic provided by VTCARES. 775-5884.

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Friday 8

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BURLINGTON - VGSA - Lake Champlain Sunset Cruise. Cruise around beautiful Lake Champlain

community compass

26 SafeSpace Volunteers Needed

We need 26 volunteers for a day! Save the date: July 16 from 10:00-5:00pm! Help SafeSpace raise some easy money! Join SafeSpace volunteers & staff at a company picnic for Lane Press at Oakledge Park, managed by TrueNorth Events. You will help SafeSpace raise over \$1,000 for your help and in return you will receive a free t-shirt and lunch! Volunteers will help set-up, clean-up, and serve food outside. All are welcome (volunteers must be over 15 years old). Contact connie@safespacevt.org or 802-863-0003.

Pride: Show Your Colors!

The 2005 P.R.I.D.E. in Vermont Festivities are about to begin with barbecues, sunset cruises, drag performances and more, with all events

leading off with the annual parade and Speakout! Parade formation begins at 10am at Edmunds Elementary and kicks off at 11:45. The Speakout will follow at City Hall, where vendors and community organizations will be available to peruse. A full list of events, times and forms is available on the website, www.pridevermont.org, or please call 863-0003 for more information. Come all, show your colors!

March For Freedom to Marry

The Vermont Freedom to Marry Task Force would love to have any interested volunteers marching with us in the PRIDE parade on July 9. Our biggest contribution to PRIDE will be our presence, so please come to show your support and bring your friends! We will meet in the City Market parking lot in downtown

Burlington at 10:30 am on Saturday, July 9. We've ordered new t-shirts for the event, so please bring \$15 to purchase a shirt if possible.

Outright Needs Grownups

Outright VT once again needs YOU! (whoo hoo!) We are currently recruiting adult volunteers for our facilitator and drop-in training coming up later this summer & for our Board of Directors. For volunteering with us, you need to be queer identified (LGBTIQQ) and over the age of 23. (We especially need male identified folks and people of color.) Requirements range from 4-10 hours monthly (mainly weekend evenings.)

For Board Membership, please send a letter of intent & resume to info@outrightvt.org We need folks who are not afraid to fundraise and to be a visible and outspoken advocate

for queer youth in Vermont. (No age requirements - youth wanted!) Make a difference in the life of a queer youth today! Visit our website today to find out more about Outright www.outrightvt.org

Also be sure to check out our annual Pride night event, Sat. July 9th, the 2nd annual Vermont Drag Idol from 7-9pm at Burlington City Hall. Featuring all ages, local drag talent from around Vermont. This American Idol spoof event will produce Vermont's 2nd Drag Idol in as many years.

This year contestants compete for a cash prize & local fame/performance opportunities. To compete or for more information please visit: www.outrightvt.org or call 802-865-9677. This event was hugely popular last year, so get there early! Doors open at 6:30pm and tickets are only \$5. Come to Pride's ONLY substance

free and all ages evening event! This event is hosted by and supports Outright Vermont.

R.U.1.2? Barbeque

Bob Wolff will host a Summer Indoor/Outdoor Fundraising Event to benefit R.U.1.2? Queer Community Center on Sunday, 7 August 2005, 3 pm until dark. Join friends and family, and meet new friends on Fish Hill, overlooking Braintree Mountain and the beautiful valley that embraces Randolph, at the geographic center of Vermont.

Bob will serve filet of beef, summer green salad (an entire meal for those not eating meat), potato salads, Vermont cheese, fresh baked bread, desserts galore, beer, wine, soft drinks & iced herbal tea.

Suggested donation to R.U.1.2? Queer Community Center: \$25 - \$50 for adults; >>>