

CALENDAR

Hip Hoppin' HAPPY Be Boppin' NEW YEAR

Join VGSA for New Year's Eve-nt IV
at the lovely Inn at Essex
7:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 31, 1996
through
2:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 1, 1997

Hors d'oeuvres
Traditional Vermont Holiday Buffet
(food prepared by the New England Culinary Institute)
Dancing, Dancing, Dancing
Midnight toast to 1997
Dancing, Dancing, Dancing

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VGSA Members - \$37.00 (until December 1)
Non-Members - \$47.00

Member tickets (please list all members' names)
_____ @ \$37.00

Non-member tickets _____ @ \$47.00

Total enclosed \$ _____

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Make checks payable to VGSA, include a self-addressed-stamped-envelope and mail to: VGSA, PO Box 237, Burlington, VT 05402-0237. Non-member priced tickets are available at Peace & Justice Store, Burlington. For more information call Mike Hayes (802-860-7129) or Cliff Dow (802-985-4937).

Want to spend the night? Call the Inn at Essex (878-1100) and ask for the VGSA special rate.

November

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BI DISCUSSION GROUP — The first in a monthly series. This month: "Coming Out as a Bisexual." 4:00 p.m. at the Outright Vermont office, Burlington. For more info, call 849-6638.

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TEA DANCE AT CLUB RIO — Rutland's first (and probably not last) Provincetown-style tea dance, sponsored by Men's Health Project and Proud in Rutland County (PIRCy). \$3 cover. For details and more info, call MHP at 800-649-2437.

5 ELECTION DAY

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CENTRAL VERMONT NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN (NOW) — Join us for a free workshop on finances for women with Evelyn Eastman of Prudential Financial Services. City Hall Memorial Room, Montpelier, 7 p.m. For info, call Mary Ellen at 223-4839.

GAY MEN DINE OUT — Men's dinner at the Main Street Bar and Grill in Montpelier. \$15 prix fixe. 6:30 p.m. For reservations, call MHP at 800-649-2437.

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"CARRINGTON" — Film sponsored by the College Street Film/Video Series of Middlebury College. Free; 4:00 and 7:30 p.m. at Dana Auditorium, Middlebury.

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RAINBOW BUSINESS ASSOCIATION — Monthly meeting. \$15 includes extensive buffet. Noon, Yellow Dog Cafe, Winooski. For more info, call Bill at 862-1570 or Sheila at 865-0469.

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"ABSOLUTELY FABULOUS NOVEMBER BASH" — A DJ dance party in Billings Lounge at the University of Vermont, 10 p.m. Sponsored by the UVM GLBA. Admission \$3 (as in "queer as a three dollar bill").

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(sic) PERFORMANCE — Cherie Tartt hostesses a benefit performance by the band (sic) for Vermont CARES. At the Raddison Hotel, Burlington. For more info, call (800) 649-2437.

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WOMEN'S ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR — Benefit for the Women's Crisis Center in Brattleboro. Fifty Women artisans will exhibit their work for sale. 10-4, Brattleboro Union High School/Middle School. For more info, call Michael Howland at 258-5185.

THE FLIRTATIONS — A benefit concert for Vermont CARES, Outright Vermont, and GLBT Pride '97. Sliding scale donation: \$10-\$20. 8 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church, Burlington. For tickets or more info, call 800-649-2437.

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P-FLAG OF CENTRAL VERMONT — Sharing and support group meeting. 1p.m., 2nd floor chapel of the Unitarian Church, Montpelier (use School Street entrance). For more info, call Jan at 479-9246.

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HIV/AIDS UPDATE — "What You Need to Know," a program sponsored by the Men's Health Project with VT Dept. of Health AIDS Program Chief Terje Anderson. 7 p.m. at Cafe NoNo in Burlington. For more info, call 800-649-2437.

21-23
"LOVE LETTERS" — Performed by Big City Players, Inc. featuring Cherie Tartt and Robert Toms. At Shoebox Theatre, 135 Pearl St, Burlington. 8 p.m. For tickets, call 863-5884 or (888) 212-5884.

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"OUR TOWN MEETING" — 4th Annual "Town Meeting" sponsored by the Vermont Coalition for Lesbian and Gay Rights (VCLGR). Brattleboro. For more info, call Carey at 258-2826 or Gabriel Q at 257-4871.

"SONS AND LOVERS" — Presented by CabarAIDS, a gay men's a capella singing group. Dance party following Tickets \$15 to benefit Brattleboro AIDS Project. 8 p.m., Brattleboro Inn and Conference Center. For more info, call 254-8263.

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DEADLINE FOR NEXT OITM — Deadline for materials to appear in our combined December/January issue. For more info, call Hugh at 388-6503 or e-mail the paper at oitm@aol.com.

December

1 WORLD AIDS DAY

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BILLY DARE AND THE PUMPS — A XXX-Extravaganza show with a "pumped up and camped out Christmas Tune sing-a-long." At 135 Pearl in Burlington. For more info, call 863-2343.

HOLIDAY PARTY — Gay, lesbian, bisexuals, and friends are invited to a holiday party at Jeff's Maine Seafood in St. Albans. \$7.50, cash bar. 6-9 p.m. For more info call MHP at (800) 649-2437.

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OUT IN THE MOUNTAINS — Come help us stuff the December/January issue. 10 a.m., 109 S. Winooski Ave. (2nd floor). For more info, call Hugh at 388-6503.

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LOVER, PARTNER, HUSBAND, WIFE: A forum and discussion on marriage and relationships for gay men and lesbians. 6:30 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Church, Burlington. For more info, call MHP at 800-649-2437, Outright Vermont at 800-GLB-CHAT, or Jean Szilva of the Freedom to Marry Task Force at 655-5312.

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DICKEN'S "A CHRISTMAS CAROL" — A one-man comic version of the classic tale starring Adam Reese. Benefit for Vermont CARES; suggested donation of \$10. 8 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Society, Burlington. For more info, call 800-649-2437.

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CHRISTMAS TREE WEEKEND — Party, sleigh rides, and tree-cutting at Parker's Motel, Lincoln NH. Benefits NH AIDS Foundation. For more info and reservations, call 800-766-6835.