

CALENDAR

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To announce your event for *OITM's* monthly calendar call [802/434.OITM], email [calendar@vtpride.org], or write [PO Box 1078, Richmond, VT 05477] by the 20th of the previous month.

APRIL

1 ▼ Thursday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Roman Graff lecture: "The Bridge Between the Homosexual and the Heterosexual: a Discourse on Bisexuality and Identity," 4:30-5:30 pm. Chellis House, Middlebury College. Refreshments. FMI: Zach Wyman, (802) 443-4745 or zwyman@middlebury.edu.

2-4 ▼ Friday-Sunday

SOUTHERN VERMONT - Faerie Camp Destiny: Annual meeting. A non-hierarchical, nature-based organization of men who love men, recently established a Radical Faeries sanctuary in southern VT and will host its annual meeting. FMI: Moon, (802) 254-6276 or Faerie Camp Destiny, PO Box 1492, Brattleboro, VT 05302.

2 ▼ Friday

BRATTLEBORO - Faerie Camp Destiny presents Yolanda and the Plastic Family, 10 pm. A benefit at the Common Ground restaurant, 25 Elliot St. \$5-7 admission. FMI: Call Chris, (802) 254-9913.

3 ▼ Saturday

ELMORE - Fried Green Tomatoes, 1 pm. Easter egg hunt and potluck early Easter dinner. FMI: (802) 888-5196.

KEENE, NH - Just Desserts V: The Quintessential Experience, 7 pm. Annual benefit for AIDS Services for the Monadnock Region. Good music, fun and poignancy. Keene State College, Mabel Brown Room. Tickets \$15 or table of 8 for \$100. Dessert buffet included. FMI: (800) 639-7903 or (603) 357-6855. Tickets also available at the ASMR Office, PO Box 1473, Keene, NH 03431; or Toadstool Book Store in the Colony Mill, Keene.

PUTNEY - Gender Role-Free Contra Dance, 8-11 pm. For gay men, lesbians, bisexuals and allies. Sliding-scale admission, \$5 - \$7. FMI or directions: Call Michael, (802) 257-8984 or Howie, (603) 256-6995.

4 ▼ Sunday

BURLINGTON - The Samadhi Singers, A Sacred Music Chorale for Friends & Members of the GLBT Community. Rehearsal, 6-8 pm; Christ Church Presbyterian, UVM Redstone Campus. Anyone who loves to sing sacred to spirited choral music is invited. FMI: Peter Frechette, 864-5327.

MONTPELIER - Vermont Gay Men's Chorus: Rehearsal 3-5 pm. UU church. FMI: 802-633-2389 or robnyves@together.net.

5 ▼ Monday

BRATTLEBORO - VT Freedom to Marry Task Force, 7 pm, Brattleboro Savings and Loan Community Room (221 Main St / enter through rear door). Discussion of recent developments with the anti-marriage bill in the legislature and planning for the 2nd annual bingo benefit (on May 29th. Mark your calendars for a great time!) FMI: www.vtfreetomarry.org.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: James Saslow lecture: "Michelangelo Then and Now: Poetry, Art, and Gay Studies." 4:15 Johnson 304, Middlebury College. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa

7 ▼ Wednesday

PITTSFIELD, MA - BSCC: Potluck Dinner 7pm. Open to the Gay & Lesbian Community and friends. Unitarian Church, 175 Wendell Ave. Call 413-243-8484 to indicate what you will bring.

RICHMOND - OITM: Staff and Writer's Meeting. 7:30 OITM Office above the Daily Bread. If you want to write or help out in anyway, please attend. We are planning several issues in advance and your input is needed. FMI: 802-434-6486 or oitm@together.net.

8 ▼ Thursday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Kevin Moss, Russian Dept., Lecture: "Who's Renting These Boys? Wiktor Grodecki's Czech Hustler Documentaries" 4:30 Sunderland 110, Middlebury College. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa.

PITTSFIELD MA - GLUB Club: Meeting 7pm. Youth only please. Unitarian Church, 175 Wendell Ave.

10 ▼ Saturday

BURLINGTON - The Burlington RU12? Community Center holds the first of a series of monthly gblt coffeehouses from 7:30-11 pm at the Penny Cluse restaurant. The event is substance-free with an open mike hosted by Yolanda of the Plastic Family. All ages welcome. Admission \$5 (more if you can, less if you can't). Includes hors d'oeuvres and beverages. Door Prizes! Fun! Fun! Fun!

PLATTSBURGH - Gala benefit premier to support people living with HIV and AIDS. Giltz Auditorium, Plattsburgh State University. Other events include: a production of *Chasing a Dream*, a SOAR (Soap Opera AIDS Response) event with an appearance by Tyler Christopher (Nikolas) of ABC's *General Hospital*. FMI and tickets: Jason Carbino, Plattsburgh AIDS Council (518) 566-8220.

11 ▼ Sunday

BURLINGTON - UVM Queer Visibility Week (April 11-17) presents Yolanda and the Plastic Family, 8 pm, Living/Learning fireplace lounge.

BURLINGTON - Crones. Vegetarian potluck, 1pm. Planning session at AI's. FMI: Call 863-4822.

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ST. JOHNSBURY - MHP: Potluck 5:30 pm. UU Church. FMI: (802) 633-2389 or robnyves@together.net.

WILLIAMSTOWN, MA - PFLAG: Meeting 2 pm. First Congregational Church, Main St. FMI: (413) 243-2382.

12 ▼ Monday

BURLINGTON - RU12? Community Center Monthly Potluck, 6-8pm, Rhombus Gallery (corner of Church and College above Initially Yours). Bring your ideas, energy, gift for gab and favorite culinary delights. Open to all. FMI 860-1044, ru12center@hotmail.com

BURLINGTON - UVM Queer Visibility Week (April 11-17): Chalking the campus. 6 am. Meet in front of Bailey-Howe Library.

BURLINGTON - UVM Queer Chicanismo. 12:30 pm in Dewey Lounge.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Letta Neely. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa

13 ▼ Tuesday

BURLINGTON - UVM Queer Visibility Week: Letta Neely speaks at 7 pm in the north lounge - Billings Student Center.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Roman Graf, German Dept. Lecture: "Sex and Power" 4:30 Starr Library Abernethy Room, Middlebury College. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa.

14 ▼ Wednesday

BURLINGTON - UVM Queer Visibility Week: Speakout. Noon-2 pm. Bailey Howe Library. Featured speaker is Letta Neely. Others include Chris Leslie, Outright Vermont, and Dew B Wild (with queer chants and drumming). Everyone is welcome to speak out. A kiss-in is planned to coincide with campus tours.

COLCHESTER - RBA (Rainbow Business Association) Mixer at the Lighthouse Restaurant (just off 89, Exit 16, Hampton Inn). 6:30-8:30 pm. Hors d'oeuvres, door prizes, raffle, discussion, cash bar, business connections! \$10/Members, \$12/Non-members.

15 ▼ Thursday

PITTSFIELD, MA - Deborah Lubar performs *Eve's Version*, a performance piece about Eve's time in the Garden of Eden with Adam and God. 12:15 pm. Koussevitsky Hall small auditorium (K111), Berkshire Community College, 1350 West St.

RICHMOND - OITM Deadline for Community Compass for the next issue of OITM. In 200 words or less, tell us what your organization is doing and planning for the current month. Email to oitm@together.net - Subject: Community Compass. Be sure to send calendar items to calendar@vtpride.org.

16 ▼ Friday

BURLINGTON - UVM: Freedom to Marry Forum. 7-9 pm. Ira Allen Chapel, UVM campus. Featured speaker: Susan Murray, attorney for the plaintiffs in Baker v. State of VT.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Crow Cohen: "Political Activism in the Realm of the Queer." 4:30-5 pm Gifford Annex Lounge. Discussion topics include: lesbian feminism, current activism, response of community to activism, prospects for future activism. FMI: Zach Wyman (802) 443-4745 or zwyman@middlebury.edu.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Barbecue 5-6 pm. Part of Middlebury GALA Alum weekend. Chellis House, Middlebury College. FMI: Zach Wyman (802) 443-4745 or zwyman@middlebury.edu.

16-18 ▼ Friday - Sunday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Larry Kramer's "Normal Heart." 8 pm. A student production at Hepburn Zoo Theater, Middlebury College. Tickets \$1 available through the box office at 443-MIDD (443-6433).

18 ▼ Sunday

BERLIN (near Riverton) - WOW Winter Road Walk 1pm. Arrive at Denise's and set out shortly thereafter for an easy walk. Length is variable and will be determined by the participants. Call 223-0174 for directions or more information.

BURLINGTON - UU Circle: Pagan Film Series and Potluck Fellowship. Join us for a feast and film. Potluck at 5:30 p.m., showing of the films *Black Dawn* and *Haitian Pilgrimage* at 7 pm. First UU Society of Burlington, 152 Pearl St. Donations. Info, 658-9689.

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MONTPELIER - Arthur Zorn: "Zorn by Scotch" 3-5 pm. Music in the Afternoon: A concert series at the Wood Art Gallery. Mr. Zorn musically interprets the painting of Barbara Scotch on the piano. The first in a series of exciting afternoon concerts at the Wood Art Gallery. Light refreshments. Suggested donation: \$5, non-member; \$3, members. FMI: (802) 828-8743.

19 ▼ Monday

LANCASTER, NH - North Country chapter of PFLAG NH meets 7-9 pm at the Congregational UCC Church, 142 Main St. (Meets every 3rd Monday.) FMI: 800-750-2524 (NH only) or 603-536-5522.

20 ▼ Tuesday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Kate Bornstein: Lecture and Discussion 7:30 pm. Author of *Gender Outlaw* and *My Gender Workbook*. Chateau Grand Salon, Middlebury College. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa.

22 ▼ Thursday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Ernest McLeod, reading from his fiction. 7:30 Starr Library Abernethy Room, Middlebury College. Ernest McLeod's short stories have appeared in *Men on Men*, *Bananafish*, and *The James White Review*. FMI: moqa@panther.middlebury.edu or www.middlebury.edu/~moqa.

PITTSFIELD, MA - GLUB Club: Meeting - 7 pm. Youth only please. Unitarian Church, 175 Wendell Ave.

23-24 ▼ Friday-Saturday

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: Vermont College GLBT Coalition Sleepover. Middlebury College. FMI: Stephanie, (802) 443-6717.

23-25 ▼ Friday-Sunday

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Lesbian Rights Summit, a national feminist strategy session for lesbians and allies. FMI/registration: www.now.org. or lesbian.rts@now.org, or call Cindy Jordan (202) 331-0066 x771.

24 ▼ Saturday

LENOX, MA - BSCC: Fourth Annual Gay & Lesbian Spring Festival, 1 pm-1 am. Featuring: After dinner speaker Rita Mae Brown, author of the classic *Ruby Fruit Jungle*; actress-writer Deborah Lubar performing *Eve's Version*; singer Gary Aldrich performing *Man 4 Man*; plus a silent auction, films and exhibits, including memorabilia of Berkshire lesbian and gay history. Daytime events are free. Dinner tickets \$20 to \$40. Dance \$6. Reservations by April 15. FMI: (413) 243-8484.

MIDDLEBURY - Gaypril Event: "Queer Life in Vermont," 1-2 pm. Discussion between Middlebury College students and residents of VT. Chellis House, Middlebury College. Topics include "most liberal state in the union," resources for queer community, creating and strengthening bonds between College community and VT residents, additional needs of VT community. FMI: Zach Wyman (802) 443-4745 or zwyman@middlebury.edu.

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WHITE RIVER JCT - A presentation and discussion led by Stan Baker, Peter Herrigan, and Beth Robinson, (plaintiffs and attorney in Baker v. State of Vermont) in Baker v. State of Vt. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 4-6 pm

27 ▼ Tuesday

Richmond - Daily Bread Bakery on Bridge Street. Stuffing and distribution for the May issue of Out in the Mountains. Starts at 4 ends when we're done. come when you can, leave when you have to. Refreshments provided. oitm@together.net or 434-6486

29 ▼ Thursday

BURLINGTON - 7pm, Unitarian Church, 152 Pearl St. The remarkable Deborah Lubar performs *Eve's Version*, a one-act play that is a fresh, dazzling look at Adam and Eve, the Snake and God, as an aging Eve recounts what really happened in Eden. Reception following performance. Benefit for Healing Legacies: Art and Writing by Women Who Have Faced Breast Cancer. Tickets \$10-15; available at the Peace & Justice Store. FMI: Rachel Lurie, (802) 453-5370 or rlurie@aol.com.

MONTPELIER - Charlotte Hastings: "Installation Art: Starting with the ABC's of It" 7:30 pm. A T. W. Wood Gallery and Arts Center lecture series. Ms. Hastings, an artist and educator, will offer a brief look at the genesis of installation art in America as well as analyze her own work. College Hall. Light refreshments will be served. Admission is free and open to the public. FMI: (802) 828-8743.