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WITH DJ STYLE

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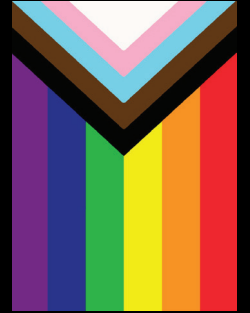
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In The News

LOCAL & NATIONAL LGBTQ+ NEWS



Bakery Cancels 'Drag Story Hour' Fundraiser Following 'Threatening' Messages, Calls To Boycott

The goal of the event was to raise money for Courage MKE, a local nonprofit that houses LGBTQ children and young adults.

By: Hannah Hilyard

The owners of Batter and Mac in Menomonee Falls have canceled a "Drag Story Hour" fundraiser after receiving messages they called "threatening in a violent nature."

Ahead of June's Pride Month, the sisters who own the village's downtown bakery were hoping to host several fundraisers for Courage MKE, a local nonprofit that assists and houses LGBTQ children and young adults.

"Our main goal is to be advocates for these kids," Courage MKE Executive Director Brad Schlaikowski said. "To teach our neighbors that we need to be helping our kids no matter who they are or who they love."

Among the fundraising events was a child-friendly story time with a Milwaukee-area drag queen.

"An age-appropriate book about acceptance and inclusivity would have been read, and then they were going to decorate cupcakes," Batter and Mac co-owner Brittany Wohlfeil said.

"It was almost immediately after we had first posted about our first drag event. I'd say within an hour, comments started happening," co-owner Kasey Gusho added. "There was a lot of supportive comments, but there were also comments that were very negative, calling to cancel the event, boycott, quite a bit of name-calling and insulting us."

Menomonee Falls Village Trustee Ann Lessila appeared to jump into the conversation on social media to encourage a boycott of the business commenting, "Spread the word" to someone who said



Batter & Mac is co-owned by Brittany Wohlfeil and Kasey Gusho.

they will no longer be supporting the bakery.

Local TV news station, WISN 12 News, attempted to reach Lessila Monday. She only responded via email, saying in part, "I believe the community deserves to know the details of the event."

When asked to respond to her specific calls for a boycott, she sent the same message.

The bakery owners said some of the negative comments and phone calls turned into threats, which forced them to cancel the story hour.

"We have a duty to the kids who would be coming, the performer, to our staff, to our neighboring businesses to keep everybody safe," Wohlfeil said. "It just got to a point where we felt like the safety had become a concern and that we

would need to cancel it for that reason."

Other Pride Month fundraisers remain on the schedule including an adults-only Drag Bingo Night. That is sold out, so they are looking to add a second night. The bakery will also sell pride-themed baked goods with proceeds going to Courage MKE, as well.

"Our whole thing is we want to be inclusive and inviting, and we want to put smiles on people's faces, and I don't think we're going to stop wanting to do that," Gusho said.

Source: <https://www.wisn.com/article/menomonee-falls-bakery-cancels-drag-story-hour-fundraiser-threatening-messages-calls-to-boycott/60780815>

Amid Legislative Battles, Evers Marks June As LGBTQ Pride Month

The Democratic governor has made raising a Pride flag above the Wisconsin State Capitol an annual tradition during his time in office

By Anya Van Wagtendonk

For the sixth year in a row, and amid increasing legislative battles over the rights of LGBTQ citizens in statehouses across the country, an LGBTQ flag will fly over the Wisconsin state Capitol in Madison for the month of June.

Gov. Tony Evers alluded to ongoing partisanship over issues like trans athletes and gender affirming healthcare in remarks outside the Capitol Friday.

“You’ve heard all the hateful rhetoric before from people in the Capitol ... and it does nothing, nothing but hurt our kids, emboldens hate and violence and threatens the safety, security and dignity of LGBTQ people,” he said. “Frankly, that is just B.S.”

The Democratic governor launched the annual practice of marking June as Pride Month in his first term in office. And while he has alluded to culture war politics in past remarks, he had particularly direct words for Republicans who control the state Legislature after this year’s legislative session.

“Raising the Pride flag also sends an important reminder to people who work in the other wings of this building that ... this is the people’s house,” Evers said. “These elected leaders serve at the pleasure of the people of the state. And yes, that means LGBTQ Wisconsinites too.”

Republicans passed bills that would have restricted transgender students’ participation in school sports and banned minors from receiving gender-affirming healthcare. They also passed a “Parents Bill of Rights” that



would have, among other things, allowed parents keep their kids out of lessons about “controversial” topics and decide the pronouns their kids use at school. Evers pledged in advance that those would be dead on arrival at his desk, and he later vetoed each of them.

Nationwide, Republicans and Democrats are similarly divided on issues of LGBTQ rights, with some 515 comparable or identical bills about healthcare, sports participation and school curricula, among other issues, introduced in 2023, according to the ACLU.

After Evers’ remarks Friday, workers raised a colorful “Pride Progress” flag, which will wave above the East Wing of the building for the rest of the month.

It “is a symbol of my resolve and my administration’s resolve to always stand

with LGBTQ Wisconsinites, including our trans and gender nonconforming kids and fight to protect them with every tool, and every power that we have. End of story,” Evers said.

Evers also formally proclaimed June as LGBTQ Pride Month in Wisconsin. In the proclamation, Evers wrote that “the state must commit to combatting hateful rhetoric and policies that target LGBTQ Wisconsinites — and LGBTQ kids, in particular.”

Many states mark June as LGBTQ+ Pride Month, an homage to the Stonewall Uprising, which took place in June 1969, and is credited with launching the modern LGBTQ+ rights movement.

Source: <https://www.wpr.org/news/evers-june-lgbtq-pride-wisconsin-capitol>

Pride Guide Special

SPOTLIGHTING ALL THE PRIDE EVENTS ALL MONTH LONG



Our Officially Unofficial Guide To PRIDE 2024!

By William Gooden

Pride is right around the corner and with it being the high of all homo-holidays, there are plenty of various activities planned. Here is a run down of what is happening and when.

Saturday, June 1st

Pride Market 2024

Hosted by: Beauty from the Root LLC

Address: Lincoln Warehouse
2018 S. 1st St.

Milwaukee, WI 53207

Time: 12:00 Noon - 4:00 P.M.

Sunday, June 2nd

Slayground: Colors of the Rainbow

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Monday, June 3rd

Drag Queen Karaoke:

Hosted by Lola Rome Brooklyn

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Tuesday, June 4th

Night of 1000 Trixies

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Wednesday, June 5th

Pride Shopping Day & Open House

Hosted by: Miss Ruby Bridal Boutique

Address: 313 N. Plankinton Ave. Suite



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Send in the Clowns:

Hosted by Jaclyn Jill

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Thursday, June 6th

Pridefest 2024 (Day 1)

Hosted by: Milwaukee Pride, Inc

Address: Henry Maier Festival Park by

Milwaukee World Festival, Inc.

200 N. Harbor Dr.

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 4:00 p.m.- 12:00 Midnight

Notes: See full stage line-up on pg. 6

Meet and Greet with Amanda Lepore

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Queer Icon Night!:

Special Guest Amanda Lepore

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Friday, June 7th

Pridefest 2024 (Day 2)

Hosted by: Milwaukee Pride, Inc

Address: Henry Maier Festival Park by

Milwaukee World Festival, Inc.

200 N. Harbor Dr.

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 3:00 p.m. - 12:00 Midnight

Notes: See full stage line-up on pg. 6

TITS Pridepolooza!:

with DJ Style

Hosted by: This Is It Bar

Address: 418 E Wells Street

Milwaukee, WI 53202

Time: 10:00 P.M.

Saturday, June 8th

Ride With Pride 2024

Hosted by: Ride With Pride MKE

& Pride Rides Wisconsin

Address: Harley-Davidson Museum

400 W. Canal St.

Milwaukee, WI 53201

Time: 10:30 a.m.- Registration

12:00 Noon - Kickstands up

Pridefest 2024 (Day 3)

Hosted by: Milwaukee Pride, Inc

Address: Henry Maier Festival Park by

Milwaukee World Festival, Inc.

200 N. Harbor Dr.
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Time: 12 Noon - 12:00 Midnight
Notes: See full stage line-up on pg. 13

What's The T With Gina D?:

Hosted by Gina D'Lious

Hosted by: This Is It Bar
Address: 418 E Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Time: 10:00 P.M.

Sunday, June 9th

Milwaukee Pride Ride

Hosted by: Company Brewing
Address: 735 E. Center St.
Milwaukee, WI 53212
Time: 11:00 a.m.

Milwaukee Pride Parade

Hosted by: Milwaukee Pride Parade, Inc.
Address: 2nd St. in Walker's Point
between Greenfield Ave. & Seeboth St.
Time: 2:00 p.m. - Step Off Time

Pride On Second Street

Hosted by: La Cage Nightclub, Walker's
Pint, Fluid and Revival
Address: 801 S. 2nd St.
Milwaukee, WI 53204
Time: 12:00 noon to 10:00 p.m.

The 2024 FAT DIX Pride Block Party

Hosted by: D.I.X. Milwaukee
Address: 739 S. 1st St
Milwaukee, WI 53204



Time: 12:00 noon to 10:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 11th

Milwaukee Brewers Pride Night

Hosted by: The Milwaukee Brewers
Address: American Family Field
Time: 7:10 p.m.

Saturday, June 22

7th Annual Pride Bar Crawl

Hosted by: Crawl With Us, Mojo MKE
and Drink Wisconsin Pub
Address: This Is It (Starting Bar)
418 E Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Time: 4:00 P.M.

Chicago Pride Fest (Day 1)

Hosted by: Northalsted Business
Alliance
Address: Northalsted on Halsted Street
from Addison to Grace St., in
Chicago, IL
Time: 11 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Sunday, June 23rd

Meet and Greet with Sapphira Cristal

Hosted by: This Is It Bar
Address: 418 E Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Time: 10:00 P.M.

Chicago Pride Fest (Day 2)

Hosted by: Northalsted Business
Alliance
Address: Northalsted on Halsted Street
from Addison to Grace St., in
Chicago, IL
Time: 11 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Friday, July 7th

Out in the Kitchen
Hosted By: Wisconsin LGBT Chamber
Address: Discovery World
500 N. Harbor Dr.
Milwaukee, WI 53202
Time: 6-8 P.M.



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2024 Milwaukee Pridefest Stage Line-up

Skyline (Main Stage)

Thursday, June 6th

Totally Neon

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Bell Bastion

7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

MkX

8:15 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Drag Show: featuring Alaska

Thunderfuck, Ada Vox, Envy Peru and Violet Chachki

9:15 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

Friday, June 7th

MKE Royals

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Funk Summit Brass Team

4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

Jerry Grillo

6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Legends of Drag Show: Featuring BJ Daniles, Duwanna Moore, Karen Valentine, Maya Douglas, Christina Chase, DitaVon, and Shannon DuPree

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Dixon Dallas

9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

David Archuleta

10:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 8th

Reyna

12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Our Voice Milwaukee

1:20 p.m. - 2:05 p.m.



Alaska Thunderfuck - Thurs. Headliner

Homme Fatale

2:25 p.m. - 3:25 p.m.

Benjamin Koll

3:40 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Tina Turner Tribute with Debby Holiday

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Cupcake

8:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

Icona Pop

9:15 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

Maya

10:45 p.m. - 11:45 p.m.

Dance Pavilion

Thursday, June 6th

DJ Zae

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Michael Fisher

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Versus - A Dance Battle Drag Show

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Cyrus Chrome

6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride:

Miss PrideFest Janice Colby



Violet Chachki - Thursday Headliner

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride: Syd Deucer

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride: Roxie Beane

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride: Big Mike

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride: Tee Tee Mizrahi

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Black Legends of Pride: Breanna Buchanan

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

DJ Sammy T

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Gego Y Nony

9:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Spotlight Host Show - Melee, Malayla, Marvel & Gluttony Sin

9:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Kenny Perez

10:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

DJ Lady D

11:00 p.m. - 11:59 p.m.

Friday, June 7th

Maceo

5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sushi Lor

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Haunt3d Hous3

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Bottoms Up Aerial Burlesque Show

7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Kia Rap Princess

8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.



Dixon Dallas - Friday Headliner



David Archuleta - Friday Headliner

Lady Gia's Trans& Queens Review

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

PHOX

9:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

Mz Worthy

10:30 p.m. - 11:59 p.m.

Saturday, June 8th

World Dance Revue

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Skrat & FXY

3:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Bottoms Up Aerial Burlesque Show

3:00 p.m. - 4:5:30 p.m.

Shie Berry

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sabor Latino

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Travvy Trav

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Montell's Melanin Extravaganza

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

DJ Shawna

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Spotlight Host Show - Melee, Jaclyn

Jill, LoLa Ri

9:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Doggpound

9:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

DJ MINX

10:30 p.m. - 11:50 p.m.

The Intersection

Thursday, June 6th

Open Games

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Emerging Artists Showcase: MMB



Icona Pop - Saturday Headliner

5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

The ASL Scene: Deaf Trivia

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Trans/Enby Excellence Extravaganza!

7:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Lauryl Salfute + Her Ladies of Leisure

8:30 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

Circlesque

9:30 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

Rat Bath

10:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Friday, June 7th

Open Games

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The Locals

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Madame Reaper &

The Gentleman's Club

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

Sensual Movement with Yaya

6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Bev Rage and the Drinks

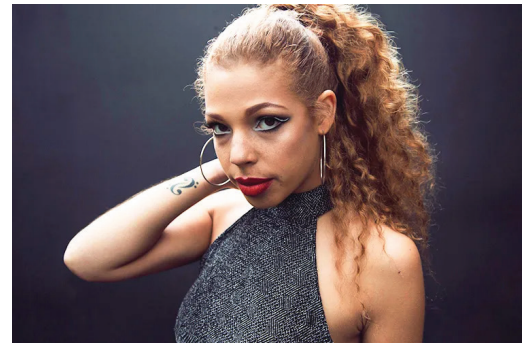
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MKE Leather and Fetish Gear Show

8:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

Liz Bee Honest's

Hue Revue BIPOC Cabaret



Maýa - Saturday Headliner

9:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 8th

Grim Paddle

12:15 p.m. - 12:45 p.m.

Out in the Open

Spoken Word Lounge: Lilo Allen

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Out in the Open

Spoken Word Lounge:

Mikey Cody Apollo

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Out in the Open

Spoken Word Lounge:

Shaquille Grandberry

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Out in the Open

Spoken Word Lounge:

Jamal Fisher

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Morning Metaphor

2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Damsel Trash

3:00 P.M. - 3:45 P.M.

The Gayme Show

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SM6

5:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Man Williamz

6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Comedy Showcase: Ben Blake

7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Comedy Showcase: Micheal Kitleson

7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Comedy Showcase: Carly Malison

7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Comedy Showcase:

Micheal McChesney

7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.



Melee the Queen - Thurs. Night Host



Amethysgt - Fri. Night Host

LADY SABO

8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Miltown Kings

20th Anniversary Reunion

9:15 p.m. - 10:45 p.m.

Pole Factory MKE

11:00 p.m. - 11:45 p.m.

Stonewall Stage

Thursday, June 6th

The Story of Us Interactive Display

4:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Friday, June 7th

Equality U Screening

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

The Past, Present and Future of Marriage Equality

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 8th

House of History Presents: The Power of Politics and Internationality

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

House of History Presents:

Black Trans Joy: Creating, Caring and Celebrating in a Hostile World

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Who Were WI? The Power of

LGBTQ+ Archives in Wisconsin

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Burlesque 101 with Hue Revue

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

30 Years of House Realness: A History of Ballroom in Milwaukee

7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.



The Power and Politics of Intersectionality

Children Stage

Saturday, June 8th

Mischief and Magic: Balloon Twisting, Face Painting & More!

All Day

Jen Jen the Clown

1:00 p.m.

Rugrats Royal Review

2:00 p.m.

Drag Queen Story Time with Cass Marie

3:00 p.m.

Pride Youth Mentor Drag Show

4:00 p.m.

Bonus Acts

(Performing All Weekend)

PrideFerst Fireworks Show!

Festival Grounds

Saturday, June 8, @ 9:30 p.m.

Furries

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long



Bottoms Up Aerial Burlesque Show

Spacecats

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long

Melee the Queen

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long

House of Ogé

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long

Bottoms Up Aerial Burlesque Show

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long

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Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long

The A.I.M. Squad

Festival Grounds

Performing All Weekend Long



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Health Equity Is The Focus Of LGBTQ+ Pride Month Celebrations Across The Country

As Pride Month is commemorated by the LGBTQ+ community and allies, the American Heart Association seeks to increase awareness of the importance of health and wellness for all

According to a study recently published in the *Journal of the American Heart Association*, lesbian and bisexual women in France had poorer heart health than heterosexual women, a finding that could be attributed to discrimination and other stressors faced by the LGBTQ+ community. In support of [Pride Month](#), the American Heart Association, a global force for longer, healthier lives for all, is promoting awareness and health education for all people across the spectrum of diversity, including those who identify as LGBTQ+.

For more than 50 years, the LGBTQ+ community has spent the month of June marching to commemorate its struggle and fight against discrimination in health care, employment, and housing across the country and around the globe. According to the American Heart Association's 2021 scientific statement "[Assessing and Addressing Cardiovascular Health in People Who Are Transgender and Gender Diverse](#)", higher levels of heart disease among transgender and gender diverse (TGD) people are linked to the stress of experiencing discrimination and transphobia at personal and societal levels. This population faces unique personal stressors that often result in negative coping behaviors that may complicate an individual's cardiovascular health including a poor diet, elevated body mass index^[1], low physical activity^[2], and a smoking rate up to



2.5 times higher than heterosexual and cisgender adults^[3].

"Recognizing and addressing the health care needs specific to the LGBTQ+ community is vital to the American Heart Association's mission," said volunteer president of the American Heart Association Michelle A. Albert, M.D., M.P.H., FAHA, who is the Walter A Haas-Lucie Stern Endowed Chair and professor of medicine, director of the CeNter for the StUdy of AdveRsiTy and CardiovascUlaR DisEasE (NURTURE Center) and associate dean of admissions at the University of California, San Francisco. "More research and advocacy are needed to understand this community's unique health challenges. The Association is helping fill in the gap by funding innovative research, advocating for public health equity and sharing easily acces-

sible lifesaving resources."

The first step in improving cardiovascular health is knowing and understanding current risks. Since better cardiovascular health helps lower the risk of heart disease, stroke, dementia, diabetes and other major health problems, the American Heart Association



SUMMERFEST

Milwaukee

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JUNE 20 - 22

6/20 **KANE BROWN**

w/ **KAMERON MARLOWE & NIGHTLY**

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w/ **SEETHER & BUCKCHERRY**

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w/ **DISCO LINES & MIDNIGHT KIDS**

6/28 **TYLER CHILDERS**

w/ **S.G. GOODMAN & ADEEM THE ARTIST**

6/29 **KEITH URBAN**

w/ **NEEDTOBREATHE & ALANA SPRINGSTEEN**

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HYO • The Hold Steady • Mike Campbell & The Dirty Knobs • BigXThaPlug • Anberlin • Brent Cobb • The Dandy Warhols • Ziggy Alberts
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Sawyer • J Stone • Tracy Bonham • Cedric Burnside • Ben Chapman • McKinley Dixon • Bassel & The Supernaturals

JULY 4 - 6

7/4 **AJR**

w/ **CARLY RAE JEPSEN & MXMTOON**

7/5 **MAROON 5**

w/ **DASHA**

7/6 **LIL UZI VERT**

w/ **LIL YACHTY, JID, RICO NASTY,
LIHTZ, J.P. & 414BigFrank**

Ivan Cornejo • Bryson Tiller • Mt. Joy • Lil Tecca • Chase Rice • Local Natives • Cold War Kids • Mariah the Scientist • jxdn
Sleeping With Sirens • COIN • The Wallflowers • Paul Cauthen • Wage War • Brian Kelley • Amy Grant • Kiana Ledé
Conner Smith • Del Water Gap • Extreme • BoDeans • Set It Off • Cimagfunk • Sister Hazel • Sueco • Colony House • Saint Asonia
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The Box Tops • Anne Wilson • Say She She • The Baseball Project • Samaria • Ashland Craft • Abby Anderson • Almost Monday
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has defined key measures for improving and maintaining cardiovascular health. [Life's Essential 8](#), focuses on eating better, increasing physical activity, quitting smoking, and improving sleep habits, while also recommending steps that can be taken to reach a healthy weight, control cholesterol, and manage both blood sugar and blood pressure.

Science-based downloadable resources are available to provide guidance to address each of the eight points. For example, they include information about how to read food labels, avoid trans fats, set physical activity goals and provide successful tips to quit smoking and reduce tech activity before going to sleep. Education about health risk factors and incorporating and addressing these eight items may be the key to improving and maintaining cardiovascular health as they provide a foundation for living a longer, healthier life.

The Association supports public policies that improve access to quality, affordable health care, including provisions of the Affordable Care Act that have increased the number of people with quality health coverage. We also support policies that pre-

vent the tobacco industry from targeting LGBTQ+ communities and others with deadly tobacco products. We work to educate youth and young adults who are LGBTQ+ and their allies about the importance of advocating for such policies.

Additional Resources:

- AHA News: Lesbian and bisexual women may have worse heart health: <https://www.heart.org/en/news/2023/05/17/lesbian-and-bisexual-women-may-have-worse-heart-health>
- Life's Essential 8: www.heart.org/lifes8
- American Heart Association Pride with Heart: <https://www.heart.org/en/about-us/diversity-inclusion/pride-with-heart>
- Discrimination contributes to poorer heart health for LGBTQ adults (AHA scientific statement, 2020): <https://www.ahajournals.org/doi/10.1161/CIR.0000000000000914>
- Discrimination, stress linked to poorer heart health in transgender, gender diverse adults (AHA scientific statement, 2021): <https://www.aha-journals.org/doi/full/10.1161/CIR.0000000000001003>
- [Let's Snuff Out Tobacco](#) video about the deadly consequences

of the tobacco industry's predatory marketing for the LGBTQ+ community



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(414) 372-7880

<https://www.facebook.com/artbarmke>

DIX Milwaukee ♦

Southern Style Video/Dance Bar

739 S. 1st St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 231-9085

<https://dixmke.com>

Fluid Milwaukee ♦

Gay Bar

819 S. 2nd St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

414-Oh-Fluid/(414) 643-5843

<https://fluidmke.com>

Harbor Room ♦

Levis' & Leather Bar

117 E. Greenfield Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 672-7988

<https://www.facebook.com/Harbor-Room-117-E-Greenfield-Ave-Milwaukee-WI-151982704821436/>

Hunty's Social Club ♦

Drag Bar inside

Hamburger Marys

734 S. 5th St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 488-2555

<https://huntysmke.com>

Kruz ♦

Levis' & Leather Bar

354 E. National Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 272-5789

<https://www.facebook.com/kruz>

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La Cage Niteclub ♦

Gay Dance Club

801 S. 2nd St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 383-8330

<https://www.facebook.com/LaCageNiteclub>

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This Is It! ♦

Gay Bar with Drag Shows

418 E. Wells St.

Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 278-9192

<https://www.thisisitbar.com>

Walker's Pint ♦

Lesbian Bar

818 S. 2nd St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 643-7468

<https://walkerspint.com>

Woody's Sports Bar ♦

Gay Sports Bar

1579 S. 2nd St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 672-0806

<https://www.facebook.com/woodys.mke>

Zócolo Food Park ♦

Bar with food trucks, gay friendly

636 S. 6th St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 433-9747

<https://www.zocalomke.com>



Businesses

C 3 Designs ♦

Custom Jewelry designer in South

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

2110 10th Ave.

South Milwaukee, WI 53172

(414) 764-3892

<http://c3designs.rocks/>

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Hawaiian Cafe, caterer and store

7215 W. North Ave.

Wauwatosa, WI 53213

(414) 778-0727

<http://www.okgrindz.com>

Kilwins Milwaukee

LGBTQ-owned candy and ice cream shop in Bayshore Mall

5756 N. Bayshore Dr., Q101

Glendale, WI 53217

(414) 967-4803

<https://www.kilwins.com/stores/kilwins-milwaukee-bayshore>

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Outwords Books

Gifts & Coffee ♦

LGBTQ+ books, movies and gifts

2710 N. Murray Ave. #3645,

Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 963-9089

<https://outwordsbooks.com>

Purple Door Ice Cream ♦

LGBTQ-owned ice cream parlor with unique flavors and treats

205 S. 2nd St.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

(414) 988-2521

<https://www.purpledooricecream.com>

Sherman Perk Cafe ♦

Local coffee shop in the Sherman Park Neighborhood

4924 W Roosevelt Dr.

Milwaukee, WI 53216

(414) 875-7375

<https://shermanperkcoffeeshop.com/>

La Finca Coffeehouse ♦

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Milwaukee, WI 53215

(414) 672-1353

<https://sschc.org>

BESTD Clinic

Free STI testing Clinic

1240 E. Brady St.

Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 272-2144

<https://www.bestd.org>

Community Health Systems, Inc. ♦

A federally qualified Health Center that operates a medical, dental, and behavioral health clinic in Beloit, Wisconsin

74 Eclipse Center,

Beloit, WI 53511

tel: (608) 361-0311

www.chsofwi.org

Compassionate Clinical Services

Provides private therapy and counseling services by Ryan Larkey, LCSW, SAC

985 W. Oklahoma Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53204

Planned Parenthood

(414) 839-1821

<https://www.compassionateclinicalservices.com>

Waukesha County Public Health Division

514 Riverview Ave.,

Waukesha, WI, 53188

262-896-8430

www.waukeshacounty.gov/publichealth

Vivent Health (formerly ARCW)

HIV/AIDS health center that provides medical, dental, counseling and social service help

820 N. Plankinton Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53203

(414) 273-1991

<https://viventhealth.org>



Cream City Foundation

Not-for-profit that funds LGBTQ+ outreach organizations

PO Box 511099

Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 225-0244

<https://creamcityfoundation.org>

Diverse & Resilient ♦

LGBTQ+ health and advocacy group

2439 N. Holton St.

Milwaukee, WI 53212

(414) 390-0444

<https://www.diverseandresilient.org>

LGBT Center of SE Wisconsin

Community center with many programs for LGBTQ+ groups

1456 Junction Ave.

Racine, WI 53403

(262) 664-4100

<https://www.lgbtsewi.org>

Milwaukee LGBT Community Center ♦

Community center with many programs for LGBTQ+ groups

315 W. Court St.

Milwaukee, WI 53212

(414) 271-2656

<https://www.mkelgbt.org>

Wisconsin LGBT Chamber of Commerce

Networking and resources for LGBTQ+ business

5027 W. North Ave.

Milwaukee, WI 53208

(414) 678-9275

<https://wislgbtchamber.com>



Central Library ♦

The main branch of The Milwaukee County Library system has books, movies, periodicals available for lending.

814 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53233

(414) 286-3000

Wisconsin LGBTQ History Project, Inc.

Local organization dedicated to preserving and bringing light to LGBTQ+ historical events and people.

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