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# Guelph Gay Equality

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## COMING EVENTS

Wed. Feb. 20 - Film Night - Shorts and features from the past. 8pm, 9th Floor Lounge, Arts Building, Univ. of Guelph.

FRIDAY FEB. 22 - DANCE AT THE SCHOOLHOUSE - 611 Silvercreek Parkway - 9pm.

Wed. Feb. 27 - Speaker from the BODY POLITIC - 9th Floor Lounge - 8pm.

Fri. Feb. 29 - GAY BLUE JEANS DAY at the University of Guelph - wear the colours with pride all day!

Fri. Feb. 29 - Potluck Dinner at 25-D Manor Park Cres. in Guelph. Starts at 7pm. Bring a dish and something to drink. Bring your favorite recipe, to be included in our gay cookbook. Call 821- [redacted] for directions

Wed. Mar. 5 - Discussion - How I Came Out - bring your memories. 8pm, 9th Floor Lounge

Wed. Mar. 12 - Informal Drop-in - we may go roller skating or bowling, but we'll meet in the 9th Fl. Lounge at 8pm.

Wed. Mar. 19 - Another fabulous FILM NIGHT - 9th Fl Lounge.

Wed. Mar. 26 - Speaker - tentatively a counsellor will join us to talk about problems and solutions in relationships.

DANCE - sometime in March - call the GAYLINE for info. 836-4550

WOMEN'S COFFEEHOUSE - it's in the works - call the Gayline.

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GAY BLUE JEANS DAY - On Feb. 29, we are sponsoring the first Gay Blue Jeans Day to be held on the University of Guelph campus. The purpose of the event is to raise people's awareness that we exist on campus. All you have to do is wear your jeans. Then join us for dinner at 25-D Manor Park Cres.

ROLLER SKATING NIGHT - On Feb. 13th we trekked off to the Roller Alley in Guelph for some skating. We'll be doing it again soon - also bowling - so drop by the 9th Floor Lounge on Wed. Mar. 12 - we'll depart shortly after 8pm.

THE JOY OF GAY COOKING - A cookbook is in the making. If you have a favorite recipe, whip it up and bring it to the potluck dinner on Friday Feb. 29th. Don't forget to write out the recipe. A committee is working on the cookbook and needs your contributions. For full details call Paul - 822- [redacted]

T-SHIRT CONTEST - the final winner of our contest will be announced in the next newsletter. Thanks to all of you who contributed ideas.

WE NEED \$\$\$ - It costs us \$2.50 per year to send you this newsletter. Our phone service costs us \$50. per month to operate. We need a further \$50. per month to advertise. Join us and help out. Make cheques payable to G.G.E. and bring them to a meeting or other event, or send them to our P.O. Box.

50 MEN ARRESTED - A total of 50 men face charges after raids on the Barracks and Hot Tub Club in 1978 and 1979. The police also raided a gay teacher's home in 1979 and charged him with keeping a 'bawdy' house. The Right to Privacy Committee is raising money to fight the cases. Send your \$ to  
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