



Rainbow Community Calendar

The *Rainbow Community Calendar (RCC)* is a monthly publication serving the rainbow community of Waterloo Region. It is named in tribute to the *Pink Triangle Community Calendar* created in 1989 by community activist Lisa Simkins. The *RCC* is issued by the **Rainbow Community Calendar Collective**, an action group of the **Waterloo Region Rainbow Coalition (WRRC)**. Print copies available at the **WRRC Community Space** (42 Erb St E, Waterloo), **ACCKWA**, and various bars, clubs, cafes, etc. in Waterloo Region. Online at <http://www.grandriver-rainbowhistory.ca/RainbowCommunityCalendar.html>. Send event listings to wrrc.calendar@gmail.com by the **20th of each month**.

Message from the Editor: Our fifth issue includes some events beyond February.

The **WRRC Community Space** is located at 42 Erb St E, Waterloo.
Drop-in Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays: 5-8pm. Saturdays: 2-5pm. On Facebook at: <http://www.facebook.com/WaterlooCommunitySpace>

2013, February 3 (Sunday)

Friends of Dorothy Bowling League Event. 1:30pm, Brunswick Frederick Lanes, 385 Frederick Plaza, Kitchener.
<http://www.kwfriendsofdorothy.ca>

Cosmic Bowling. Special Fundraiser for the Connect Rainbow Youth -WRRC Community Space. 4-6pm. Towne Bowl, 11 Ottawa St. N., Kitchener. All ages. \$20. To reserve email: rainbowcommunityspace@gmail.com

2013, February 4 (Monday)

Torchlight Gender Support Meeting. First Monday each month 7-9pm.
<http://www.torchlight.ca/>

2013, February 5 (Tuesday)

Connect Rainbow Youth Drop-In. Special guest speaker: nationally known **RCMP Officer Tad Milmine**. He will be sharing with us his personal story, his anti-bullying efforts, and more! 3:30-5pm in WRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo. Free. Limited space -- to RSVP email rainbowcommunityspace@gmail.com

Volunteer Night. Anytime between 5-8 pm. WRRC Community Space. Everyone welcome -- there are many opportunities available for volunteering! Free. Refreshments. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

OK2BME Youth Group. 6-7:30pm.
<http://www.ok2bme.ca/>

2013, February 6 (Wednesday)

Wednesday Night Discussion Group Meeting. 7:15-8:30pm. Topic: *Crushes and Infatuations*. Room 5136 MC at UW. <http://wndg.ca/>

2013, February 8 (Friday)

Screening of "A Home at the End of the World" - Colin Boucher leads a discussion on the film. 7 p.m. in Bricker Academic Bldg., rm.201 at WLU.

2013, February 9 (Saturday)

Tri-City Bear Meat. 8pm-2am at Sizzle, 135 George St N, Cambridge. The 2nd Saturday of every month.
<http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

2013, February 10 (Sunday)

Friends of Dorothy Bowling League Event. 1:30pm, Brunswick Frederick Lanes.
<http://www.kwfriendsofdorothy.ca>

2013, February 12 (Tuesday)

Waterloo Region Rainbow Coalition Meeting. 7-9pm in WRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo.
<http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

2013, February 13 (Wednesday)

Wednesday Night Discussion Group Meeting. 7:15-8:45pm. Topic: *Coming Out to Others*. Room 5136 MC at UW. <http://wndg.ca/>

2013, February 14 (Thursday)

Connect Rainbow Youth Drop-In. 3-5pm in WRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Wloo. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

Fun + Flix Valentine Surprises. 5-8 pm in WRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo. All welcome. Free. Refreshments. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

2013, February 15 (Friday)

Karaoke with Rui. 8pm. At Sizzle.
<http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

2013, February 16 (Saturday)

DJ Dallas Dance Party. 9pm to 2am at Sizzle. <http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

2013, February 17 (Sunday)

Friends of Dorothy Bowling League Event-Coloured Headpin. 1:30pm, Brunswick Frederick Lanes.
<http://www.kwfriendsofdorothy.ca>

2013, February 19 (Tuesday)

OK2BME Youth Group. 6-7:30pm.
<http://www.ok2bme.ca/>

2013, February 20 (Wednesday)

Wednesday Night Discussion Group Meeting. 7:15-8:30pm. Topic: *Alternative Relationships*. Room 5136 MC at UW. <http://wndg.ca/>

2013, February 21 (Thursday)

Connect Rainbow Youth Drop-In. 3-5pm in WRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Wloo. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

Euchre in the Basement. 6:30-9:30pm, Rum Runner Pub, basement of Walper Hotel, 1 King St S, Kitchener. www.facebook.com/#!/groups/180206631800/

Waterloo Wellington Gender-Variant Working Group. 7:00-8:30pm. WRRRC Community Space. An advocacy /educational group promoting awareness of gender variance in Waterloo-Wellington. More info contact Allisa Scott at: inclusive.cct@gmail.com

2013, February 22 (Friday)

Clubhouse Friday. 8pm-11am at Sizzle. <http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

2013, February 23 (Saturday)

Funderwear: Fundraiser for ACCKWA. Doors 9 pm. \$5 cover, Door prize. Underwear fashion show. At Sizzle, 135 George St N, Cambridge. <http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

2013, February 24 (Sunday)

Friends of Dorothy Bowling League Event. 1:30pm, Brunswick Frederick Lanes. <http://www.kwfriendsofdorothy.ca>

2013, February 26 (Tuesday)

Waterloo Region Rainbow Coalition Meeting. 7-9pm in WRRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

2013, February 27 (Wednesday)

Wednesday Night Discussion

Group Meeting. 7:15pm-8:30pm. Bring questions for discussion! Room 5136 MC Bldg at UW. <http://wndg.ca/>

2013, February 28 (Thursday)

Connect Rainbow Youth Drop-In. 3-5pm in WRRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Wloo. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

AIDS Awareness Drop-In. 5-8pm. ACCKWA will be on site, at WRRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

Lazy Queer Book Club. 6:30-8pm WRRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Wloo. Come join us as we read short stories/articles followed by a discussion. All welcome. <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

March & Beyond

2013, March 7 (Thursday)

Euchre in the Basement. 6:30-9:30pm, Rum Runner Pub, basement of Walper Hotel, 1 King St S, Kitchener. www.facebook.com/#!/groups/180206631800/

2013, March 14 (Thur.) - 17 (Sun.)

Rainbow Reels Queer Film Festival. Princess Cinema, Waterloo. <http://rainbowreels.org/>

2013, May 25 (Sat.) - June 2 (Sun.)

Tri-Pride Week in Waterloo Region with Live Music Festival, June 1 (Sat.). <http://www.tri-pride.ca/>

2013, June 22 (Saturday)

Secrett Mystery Bus Tour! Contact smsecrett@yahoo.com for details!

Other Waterloo Region Events:

GLOW events (like *Sapphic Tuesday Social* and *Movie Mayhem Thursday*): <http://www.facebook.com/glowuw>

K-W Out 4-Dinner Club for all members of the “community” looking to make new friends and have an enjoyable evening out at a local restaurant. <http://www.facebook.com/pages/K-W-Out-4-Dinner-Club/187070071357324>

PFLAG for the Waterloo Region Meets in WRRRC Community Space, 42 Erb St E, Waterloo. Everyone welcome! More info: <http://www.yourwrrc.ca/>

Rainbow Chorus Waterloo Wellington: <http://www.rainbowchorus.ca/>

Rainbow List A mailing list of local events and politics for the rainbow communities of Waterloo-Wellington. http://listserv.thinkers.org/mailman/listinfo/rainbow_listserv.thinkers.org

Secrett Events: Community-based, non-profit events that highlight local talent, people, creativity and our shared experience. Regular events include **Clitterature**, **Lesbo Bingo** and **Euchre in the Basement**. <http://secrettevents.com/>

tri-Pride Board Meetings. 7-9pm. For meeting dates and locations check <http://www.tri-pride.ca/> or <http://www.facebook.com/groups/5561710562/> or email: info@tri-pride.ca

WLU Rainbow Centre events:

<http://www.facebook.com/WLURainbowCentre>

WOODS (Women Out Opening Doors Socially) events: A local social group for lesbian-identified women in the Kitchener-Waterloo, Cambridge and Guelph areas of southwestern Ontario. email: woodswimmin@yahoo.ca

Guelph/Wellington Events:

Qlinks.ca at: <http://www.qlinks.ca/>

Past Events:

Grand River Rainbow Historical Project <http://www.grandriver-rainbowhistory.ca/>

Rainbow-Friendly Clubs/Bars:

Club Renaissance, 24 Charles St W, Kitchener. <http://www.clubrenaissance.com/>

Little Bean Coffee Bar, 417 King Street West, Unit B1, Kitchener. <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Little-Bean-Coffee-Bar/242156399150073?rf=151721248199272>

Sizzle, 135 George St N, Cambridge. <http://www.biglittleclub.com/>

Note from the RCC Collective: Dangerous Dolores (editing & design), her twin brother Jim (info gathering) and his gay husband William (techie stuff & distribution) are delighted to be able to publicize your events! Mail us by the 20th of each month. at wrrc.calendar@gmail.com