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Equality Ohio seeks funding

Can you make an end-of-the year contribution to Equality Ohio to support our work in 2012? They need your help to advance their legislative agenda, to make schools safe for all students, to fight discrimination in employment, housing, and public

accommodations and to make Ohio a place where everyone feels at home.

Equality Ohio is located at 61 Jefferson Ave, Columbus, OH 43215
Phone (614) 224-0400 Website <http://www.equalityohio.org>

New Years Eve at Adonis

Adonis is going to be the place you want to be for New Years Eve!

Help them say goodbye to 2011 and hello to

2012!!! The drag show starts at 10:30 sharp!

There will be a balloon drop at midnight.

The Adnois Shuttle will be running.

Bar Monet News Years Eve

Join the Bar Monet crew with DJ. Large Marge New Years Eve, 8 p.m. until 1a.m. for dancing and drinking away 2011.

It's been a hard year for a lot of people and they would be glad to see you, so let's bring in 2012 with a shake bam boom and make the new year better for us all....hot spot drag numbers welcome...you got a little buzz and want to do a number..bring it!

Crazy New Years at the Fox

Well another year has wizzed by and it's time to celebrate the Coming New

Year!!!Join all your friends at The Crazy Fox Saloon, 901 Washington Ave., Newport, for their annual New Years Bash 8 p.m. until 2:30 a.m.

They will have a nice spread of hors d'oeuvre's, drink specials, free pool and video games too! As always they will be handing out lots of Jello Shots, and of course free party favors, noise makers, hats and tiara's and a free Champagne Toast at midnight!!

As always there is no cover, but 21 and over only please. So go on down to Newport and join your friends to Wish Away 2011 and Welcome In 2012 at the best party in town!!



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New Years Eve Party at Dock

Saturday Night is Darkotica's Saturday New Years Eve Party with the Dark Force, Judith Iscariot, Mari Jane and Bella Dolce! — with Ryan Setty and 11 others at The Dock Complex.

Great New Years Eve at Old Street Saloon

Old Street Saloon will have one great night full of entertainment, food and fun at their New Year's Eve Party.

Booshee, Lawren LaMoore and Amaya Sexton will be providing the entertainment. Daddy Dale provides munchies and a champagne toast and midnight! Get your tickets from the bartenders: \$12 in advance, \$15 at the door. The saloon is located at 13 Old Street, Monroe, halfway between Dayton and Cincinnati off I-75.

Hillary Clinton supports Gay Rights

The U.S. State Department has produced a video in which Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton is appealing for recognition and support of Gay Rights.

The Video, <http://iipdigital.usembassy.gov/st/english/video/2011/12/20111219142526aerdna0.5667492.html#axzz1hX5PibOE>.

Clinton said: "I am talking about Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender people.

"Human beings born free and given bestowed equality and dignity, who have a right to claim that, which is now one of the remaining human rights challenges of our time. Some seem to believe it is a Western phenomenon, and, therefore, people outside the West have grounds to reject it.

"Well, in reality, Gay
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 people are born into, and belong to, every society in the world. They are all ages, all races, all faiths. They are doctors and teachers, farmers and bankers, soldiers and athletes.

“And whether we know it or whether we acknowledge it, they are our family, our friends, and our neighbors. Being Gay is not a Western invention. It is a human reality. Now we must go further, and work here and in every region of the world to galvanize more support for the human rights of the LGBT community.

“To the leaders of those countries where people are jailed, beaten, or executed for being Gay, I ask you to consider this: Leadership, by definition, means being out in front of your people when it is called for. It means standing up for the dignity of all your citizens and persuading your people to

do the same. Be on the right side of history. Stand with us.”


No GLBT Adoptions in Virginia

The Virginia State Board of Social Services has voted for a second time to strip legal protections against discrimination based on sexual orientation, religion, age, gender, disability, political beliefs and family status from final rules governing licensed adoption and foster care agencies.

The board originally voted to strip the protections in April, but later re-opened the public comment period.

The majority of the public comments were in favor of the discrimination protections.

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Meetings on 2nd Tuesdays
 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. at
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GLBT News



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