



New programs at Center beginning in November

The Gay & Lesbian Community Center of Greater Cincinnati adds a Grief Group and Movie Night to its roster of regular programs. Both programs begin in November.

The Grief Group, meeting every first Wednesday at the center, offers facilitated discussion aimed at learning to build resources and find support. Having 20 years experience as a professional social worker, facilitator Bill Abney saw the need in Greater Cincinnati for a safe and supportive gathering space for survivors. The Grief Group is for anyone over 18 years of age who has recently experienced the death of someone close. Bill Abney was awarded his MSW from the University of Cincinnati in 1998. He now works for Hamilton County Jobs and Family Services. He is a



former president of the center board, is a center volunteer and a director on its board.

After a long hiatus, Movie Night comes back to the Center this November. Films are scheduled twice monthly, on the first and third Mondays at 7 p.m. under the direction of Nate Wessel. Nate promises audiences a compelling selection from the the best of modern Queer cinema in a comfortable, informal setting. A schedule of film titles appears online at www.cincyglbt.com/events-calendar. Free wifi is offered and two of the center's public computers will remain available during film showings. The center provides free popcorn —

guests are encouraged to bring their own nonalcoholic beverages and snacks.

A bicycling enthusiast, a student at the University of Cincinnati and a columnist in the **GLBT News Print Edition**, Nate Wessel is a center volunteer and a director on its board.

A complete list and

descriptions of all programs of the center is online at www.cincyglbt.com/programs.

Serving the community since 1993, the Gay & Lesbian Community Center of Greater Cincinnati is located at 4119 Hamilton Avenue in Northside. When not booked for meetings, the center is open to the public Monday through Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. and on Saturdays from noon to 4 p.m.

Help raise money for Cincinnati Gay PRIDE

A funfilled Sunday afternoon November 13 · 3p.m. - 10 p.m. will help raise money for Cincinnati Gay PRIDE. They're going to STRIKE up the fun with two hours of bowling with prizes to be won and raffles.

\$10 per person gets Participants two hours of

bowling and free shoe rental along with three raffle tickets for secret game raffles while bowling. Superbowl Bellewood has a friendly staff and great bar and fun atmosphere. Bring your friends, kids, family anyone and don't worry about your skills,

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it's a day of fun and prizes! After bowling participants move the party to On Broadway Bar for Randy's Annual Chili Cookoff for some good eats and some more fun and prizes to continue raising some cash for PRIDE! You all know that Randy SPARES nothing when it comes to showing a good time!

There are 32 lanes at the alley and we'd like to keep it to five on a lane so don't wait too long to RSVP
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. If you're attending organizers would appreciate it if you'd let them how many people you have in your party so they can keep you and your friends all PINNED to the same lane(s)! Hope to see you there.

World Aids Day Prayer Service

St. John United Church of Christ, 520 Fairfield Avenue, Bellevue, Kentucky invites you to the annual *World Aids Day Prayer Service* on *Thursday, December 1st at 7:30 p.m.*

This year's service will be filled with art song

selections from the AIDS Quilt Song Book, hymns of faith and hope, poetry and prayers, and liturgies from around the world. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Anonymous HIV Testing will be offered by the St. John Free HIV Testing Program supported by the Northern Kentucky Health Department at the Church in room 201 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Please use the accessible entrance off the parking lot.

For directions and more information visit www.StJohnChurch.net. Contact The Reverend Keith M. Haithcock at 859.261.2066, ext. 202.

Its Crazy at the Fox on Halloween

It's one of the craziest party's of the year.

Go to the Crazy Fox Saturday night, October 29th. for their Annual Halloween Bash! They a great time, and you can win cash and drink prizes.

They put out a spread of food and drinks are at Happy Hour Prices for those in costume! Free Jello Shots, free pool, free video games and a costume contest at midnight with first prize of \$100.

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