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Your destination for LGBT arts, culture & entertainment

City of West Hollywood's Queer Arts Festival

May 31 - June 16, 2013

Mission and Vision

Mission:

To reinforce the idea of West Hollywood, also known as the Creative City, as an international center for the arts and LGBT community through meaningful, enlightening and engaging arts and cultural events that appeal to diverse audience groups, and to provide a deeper understanding of Pride through the arts.

Vision:

LGBT people have been central to the creative industries and arts throughout history; The City of West Hollywood has been central to the LGBT community and the struggle for LGBT rights; and the struggle for LGBT rights is central to June Pride celebrations around the world. The City strives to educate and expand the notion of Pride through meaningful, enlightening and engaging arts and cultural events, and reinforce the idea of West Hollywood as a world capital for the arts and LGBT community.



This years' theme: The Sacred and the Profane



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FESTIVAL**

**APRIL / JUNE 2013
WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA**

April through June
Largest LGBT+ Lesbian Film Fest in the West Coast
Photo exhibit at West Hollywood Library

May 18
Sally and Reflection
Pride festival on new event, do gay men talk about and
read out their words? (Book launch, book launch party)

May 31
A special reading of Queen Latifah, Blackie, T, and
community talk back season

June 1
Movie: First part of "Travesties: Bamber's Story"
Transgendered activist, Bamber, Salcedo's life by
documentary filmmaker, Daria Kozlovic

June 2
Protest: We're
Gays, artists, poets, installations, in shopping
pool, artists, had queer operating, feminist, queer
pop, queer, a village in the B. Trust Ltd

June 5
Art: Live: Three Day Paintings
Inspired by Sunset Boulevard, Dale Goy-Matton into a
historical, interactive, story, through spoken word,
songs, and the West Coast

June 7-14
Out There
Los Angeles Art Association's annual all-media gallery
show at Gallery 825
www.825art.com

June 8
Cool: Pop Culture and Queer Music
An evening honoring, celebrating, female, pride, and
entertainment and culture in West Hollywood Park
www.825art.com

June 8-10
C&A Film Festival: Two days of performances, screenings,
and events of performers and artists to act a place
for the community, discussion, and creating community.
http://www.candafilm.com

June 15
"PRIDE" featuring performances by past Los Angeles
Winners of the festival, artists, and artists, and more
of the festival's history

June 15-18
C&A Short Film Festival presents short films made by
both men and women
www.candafilm.com

June 16
Foster's City Branch and Concert

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“The Sacred and The Profane” presents a dichotomy of the LGBT experience: how the community views itself, how others may view the community, and the broad spectrum of the LGBT experience - from spiritual to carnal, from holy to wicked, from things granted to things forbidden.

“The Sacred and the Profane” can be opposites yet coexist. A campy movie may be revered. A forbidden text may be sacred. A bar can be a haven, a place of community, of family, and serve as the birthplace for a global movement for human rights.

Living in Limbo exhibit

Photographic Exhibit at the Weho Library

April - July



This exhibition provides an intimate view of a population that has been largely invisible or underrepresented in public art and challenges viewers to envision a world without prejudice and discrimination—a world that celebrates commitment, family and inclusion for everyone—a world without limbo.

First shown at the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute. www.livinginlimbo.org


Stolen and Forbidden

May 18 – Preview event

Pilferage and privacy breaking of books was common for young gay men looking for answers and others like themselves. Sneak reading and the length one goes to do it is often comical.

This event is organized by local poet Steven Reigns and will feature readers including **Clint Catalyst, Jonny McGovern, Del Shores, and Bruce Villanch.**


The City of West Hollywood's One City One Pride Festival
and Steven Reigns present



**Stolen &
Forbidden**

Saturday, May 18, 2013, 3p.m.
West Hollywood Library City Council Chambers
625 N. San Vicente, West Hollywood, CA 90069

Pilferage and privacy breaking of books and magazines was common for young gay men looking for answers and others like themselves. Sneak reading and the length one goes to do it is often comical. Join us for a free reading. For more info on this (and other One City One Pride Events) please visit www.weho.org/pride or www.stevenreigns.com



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'TransVisible: Bamby's Story'

June 1

Filmmaker Dante Alencastre will present a special sneak preview of a new documentary on activist Bamby Salcedo and her work with transgender rights and HIV over the years.



Install Weho: Queer Pop-Up Arts Village

June 2

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Empowering
Artists and
Building
Community

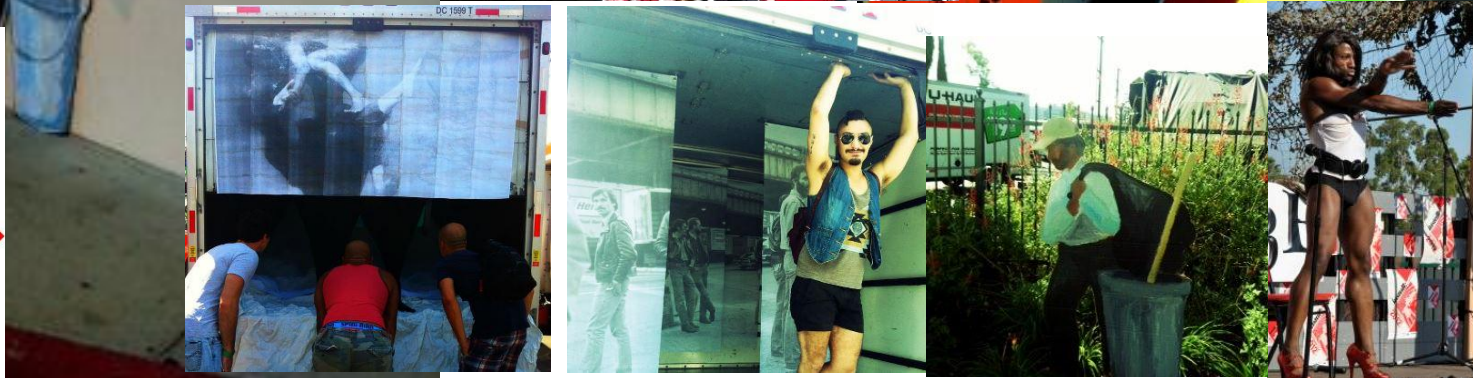


Install Weho: Queer Pop-Up Arts Village

June 2

In the raw, spontaneous spirit of the underground art scene and with the refined organization of the fine art biennial, INSTALL appears overnight from a caravan of U-Haul Trucks each dedicated to, and curated by an individual, organization, gallery or performance troupe, but together forming a pop-up art "city." In doing so, INSTALL creates opportunities to share the stories, struggles and spirits of our community at large through a diverse array of mediums and forms.

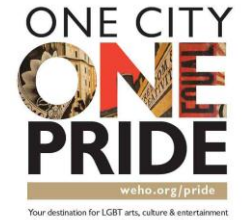
www.installweho.com



Britten: Sacred and Profane

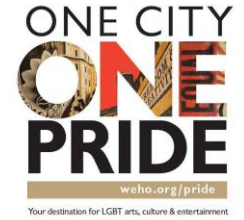
June 4

Britten: Sacred and Profane. Join Dr. Mitchell Morris and LA Opera's Domingo-Thornton Young Artists in a special evening exploring the sacred and profane in Benjamin Britten's music and biography, during this the centenary of his birth.



www.britten100.org

CA LGBT Arts Alliance



My Life in 3 Easy Pieces June 5

Inspired by Valley of the Dolls, Dreamgirls, drag queens, Diana Ross, and African storytelling, Dale Guy Madison tells a humorous interactive story through spoken word, songs, stories and video footage of his life.

API Artist Panel Featuring D'Lo June 12

Queer API artists explore art practice including: D'Lo, a queer Tamil Sri Lankan-American political theatre artist/writer, director and comedian; Skim, a Korean American who is one of the LA's top queer hip-hop artists; Viet Le, a Vietnamese American videographer, writer and scholar.



June 6

My Ink is White

A free evening of artful erotica
by gay male writers, organized
by local poet Stephen Reigns.

The City of West Hollywood's
One City One Pride Festival &
Stephen Reigns present


My *ink* is White

gay writers read their erotic stories
mature audiences join us for a free evening
of artful erotica and hot tales

Featured readers
Xavier Axelson
Heath Daniels
Trebor Healey

Thursday, June 6, 2013
7:30pm
Art Room 1
Plummer Park Community Center
7377 Santa Monica Blvd

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please visit www.weho.org/pride or www.stevenreigns.com



Out There : LAAA Art Exhibit

June 7-14

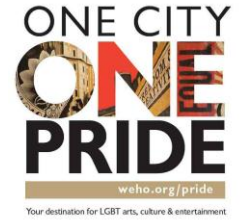


|| Los Angeles Art Association

This annual all-media exhibition highlights LGBT artists from the greater LA Area.
Opening reception June 7. www.laaa.org

The Lavender Effect LGBT Oral History Project & Rainbow Key Awards

June 11



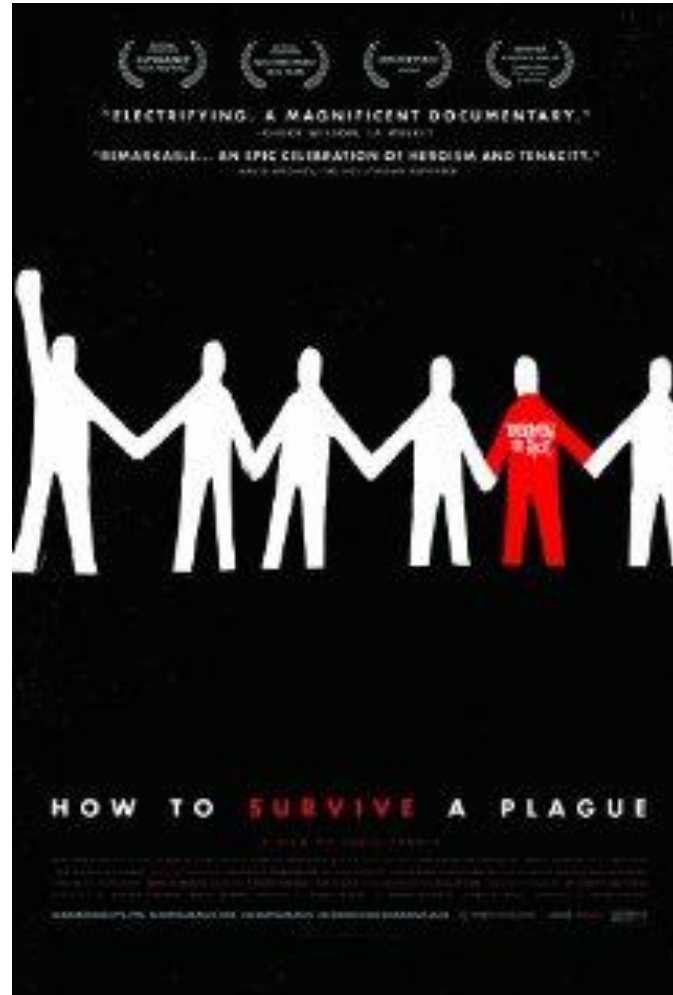
The Lavender Effect is a nonprofit organization dedicated to creating an LGBT Museum and Cultural Center for the LA area. This project would collect oral histories from LGBT leaders and pioneers, to document the LGBT rights movement from those who experienced it first-hand. On June 11, an edited program of oral histories would be presented in the West Hollywood Council Chambers alongside presentation of the City of West Hollywood's annual Rainbow Key Awards, which honor leaders in the LGBT Community.



How to Survive a Plague film screening

June 12

APLA
AIDS Project
Los Angeles



West Hollywood in BLOOM

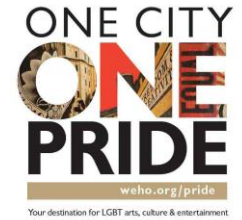
June 13

Discover local queer writers who have appeared in the pages of *BLOOM*, called by Edmund White, “The most exciting new queer literary publication to appear in years.”



Outlaugh Comedy Festival

June 14



America's first queer comedy festival is now in its sixth year. Proceeds from this special evening support The Lavender Effect, a nonprofit organization creating a LGBT Museum and Cultural Center.

www.outlaughfestival.com

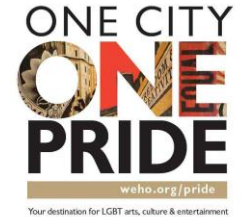


Last year's line-up:



CMG Short Film Festival

June 15-16



JUNE 15 & 16, 2013

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AIDS WALK LA

CALL FOR ENTRIES

THE CALIFORNIA MEN'S GATHERINGS' SHORT FILM FESTIVAL, now in its SECOND YEAR, is newly part of West Hollywood's One City One Pride LGBT Arts Festival. This year we will offer expanded programs and a new location at the West Hollywood Library Council Chambers. Filmmakers are invited to submit their work for inclusion.

THE CMG FILM FESTIVAL SHOWCASES SHORT FILMS that are LGBT-themed, or have some connection to CMG and it's mission, AIDS Walk or the ongoing AIDS crisis, or anything else that you think our community will appreciate. **NEW THIS YEAR:** We will also accept submission of webisodes.

FILMS SUBMITTED MUST BE under 30 minutes. The film need not be new this year, and need not be created by a CMG member. Filmmakers may, of course, be either male or female, and may submit more than one film. The festival may program more than one work by the same filmmaker.

WEBISODES MUST BE from a series begun in either 2012 or 2103. At least two episodes must be completed at the time of submission. The festival is willing to present up to three episodes of a series.

ALL SUBMISSIONS SHOULD CONSIST OF EITHER: (a) two Blu-ray or DVD copies of the film, plus a completed and signed release, and a submission fee of \$5.00 per film or web series entered; OR (b) URL link and password to view film on the web, plus a completed and signed release and submission fee as above. Note: Webisode submission fee is \$5.00 per series, no matter how many episodes are submitted.

SUBMISSION FORM/RELEASE CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.THECMG.ORG/FILM-SUBMISSION. All net proceeds from the CMG Short Film Festival are donated to AIDS WALK LOS ANGELES. Please send questions to filmfest@thecmg.org. **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: MARCH 31, 2013**

CALIFORNIA MEN'S GATHERINGS (CMG) IS A COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION, NOW IN ITS 35TH YEAR, WHICH CREATES AND FOSTERS A SAFE AND SUPPORTIVE SPACE WHERE ALL MEN, REGARDLESS OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AGE, RACE, RELIGION, OR BACKGROUND, CAN TAKE RISKS THAT NOT ONLY EDUCATE, BUT ALSO CHALLENGE, INSPIRE, AND REVITALIZE OUR EMOTIONAL, SPIRITUAL, SOCIAL, AND PHYSICAL LIVES. WE LEARN, GROW, CONNECT, AND SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER BY "BUILDING COMMUNITY ONE MAN AT A TIME".



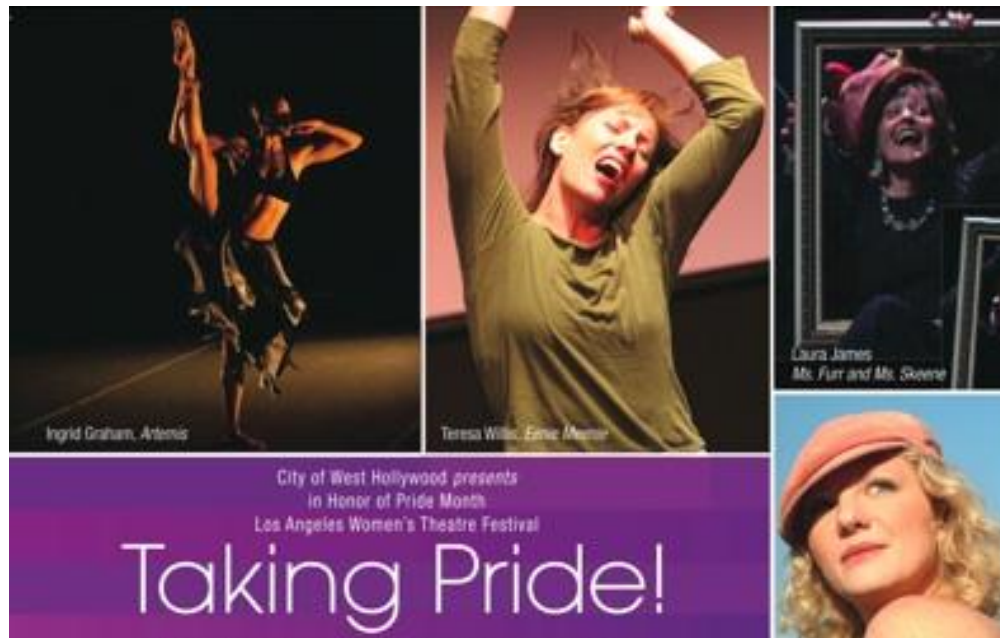
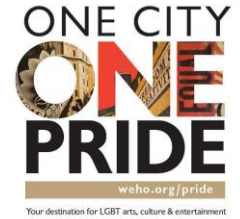
FESTIVAL CO-SPONSORED BY THE CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD. FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ONE CITY ONE PRIDE EVENTS, GO TO WWW.WEHO.ORG/PRIDE.



LA Women's Theatre Festival presents 'PRIDE!'

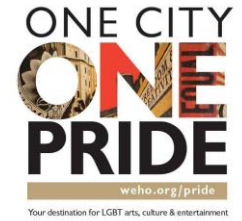
June 15

www.lawtf.com



PRIDE features performances by past Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival artists that speak to the LGBT community and to human, civil and voting rights as part of One City One Pride Festival. The performances will kick-off at 1pm in King's Road Park.

AIDS Project Los Angeles
Red Circle Project Pow Wow
June 15 – Plummer Park



Celebrating Native
American Culture, dance
and music and
providing HIV education
and testing

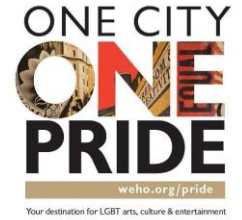


RED
CIRCLE
PROJECT



World's Largest Gay Father's Day Celebration & Summer Sounds Concert Kickoff

June 16, the Abbey & Weho Park, 11am-3pm



SUNDAY JUNE 16TH 11 AM to 3PM

the PopLuck Club

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RAISE A CHILD

The Abbey Food & Bar® PRESENTS the 3rd Annual
FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION
THE LARGEST GAY FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION IN THE WORLD!

SUNDAY JUNE 16TH 11AM - 1PM: Brunch Buffet
1PM - 3PM: Concert in WeHo Park

JOIN OUR COMMUNITY CELEBRATION OF LGBT PARENTHOOD AND DISCOVER THE PARENTING POSSIBILITIES AND SUPPORT THAT ARE AVAILABLE.

SPECIAL BRUNCH BUFFET
\$18 for ADULTS // \$7 for KIDS

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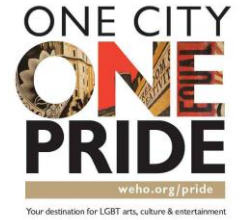
William Sweetlove Exhibition

Opening in June

A bold exhibition of large-scale colorful animals will form their own parade down the median of Santa Monica Boulevard with proceeds of related sculptures to benefit AIDS charities.



Colors of Compassion



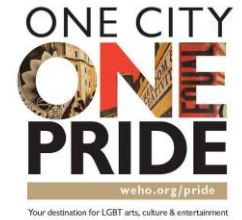
The **COLORS of Compassion** project launches in May 2013 to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the creation of the LGBT Rainbow Flag and the millions of people who continue to be empowered by what has become the icon of the global LGBT community.

Instead of raising more Rainbow Flags for this celebration, the **COLORS of Compassion** is drawing attention to each of the eight original compassionate colors of the flag through a participatory experience of creating flags in the tradition of Tibetan Prayer Flags and sharing those with others who need encouragement, hope and strength in their struggle.



AIDS/LifeCycle riders will carry and display flags along their 545 mile, 7-day trek from San Francisco to West Hollywood, California, and march with them in the parade.

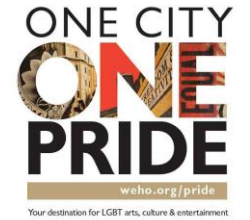
Later in June Festival Events



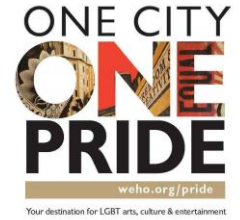
- June 20-23 – Lee Strasberg presents RENT
- June 20 - StagebridgeLA, senior theatre, 'Grey Hair', June 20



Other Partners and Programs



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- Twitter [#wehopride](https://twitter.com/wehopride)
- ArtBeat West Hollywood facebook page www.facebook.com/artbeatwesthollywood