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Our Times Update



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Masquerade Merriment

A Community Event for Social Justice



**Friday, April 4th
9pm to midnight
in the basement at the
Hippodrome State Theatre (25 SE 2nd Pl)**

Pride Community Center of North Central Florida, The Alachua County Branch of the NAACP, and the North Central Florida Coalition for the Homeless and Hungry are partnering to host this kickoff event for the City of Gainesville's month long celebration of Jest Fest! "Celebrating April as Jest Fest! Month, Masquerade Merriment is an Official Jest for Laughs! Event".

This annual Masquerade Party will celebrate Gainesville and raise money for these three organizations working for social justice. A grand party, door prizes, a contest with prizes for the best costumes, hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar—a spectacular evening out! The tickets are only \$30 in advance and \$45 at the door. Tax deductible because you're supporting three great nonprofit organizations. Tickets can be purchased at Pride Community Center, 3131 NW 13th St, Suite 62, on the event website at www.masquerademerriment.org, or by contacting the Homeless Coalition or the NAACP. For more information contact PCCNCF at 352-377-8915 or by e-mail at pcncf@pcncf.org.



Upcoming Community Events:

April: Pride Awareness Month
at University of Florida

Apr 4, 7pm: LGBT Fun &
Games Night

Apr 4, 9pm-midnight: Masquerade
Merriment *(at the Hippodrome)*

Apr 7, 3-5pm: HIV/AIDS &
Safer Sex Seminar!

Apr 11, 7pm: Trans* Movie Night

Apr 18, 7pm: "Orange is the
New Black" Night

Apr 25, 7:30pm: Gay Movie Night

May 2, 7pm: LGBT Fun &
Games Night

May 8: Pride Logo
Contest Deadline

May 9, 7pm: Trans* Movie Night

May 16, 7pm: "Orange is the
New Black" Night

May 18, 4pm: Women's
Sunday Movie

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2014 Pride Logo Contest

\$200 Cash Prize for the design selected by PCCNCF for use as our official 2014 logo. This logo will appear on our 2014 t-shirts, website, Pride Program, and other promotional literature.

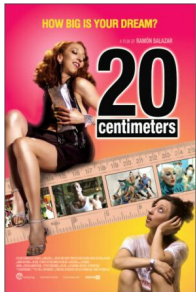
The specifications are as follows:

- ◆ 11" by 12" maximum size
- ◆ Six colors maximum (including black)
- ◆ Submit finished color copy along with electronic file (preferably vector graphic) on CD or DVD
- ◆ Design should at least contain the words "Gainesville, FL" & "Pride" & "2014"
- ◆ Design should be visual representation of Pride 2014 theme: "Pride is 'Family'"

All designs become the property of Pride Community Center of North Central Florida and must be submitted to Pride Community Center at 3131 NW 13th St, Suite 62 by 7:00pm on **May 8th**. For questions about the logo contest, please e-mail pccncf@pccncf.org.



Trans* Movie Night



April 11th at 7pm
20 Centimeters

20 Centímetros (2005) is a Spanish film about a narcoleptic transgender woman's life as she works to get the surgery to fix her "20 centímetros" problem.

Women's Sunday Movie

The Wimmin's Movie Night has changed its name to Women's Sunday Movie and date from the first Sunday of the month to the third Sunday of the month. Since the third Sunday in April is Easter Sunday, the next Women's Sunday Movie will be on May 18. The time remains the same at 4:00 pm. All women are welcome!

ANNOUNCING...



FUN & GAMES NIGHT at the Pride Community Center

What it is: An LGBT social night for players of Chess, Checkers, Monopoly, and other popular board games

When is it: We'll be having our third get-together on Friday, April 4 at 7pm.

Come join us. Meet new friends and have fun playing your favorite games.

Info & Contact: Paul at 352-339-4589 or pauldj108@gmail.com

HIV/AIDS and Safer Sex Seminar!



When? April 7th, 3:00pm to 5:00pm

Where? PCCNCF on 13th Street

PCCNCF Volunteers! Come join us for a two hour talk and seminar on safer sex. Topics include the history of HIV, dispelling myths about HIV, STD testing procedures, laws regarding HIV, safer sex techniques, and up to date information about STD's. Need to brush up on your knowledge? Want to learn more about being safe? We hope to see you there.

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Hours of Operation: Mon-Fri, 3-7pm; Sat, 12-4pm

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