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STREETS

MAY 22 - JUNE 30

40 DAYS OF LGBTQ ARTS



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One City One Pride LGBTQ Arts Festival

The City of West Hollywood, through its One City One Pride LGBTQ Arts Festival, celebrates pride in 2016 with the festival theme "Into the Streets," (based on a rallying cry of early LGBTQ rights groups "Out of the Closet and Into the Streets"). One City One Pride comprises mostly free interactive, performing and visual arts events between May 22 (Harvey Milk Day) through the end of June Pride month.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FESTIVAL INCLUDE:

- **JUNE 4**, a day in West Hollywood Park with art interventions and a history tour originally written by Stuart Timmons, co-author of "Gay LA,"
- **JUNE 8**, a special Zócalo/Getty panel on the artistic significance of Mapplethorpe,
- **AND THROUGH JUNE 27**, an exhibit on the history of drag and its significance to the LGBTQ community on view at the West Hollywood Library, entitled 'A Brief History of Drag.'

For more information please visit www.weho.org/pride or follow us at [@WeHoArts](https://www.instagram.com/WeHoArts).

Events Calendar

MAY 22, 3PM | History

Harvey Milk Day Screening

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



Harvey Milk was the first openly-gay person to be elected to U.S. public office. Join the City for a free screening of "Milk," followed by a panel discussion and small reception. Free admission.

www.weho.org

MAY 24, 7PM | Literary

Lambda Literary Finalists reading

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



Join us for readings by the Los Angeles area finalists for the annual Lambda Literary Awards. Free admission.

www.lambdaliterary.org

MAY 25, 7:30PM | Music/Lecture

Queer California - On Music and Mapping

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



How does sprawl sound? Karen Tongson and Raquel Gutierrez explore the ways identities impact psychogeographies. This conversation will musically map some of Southern California's "peripheral" spaces of queer sociability. Free admission.

www.calgbtartsalliance.com/events/upcoming-alliance-events

MAY 31, 7:30PM | Literary

Lambda Literary Book Club

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.

City Poet Steven Reigns leads a book discussion around Felice Picano's *Nights at Rizzoli*. Free admission.

www.lambdaliterary.org/book-clubs/lambda-lit-book-club

JUNE 1, 7:30PM | Film

Outfest WeHo Screening: Wedding Wars

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



With same-sex marriage now the law of the land, it's worth looking back a decade to celebrate the tenth anniversary of this

hilarious comedy from director Jim Fall ("Trick"). Free admission. RSVP required. www.outfest.org/weho-series

JUNE 4, 11AM-2PM | History/Performance Art

Stuart Timmons LGBTQ History Tour



Tour starts from West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Blvd.

Stuart Timmons, co-author of "Gay LA" suffered a stroke before his West Hollywood LGBTQ History Tour was completed. Thanks to a team of helpers and a grant from the City of West Hollywood through One City One Pride, the tour will be restaged with a cast of colorful characters from different eras stationed along the route. Free to participate. <http://bit.ly/LGBTQ2016Tour> or www.stuarttimmons.com/weho-history-tour

JUNE 4, 12PM-3PM | Art Intervention

Army of Lovers

West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Blvd.



Join us for an afternoon of interactive creative queer activism. Participants will be lead through a series of hands-on activities including: personal manifesto making, glitter adornment, costume fun, a mini liberation march and more,

all ending in a glamorous outdoor modeling session / photo shoot shoot for all your queer social media needs. Come show us what Pride means to you! Organized by artist Ian MacKinnon. Free to participate. <http://bit.ly/ArmyofLovers2016>

JUNE 4, 1PM-4PM | Art Intervention

Art 3F's Art Out! ▀

West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Blvd.



APT 3F takes over West Hollywood Park for an afternoon arts laboratory – Art Out! Discover live musicians (Mariachi Arconis, Adrian Banuelos, ETM, Coral Lobera, Rebecca Norris), readings (City Poet Steven Reigns, homo-centric), kids craft tables (JP of Craft Night at Akbar), chalk art (David Rasmussen), dance (1122 Dance Company) and drag (Rubella Sparks, Martin Matamoras) all celebrating pride and art. Free to attend.

<http://bit.ly/ArtOut2016>

JUNE 4 - 5, 6PM-7PM | Theatre

“Working OUT” presented by New Stages ▀

Renberg Theatre at the LA LGBT Center's Village at Ed Gould Plaza, 1125 N. McCadden Pl., L.A.

LGBTQ seniors share their experiences of the journey toward equality in an evening of songs and stories based loosely on the 1970s musical “Working” by Stephen Schwartz and Nina Faso. New Stages produces dynamic arts experiences for senior citizens. Free admission. www.facebook.com/artandaging

JUNE 5, 3PM | Music

Vox Femina Rocks! ▀▀

Congregation Kol Ami, 1200 N. La Brea Ave, West Hollywood

Rock out with Vox Femina! Featuring music from rock legends to indie rock to top of pop. Vox will sing and jam to the music of David Bowie, Joni Mitchell, Adele, Lady Gaga, Indigo Girls and many other artists, including many gay icons. Come see Vox as you've never seen them before! Free admission.

www.voxfemina.org/concerts-events

JUNE 7, 7PM | Lecture

Human Rights Speakers Series

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd

Join the City of West Hollywood for a Human Rights Speakers Series on LGBT Rights around the world. Free admission. www.weho.org

JUNE 8, 7:30PM | Visual Art/Lecture

What Did Robert Mapplethorpe Teach Us?

A Zócalo/Getty “Open Art” event hosted by WeHo Arts

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



How did Mapplethorpe change photography—and the perception of photography as an art? Coinciding with a major retrospective of his work, join J. Paul Getty Museum curator Paul Martineau, fine arts photographer Catherine Opie, LACMA curator Britt Salvesen, and painter and Yale art historian Jonathan Weinberg in a discussion on how Mapplethorpe continues to teach us, even now, a quarter century after his untimely death at age 42. Free admission.

JUNE 9 - 26 | Theatre

Hollywood Fringe / One City One Pride ▀▀



The Hollywood Fringe Festival is an open and uncensored community-derived event. The Fringe's eastern border is usually Gardner Street, but through a special collaboration with the City, LGBTQ shows can take place throughout West Hollywood as part of One City One Pride. Visit the website to find shows taking place in WeHo. Shows sponsored through this partnership are: **Actor's Company:** *God's Waiting Room, Life's a B**** and So Am I, The Gay Guide to Tinseltown, Sarah G's Spot: The #1 Ballsy Woman*; **Bar Lubitsch:** *Snatched...Stories from Down There*; **MACHA Theatre:** *Reclaimed Freedom: Fact or Fiction, Skin of Honey/Piel de Miel, The Collection of Harold Pinter/Anniversary by Rachel Bonds*. Times, dates, and ticket prices vary. www.hollywoodfringe.org/weho

JUNE 10, 6PM-9PM opening reception | Visual Art

LA Art Association “Out There” exhibit ▀▀

(runs through June 17)

Gallery 825, 825 N. La Cienega Blvd.



The 9th annual LAAA Out There group exhibition asks artists to examine West Hollywood's commitment to the LGBT community. Gallery hours 10am-5pm every day except Monday. Free Admission.

www.gallery825.com

JUNE 10, 6PM | Community Event

Dyke March

The Dyke March kicks off from West Hollywood Park with a 6pm program followed by a march at 7pm down Santa Monica Blvd.

JUNE 10 - 12 | Multidisciplinary/Community Event

LA Pride Festival

West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Blvd.



The LA Pride Festival is produced by CSW (Christopher Street West) and features performances by Carly Rae Jepsen, Charli XCX, DJs Krewella, Faith Evans, Big Freedia and more. For the full line-up of entertainment and to purchase tickets, visit www.lapride.org

JUNE 11 - 12 | Art Installation

"Got Framed" art installation at LA Pride



"Got Framed" is a playful, interactive art piece that encourages people to step up, take a picture, and 'be the art'. Even the City background becomes a character in the picture. This large-scale artwork debuted at Burning Man 2015, and through a grant from One City One Pride will be on display at the LA Pride festival in West Hollywood. Ticket purchase is required to enter the LA Pride festival grounds, except on Friday from 6-8pm. Tickets at www.lapride.org

JUNE 12, 11 AM | Art Intervention

LA Pride Parade and FATA (From the Archives to the Archives -- Queer Signs of the Times 1965-2016)

Artist Ruben Esparza: One City One Pride art project

The LA Pride parade comes back to West Hollywood and runs from Crescent Heights Blvd. to San Vicente Blvd. along Santa Monica Blvd. Queer Signs of the Times 1965-2016 will include 75 re-created protest signs that will be taken to the streets in a



mock protest rally, depicting historical signs dating as far back as 1965 as part of the City of West Hollywood parade contingent and Queer Biennial II, created and organized by artist Ruben Esparza. Free to attend. Kick off from Crescent Heights at 11 am.

www.lapride.org

JUNE 14, 7PM | Lecture

Human Rights Speakers Series

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
Join the City of West Hollywood for a Human Rights Speakers Series on LGBT Rights in China. Free admission. www.weho.org

JUNE 15, 2PM-3:30PM | Film/History **"Stonewall Uprising" film screening**



*WeHo Library Community Meeting Room,
625 N. San Vicente Blvd.*

Join the West Hollywood Library for a free screening of the PBS film, "American Experience: Stonewall Uprising" which explores the events of June 28, 1969 which are commemorated annually with June Pride month. Free admission.

(310) 652-5340

JUNE 15, 7PM | Literary/Lecture

Felice Picano Talk: Gay Hollywood in the 1930's

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
Join author Felice Picano for a talk on how extremely gay the Hollywood film industry was during this era, despite the strictures of the Hays Commission. Followed by a short reading from his novella "Wonder City of the West." Free admission.

JUNE 16, 7:30PM | Literary/History

The Lavender Effect presents "Stand By Me: The Forgotten History of Gay Liberation" reading

WeHo Library Community Meeting Room, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



Join historian Jim Downs for a book reading and Q & A around his new book "Stand By Me: The Forgotten History of Gay Liberation" co-

sponsored by the LA County Public Library. Free admission. Space is limited, please reserve seats at www.thelavendereffect.org/events.

JUNE 17 - 18 | Multidisciplinary/Community Event **Trans Pride**

The Village at Ed Gould Plaza, LA LGBT Center, 1125 N. McCadden Pl.
Trans Pride kicks off on June 17 at 7pm, with a Big Queer Convo with trans activist CeCe McDonald followed by the reception for the art exhibit "We Can Be Heroes" from 9-10pm (exhibit remains on view until July 23). Come back for a day of performances, workshops, and music on June 18 from 12pm-9:30pm. Free to attend.

JUNE 18, 10AM-6PM **Multidisciplinary/Community Event**

6th Annual

"Celebrating All Life and Creation" Pow Wow

Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd.

Join Red Circle Project of AIDS Project LA for a full day of traditional Native American music, dance, crafts and food, along with HIV testing and prevention resources. Free to attend.

<http://bit.ly/APLAPowWow>

JUNE 21, 7PM-8PM | Literary

QueerWise "Selfies:

Exploring Our Multitudinous Selves" -

The Village at Ed Gould Plaza, LA LGBT Center, 1125 N. McCadden
LGBTQ writers aged 50+ reveal their funny, thoughtful, brave, sexy, proud and unique selves in a spoken word performance. Free admission. No RSVP is necessary.

JUNE 21, 7:30PM | Theatre

Celebration Theatre

Chuck Rowland Award / New Works Series

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



Celebration Theatre will present their annual Chuck Rowland Award for contributions to LGBTQ theatre along with a staged reading of "Pathetic Fallacy," which tells the story of Julie, a hyper-sensitive Catholic school girl who discovers she's attracted to girls. Free admission, with donations accepted. No RSVP is necessary.

JUNE 22, 6:30PM | Community Event

Rainbow Key Awards

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
This year the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board honors Jay M. Kohorn, Mark Lehman, Carol Taylor-DiPietro, the West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation, and Ruth Williams with awards for their dedication to the Lesbian and Gay community. 6:30pm reception, 7pm program. Free admission. www.weho.org

JUNE 23, 7:30PM | Literary

Charles Pierce Biography

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
Professor and author Chris Freeman interviews the author of the new book on drag artist Charles Pierce along with a book signing, video clips, and a Q&A. Free admission.

JUNE 25 & 26, 1PM | Theatre

ALAP Pride Play Reading Festival

Plummer Park Community Center, Rms 5/6, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd.
Two programs of rehearsed readings of LGBTQ-themed plays written by members of The Alliance of Los Angeles Playwrights (ALAP). Saturday's program will feature 6 short plays, while Sunday will feature a single full-length play. Free admission.

JUNE 25, 4PM-7PM | Art Intervention

REACH LA 'Dancing in the Streets'

West Hollywood Park, 647 N. San Vicente Blvd.



REACH LA is a service organization that outreaches to disadvantaged youth of color through the ball community, and have performed at MOCA and for various One City One Pride events over the years. Tapping into their talented pool of performers, West Hollywood

will come alive with unexpected dance performances and interventions. For instance, two men at a picnic table playing chess, will suddenly break into a choreographed vogue dance-off. Other performances will take place in various parts of the park and sidewalk. Free admission.

JUNE 26, 4PM | Music

"I Stand Corrected" film screening and Summer Sounds concert with Jennifer Leitham



In 2001 Leitham transitioned from being known as John Leitham to Jennifer Leitham while on tour with Doc Severinson, a story that was the subject of an award winning documentary, "I Stand Corrected." Join us for a free screening at 2pm, followed by a Q&A with filmmaker Andrea Meyerson. At 4pm, Jennifer will perform as part of the City's free

Summer Sounds concerts series in the City Hall Community Plaza, 8300 Santa Monica Blvd. Free to attend. No RSVP is necessary. <http://bit.ly/SSJL2016>

JUNE 28, 7:30PM | Literary

Lambda Literary Book Club

WeHo Library Community Meeting Room, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



City Poet Steven Reigns leads a book discussion on What Belongs to You by Garth Greenwell. Free admission.

www.lambdaliterary.org/book-clubs/lambda-lit-book-club

JUNE 29, 7:30PM | Film

OutSet Fifth Anniversary screening

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
OutSet is a filmmaking workshop for LGBTQ young people between the ages of 16-24 through a collaboration of the LA LGBT Center and Outfest. Join Outfest for a special anniversary screening. \$10 general/\$6 Outfest members. www.outfest.org

JUNE 30, 7PM | Literary

Lesbian Speaker Series / WeHo Reads / One City One Pride: Natalie Goldberg in conversation with West Hollywood City Poet Steven Reigns

West Hollywood City Council Chambers, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.
Join us for this special conversation on the 30th anniversary of Natalie Goldberg's classic *Writing Down the Bones - Freeing the Writer Within*. Free admission. www.weho.org/wehoreads

WEHO ARTS EXHIBITS

A Brief History of Drag exhibit through June 27

History/Visual Art

West Hollywood Library, 625 N. San Vicente Blvd.



This exhibit at the WeHo Arts library exhibition spaces is an overview of the history of drag in Los Angeles County, and describes the importance of 'drag queens' and others in the early LGBTQ rights movement. The exhibit consists of photographs drawn from both the ONE Archives and taken by photographer Austin Young. Curated by Katie Poltz and Jessica Fowler of the LA LGBT Center and David Attyah of Glendale Community College as a result of a collaboration

between the City of West Hollywood, LA LGBT Center and Center for Performing Arts at UCLA. Free admission during library hours.

<http://weho.org/residents/drag-angeles-one-city-one-pride>.

ONE Archives: "C**k, Paper, Scissors" -- Visual Art

Long Hall, Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd.

Funded in part by a grant through WeHo Arts, "C**k, Paper, Scissors" brings together collage works



by fifteen artists who reuse print culture for world making projects ranging from the era of gay liberation to the present. Artists include Steven Blevins, Enrique Castrejon, Marlene McCarty, Jonathan Molina-Garcia, Glenn Ligon, Olaf Odgaard, Anita Steckel, Ingo Swann, Jade Yumang, and a site-specific installation by feminist pioneer Mary Beth Edelson. The exhibit will be open to the public Thursday-Sunday, 1-5pm (Closed

Monday through Wednesday) through July 10. Admission is free. This exhibit contains nudity. Viewer discretion is advised.

One City One Pride is organized by the City of West Hollywood through WeHo Arts (the City's Arts & Cultural Affairs Commission and Arts & Economic Development Division) through an open process, with input from the City's Lesbian & Gay Advisory Board, Transgender Advisory Board, and other community partners.

This year One City One Pride is additionally supported through a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA).

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PARKING

- 1** West Hollywood City Council Chambers/Library
5-story Public/Park Parking Structure on El Torero Pl.
FREE validated parking will be provided for event attendees. 1 hour free other times
- 6** Plummer Park
- 7** Free parking is available in both parking lots at Plummer Park. The south parking lot, accessible from Santa Monica Blvd. - 3 hour time limit. The north parking lot with access from Fountain Ave. - no time restrictions.
- 9** LA LGBT Center
Limited parking is available directly across the street.

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