

Expand Your Network: A Supplier Diversity Networking Event

Join the Independence Business Alliance and the BRIC to meet local LGBT business and nonprofit leaders. Light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, June 7 | 6:30–8:00 p.m. | Business Resource & Innovation Center (BRIC)

Remembering GALA Visual Arts: 18 Years of Local LGBTQ Artists' Exhibitions

Join us in celebrating local LGBTQ artists' wide-ranging points of view with a retrospective account of 18 seasons of GALA Visual Arts' sometimes provocative but always entertaining exhibitions.

Wednesday, June 14 | 6:30–8:00 p.m. | Art Department

All-Ages Drag Show

Parkway Central's Philbrick Hall will host this exciting event. Details coming soon! Call 215-686-5320 for more information.

Wednesday, June 28 | 4:00–7:00 p.m. | Room 108

Drag Queen Storytime

Details for this exciting storytime are still being determined. Call 215-686-5369 for more information.

Date/Time: TBD | Central Children's Department

PHILADELPHIA CITY INSTITUTE | 215-685-6621

#WERQURVOICE

The Rainbow Experience: Radio Podcasting and Youth Making Media internship is premiering three podcasts that talk about the problems LGBTQ+ youth face in today's society.

Wednesday, June 14 | 6:00 p.m.

Proud of Our Families, Proud of Ourselves!

Bring your family to share stories about queer families, gender identity and expression, and Pride Month!

Saturday, June 17 | 2:00 p.m. | Meet at the goat statue in Rittenhouse Square

(Rain location: PCI Children's Room)

Wednesday, June 21 | 4:00 p.m. | PCI Children's Room

Transgender Experiences in Literature

AJ Young—a Ph.D. candidate and adjunct professor who is a member of the transgender community—will discuss transgender experiences in literature.

Wednesday, June 28 | 6:30 p.m.

QUEEN MEMORIAL LIBRARY | 215-685-1899

LGBTQ Collaborative Art Project

LGBTQ-themed books, movies, and comics will be on display, along with all the supplies you need to contribute to a collage inside the library.

Tuesday, June 13 | 3:00 p.m.

LGBTQ Storytime!

Join Miss Liz for a fun-filled family storytime. We will read, dance, sing, and play, all while exploring LGBTQ themes.

Friday, June 16 | 11:00 a.m.

RAMONITA G. de RODRIGUEZ LIBRARY | 215-686-1768

The Ramonita G. de Rodriguez Book Group

In June, our book group will be discussing a to-be-determined selection written by an author from the LGBTQIA+ community.

Wednesday, June 14 | 5:30 p.m.

Fabulous Fun: A Gender-Diverse/LGBTQIA+ Storytime Celebration

Children ages 3 to 8 and their caregivers are invited to explore what makes us unique through colorful stories, music, dress-up, and more.

Monday, June 26 | 11:30 a.m.

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA LIBRARY | 215-685-1866

Health Resource Fair

Join Philadelphia FIGHT's Y-HEP, the Linda Creed Breast Cancer organization, and Rainbow Circle to learn more about HIV, STIs, and breast health.

Friday, June 16 | 2:00–6:00 p.m.

You Can't Kill a Poet

This event for all ages is part of an ongoing LGBTQ poetry series.

Monday, June 19 | 6:00 p.m.

THOMAS F. DONATUCCI, SR. LIBRARY | 215-685-1755

Teen Sexual Health: LGBTQ+ Cultural Competency

Teens ages 13 to 18 are invited to this program in the Teen Sexual Health Series from Philadelphia FIGHT's Y-HEP.

Tuesday, June 6 | 4:30 p.m.

Read-Aloud, Crafts, and Treats

Children ages 6 to 12 are invited to a special storytime. They can also enjoy crafting a rainbow mobile and creating rainbow water ice!

Tuesday, June 6 | 4:30 p.m.

TORRESDALE LIBRARY | 215-685-0494

Movie Night: *In and Out*

Join us for a viewing of this comedy about a midwestern teacher who questions his sexuality after a former student makes a comment about him at the Academy Awards.

Light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, June 7 | 6:00 p.m.

WALNUT STREET WEST LIBRARY | 215-685-7671

Queer Family Storytime

Join us for a diverse storytime for all ages featuring books with feminist and LGBTQ themes, families, and situations.

Friday, June 16 | 10:30–11:15 a.m.

WEST OAK LANE LIBRARY | 215-685-2843

SOGIE for Teens

Y-HEP at Philadelphia FIGHT presents information on sexual orientation and gender identity and expression (SOGIE).

Tuesday, June 13 | 4:30 p.m.

Rainbow Storytime

Celebrate families and gender diversity through stories and songs, with a visit from the magical "Rainbow Traveling Trunk."

Tuesday, June 20 | 6:30 p.m.

For information about **Free Library book displays** celebrating #30DaysOfGay, please visit freelibrary.org/pride.

Note: Y-HEP is the Youth Health Empowerment Project at Philadelphia FIGHT, a comprehensive AIDS service organization providing HIV primary care, consumer education, advocacy, social services, outreach, and access to clinical research.

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Calendar of Events June 1 – June 30, 2017

Programs for Children, Teens, and Adults



freelibrary.org/pride



ANDORRA LIBRARY | 215-685-2552**Breast Health Information for All**

A representative from the Linda Creed Breast Cancer organization will host an informative presentation on breast health for all, including the LGBT community.

Tuesday, June 6 | 6:00–8:00 p.m.

BLANCHE A. NIXON/COBBS CREEK LIBRARY | 215-685-1973**Movie Night: *Philadelphia***

Come watch the 1993 film *Philadelphia*—one of the first mainstream films to acknowledge HIV/AIDS, homosexuality, and homophobia. Light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, June 7 | 5:30 p.m.

BUSHROD LIBRARY | 215-685-1471**Get Your *Gayme* On**

We supply the games, you bring the fabulous! Playing for PRIDE, not prizes. Open to all adults and older teens.

Thursdays: June 1, 15, 22, 29 | 5:00 p.m.

Free Stories with a Twist

We'll be handing out a different Flash Fiction story (each with a gay twist) every day of the month.

All Month

BUSTLETON LIBRARY | 215-685-0472**Philadelphia FIGHT Presents...Teen Topics**

Y-HEP at Philadelphia FIGHT presents a program on sexual health for urban youth ages 13 to 24.

Thursdays: June 22, 29; July 6 | 3:30 p.m.

CHARLES SANTORE LIBRARY | 215-686-1766**Attic Youth Presents “Early Messages” and “The Power of Words, Micro-Aggressions”**

Students in grades 7 and 8 are invited to join these programs on the importance of words.

Pre-registration required. Call librarian Jeanne Hamann for more information.

Tuesday, June 6 | 1:45–2:45 p.m.

Preserving our Legacy: A Discussion with Philadelphia’s Black LGBT Elders

Join a cross section of black LGBT elders ages 65+ in a discussion of Philadelphia’s black LGBT history. For more information, call 215-686-1766 or visit coloursorganization.org.

Date/Time: TBD

CHESTNUT HILL LIBRARY | 215-685-9290**Hop on Board the Rainbow Train**

Join singer/songwriter Chana Rothman to celebrate freedom and diversity in gender expression and social change in this fun, creative family concert.

Saturday, June 17 | 10:30 a.m.

Movie Night: *Do I Sound Gay?*

Join us for a documentary following journalist David Thorpe on a hilarious and touching journey of self-discovery, confronting his anxiety about “sounding gay.” A discussion will follow.

Monday, June 19 | 6:30–8:00 p.m.

DAVID COHEN OGONTZ LIBRARY | 215-685-3566**Pizza Party with Attic Youth Center**

The Attic Youth Center will discuss its services and how we can create safe spaces for LGBTQ students in the classroom and at libraries. For children in K–8th grade.

Monday, June 5 | 3:30 p.m.

Drag Queen Storytime!

What could be more fabulous than having some favorite fairytales and other stories read by an actual queen? (A drag queen.) For children of all ages.

Thursday, June 22 | 4:00 p.m.

FISHTOWN COMMUNITY LIBRARY | 215-685-9990**Breast Health Information for All**

A representative from the Linda Creed Breast Cancer organization will host an informative presentation on breast health for all, including the LGBT community.

Wednesday, June 7 | 6:00 p.m.

FUMO FAMILY LIBRARY | 215-685-1758**Movie Night: *Moonlight***

Join us for a viewing of this 2016 award-winning movie, a coming-of-age story about an African American gay man growing up in a rough neighborhood in Miami.

Monday, June 12 | 5:30 p.m.

Speaker Mark Segal Discusses LGBTQ Activism

Mark Segal—president of the National Gay Newspaper Guild and the publisher of the *Philadelphia Gay News*—will speak about his book *And Then I Danced: Traveling the Road to LGBT Equality*.

Monday, June 19 | 6:00 p.m.

HOLMESBURG LIBRARY | 215-685-8756**Breast Health Information for All**

A representative from the Linda Creed Breast Cancer organization will host an informative presentation on breast health for all, including the LGBT community.

Wednesday, June 28 | 6:30–7:30 p.m.

INDEPENDENCE LIBRARY | 215-685-1633**Reading Out Loud**

Join us in front of the Barbara Gittings Gay/Lesbian Collection for a reading of selections from the works of LGBTQ writers.

Friday, June 9 | 1:00 p.m.

Movie Matinee: *Happy Together* (春光乍泄)

Join us for a viewing of this vivid depiction of two men from Hong Kong in an intense on-again-off-again relationship.

Saturday, June 10 | 2:00 p.m.

Proud to Be You and Me—We Are Family!

Celebrate families and gender diversity with a rainbow storytime time filled with stories, songs, and a “make-and-take” rainbow craft.

Tuesday, June 13 | 10:30 a.m.

Presenting the John J. Wilcox, Jr. Archives

Archivist Bob Skiba will give a close-up look at the John J. Wilcox, Jr. Archives at the William Way LGBT Community Center.

Friday, June 23 | 1:00 p.m.

JOSEPH E. COLEMAN NORTHWEST REGIONAL LIBRARY | 215-685-2150**Breast Health Information for All**

A representative from the Linda Creed Breast Cancer organization will host an informative presentation on breast health for all, including the LGBT community.

Saturday, June 24 | 1:00–3:00 p.m.

KATHARINE DREXEL LIBRARY | 215-685-9383**Afternoon Movie: *Dog Day Afternoon***

Join us for a film based on the real-life story of a Brooklyn bank held hostage in the 1970s by a gay bank robber determined to steal enough money for his male lover to undergo a sex-change operation.

Saturday, June 3 | 1:00 p.m.

Afternoon Movie: *Brokeback Mountain*

Join us for the award-winning story of a forbidden and secretive relationship between two cowboys.

Saturday, June 17 | 1:00 p.m.

KENSINGTON LIBRARY | 215-685-9996**STI Info for Teens**

Y-HEP at Philadelphia FIGHT presents information for teens on how to protect against sexually transmitted infections.

Monday, June 26 | 1:00–2:00 p.m.

Healthy Dating Workshop for Teens

Y-HEP at Philadelphia FIGHT presents information for teens on how to create healthy relationships and protect against dating violence.

Wednesday, June 28 | 1:00–2:00 p.m.

KINGSESSING LIBRARY | 215-685-2690**Pride Month Storytime**

Celebrate with a children’s storytime filled with LGBTQ- and diversity-themed stories.

Wednesday, June 28 | 10:00 a.m.

LUCIEN E. BLACKWELL WEST PHILADELPHIA REGIONAL LIBRARY | 215-685-7424**Movie Matinee: *Moonlight***

Join us for a viewing of this 2016 award-winning movie, a coming-of-age story about an African American gay man growing up in a rough neighborhood in Miami.

Saturday, June 3 | 2:00 p.m.

Movie Matinee: *Lady Valor: The Kristin Beck Story*

Join us for a viewing of this documentary about a U.S. Navy SEAL who began to live her life truthfully as a transgender woman after 20 years of service.

Saturday, June 10 | 2:00 p.m.

Building Our Legacy: Creating a Civil Rights Movement Among LGBTQIA+ People of Color

This discussion, presented by the Colours Organization, will explore questions about the population of LGBTQIA+ people of color (POC) in Philadelphia.

Tuesday, June 13 | 5:30–7:30 p.m.

Gender Identity Workshop for Kids

Learn about gender, gender identity, and gender expression with a story, video, discussion, and craft project.

Wednesday, June 14 | 4:00 p.m.

NORTHEAST REGIONAL LIBRARY | 215-685-0522**Movie Night: *Trembling Before G-d***

Join us for a viewing of a documentary film following what happens to Hasidic and Orthodox Jews who are gay. The film is 80 minutes, with a discussion to follow.

Tuesday, June 13 | 6:00 p.m.

OAK LANE LIBRARY | 215-685-2848**Movie Night: *Moonlight***

Join us for a viewing of this 2016 award-winning movie, a coming-of-age story about an African American gay man growing up in a rough neighborhood in Miami.

Wednesday, June 14 | 6:00 p.m.

PARKWAY CENTRAL LIBRARY | 215-686-5322**Philadelphia Stories at the Culinary Literacy Center**

Join Philadelphia gay historian Bob Skiba and chef Stephanie Thaw to learn about her cookbook and sample featured recipes. Pre-registration required online at freelibrarycook.eventbrite.com.

Monday, June 5 | 6:00–8:30 p.m. | Culinary Literacy Center (CLC)