

Splish, splash!

July 27 • Charlotte **Campus Pride Pool Party**

Come out and support Campus Pride, the Charlotte-based national non-profit serving LGBT college students, at a special pool party featuring 2012 Athlete of the Year Jack Mackenroth, all-American swimmer, HIV activist, celebrity fitness model and "Project Runway" fashion designer. Home of Greg Jenkins and Shawn Rawleigh, 447 Wonderwood Dr. 1:30-4 p.m. Minimum \$75 donation requested. Drinks & hors d'oeuvres. Pool attire, campuspride.org.

Through July 21 • Charlotte **Charlotte Black Gay Pride**

Celebrate with Charlotte Black Gay Pride and a week-long series of special events. cbgp.org.

July 20 • Charlotte

Center Bingo The LGBT Community Center of Charlotte hosts its monthly bingo. July

theme and guest bingo diva yet to be announced. 2508 N. Davidson St. 7-10 p.m. gaycharlotte.com.

July 20 • Charlotte SCC 'Saddles Up'

The guys and gals of Southern **Country Charlotte** head back out for a night of fun at Saddle Up Saloon, Charlotte's newest Country Western bar. The group visited last month and it is returning for another night of line dancing, good drinks and good fun. Saddle Up Saloon, 820 Hamilton St., Suite B11. 8 p.m. southerncountrycharlotte.com.

July 25-28 • Durham Triangle Black Pride

Shades of Pride presents the fourth annual Triangle Black Pride. shadesofpride.org.

July 26 • Charlotte **Electric Run**

The boys of Just Twirl invite you to join them on their team in the Electric Run Charlotte. A unique twist on the traditional 5k. A takeover event and after party are also planned. electricrun.com/charlotte and justtwirl.com.

July 27 • Charlotte Pride Parade Q&A

Charlotte Pride hosts an informational meeting to answer questions about participating in this year's Charlotte Pride Parade. Caldwell Presbyterian Church, 1609 E. 5th St. 10:30 a.m. charlottepride.org.

Aug. 1 • Charlotte

Amendment One, DOMA and Gay Law 101 Attorney Connie Vetter hosts a discussion and presentation on post-Amendment One and DOMA court decision law as it relates to LGBT individuals and couples. Come with questions and comments! LGBT Community

Center of Charlotte, 2508 N. Davidson St. gaycharlotte.com.

Aug. 6 • Charlotte Film: LGBTQ Issues and Elementary Schools

Time Out Youth presents a special screen-

ing of the award-winning film "What Do You Know?" The film features young people ranging in age from 6 to 12 and their thoughts on gays and lesbians. The event will also feature a talk-back session with Welcoming Schools, a national program of the Human Rights Campaign Foundation. The program's associate director, Kisha Webster, will be in Charlotte for the event. LGBT Community

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Aug. 16-25 • Charlotte **Charlotte Pride Week**

Charlotte Pride partners with community organizations and businesses to present 10 full days of activities culminating with its

Charlotte Pride Festival and Parade on Aug. 24-25. More details on Pride Week events to be announced soon at charlottepride.org.

Aug. 16 • Charlotte **LGBTQ Law Center**

The Freedom Center for Social Justice LGBTO Law Center will host its grand opening and silent auction. The center aims to eliminate barriers to justice and assist marginal-

ized community members by providing direct legal services, community education and community resources to the LGBTQ community in North Carolina. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte, 2508 N. Davidson St. 6:30-8:30 p.m. fcsj.org. facebook.com/fcsjlaw.

Submit your event to our new calendar!

You can now submit your event to a special comprehensive community calendar presented by qnotes, the **LGBT Community Center of Charlotte** and Visit Gay Charlotte. Submit your event at goqnotes.com/eventsubmit/ and get a three-for-one entry. All Charlotte-area events will appear on each of the three calendars at qnotes (goqnotes.com), the LGBT Center (gaycharlotte.com) and Visit Gay Charlotte (visitgaycharlotte.com).

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