

CALENDAR **CTOBER-NOVEMBER 2013**

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Sidelines Halloween Sidelines Sports Bar 4544 South Blvd., Charlotte

It's Sidelines' "Creepy Slumber Party," their annual Halloween celebration

thesidelinesbar.com

Good vs. Evil

L4 Lounge 2906 Central Ave., Charlotte

L4 Lounge hosts its Halloween party with a Good vs. Evil costume contest and drink specials. \$5/21+. \$10/18-20. facebook.com/L4Lounge

Sleepy Hallow

The Bar at 316 316 Rensselaer Ave., Charlotte 9:30 p.m.

Ghosts, goblins and creatures of fright at The Bar at 316's Halloween party! Costume contest with \$300 cash prize. facebook.com/bar.threesixteen

OCT

ATL v. NC Halloween Chasers

3217 The Plaza, Charlotte 9 p.m. Chasers Nightclub hosts

Eroticized Dezires Entertainment from Atlanta for a night of Halloween fun. Cover is \$10 or \$8 from 9-11 p.m. if you're wearing a costume. chaserscharlotte.com

Latin Drag Halloween

Cathode Azure 1820 South Blvd., Charlotte 10 p.m. cathodeazure.com

NOV

BRIEF Extravaganza 1610 N. Tryon St., Charlotte 7-11 p.m. The 2013 BRIEF-A Fete for

Fashion Event returns to the runway with 24 of the hottest models strutting their stuff while raising funds for great causes like Time Out Youth Center and the **Human Rights** Campaign.

Tickets and VIP tables range from \$35 to \$500 and are available online. briefafeteforfashion.org

FLESH

NOV Cathode Azure 1820 South Blvd., Charlotte Cathode's special Halloween party presented by Sonny Kong, plus a Takeover Friday



and Brief after party.

cathodeazure.com

Charlotte Pride Band Myers Park Baptist Church 1900 Queens Rd., Charlotte



The band hosts their "Voyage of the Caribbean Queen" kicking off their fourth season with host Roxy C. Moorecox. Set sail with the band with highlights like "Pirates of the Caribbean," "Danza Caribe," "Girl from Ipanema" and Sousa's "Hands Across the Sea." Tickets are \$10-\$13 and available online. charlotteprideband.org

Haunted Hollywood

Mint Museum Uptown 500 S. Tryon St., Charlotte 7:30 p.m.

A special fundraiser benefiting Time Out Youth Center featuring Brandi Glanville of "The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills." Black-tie attire or costume inspired by a classic Hollywood horror/thriller film is request. General admission is \$65 with a special \$250 VIP admission including a reception with Glanville. All proceeds benefit Time Out Youth. Tickets available by mail or at Time Out Youth offices and at Brief, 1426 S. Tryon St. timeoutyouth.org

Dining with Friends

Discovery Place 301 N. Tryon St., Charlotte





The Regional AIDS Interfaith Network hosts its closing party for Dining with Friends, presented by Wells Fargo and Kiss 95.1. Proceeds benefit RAIN's continuing HIV/AIDS work. diningwithfriendscharlotte.org

History Isn't a Drag (Show) Upstage NoDa 3306 N. Davidson St., Charlotte 9 p.m.

Barbara Burning Bush, Bella Jade, Robyn O'Ladies, Shofonda Cox and Vivian Russell are returning to a Stephen Seay Productions' stage for one night only. And for the first time ever, BethAnne Phetamine and Buff Faye will also be taking the stage as the audience tours this hilarious museum of historical women. Museum curator, Rachael Houdek, guides viewers as they learn that history is full of women who did their part to make a difference ... and she's giving everyone all the "T" on how things really went down. Tickets are \$10. stephenseayproductions.com



ELECTION DAY Charlotte Mayor Charlotte City Council Mecklenburg County

Board of Education & more It's Election Day! Head out to the polls and cast your vote in local elections this year. Learn more about candidates and get links to learn more about voting at



gognotes.com/in/election-2013.

NOV

LGBT Democrats of NC Guilford College 5800 W. Friendly Ave., Greensboro

The LGBT Democrats of North Carolina hosts its statewide convention, including election of state officers and district officers.

lqbtdemocrats.org

Equality NC Gala Empire Room Downtown Greensboro

6:30 p.m. Equality North Carolina's annual fundraising gala, featuring keynote North Carolina Attorney General Roy Cooper, plus this year's Equality Champions: Jamie Kirk Hahn, state Sen. Josh Stein, Janet Joyner, state Rep. Tricia Cotham and the Freedom Center for Social Justice. (See more about the award winners on page 6). Tickets on sale

equalityncfoundation.org

online.



home.

Bowling for Equality

Ten Park Lanes 1700 Montford Dr., Charlotte 2 p.m.

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The Human Rights Campaign invites everyone to Bowling for Equality. Prizes, fun, games and more. Tickets are \$15 for youth under 12, \$15 for ages 12-21 and \$35 singles. A

\$150 "Lane Captain" includes five single tickets. Purchase online.

bit.ly/16iR9KN

Holiday Charity Ride

Convergence Riders The Flying Biscuit Cafe (sponsor) 4241 Park Rd., Charlotte 9:30 a.m. registration 11 a.m. kick stands up

Help a child in need this Christmas by participating in this fundraiser. Proceeds go toward purchase of toys for Toys for Tots. Everyone welcome, motorcycles and cars! Top prize, \$100 cash; second, \$50 jafrum.com certificate; third, \$25 cash or certificate; and more. \$20 per participant, Stops: Flying Biscuit, Dennis Vineyards (\$8 tour/tasting), Sidelines Sports Bar.

convergenceriders.com

Recurring Charlotte Events:

PRISM Young Adults: Weekly discussion held each Monday, 5 p.m.-7:30 p.m. For young adults ages 18-25. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte. lgbtcharlotte.org. Men's Yoga: Weekly yoga sessions for men hosted by certified instructor. Each Monday, 7:30-8:30 p.m. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte.

Time Out Youth: Weekly support and discussion groups, Tuesday-Thursday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monthly group for youth ages 11-14. timeoutyouth.org.

MeckPAC: Monthly meeting of local LGBT political action committee. First Tuesdays of

each month, 6:30-8 p.m. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte.

StillOut Photography: Local LGBT photography club. Meets monthly on fourth Tuesdays, 7-8:30 p.m. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte, facebook.com/StillOutPhotography Friends Indeed: Men's depression support group. Every other Tuesday, 6:30-8 p.m. LGBT Community Center of Charlotte.

Weekly HIV & Syphilis Testing: Hosted at the LGBT Community Center of Charlotte each Wednesday, 5-7 p.m.

HIV Support Group: Open support group for men and women who are HIV-positive. Hosted second Wednesdays of each month, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Different Roads Home. differentroadshome.org.

LGBTQ Adult Education and Discussion Group: Weekly on Thursdays, a safe place for LGBTQ adults to meet and discuss important issues and topics. Hosted at LGBT Community Center of Charlotte. Each Thursday, 6-8 p.m.

PFLAG Charlotte: Monthly support group meeting. Second Thursday of each month, 7 p.m.,

Christ Episcopal Church, pflagcharlotte.org.

Tradesmen: Monthly social meeting first Saturday of each month. 10 p.m.-2:30 a.m. The
Woodshed Lounge. charlottetradesmen.org.

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