

Awareness Week Brightens Late October

Gay Awareness Week, first held last March 13-19, has a new season but the same kind of rich schedule of events that made the first Week such a success. This year, GAW coincides with the first National Week of Dialogue with American Parents and Families, sponsored by the National Gay Task Force. The program seeks to bring gay and non-gay family members and friends together in dialogue about homosexuality.

Gay Awareness Week, sponsored by the Carolina Gay Association on the UNC-CH campus, begins Oct. 23. The public is cordially invited to all activities. For more information or to volunteer help, call 967-2776, 929-4997 or 942-8317.

MONDAY/OCTOBER 23

4:00 pm: Film: OUT OF THE CLOSETS (202-204 Carolina Union)
A discussion will follow the film's various showings during GAW. The Boston-produced film lasts 52 minutes.

7:00 pm: Understanding Gayness 101 (213 Carolina Union)

8:30 pm: Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Gays (and here's your chance to ask) (215 Carolina Union)

9:30 pm: Open Reception (South Gallery of the Union)

TUESDAY/OCTOBER 24

3:30 pm: Supporting Gay Civil Rights (207 Carolina Union)

4:00 pm: Film: OUT OF THE CLOSETS (202-204 UNC Union)

7:00 pm: Multiple Minority Identification: Linking Race/Ethnic, Class, Sexual and Other Oppressions (207 Union)

8:30 pm: Issues in Gay Health Care (213 Carolina Union)

8:30 pm: For Families and Friends of Gay People (207 Union)

9:30 pm: Drop-In/Get-Together (South Gallery of the Union)

WEDNESDAY/OCTOBER 25

3:30 pm: Sexuality and the Law (213 Carolina Union)

4:00 pm: Coming Out: The Agony and the Ecstasy (215 Union)

8:30 pm: Film: OUT OF THE CLOSETS (101 Greenlaw Hall)

8:30 pm: Gays and Religion, A Judeo-Christian Perspective (215 Carolina Union)

9:30 pm: Drop-In/Get-Together (South Gallery of the Union)

THURSDAY/OCTOBER 26

2:00 pm: Koffee Klatch (South Gallery of the Union)

3:30 pm: Gay-Straight-Bisexual Dialogue: Spanning a Sexual Spectrum (209 Carolina Union)

7:00 pm: Gay and Straight Roommates: Getting Along (213 U.)

8:30 pm: Sexual Minorities and Job Discrimination (209 U.)

9:00 pm: Folk/Square Dancing (Great Hall of the Union)

9:00 pm: Film: OUT OF THE CLOSETS (213-215 Carolina Union)

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Local residents share their recollections of Chapel Hill nightspots, page 3.

Linda Marco's picture appeared in the PBS print ads for "Word Is Out" next to the quote, "I was the American dream daughter -- cheerleader, Prom queen, straight A student...I was miserable." Linda grew up in the South, got married, put her husband through school, got divorced and now works in the Research Triangle Park. But she was not the only Triangle woman to appear in the movie about gays. Details, page 6.

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