NORWICH PRIDE 2012

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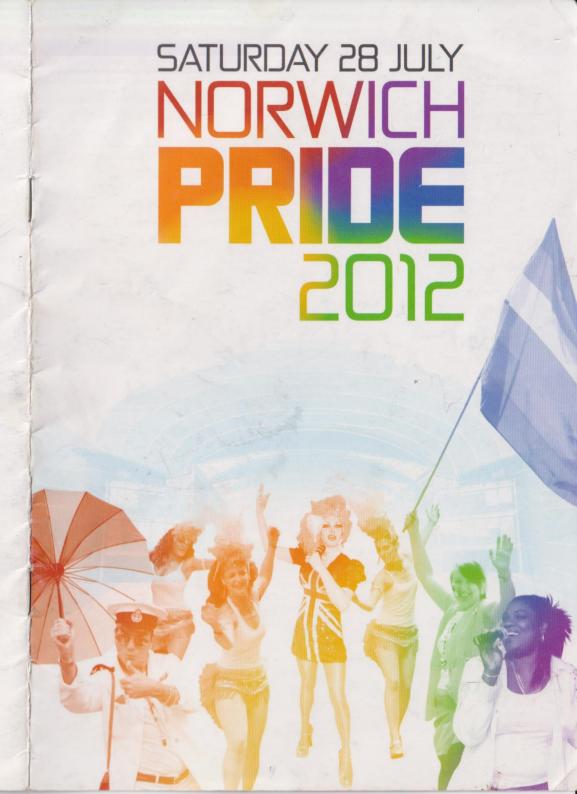
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PRIDE EVENTS VENUES

- The Forum, Millennium Plain, Café Bar Marzano
- 02 Chapelfield Gardens
- 03 The Castle Pub
- 04 The Catherine Wheel
- 05 Cinema City
- 06 Coach & Horses, Union St
- 07 The Greenhouse

- 08 House Café
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- Pride Parade route





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A CELEBRATION FOR EVERYONE

Welcome to Norwich Pride. the celebration from the Lesbian, Gav. Bisexual and Trans community for everyone. Our key Pride events are all free, inclusive and family friendly, so we look forward to seeing thousands of you in the city. helping us to turn Norwich into a Rainbow. It's up to you to make the day as brilliant as possible by painting your face, wearing a colourful outfit, flying the rainbow flag or bringing a picnic to share with friends and family. It's a day when everyone can feel safe and proud to be themselves - enjoy!

Deanna Allison Chair, Norwich Pride Collective 2012



LEAD-UP EVENTS

Full details of events at www.norwichpride.org.uk

Saturday 21 July Sew Gay

12–2pm, Library, The Forum Join us making decorations for Pride 2012.

Sunday 22 July

Pride without Prejudice

Launch Party
6–9pm. St Margaret's

Church of Art
Central exhibition of the

Central exhibition of the Pride Arts Trail.

Monday 23 July **Garden with Pride**5–7pm, The Tea Lounge
Talk with gardening writer

Tuesday 24 July Women's Café Outing 10.30am, Greenhouse

and artist Trish La Gal.

Tuesday 24 July,
Torrents of Rapture
8pm, Fusion, The Forum
Dugald Ferguson's epic
multimedia love story.

Wednesday 25 July

Gender and Sexuality

5pm, Library, The Forum

Discussion Group analyse

"What Counts as Queer?"

Wednesday 25 July
The L Word
7.30pm, Bicycle Shop,
St Benedicts Street
Trudy Howson hosts a
lesbian-themed interactive

Thursday 26 July
Sing with Pride
7–9pm, United Reformed
Church, Princes Street
With the Pride Choir

Thursday 26 July **LGBT film** Cinema City

poetry evening.

Friday 27th July

Rainbow Bike Ride
12–1pm, Bicycle Links,
St Mary's Works,
Duke Street
Meet at 10am if you'd li

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Friday 27 July

Pride Tea Party

4–6pm, The Tea Lounge

Tickets: £9.95 (book by 20 July, places are limited, Call 01603 619728). Delightful afternoon tea with Rod the Harpist and Norwich Pride Poet Laureate Vince Laws.

Friday 27 July
Pride Olympics Party
7pm, Norwich Arts Centre
Tickets: £2
DJs, BBQ, goody bags,
free screening of Olympics
Opening Ceremony.

SATURDAY 28 JULY

EVENTS AT THE FORUM

Pride Opening Ceremony 10am–12pm, Millennium Plain

10am–12pm, Millennium Plain Cllr Mrs Jennifer Chamberlin, Chairman of Norfolk County Council's Strategic Equality Group will open Pride, followed by show tunes from Taverham Brass Band.

Interfaith Service

10.15–10.30am, The Cube Interfaith act of worship/blessing – all welcome.

Pride Film Festival

10am–4pm, Fusion 30 minutes of LGBT films (looped throughout the day).

Children's Story Time

10.30am–12pm, Children's Library Stories about different kinds of families, and make finger puppets of your own families. Under 8s must be accompanied by an adult.

Talk: LGBT Disability and the Cuts

11–11.45am, The Cube With Caroline Jones (Norfolk Association of Disabled LGBT People), Julie Bremner (Trade Union Activist from PCS) and Richard Blake (Expert by Experience).

Outside Live Broadcast from Future Radio 107.8fm

12–3pm, Millennium Plain Music and interviews from our official radio station www.futureradio.co.uk/ listenlive **Question Time**

12-1pm. The Curve A chance to pose political questions to our expert panel which includes: Elly Barnes, the Music Teacher from Stoke Newington who topped the IoS Pink List 2011: Linda Bellos, lifelong community activist, black lesbian feminist: Chloe Smith, rising star of the Coalition Government and MP for Norwich North: Mike Stonard, Vice Chair of the Norwich Pride Collective. Chaired by Nick O'Brien.

Talk: Fighting Homophobia in Schools

1.15–2pm, The Cube
Over two thirds of young
LGBT people are bullied
at school and more than
90% of pupils hear negative
comments about LGBT
people every day. Workshop
involves Elly Barnes, Tony
Fenwick (Co-Chair, LGBT
History Month and Schools
Out) and BJ Epstein
(Lecturer, Literature and
Translation at UEA).

The First Natasha Curson Memorial Trans Talk

4–4.45pm, Fusion
Evolve, a group for
transgender, genderquestioning and genderqueer
young people from MAP
discuss and share their film
Evolving: Young Trans People
Share Their Stories.

Pride Live! Lounge

4–7pm, Café Bar Marzano Some Pride Live! signature down-tempo beats, with live acoustic sets and piano.

OTHER VENUES

Quiet Reflection

10am–3.30pm, St Peter Mancroft Church (opp Forum) Canon Peter Nokes writes "We wish you a truly joyful occasion – please feel free to visit the church any time during the day".

Youth Pride Party

5–8pm, Norwich Arts Centre Tickets: £3 on the door

BLAH LGB Youth supports 14–25 year olds and is part of the Norfolk LGBT Project. Under 25s are invited to enjoy music and meet new friends.

Alternative Fancy Dress Party 5pm–12am, Loft NR1 Tickets: £2 (to Pride) on the door. Over 18s.

Hosted by The Dandies, there'll be crazy costume and dance competitions, performance art, installations, live music and royal Pride family portraits. Bring your favourite CDs and your track could be chosen by our DJ.

Pubs and Clubs

See map on back cover Check out our website for more information on the fabulous evening events that are happening across the city to celebrate Norwich Pride.



PRIDE PICNIC

12-2pm, Chapelfield Gardens Don't forget it's a DIY Pride. Join us for loads of fun and family activities! Entertainment on the bandstand will be hosted by the Sing with Pride choir who have invited the Norwich Ukulele Society. Red Flags and singer-song writer Kimberley Moore, as well as poets Vince Laws and Trudy Howson. We'll also have a special dance demonstration from World. British & European Ballroom & Latin Junior Champions, Luke Miller and Hanna Cresswell

You can try yoga with Get Bendy and browse and borrow LGBT books from the Mobile Library.

you bring the food and drink and we will entertain you but please note that Chapelfield Gardens is a public park so no alcohol is allowed. The park will be decorated by the Sew Gay group, who have been making bunting, banners and knitted chains all vear.

PRIDE **VILLAGE**

10am-5pm, The Forum Over 40 different stalls in the Atrium of The Forum and outside on Theatre Plain Local support groups, major unions, national charities, local craftspeople and a savoury pie installation from the Greenhouse Trust in the entrance to Fusion!

PRIDE PARADE

2pm, Chapelfield Gardens See route on back cover

Listen out for the bell of the Norwich Town Crier as he calls you to the bandstand to gather for the Parade. It will be launched by The Lord Mayor of Norwich, Councillor Ralph Gayton. This year the Parade will be organised in coloured sections to ensure there is music and entertainment throughout. We'll be led by the Norwich Samba Band and their dancers and you'll also find the Dun Dun Band, Golden Star Morris and Oxblood Molly Dancers and a portable PA from Pride Live! amongst the crowds. The Norfolk Association of Disabled LGBT People invite people using wheelchairs and scooters, with mobility problems and sensory impairments, to join them at the front of the parade. Look out for the Access Stewards in pink jackets if you need extra support.





PRIDE SHOW 2012

3-4.15pm, Millennium Plain, outside The Forum It's time to celebrate - we've been working with Headless Entertainment to bring you the best of local and national talent who all want to help celebrate Pride!

Headless Entertainment's premier export, the city's own tangerine queen and songstress, the glambolic Titti Trash will be hosting our Pride Show.

Titti Trash

Titti has graced the stages of various festivals, club circuits and cabaret bars for many years - either with or without the proprietor's will. For all this year's backstage goss follow her @TittiTrash on Twitter or facebook.com/tittitrash

Norwich-based street and modern dance troupe set the pace with an exciting opening number!

Totally Sophie

As Malta's own pop princess, Sophie has represented Malta for the Eurovision Song Contest twice (once as a junior and again last year) and can regularly be seen and heard on Maltese TV shows and various European radio stations. Sophie is performing for us as part of her UK tour promoting her current single Love To Love You.

Jazz Blaack

Singer-songwriter Jazz has supported Lemar, Blazin' Squad and Chico and is currently promoting her singles America, Gonna Start Again and Frustrated (in support of Children With Cancer UK).

Lebowski

This well-known local band. made up of consultants and operating department practitioners from the Norfolk and Norfolk University Hospital, will be presenting a special acoustic-rock set especially for us.

Bispatial

Bispatial is a synthpop and electronic music lover, heavily influenced by the Eurythmics, Pet Shop Boys. Depeche Mode and Erasure.

Passion Productions

Winners of this year's Aviva Pride Talent competion, we're promised a highenergy performance from this youthful local dance company.

Eileen Mascoll

A Pride favourite, Eileen has a stunning voice and stage charisma that always leaves audiences wanting more of her reggae style and wellknown covers.



NORTH NORFOLK PRIDE

2pm, below Doctor's Steps, Cromer Beach

The North Norfolk Pride Beach Chillout event is the perfect laid back way to wind down after the Norwich Pride celebrations. There's also an evening fundraising gala planned for later on. More details at www.northnorfolkpride.org.uk

PLUS!

PRIDE LIVE! ON FUTURE RADIO

Listen to our Pride Live! show on Future Radio 107.8fm every Monday at 6pm for all the latest news. Pride Live! is the show from the LGBT community for everyone: www.futureradio.co.uk/ listenlive



PRIDE ARTS

There's an incredible amount of talent in Norfolk's LGBT community and each year we try to showcase as many artists' work as possible.
Latest news and Pride Art School workshops info at www.norwichpride.org.uk

The Art of Growing Photographs by Trish le Gal

2 July–31 August, Mon-Sat, 9am–4.30pm Private View: 13 July, 6–8pm The Tea Lounge, Ber Street www.growyourownbooks. co.uk

Natural World

Wild life photography by Laura Chalmers

12–31 July, 9am–7pm Meet the artist: 13 July, 4–6pm The Green Grocers, Earlham house shops www.fishers-eyephotography.co.uk

Treacle T'Art

Paintings by Jon Cook 16 July–16 August Mon–Thu, 10am–5pm Fri–Sat, 10am–10pm House Café, St Benedicts Street www.houseCafé.co.uk

Everyone is different

Vince Laws poetry and Alexandra Blythe painting 17–28 July (excluding Sundays and Mondays) The Greenhouse, Bethel Street www.Greenhousetrust.co.uk

Queens and Cakes

Watercolour paintings by Eloise O'Hare 17–29 July, Tue–Thu, 10am–12am Fri–Sat, 10am–2.30am Sun, 10am–10.30pm Franks Bar, Bedford Street

www.eloiseohare.blogspot.

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Prints by Dugald Ferguson
17 July–18 August,
10am–6pm
Private view:
17 July, 6.30–9pm
Sin Sins Love Store,
Charing Cross
Explicit content – adults only
www.dugaldferguson.co.uk

Dialogue

Paintings by Gena Ivanov 19–28 July Private view: 27 July, all evening til 9pm Norwich Studio Art Gallery Upper St Giles Street www.studioart.org.uk

Pride without Prejudice

Group show mixed media art 23 July–5 August, 10am–5pm Private view: 22 July, 6–9pm St Margaret's Church of Art, St Margaret's Street www.art-of-norwich.co.uk

OUR SUPPORTERS

Thanks to all our volunteer teams, performers, artists and partner organisations.

Special thanks:

Future Radio

Official radio station of Norwich Pride and Pride show sound system

Headless Entertainment

Programmer of the Pride show

Mike Jefferies Design 2012 logo and brochure design

Norwich Arts Centre Pride show stage

Norfolk County Council Norwich City Council The Forum Trust



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ACCESS AT NORWICH PRIDE

Norfolk Association of Disabled LGBT People is working in partnership with Norwich Pride to make this year's celebrations as accessible as possible. We have written a page on Access at www. norwichpride.org.uk that includes information such as locations of Blue Badge parking spaces in Norwich. You can meet members of the Association at our stall inside the Forum. Here are some of the key things we've arranged with Norwich Pride:

- Disabled people and carers are invited to meet in a safe space at the Chapelfield Bandstand and join us at the front of the parade.
- Access Stewards with disability training will be available all day to make sure we can get around and find what we need as easily as possible. Look out for their pink highvisibility vests.
- We have got a reserved space on top of the steps in front of the stage outside the Forum where we should have a clear view of the show.
- Rest area with comfortable sofas on the 2nd floor of the library inside the Forum for disabled people, elders and others who need it

- Help Desk outside the Forum with information on Shopmobility, location of disabled toilets and other useful information
- British Sign Language (BSL) interpreters

To contact the Association, please send an email to info@disabledlgbt.org.uk or telephone 01603 615108

The Pride Guide is available in a large text format. Please email info@norwichpride.org. uk for a copy.

SUPPORT YOUR PRIDE

Norwich Pride is a notfor-profit, self-organised community group of volunteers. Our key events are free as we want Pride to be accessible to everyone. Your support can be given in the following ways:

Shop with Pride

Pride goodies will be on sale outside The Forum and in Chapelfield Gardens on the day. You can even print your own Pride t-shirt!

Buy raffle tickets

Some genuinely fantastic prizes up for grabs this year. Tickets cost £1 from the Pride Shops and Help Desk.

Donate online

Go to www.localgiving.com/ charity/norwichpride