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Summer 2013 *options for LGBTO youth *

List compiled by the GLBT KIDs Abuse Intervention program www.thefamilypartnership.org/glbtkids

REGISTER NOW!!! PLEASE FORWARD THIS EMAIL TO ANYONE WHO MAY BE INTERESTED OR MAY PASS IT ON TO OTHERS THAT ARE INTERESTED – AS WELL CAN YOU PUT IT IN YOUR NEXT NEWSLETTER OR ENEWS?

June 19-23, 2013 - LGBTQA Camp in Minnesota!!! register now!

We are very excited for another year of **Camp Camp Revolution** – where camp is campy – **Camp is fabulous and is for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and allied youth ages 13-18**!!!

Big news! The camp name is going to change **to Camp True Colors, Minnesota** – because the True Colors Fund will be supporting camp and our fabulous camp partner One Heartland! Participants will experience activities such as canoeing, fishing, wall climbing, swimming, crafts, bon fires & singing camp songs along with fabulous education on LGBTQ topics and of course dances(with disco ball) & performance. Camp is accessible! Transportation, food, cabin lodging are all provided. But you need to register now! https://www.oneheartland.org/register.html or contact Stefanie at 888.545.6658 stefanieTC@oneheartland.org

*Opportunity for young GLBTQ artists/activists . Help us spread the word, please!

Minneapolis television Network is partnering with filmmaker and educator Melissa Koch to run a FREE 12 week program that will teach young people how to make a documentary from the ground up. We provide the equipment, Melissa provides the instruction, and each member of the group will leave having produced a short documentary that will air on MTN's Channel 17/Create.

When: June 6 - August 29 Tuesdays and Thursdays 12-3

How much: Free, we provide bus tokens and food

What: During the <u>Queer Youth Documentary Project</u>, young people will discuss effective storytelling, meet with other local film makers, watch other examples of powerful documentary projects, while learning the basics of cinematography, lighting, sound recording, editing, and motion graphics.

Who: Ages 16-23 GLBTQ identified artists and activists

interested young people email mvanavery@mtn.org telling us why they are interested and if they have any previous experience with making movies/video production by the end of May.

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Summer Field Trips for Queer Youth – Join the fun – Dates: July 26th – we hope to explore the LGBTQ libraries and historical LGBTQ archives – then a picnic! Other dates: August 9th & August 16th. Generally the field trips will be from 10-5pm or so – transportation provided. Contact Leigh Combs to sign up or for further information- lcombs@thefamilypartnership.org 612.728.2079.

^{*}So What If I Am? for LGBTQ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, questioning, or queer-identified) youth.

Since its founding in 1970, The Bridge has always been a welcoming place for gay and questioning kids. In fact, So What If I Am? has been meeting weekly for over 14 years! Questions? Contact Kristan Clow <u>K.Clow@bridgeforyouth.org</u> Meets every Tuesday. Drop in 4:30 – 5PM. Group 5 – 6:30 PM.

Friday Nights at Hancock Recreation Center – sponsored by Out For Equity. For details contact program staff for details. Program Coordinator 651-603-4972 tiffany.lane@spps.org / Billy Navarro, Jr. Program Assistant 651-744-1562 billy.navarrojr@spps.org .

*Safe Space – Drop In @ Café Southside – 4-6pm - Wednesday's July & August –check www.mnschooloutreach.org dates not set yet. Collaboration between Out 4 Good & The GLBT KIDS: Abuse Intervention program. FFI: email lcombs@thefamilypartnershp.org

* Family Tree Clinic is very excited to be offering **the peer education program KISS (Keeping It Safe and Sexy)** for the 4th summer! We are looking for teens age 14-18 who identify as Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, or Ally to be a part of this great group.

Join us for KISS (Keeping It Safe and Sexy)! KISS is an LGBTQA peer education group that goes from June 24th – August 12th. You'll get to learn about sexual health, meet new people, and earn some money! Find out more by contacting Tatum at tbishop@familytreeclinic.org or 651-523-0171 ext.123.

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* Twin Cities Pride - March with Out 4 Good - Minneapolis Public Schools!

It's been a big year for Out4Good and the LGBTA community. Come celebrate with us at this year's Twin Cities LGBT Pride Festival!

June 30th All students, families and staff invited

Meet us at 10am near the downtown library and look for the MPS banner and bus!

Register at: http://www.tinyurl.com/MPSPride2013

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The Teen Scene @ Twin Cities Pride Festival June 29th & 30th, 2013 - @ Loring Park, Minneapolis www.tcpride.org

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