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Serving the Greater LGBT Communities of Cambridge, Guelph and Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario Canada

2003 "tribes" theme unleashed!









The highlight of the evening was a performance by Drew and a happy Immunity Challenge winner who walked away with a new DVD player!



Special thanks to Hype Entertainment, Club Renaissance and the Renaissance Girls, Drew, Bingemans, Cowboys and Angels and The Voice.



Bingeman's waterpark passes and some other free stuff were won at the Pin the Eye on the Coco Pele Immunity Challenge...





Sticks, Balls and Full Pockets made Good Bedfellows

tri-Pride's first Billiards Tournament...

... on Sunday March 2nd was a great success. Participants from K/W, Cambridge, Guelph, Acton, and Toronto came out for an afternoon of fun and prizes. The Tourney helped to raise some money to support tri-Pride events while creating a fun and competitive yet friendly atmosphere for all.

Congratulations go to Darryl on winning first place and to Brian, who won second place. Nice handiwork, gentlemen.

We would like to thank all participants of the Pool Tourney for coming out and supporting tri-Pride's fundraising efforts.

Special thanks to John and Beatrice from the Master's Club on Manitou Drive in Kitchener for donating billiards tables and some space for the Tourney.

Special thanks to all the people that donated prizes for this event.

All proceeds from the fundraising Tourney go to support tri-Pride 2003 events.



March 2nd 2003



CANADIAN AIDS MEMORIAL QUILT



ON DISPLAY DURING TRI-PRIDE JUNE 12-15TH

FORBES HALL, RIM PARK, WATERLOO

JUNE 12TH OPENING CEREMONIES 7:00 PM JUNE 13TH PUBLIC VIEWING 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM JUNE 14TH PUBLIC VIEWING 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM

PAVILLION, VICTORIA PARK, KITCHENER

JUNE 15TH PUBLIC VIEWING 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM **CLOSING CEREMONIES** 8:00 PM

The Canadian AIDS Memorial Quilt is made up of more than 500 three-foot by six-foot cloth panels, each panel created in memory of someone who has died of AIDS. Experience the personal and deeply moving display of this National AIDS Memorial and Tribute to Canadians lost to AIDS. The display will be the first in our area in over 8 years and one of the largest displays ever done in Canada.

WWW.QUILT.CA

PANEL-MAKING WORKSHOPS We will be holding workshops to help all those who may wish to create a panel in memory of someone lost to AIDS. These panels will be added to the National Quilt at the Closing Ceremonies on June 15th.

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WORKSHOP DATES

Sunday, April 26 Sunday, May 10 Thursday, May 22

If you are interested in attending or know of someone who might, more information about the workshops can be found at www.acckwa.com or 519-841-

FIF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A VOLUNTEER **BE A VOLUNTEER DURING THE DISPLAY**

INFORMATION SESSIONS WILL BE HELD

THURSDAY, APRIL, 24 THURSDAY, May 22 5:00 - 7:00 PM

The AIDS Committee of Cambridge, Kitchener-Waterloo and Area 85 Frederick Street, Kitchener

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT TEENA

519-570-3687 ext.310 OR volunteer@acckwa.com



tri-Pride Art Exhibit EVERGON CHUCK SAMUELS ERIKA KIERULF



"AFTER AVEDON"; 21" x 30", by Chuck Samuels

University of Waterloo Art Gallery Phillip Street, Waterloo June 8-22, 2003

Opening Reception June 8th 2:00 PM

This year's Pride Art Exhibition will feature work by three acclaimed Montreal photographers. All three artists create images that explore issues of sexuality, gender roles, and themes contained within the queer aesthetic: Evergon, Chuck Samuels and Erika Kierulf.

For full artists bios, please visit www. rainbow.on.ca.

Evergon

Evergon lives, teaches and works in Montreal. His work investigates personal sexuality and social constructions of gender. Evergon creates from his sensibility as a gay male. His process is self-discovery through portraiture, either self-portraiture or vicariously through models. When photographing the mostly male nudes, Evergon encourages their feed-

Call For Photographers

To compliment this art exhibit we are currating a companion exhibition to showcase local photographers. If you would like to have your work shown as part of this exhibit please contact us at 519-584-2415 or info@rainbow.on.ca for more information.

Get involved! We need your in- a volvement to help make this event a success.

back and an enactment of their own fantasies.

He has exhibited widely including major solo shows at the Australian Centre for Photography, National Gallery of Canada, Centro di Ausoni, Rome, International Museum of Photography, USA, La Grand Palais, Paris. He is the head of the photography department at Concordia University.



Chuck Samuels

Chuck Samuels work explores the question of voyeurism related to the photographic image. In his suite "Before the Camera" he appropriates 12 photographs of naked women by male photographers and reverses the sexual roles of the original images by replacing the female with a male model. By maintaining the charged erotic value of the original the resulting subversive images play with the question of gender roles in the viewer's perception of gender and sexuality.

Artist/photographer Chuck Samuels has been exhibiting publicly since 1980. His work has been shown and published in many exhibitions and national and international publications. His photographs belong in the collections of the European Museum of Photography in Paris, the Canadian Museum of Contemporary Photography in Ottawa, the Secret Museum in Montreal, and several private collections in North America and Europe.

Volunteer for tri-Pride

tri-Pride is built on the work of volunteers. Without your support, Pride couldn't happen at all. Join us in 2003, show your Pride, and have fun participating with a worthwhile cause!

Please indicate your responses as clearly as possible. Once your form is received, someone will contact you to discuss opportunities.

A. Tell us about your volunteer preferences...

- Please indicate which volunteer opportunities you may have an interest in:
 - a. Events
 - o. Food
 - c. Fundraising
 - d. Security
 - e. Set-up & Tear-down
 - f. Volunteers
 - g. Web site
 - h. Other:

2.	Have you participated in Pride events before? YES
	If so, what activities did you perform?
3.	What would you do to make Pride events better?



There are three easy ways to sign up as a tri-Pride 2003 volunteer:

- 1. Fax the form to (519) 584- , o
- 2. Fill in the sign-up form on the web at http://www.rainbow.on.ca, or
- Mail your completed form
 c/o tri-Pride
 PO Box 31009, 25 Frederick Street
 Kitchener ON N2H 6M0



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- 2. How did you learn about tri-Pride 2003?
 - a. Pride Pages
 - b. Web site
 - c. Word of mouth
 - d. I participated last year
 - e. Other:

3.	Please use this space to provide any other general com-
	ments you may have:





COMMUNITY CALENDAR

tri-Pride Committee

Meetings every second Monday, 6:30-9:00pm, 150 Frederick Street, Rm 217. Meetings are open to the public. Come and have your say. For dates, please call (519) 584-

Gay & Bi Fathers Support Group of Waterloo Wellington

Poets on the Run, hosted by James P. McAuliffe.

Every Tuesday at 8:00pm, Mostly Organic Juice Bar Café, 119 King Street West, Kitchener.

GLOW Discussion Group

Wednesdays at 7:00pm at the University of Waterloo. A social follows at 8:30pm in the UW Grad House. 519) 884-4569 or visit www.glow.uwaterloo.ca

Rainbow Youth Group

Open discussion group for GLBT youth ages 16 to 25. Every Wednesday from 7:00-9:00pm. Call (519) 570-3687 for information.

Pink Coffee House

Wednesdays 9:00 to 11:00pm at Muses Café, 10 King Street East, Kitchener.

GLOBAL Gathering

Wilfrid Laurier University's organization for students, alumni and faculty. GLOBAL gathers every second Thursday. For meeting times, locations and more, email global@wlu.ca

K-W Friends of Dorothy 10 Pin Cosmic Bowling League

Every Sunday at 3:00pm at the Frederick Brunswick Lanes, 385 Frederick Street, Kitchener. For more information contact Jason Boyko at (519) 578- or email friendsofdorothy_kw@hotmail.com

COMMUNITY CONTACT INFORMATION

ACCWKA AIDS Committee of Cambridge and Kitchener-Waterloo Area (519)570ACGWC AIDS Committee of Guelph and Wellington County (519)763-GLOBAL Gays, Lesbians Or Bisexuals At Laurier, QWL (Queer Women at Laurier) (519)884-GLOW Gays and Lesbians of Waterloo Info Line (519)884-KW Friends of Dorothy Bowling League (519)576-H toll free (800)268-Lesbian Gay Bi Youth Line The Outline/GQE Guelph Queer Equality/HOWL Hanging Out With Lesbians (519)836-PFLAG-KW Parents and friends of Lesbians And Gays (519)742-Rainbow Chorus of Waterloo-Wellington County (519)584-The Rainbow Parenting Network (519)743tri-Pride Community Association (519)584



If you know of a community group or regular event which should be listed here, please let us know about it. info@rainbow.on.ca





tri-Pride Community Assocation Inc. is a not-for-profit organization serving the LGBT communities of Cambridge, Guelph and Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario Canada. The Organization's mandate is to provide a venue for Pride annual events in our community.

Pride Pages aims to be a resource for the GLBT community with information about local organizations, social groups and upcoming events.

Pride Pages encourages submissions for organizational information, local events, and related articles. Pride Pages reserves the discretion to refuse publication of opinion or any material which may be deemed unsuitable. Pride Pages is a free publication periodical of tri-Pride.

Send us submissions to Pride Pages at www.rainbow.on.ca/ppsubmit.html or please send your valued submissions to info@rainbow.on.ca

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Win a Spring Gift Basket

Congratulations to Shirley Lee from Stratford, who won our Winter Basket, valued at more than \$250!

There's another opportunity for you to win big. tri-Pride will be having a Spring Basket draw, with enough goodies to make you one happy little Easter Bunny!

To purchase tickets, \$2.00 per ticket, \$5.00 for three tickets, please contact tri-Pride at (519) 584

All proceeds from the Draws go to tri-Pride 2003 events.

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