



Highland LGBT Social Group

April Newsletter

Hi everyone. Hope you are all well. This month's newsletter starts off with two apologies. The first one is regarding the post last month, there was an error in the stamps, we can only say sorry for this and we will try and not make the same mistake again. The second apology is for the coffee morning last month. The THT offices were supposed to be opened at 9.30 for us but when no-one turned up and we waited until 10.45 the venue was changed at the last minute. We are at the moment looking for another venue as this is not acceptable.

This month's days and nights out have been supported well by the ladies so come on guys we need your support too if the group is going to continue growing.

EVENTS FOR APRIL

14th April - Social Group Coffee Morning at Volunteering Highland from 10am - 2pm

17th April - Social Group night out to Bar Pivo from 7.30pm

28th April - Social Group Disco at the Raigmore Recreation Hall - there is no theme for this one so come as you are and bring along your friends.

This month we are pleased to tell you that we are hoping to set up 2 new groups.

The first one is to set up an LGBT Youth Group for the under 25's. We have been in talks with LGBT Youth Scotland who want to come to Inverness and help set it up with yourselves. It is hoped that this group will be run by two team leaders and support from LGBT Youth Scotland. If you are interested in supporting this group please contact us and we will arrange a meeting to discuss how we are going to run this one.

The second group is for the 50+ group. We are looking for someone to set this up. The aim of this group would be that they arrange events for themselves for example meals out, days out or just to meet for a coffee. Once again if you are interested, please contact us.

We will give both these groups all the support we can and will use the newsletter to inform people of what's going on.

Looking ahead to June

June looks like it is going to be busy with lots of events on:

2nd June - Aberdeen Pride

23rd June - Pride Scotia in Edinburgh

If anyone is interested in going to either of these events please let us know and we can look at arranging transport from Inverness. Those who went to last year's Pride had a great time, so why not join us?

30th June - Social Group Disco at the Raigmore Recreation Hall, Inverness.

The theme for this disco will be Entertainment so that should give you all a wide choice for dressing up. We also have the Kinky Butlers for 2 hours that night. We are also hoping to have another act that night too. We will let you know once the act is booked.

Other News

The social group night out each month is a fixed venue now. It is at Bar Pivo and is now advertised in the ICA monthly magazine. So spread the word. Look out for the table with the RED HAT on it - that's us!!

You will see we have a new mailing address, together with 2 phone numbers for the group.

We have arranged a new venue for the monthly social group meetings as follows:
1st Tuesday of each month at Volunteering Highland, The Gateway, Millburn Road, Inverness

You will also see that we are advertising various companies. These companies are LGBT Friendly and can offer a discount if used.

Kenny Mackay
Melrose Villa Guest House
35 Kenneth Street
Inverness
01463 233745
www.melrosevilla.com
10% Discount

Enterprise Rent-a-car
39 Harbour Road
Inverness
01463 235525
Contact Os the manager
15% Discount

KinkyButler.com
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Telephone: 07734 187 139
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