



Femme Fair Daily



Wednesday, October 18, 1989

L. Borgia, Food Editor



A special event tonight is the Outreach cocktail party and dinner, at the Mews, 359 Commercial Street. It's one of those nice, formal evenings when can we all look our spiffiest.

A reminder (still another); this is the evening to cast ballots for four awards: Ms. Cinderella, Ms. Congeniality, Ms. Best Dressed and Ms. Femininity. Ballots are to be given to house hostesses at the house parties following the Outreach Dinner.

A special message to **Partners** comes from Monica Joy, whose book "Geraldine, For the Love of a Transvestite" is an honest and sensitive account of a woman's love for a crossdresser. Monica took a lively part in the Partners' Program in last year's Fair. See her letter on the back page of this issue.

Partners' Coffee Call:

Wed., Hargood, #10 (Marta's)
Thur., Hargood #12 (Kathy's)
Fri., Watermark (Dottie's)
Sat., Hargood #7 (Flo's)

A wide range of boobs

(no, not the living kind - well, almost) is offered by Muriel Olive at the Gifford House. They range from serviceable bust enhancers to exquisitely slinky. Muriel also offers beard cover to go with your seasonal color scheme.

It's Not What It Sounds

Like: Flash Dressing is a way of getting in and out of your closet quickly with color-coordinated outfits that are simply smashing. Learn how from L.M. Cozzi & Associates at the Gifford House, from 2-3 p.m.

Cozzi & Assoc. also advise that Friday's workshop on Scarf Tying II, scheduled for 2-3 p.m. Friday, will be a repeat of Scarf Tying I - for those who couldn't make the earlier ones, or want more practice.

If you've had trouble finding L.M. Cozzi or Muriel Olive - or our excellent photographer, Marlette Pathy Allen - the easiest way is around the porch to your right from the Carver Street entrance, then up the stairs.

If you know a therapist who you think should learn more about our scene, there's a special professional training program coming up Friday, March 23, 1990. Niela Miller and Roger Peo, both with years of counseling experience to the "gender community", will be running this program in conjunction with the IFGE convention at the Natick Hilton near Boston. A second day will be spent at relevant IFGE sessions. Niela says, "Gender explorers need more enlightened helpers, so spread the word!" Your therapist can get a brochure on the program from Roger Peo, Androgyny Unlimited, Box 4887 Poughkeepsie, NY 12601.

The earliest royal TV may have been King Amenophis III of ancient Egypt's Eighteenth Dynasty. Jean D. says the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York has a headless figurine of this pharaoh - a macho type who boasted he had hunted and killed 108 lions - depicting him wearing a long woman's dress of New Egyptian Kingdom style. His son Akhnaton, who married Nefertiti, is also represented in exaggeratedly androgynous statues. So the fruit may not have fallen too far from the tree.

Jim Bridges asks those with blue coupons to schedule their sessions. Sheriff Sheila says wear your badge.



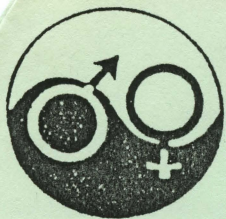
Schedule



WEDNESDAY

OCTOBER-18

Partners Coffee Call	Hargood House	10:00-12:00
Fashion & Beauty Course	Different Ducks	10:00-12:00
Seminar Lunch: Women At Work	(GH) Cabaret Room	12:00-2:00
Seminar Lunch: Fashion Photography	Lobster Tales	12:00-2:00
Seminar Lunch: On Stage	Crown & Anchor	12:00-2:00
Fan/Fair Follies, Rehearsal	Crown & Anchor Backroom	2:00-5:00
Flash Dressing Workshop	Gifford House Cabaret Room	2:00-3:00
Cosmetic Workshop	Gifford House Marble Room	3:00-6:00
Personal Dev. II, Unit 2	Fairbanks Carriage House	5:00-6:30
Outreach Cocktail Party	The Mews	6:30-8:00
Outreach Dinner	The Mews	8:00-11:00
House Party	Your Home Away From Home	11:00-1:00



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PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES OF YOUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

January - September 1989

- JAN 4, 1989 People Are Talking, Local Video Talk Show (Boston, MA)
Topic: SEXUAL CONFUSION & TSuality (1 hr)
- JAN. 15, 1989 CD Support Group for Maine, A Seminar (Brunswick, ME)
Topic: Crossdressing & Crossgender lifestyle options (1h)
- FEB. 14, 1989 The Herald Show, National Video Talk Show (taped in NYC)
Topic: Crossdressers & Their Spouses or S.O. (1hr)
- FEB. 21, 1989 Health Crisis Network of Dade Cty., AIDS Action & Education (S.F)
Topic: Crossdressing, Crossgender, & Androgyny Options & Lifestyles
- MARCH 8-10, 1989 FAMILY PLANNING OF MAINE, A 2-day S.A.R. for health care professionals, served as a consultant/facilitator. (Brunswick Maine)
- APRIL 4-8, 1989 IFGE CONVENTION., (San Francisco, CA)
O.I. All Day Program, Gender Issues For The 90s
- APRIL 25, 1989 University of Maine at Farmington, Dept of Psychology
Two Lectures at upper level psych. classes. Topic: CD/CG phenomenon, Lifestyle options
- JUNE 2, 1989 O.I. Board of Directors Mtg, Provincetown, MA
- JUNE 8-11, 1989 Be All Weekend, represented the Institute at this major CD program (Chicago, IL)
- JUNE 16, 1989 The Professional Men's Guild of SF Bay Area, A seminar/lect.
Topic: Masculine Choices & options (Fairfax, CA)
- JUNE 21, 1989 San Francisco State University, Hu Sex. Class (750 Students)
Topic: CD/AN Profile of a Complex Lifestyle
- JULY 18, 1989 State of Maine & Fam. Planning, Dept. of HHS. A lecture
Topic: CD/CG/AN Issues & lifestyles (Portland ME)
- JULY 28, 1989 JSI Institute of Boston, Consultant/Presenter for a S.A.R. for health Care professionals working in all phases of AIDS Educations projects for State Agencies (Weston MA)
- SEPT 11-30 Administrative work associated with O.I. and FF. (Boston, MA)
Preparation for October Board Mtg.

Respectfully Submitted,

From Monica Jay,

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London, October 1989

Dear Women Friends,

I simply must take advantage of our two ambassadors coming over to Provincetown, to send you my warmest greetings and tell you how very much I shall miss your wonderful coffee mornings. In fact, I miss them the whole year round. I saw so much warmth and true kinship amongst you that I actually found it quite moving. There is something wonderfully sustaining in such a bond and I find it all the more surprising as I am myself a member of a women's self-help group over here; we meet up once a months to thrash out any worries we may have, and this works quite well, but our gatherings quite definitely lack the warmth and spontaneity that I witnessed - and briefly became part of - at your own meetings. I have been trying to think why this is and have come to the conclusion that it may be due to an ingredient that you Americans have and we over here lack; we seem to be so much more introspect, formal and somewhat colder. Or maybe part of the answer lies with the fact that you all share a great common factor in your life with your husbands and partners turning themselves into "girls". Whatever the answer, I thought your coffee mornings were tops, and one of the events I looked forward to most on returning to Fantasia Fair last October. I would not have missed them for the world.

So please accept my warmest greetings for your forthcoming "season" of coffee mornings, and all I can add is:-

I wish I were with you!

Love

Monica

