



# Weekly Newsletter



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WELCOME BACK :)

## Planning, Always Planning

Howdy Folks, here's hoping your January treated you well!

Richard and I have been doing a lot of planning recently, and we have a lot of exciting stuff in the works.

If anyone would like to join us for the planning committee's for LONDON PRIDE 2023, or the Staff Conference, (or both!) please register a time slot using the links below. Thanks in advance :)

Kimora x



## Pride Planning

LONDON PRIDE 2023

Pick a time that works for you, and we'll set up a group meeting!

[PICK A TIME - PRIDE](#)



## Staff Conference

A HALF- DAY IN SEPT

Pick a time that works for you, and we'll set up a group meeting!

[PICK A TIME - CONFERENCE](#)

## Stonewall Stories Workshop

### A DIGITAL WORKSHOP

A two hour interactive workshop being held by Stonewall in honour of Pride History month 2023.

This aims to create a forum to share stories and life events, but also teach you how to do so in a mindful way that respects your mental health.

£80.00 / ticket



23RD FEB, 10:30 - 12:30



## Staff Training

### TRANS AWARENESS TRAINING

Rainbow Bedfordshire's next Trans Awareness training is behind held on the 13th Feb, sign up using the link below!

13TH FEB, 1-2PM



## Fun Census Facts

### SOME FUN LGBTQ+ CENSUS FACTS

In an era of shock-media, sometimes we just need to unwind with some positivity on a Friday. Here are some positive and chill facts for you.

FUN FACTS

**NEXT NETWORK MEETING:**  
**FRIDAY 17TH FEB, 3PM**

# SOCIALS & CRAFTS

## Arts and Crafts Events

### FEELING CRAFTY?

If you're looking for something cozy to fill your winter weekends, why not try taking up a casual craft?

With no skill expectation and a strong sense of community, there are multiple queer crafting groups across the UK!



**BEDFORD, MK40**

**28TH JAN, 14:00**



### **230225 Walking Tour - Queer Tour of the City of London**

Stand in the shadow of St Paul's Cathedral and bask in its reverence as you reflect on its history as the central

**PLACES MUST BE BOOKED, £22 EACH**

## Walking Tour

### QUEER HISTORY OF LONDON

If craft isn't your thing then perhaps a walking tour of the city of London, starting outside the Old Bailey. This tour offers insight into London's history, anti-queer legislation and hidden histories of those in the community.

**25TH FEB, 14:30**

## History Month Fest

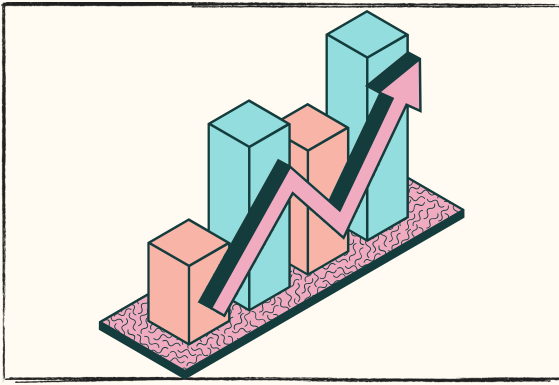
### TOWER HAMLETS

The Tower Hamlets LGBT+ community forum is hosting an all out Fest on the 2nd Feb in honour of History month! There will be film screenings, HIV & STI testing, creative activities, stalls and workshops!

Reserve a free ticket with the link! ->



**2ND FEB, 4-8PM**



## Get involved

### NETWORK QI PROJECT

Have your say in the Network.  
Come join us to give your comments  
& ideas in this QI Project - make  
this Network **your** Network!

[BIWEEKLY WEDNS AT 9AM](#)



## CAMHS Talk Podcast

### LGBTQ+ SAFETY

Below is the link to a Podcast co-  
produced by Young People at CAMHS,  
and CAMHS professionals discussing  
safety in the LGBTQ+ community.

[PODCAST LINK](#)

## Contact Us

### QUESTIONS? COMPLAINTS? JUST WANT A CHAT?

Our inbox is always open, no matter the reason :)



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Thanks for reading!  
Stay safe out there!

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