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Growing Together Fund to Conduct Community Assessment

The Community Foundation's Growing Together Initiative conducted its first LGBTQIA community survey in 2001, and again in 2008. The local data collected from these surveys is shared with the community and is used to inform the Foundation's grant making from the Growing Together Fund.

A lot has transpired in these last 6 years and it is time to gather data once again. Help shape your community by participating in the survey! The Growing Together Fund will have a booth at Pride in the Plaza and will launch the survey on that day. Copies will be available during Pride and an on-line survey will be open through October 15th. Drop by and share your opinions by participating in the survey. For more information about the Growing Together Fund, go to www.cfsloco.org

GALA Senior Advocacy Hiking News

July 26, 2014 Hike

Time: 10 AM

Poly Canyon Design Village

Easy to moderate hiking

3 miles round trip plus walking around the Village.

Cal Poly Village is a collection of interesting monuments from the architectural and engineering departments. Poly Canyon Trail to the Design Village follows a ranch road through the rolling hills alongside Brizzolari Creek behind the Cal Poly campus.

Driving instructions: From Hwy 101, take the Grand Avenue/Cal Poly exit. Take Grand Avenue to the Cal Poly entrance station, check in for parking pass, drive .04 miles to Perimeter Road, turn right and park .02 miles ahead in the H-4 parking lot on the right.

Lunch afterwards is up to the group.

Look for monthly updates on the [Senior Advocacy](#) website and at the [Senior Advocacy Facebook Page](#).



San Luis Obispo Outdoor Women's Group

This group is open to lesbian and lesbian-friendly women who enjoy the outdoors whether it be camping, picnicking, hiking, biking or kayaking. It is a place for women of like interests to connect and plan events on the Central Coast and surrounding areas. If you would like to be added to the group, send an email to Penny Bennett at pkbennett@mac.com

You must have a Facebook account to be added to the group

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Single Issue \$46

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Rainbow Thumb Gardeners

The next scheduled quarterly meeting of the Rainbow Thumb Gardeners will be Aug. 24 in Atascadero. For details please contact Gary at garypsy@aol.com.

The New Digital News & Reiews

As you see, we have changed the *GALA News & Reviews* to an electronic format and distribution beginning with the May, 2014 issue. We will continue to produce a hard copy for those GALA members that request it and for distribution through outlets such as bookstores, coffee houses, etc. This allows us to not only reduce the cost of each issue, but to also increase the frequency to monthly, thereby providing fresher, more up to date content. An additional benefit to our advertisers is much more frequent exposure at significantly less cost per issue. This is further enhanced by appearing as a GALA supporter on at least one eMail Update each month. In addition, all advertisers also appear on our website in [Business Listings](#).

GALA Senior Advocacy Luxury Motor Coach Tours

September 27th to the Getty Museum.

More info: <http://slo-lgbt-seniors.org/events-snr/44-summer-bus-trips.html>

You will need to sign up directly with Silverado. These are tours for the general public. We're simply arranging for you to have company from GALA as you go on them. It is recommended that reservations be made quickly as they fill up fast. For more information and to make reservations, please contact David Maislen at 474-4010, or at dmaislen@gmail.com. In addition, please let our organizer, Hank Herzog, know that you've signed up (in a separate email) hankherzog@sbcglobal.net, so that we may be able to keep track in advance of who's going among our friends.

Senior Advocacy News

LGBT Senior Cultural Competency Training (CCT) is now available and being presented at Skilled Nursing and Residential Care Facilities. We offer a 30 minute in-service presentation concerning best practices for hands on caregivers and medical professionals, in the facilities. Why: so that our seniors might not be faced with going back in the closet when deciding to live at an assisted living home. We still provide these trainings free of charge.

Look for updates on our activities and events each month, and volunteer via the [Senior Advocacy web site](#) and our [Facebook](#).

The Social is on the fourth Wednesday from 4-6 PM at the GALA Center. Please note we are going back to the 4-6 PM time for the Socials beginning in July. Our topic is Aging Gracefully and Staying in Your Own Home, HomeShare, and Cohousing. We welcome Anne Wyatt, and Susan Howe, who will talk about their programs and experiences. Come and share with friends and neighbors.

Our Free-For-ALL Movie Night (with free popcorn and coffee) is taking the month of July off for SLO Pride, and returns the second Friday of August at 7 PM.

By volunteering with Senior Advocacy you are helping assure that senior LGBT people are not isolated, don't go back into the closet when facing long term care needs, and can continue to live to their highest abilities. Attend our events and learn more about the local 'out' senior community and the part we have chosen to play in the wider community. Email any questions or comments to senior-advocacy@galacc.org

To all of our friends and allies: thank you once again for your continuing support, for your Pride in the community and for assisting in creating the kind of world where Central California LGBT seniors enjoy living.

CENTRAL COAST PRIDE 2014

A Brief Look at SLO Pride

Thursday July 10

Farmers' Market 6-9 PM Higuera Street downtown SLO. Come join the fun at a special SLO Pride Night at GALA's booth.

Movie at the Palm 7-9 PM at the Palm Theatre "Matt Shepard is a Friend of Mine" A uniquely intimate and revealing documentary about Matthew Shepard, the gay young man murdered in one of the most notorious hate crimes in U.S. History.

Friday July 11

Drag Show at SLO Brewing Company Two shows this year, 6:30 PM and 9:30 PM [CLICK FOR TICKETS](#)

Saturday July 12

Legal Forum at the SLO Library Community Room 10:00 AM-12 Noon Providing the latest information regarding marriage and partnerships Refreshments provided

Pride Art Reception 3-6 PM at the GALA Center This is the annual show featuring the works of many artists in our community. Refreshments provided

Margaret Cho 8 - 10 PM The Performing Arts Center Tickets at PACSLO.ORG

Pride Dance at Pappy McGregor's 1865 Monterey in SLO 9:00 PM-Close \$10 cover at the door

Sunday July 13

Pride in the Plaza Noon-5:30 PM at Mission Plaza, downtown SLO

Post Pride Celebration 5:30-10:00 PM Novo, 726 Higuera Street, SLO

ON STAGE SUNDAY

Joe Stevens - Roots Music
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