

CARA NEWS

Capital Area Rainbowlers Association

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WALK WITH PRIDE

CARA's Board of Directors invites you to join them in marching in the Gay Pride on June 11, 2000. There will be marchers from the Maryland and Virginia leagues. This is the first time CARA bowlers have marched in the Pride Parade.

Banners will include CARA'S banner, the CHIT banner, and the Maryland Friday Night Lambdas banner. Wear a favorite bowling shirt, bring a flag, or prepare a poster identifying your league.

Persons' interest in marching should arrive at Francis Junior High School at 24th and N. Street, NW, between 10:00 and 11:00 A.M.. The parade steps off at 12:00 noon. If you can't make it by noon, join us along the parade route.

CARA bowlers make up one of the largest gay/lesbian groups in the Washington Area with one of the most active schedules throughout the year. We hope you will join us and help make our participation a big success.

For more information, Maryland marchers can contact Shannon at 301-962-9710. Virginia and DC marchers can contact Hawk at 202-232-3141.

DON'T BE BORED THIS SUMMER

SUMMER BOWLING LEAGUES

There will be a Tuesday night league at AMF Seminary starting 13 June, 2000 with a start time of 7:30. For additional information call Joe Johnson at 703-739-7620.

There will be a Thursday night league at AMF Alexandria starting June 8 at 7:30. Contact Hawk Crutchfield at 202-232-3141 for additional information.

There will be a Wednesday night Duck Pin League starting June 21st, 8:00 p.m., at White Oaks Lanes in Silver Spring, 11207 New Hampshire Ave. Contact Bill at 703-276-8108 or Jack at 703-866-0066 for additional information.

There may be a Friday Social Bowling at AMF Shady Grove Lanes in Gaithersburg, MD., every 2nd or 3rd week.

MONITOR SUMMER EVENTS

To keep current on CARA Summer and Fall events contact UnklBILL2U@aol.com to be added to the CARA E-Mail list, or monitor the CARA Web Site and the Washington Blade.

CRAZY BOWL JUNE 6

CARA is hosting a fund raiser for the Capital Pride Festival at 8:0, June 6, 2000. The event will be held at AMF Alexandria. Prizes will be awarded. Cost is \$15.00 per bowler. Call Gary at 703-893-7346 or Todd at 703-751-8185 for additional information.

DISCO BOWLING

AMF Shady Grove located in Gaithersburg, Maryland holds a weekly event referred to as "Extreme Bowling" from 11:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday nights during the summer and starting at midnight in the winter. Bowl to disco and other music with the lights turned off and only disco/strobe lights to bowl by. Call 301-948-1390 for additional information. The AMF Annandale Bowling Lanes recently installed lights and now has Cosmic Bowl on Saturdays 9:00 p.m. AMF bowlers normally get reduced rates. Call 703-256-2211 for additional information. AMF Seminary and AMF Alexandria have also installed special equipment. Contact individual houses for times and days.

2000 CHIT A HOWLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR

Planning for CHIT 2000 is well underway under the leadership of Co-Directors Belva Boone and David Peterson. The tournament will be held the weekend of October 27- 29, 2000.

Bowling will be at the AMF Alexandria Lanes. The entry fee is \$85:00 per bowler and \$35:00 for non-bowling guests. Saturday night Bingo will be held at the host hotel.

The host hotel is the Washington Plaza Hotel. The cost is \$90.00 per night for 1-2 occupants and \$100.00 for 3-4 occupants.

For more information contact Belva at 703-273-9288, David at 703-553-0211, or Jack Ellison (Registration) at 703-866-0066. Or monitor the CARA Web Site: www.carabowling.org

DUCK PIN EVENT

The March Duckpin event held at White Oak Bowling Lanes in Silver Spring, Maryland was a fun filled success. Forty bowlers from Virginia and Maryland turned out for the event.

CARA awarded a free night of bowling to the top experienced and top first time Duckpin bowler. In a blind doubles side tournament prizes were awarded to the top three teams.

Due to the interest express at the tournament CARA has decided to have a summer Duckpin League which will also be held at the White Oak Bowling Lanes.

CARA AT DC PRIDE

CARA and CHIT 200 will have a table at DC Pride on June 9th, 2000. Stop by for current CARA and CHIT-2000 information

PBA TV SCHEDULE

FOX Sports Network.

June 17, 4-5:30 p.m.
Albuquerque, NM

July 1, 4-5:30 p.m.
Wichita, KS

July 8, 4-5:30 p.m.
Tucson, AZ

July 15, 5-6:30 p.m.
Phoenix, AZ

NOTE: The fall PBA Tournament will be carried on ESPN starting October 10, 2000.

PWBA NEWS

PWBA announced that all 24 PWBA events will be broadcast by ESPN2 this year. PWBA says this will be the most vigorous television schedule in the history of women's bowling. ESPN2 experimented with scheduling the 1999 PWBA Fall

tour on Monday nights and was pleased with the results.

PWBA TV SCHEDULE

Each show will be telecast at 8:00 p.m. Monday and repeated the following Thursdays at 12:00 p.m. **CENTRAL TIME.**

May 8 and May 11.
San Diego, CA

May 15, and May 18
Las Vegas, NV

May 22 and May 25
Grants Pass, OR

May 29 and June 1
Reno, NV

June 5 and June 8
Omaha, NE

June 12 and June 15
Fairview Heights, IL

June 19 and June 22
Terre Haute, IN

Check: www.pwba.com for future WPBA tournaments.

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