

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS FEBRUARY THRU JUNE

BOOTS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 8:00 PM

Harley, Wesco, Timberland, construction, and biker boots. Boots are hot! No matter what kind you like, boots can define a scene. Our presenter will discuss what is so enticing and why we get off on a man's boots!

EROTIC FICTION

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12 8:00 PM

A panel of male and female erotic fiction writers will read and discuss their books as well as their experiences in writing in this area. A book signing and sale will follow the program. *This event is open to both men and women.*

EROTIC HYPNOSIS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9 8:00 PM

Hypnodadny returns. He has shown us that hypnosis is real and it is pleasurable to surrender to his power. Now, he'll discuss the myths and realities of hypnosis, drawing men into your spell, and using hypnosis in a relationship. You can be one of the subjects or watch from the audience. To learn more go to www.HypnoDad.com. Mark it in your calendar now!

RESTRAINTS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14 8:00 PM

Ropes, chains, cuffs, collars, leather, and rubber—you're hot on your way to ecstasy. Our demonstration and discussion will challenge and inspire you to bring new elements of bondage to your play!

ANNUAL MEETING AND PUPPY PLAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11 8:00 PM

Annual meeting, with awards and election of the new Board of Directors. Then . . . Are you playful as a puppy? Do you enjoy being collared, nuzzling, and barking? Or do you enjoy training a human pup? Find out what it takes and what is in it for the handler and the pup. Woof, woof!

*Programs are held at the LGBT Center, 208 W. 13TH Street.
Suggested donation: members \$5 and non-members \$7.*

WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, AND SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

BOOT BLACKING (WORKSHOP)

SUNDAY, MARCH 2 3-6 PM

Jim will teach the proper way to care for a man's boots. Attendees are required to wear black leather boots to the event (*no sneakers or shoes, boots must be black leather*). A \$10 materials fee will be collected at the event.

HOODS AND MASKS (SEMINAR)

SATURDAY, MARCH 15 3-6 PM

Andrew will bring a large selection of hoods and masks to talk about, and for you to try on during this show-and-tell seminar. If you have an unusual one, bring it along. Learn about the dynamic and psychology behind hoods and masks, along with issues of safety.

THE ART OF FLAGELLATION (WORKSHOP)

SUNDAY, APRIL 27 3-6 PM

Floggers, cat-o'-nine tails, quirts, and more. Examine and experiment with these implements, under John's guidance. Individual attention will be given to help you learn how to properly handle a flogger for safety and pleasure. No prior experience is necessary.

SUSPENSION (SEMINAR/DEMONSTRATION)

SATURDAY, MAY 17 3-6 PM

This event is intended primarily for Tops and Switches. Bob, a renowned expert in the art of suspension, will demonstrate how to take your bottom to new heights safely.

MUMMIFICATION (WORKSHOP)

SUNDAY, JUNE 1 3-6 PM

Learn about Saran Wrap, Vetrap, and other mummifications, with variations that include duct tape, PVC tape, and colored wrap, conducted by Master Tip. We'll supply the materials, you supply the ingenuity and creativity. A \$5 materials fee will be collected at the event.

BEGINNERS BONDAGE SIG (2 SESSIONS)

Peter will conduct this 2-part SIG on **Saturday and Sunday, February 9 and 10**, as an introduction to bondage for those with little or no experience. It progresses rapidly from simple rope bondage to advanced topics like mummification and severe bondage. This is a hands-on event and all are expected to participate. Tops and switches are more likely to benefit from this course than exclusive bottoms. Participants must attend both sessions, each from noon to 6 PM. A single \$10 materials fee will be collected. **To apply, contact Gil at 212-243-5190.** Maximum of 14 attendees.

Leather Pride 2008

Leather Pride Night

The 25th annual Leather Pride Night Auction will be held on **Saturday, June 21**. Leather Pride Night (LPN) is an annual charity auction that raises money for NY/NJ area organizations. Over the years, LPN has donated over \$250,000 to local and national charities.

Leather Pride Night is sponsored by nine NYC S/m leather/fetish organizations: GMSMA, Imperial Court of NY, Iron Guard BC, Lesbian Sex Mafia, MAsT Metro NY, MetroBears NY, New York boys of Leather, Pariah's MC, The Eulenspiegel Society (TES), and many committed individuals.

Folsom Street East XII

GMSMA's Folsom Street East XII will be held on **Sunday, June 22** and is New York's only S/M Leather/Fetish block party, the largest outdoor event of its kind on the East Coast. *See ad on other side for more details.*

The success of FSE has enabled GMSMA to donate and support organizations like The LGBT Community Center, the NYC Gay and Lesbian Anti-Violence Project, the National Coalition for Sexual Freedom, God's Love We Deliver, and Rivington House.

Pride Day March

Show your Leather Pride and march with your brothers of GMSMA in the New York City Pride March on **Sunday, June 29**.

SIGN-UP TODAY FOR ONE OR MORE OF THESE GREAT EVENTS!

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___ **HOODS AND MASKS** SATURDAY, MARCH 15

___ **THE ART OF FLAGELLATION** SUNDAY, APRIL 27

___ **SUSPENSION** SATURDAY, MAY 17

___ **MUMMIFICATION** SUNDAY, JUNE 1

GMSMA offers members and their male guests opportunities for in-depth exploration of specific topics. Although members attend at no charge (aside from any supply fees), each guest will be charged \$10 at the event (aside from supply fees). The member must accompany the guest at the event. Since space must be reserved in advance, members should indicate which event a guest will be attending and write the guest's name below, or phone in later with a guest name. Only members may attend a SIG.

Seminars are discussion groups that meet for one afternoon. **Workshops** are one-time, "hands-on" learning experiences. **Special Interest Groups (SIGs)** are groups that get together for a series of meetings. None of these events are intended to be an actual s/m scene. As a protection for everyone, no drugs or alcohol are permitted. These events are generally NOT held at the LGBT Center. Initial confirmation calls, with venue information, are made to participants 3 weeks before the event. Members who do not show up for enrolled events without prior notification (or whose enrolled guests do not show) will be cancelled from future events. **Sign up NOW!**

MEMBER'S NAME

MEMBER'S PHONE

GUEST'S NAME

EVENT

GUEST'S NAME

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MAIL YOUR REGISTRATION TO:

GMSMA 332 Bleecker Street, PMB D23 New York, NY 10014



GAY MALE S/M ACTIVISTS

GMSMA is a not-for-profit organization of gay men who are seriously interested in safe, sane, and consensual s/m. Our purpose is to create a more supportive s/m community for gay men whether they are experienced or are just coming out into s/m. Our regular meetings and other activities help build a sense of community by exploring common feelings and concerns.

We aim to raise awareness about issues of safety and responsibility, to recover elements of our tradition, and to disseminate the best available medical and technical information about s/m practices. We seek to establish a recognized political presence in the wider gay community in order to combat the prevailing stereotypes and misconceptions about s/m while working with others for the common goals of gay liberation.

GMSMA is an all volunteer organization managed by a Board of Directors that is elected by the membership. Membership is open to any male nineteen years of age or older.

GMSMA is you, our members, and we need you to help us in many ways. Volunteer today. It's a great way to make friends and become an active part of the s/m community!

I would like to know more about how I can volunteer and help GMSMA. Please contact me.

NAME _____

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PRESENTS

THE
SECOND ANNUAL
**LEATHER
FETISH
FASHION SHOW**

**SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 9, 8PM**

**THE LGBT CENTER
208 WEST 13TH STREET
NEW YORK CITY**

**Many of New York's leading
leather designers will be
exhibiting both male
and female attire.**

A Benefit for The LGBT Center.

**Admission \$10
Includes 1 drink ticket
Cash bar**

Open to men and women.



PRESENTS

OUR ANNUAL
STREET FAIR
**FOLSOM
STREET
EAST XII**

**SUNDAY
JUNE 22, 2-8PM**

**West 28TH Street
BETWEEN 10TH & 11TH AVENUES
NEW YORK CITY**

**Food, beer, entertainment,
and a sprawling
Leather & Fetish market.**

**Volunteer and be part of this
Great Annual Event!**

Open to men and women.

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"Safe, Sane, Consensual"



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