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COLUMBUS PRIDE 2026



PRIDE GUIDE



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COLUMBUS PRIDE 2026

Pride March
Sat Jun 20
 STEP OFF 10:30AM

Festival & Resource Fair
June 19-20
 4-10pm / 11am-8pm
 @Goodale Park

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EVENTS ALL MONTH LONG

June 1 City Hall Illumination
 June 7 Pride Brunch
 at The Convention Center
 June 16 Pride Interfaith Service
 June 19 - 20 Pride Fest and Resource Fair
 June 20 Pride March
 June 27 Stonewall Drag Race

MAIN STAGE HEADLINER



MAIN STAGE HOSTS



Amber Knicole



Mercedes Munro



Collin Dorsey



Rhetto

FEATURED ARTISTS

- Amica Love
- SPICY
- HURRA
- FASHN
- Edwen
- Yaina Asis
- Lucky Blu Band
- Columbus Women's Chorus
- Ethan Goza
- Farker Jayne
- Girl Cologne
- ENVY MWAH
- Robyn Doulayre
- Calli Coquette
- Rhetto
- Marlee Carpenter

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A MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

When I attended my first Columbus Pride, I experienced it much like many people do. As a celebration. A gathering. A chance to be surrounded by community.

What I didn't yet understand was how much work, care, and commitment it takes to create a space where hundreds of thousands of people can feel seen, connected, and welcome.

Over the last six years, I have had the extraordinary privilege of serving as Executive Director of Stonewall Columbus. During that time, I have come to understand Pride differently.

Yes, Pride is a festival. Yes, Pride is a march. Yes, Pride is a celebration. But Pride is also an act of community-building.

It is volunteers arriving before sunrise to help set up. It is families attending for the first time. It is artists sharing their talents. It is sponsors choosing to invest. It is community organizations showing up for one another. It is thousands of people making a collective decision that everyone deserves a place to belong.

This year's theme, "Until We're All Free," speaks to something I have witnessed again and again throughout my time at Stonewall. The truth that our lives are connected.

The truth that community is not built by individuals acting alone, but by people choosing to care about one another's well-being as much as their own. And the truth that freedom is not simply the absence of barriers. It is the presence of belonging.

As I reflect on my time at Stonewall Columbus, what gives me the greatest hope is not any single event, program, community victory, or accomplishment. It is people. It is the young person who found community. The parent who found support. The volunteer who became a leader. The organization that chose partnership. The countless individuals who continue to show up for one another every day.

Those moments rarely make headlines. But they are the foundation upon which movements are built. Pride reminds us that change happens when ordinary people decide that the future can be better than the present and then commit themselves to helping make it so.

Thank you for being part of that work. Thank you for supporting Stonewall Columbus. Thank you for helping create a community where more people can live openly, authentically, and with dignity.

And thank you for continuing the work of building a world where everyone belongs. Because until we're all free, the work continues.

Happy Pride!

Densil R. Porteous
Executive Director (2020 - 2026)
Stonewall Columbus

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A RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE 2026 PRIDE MONTH AND ANNUAL PRIDE FESTIVAL AND MARCH, "UNTIL WE'RE ALL FREE"

WHEREAS, June is LGBTQ+ Pride Month, during which we recognize the 1969 Stonewall Uprising in New York City as a catalyst for the modern LGBTQ+ rights movement and honor activists such as transgender advocates Marsha P. Johnson and Sylvia Rivera, who according to the (Library of Congress), played a critical role in the uprising and subsequent movement; and

WHEREAS, each year, Columbus and cities around the world host annual Pride Marches and festivals to commemorate liberation for LGBTQ+ individuals; and

WHEREAS, Stonewall Columbus, Inc. started hosting its annual Pride March and Festival in 1981, which typically generates over 700,000 visitors to Columbus and Central Ohio; and

WHEREAS, LGBTQ+ Pride Month and annual Pride Marches are celebrations of equality and the commitment to uplifting LGBTQ+ people; and

WHEREAS, Columbus's 2026 Pride March and Festival, "Until We're All Free," is a celebration of LGBTQ+ individuals and calls attention to the shared responsibility to stand together across individual differences; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS: That this Council does hereby celebrates the 2026 LGBTQ+ Pride Month and the 2026 Stonewall Columbus Pride March as these events recognize Columbus's commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion and uplifting LGBTQ+ identities within the community.



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TOYA L. JOHNSON, CITY CLERK

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, during the month of June, communities across the nation observe Pride Month as a time to celebrate the history, resilience, visibility, contributions and ongoing pursuit of equality for LGBTQ+ people, rooted in the events of June 1969, when LGBTQ+ people and allies at the Stonewall Inn in New York City helped spark a broader movement for dignity, civil rights and liberation; and

WHEREAS, that movement continues to inspire communities across the country, including here in Columbus, where generations of LGBTQ+ residents, advocates, organizers, artists, families, youth, elders and allies have worked to build a city where every person can live openly, safely and authentically; and

WHEREAS, since its founding in 1981 as Stonewall Union, Stonewall Columbus has played an essential role in advancing visibility, support, education, advocacy and community connection for LGBTQ+ people throughout Central Ohio, while continuing to organize the annual Stonewall Columbus Pride Festival and March as a powerful celebration of joy, solidarity and belonging; and

WHEREAS, the City of Columbus remains steadfast in its commitment to protecting the rights, freedoms, safety and dignity of LGBTQ+ residents, workers and visitors, and to ensuring that Columbus remains a welcoming and inclusive city for all people, regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression; and

WHEREAS, this commitment is reflected in the establishment of the Columbus LGBTQ+ Affairs Commission, which advises the Mayor and Columbus City Council on issues affecting the LGBTQ+ community, as well as the City's longstanding comprehensive nondiscrimination protections, which are enforced through the Columbus Community Relations Commission; and

WHEREAS, Columbus has earned a perfect score on the Human Rights Campaign's Municipal Equality Index for more than ten consecutive years, and the City is proud to stand with Stonewall Columbus, Equality Ohio, Kaleidoscope Youth Center and other community partners whose work uplifts, supports and empowers LGBTQ+ people across our city;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Andrew J. Ginther, Mayor of the City of Columbus, Ohio, do hereby proclaim the month of June 2026 to be:

Pride Month

in Columbus and encourage all residents to join in celebrating the LGBTQ+ community, honoring the generations of advocates who have advanced the cause of equality and recommitting ourselves to building a city where every person is seen, valued, protected and free to thrive.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Mayor of the City of Columbus, Ohio, to be hereto affixed this 1st day of June 2026.


 Andrew J. Ginther
 Mayor

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LUSTER P SINGLETON

LuSter P Singleton has been named the 2026 Patron of Pride, recognizing a lifetime of cultural leadership, community-building, and commitment to preserving and advancing LGBTQ+ history in Central Ohio.

A queer, Black, Appalachian, trans-masculine artist, writer, and community leader, Singleton has spent decades shaping the cultural and communal landscape of Columbus. From performance stages to community spaces, their work has centered visibility, belonging, and the power of storytelling as a tool for survival and liberation.

A native of Zanesville, Ohio—what LuSter proudly calls “Y-bridge river country”—their work is deeply informed by the intersections of identity, faith, and lived experience. A graduate of The Ohio State University, where they earned both a Bachelor’s and Master’s degree in Women’s Studies, LuSter has long been engaged in advancing equity and inclusion. Their leadership includes serving as a coordinator for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Student Services and as Director of Ethnic Student Services at Ohio State.

For more than 35 years, LuSter has been a dynamic force in the world of performance and cultural production. Known for their gender-bending personas Lustivious Dela Virgion and Luster Dela V., they have contributed to the evolution of drag and gender performance both locally and nationally. As co-founder of Fast Friday Productions, they played a pivotal role in the development of the internationally recognized drag king troupe H.I.S. KINGS and the International Drag King Extravaganza (IDKE).

Their impact extends beyond the stage. For 14 years, LuSter served as the coordinator for the Pride Family and Teen Area at Stonewall Columbus’s annual Pride Festival, helping to create affirming, multigenerational spaces for LGBTQ+ youth and families. Their work as a storyteller and historian has also been instrumental in preserving the legacy of lesbian bar culture and the spaces that have sustained queer life in Ohio.

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2026 Cornerstone Honoree



Chris Cozad

Chris Cozad has spent years strengthening LGBTQ+ Organizations and initiatives across Columbus. Her commitment and leadership have led her to serve as the LGBTQ+ Advisor for Columbus City Mayor and occupy other leadership positions across the LGBTQ+ community.

Chris ran the Buckeye Region Anti-Violence Organization creating a safe space for survivors of LGBTQ+ violence. Chris' work and leadership has helped ensure that LGBTQ+ Organizations in Columbus continue evolving and serving people across our city.

2026 Central Ohio Ally of the Year



Candy Watkins

Candy Watkins has consistently shown up for LGBTQ+ people across Central Ohio through leadership, and action.

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Jeanne Heald

The Linda Schuler Trailblazer Service Award honors members of our community who lead with courage, compassion, and consistency.

Jeanne Heald has spent years helping preserve and uplift LGBTQ+ history in Columbus.

Jeanne's work has strengthened understanding, visibility, and connection across generations. For decades, she has continued leading with humility, compassion, and care.

Jeanne's dedication to Stonewall, first as a staff member and now as an emeritus board member has helped ensure that LGBTQ+ stories in Columbus continue to be remembered, shared, and honored.



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Support Columbus Pride

Pride Champions are a group of supporters who contribute to help Stonewall Columbus produce the Stonewall Columbus Pride Festival & March—which annually costs over \$500,000.

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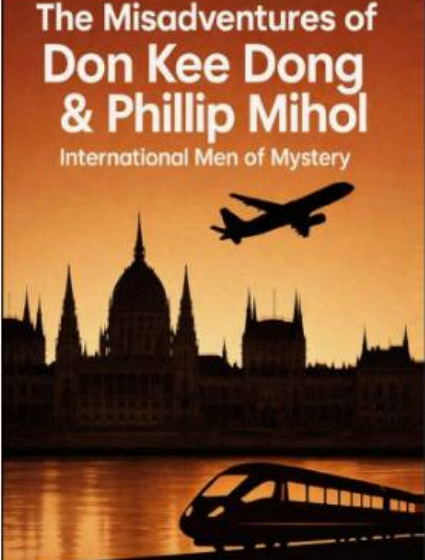


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In addition, Stonewall Columbus does not tolerate any acts of violence, abuse or harassment of any verbal, physical, sexual or other kind towards our employees, visitors, guests and partners.

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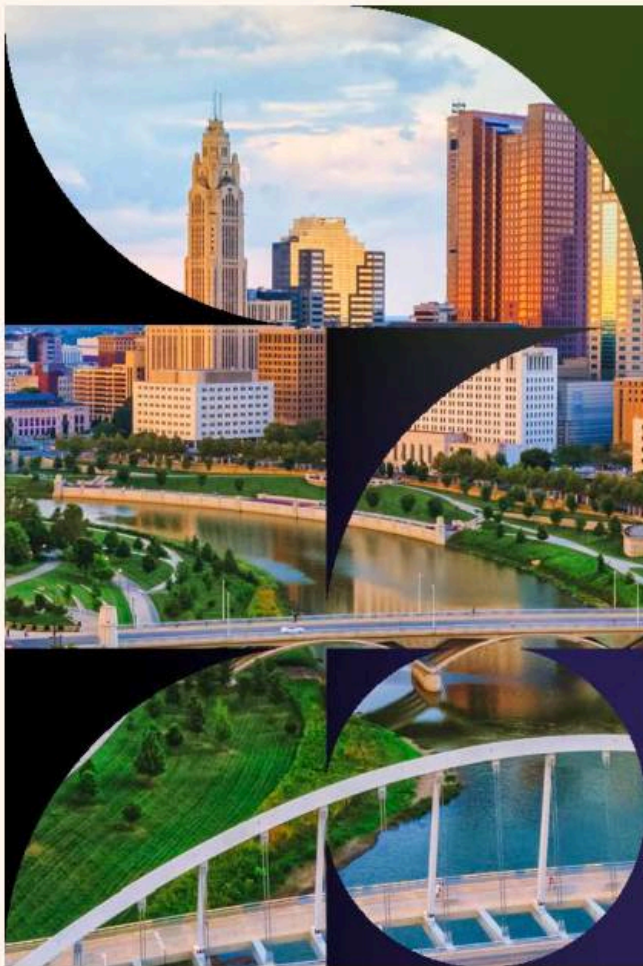


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A LETTER FOR THE COMMUNITY

More than fifty-five years ago, patrons of the Stonewall Inn stood up against a system that denied their dignity, their safety, and their right to exist openly. What began as resistance to a police raid became something larger—a declaration that freedom and liberation belong to everyone.

The modern LGBTQ+ movement was born from a simple but powerful truth: none of us can be fully free while others remain excluded, marginalized, or denied their humanity.

That truth remains at the heart of this year's Pride theme:

Until We're All Free.

This year, our Pride Festival begins on Juneteenth, a day that commemorates the delayed arrival of freedom for enslaved Black Americans. Juneteenth reminds us that freedom has never been evenly distributed, universally experienced, or automatically granted. It has always required people willing to challenge injustice, organize for change, and imagine a better future.

As we gather for Pride, we do so with an understanding that our struggles and our liberation are connected.

The LGBTQ+ community is not a single story. We are Black, Brown, Indigenous, Asian, and White. We are transgender, nonbinary, lesbian, gay, bisexual, queer, and questioning. We are immigrants and lifelong Ohioans. We are people of faith and people seeking community. We are young people discovering themselves and elders whose courage made this moment possible.

Our diversity is not a challenge to overcome—it is our strength.

As our nation approaches its 250th anniversary, we are presented with an opportunity to reflect on the promise of freedom itself. Who has been included in that promise? Who has been excluded? And what responsibility do we share in ensuring that future generations inherit a more equitable and inclusive society?

Here in Columbus, we have witnessed meaningful progress. We have seen the creation of the LGBTQ+ Affairs Commission, continued investments in inclusion, and a growing recognition that LGBTQ+ people are not separate from the story of our city—we are part of its foundation and its future.

Yet we also know that progress is not permanent.

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Across Ohio and throughout the country, LGBTQ+ people continue to face barriers to housing, healthcare, employment, safety, and belonging. Transgender and nonbinary people, LGBTQ+ youth, and many within our BIPOC communities continue to experience disproportionate challenges. Pride calls us not only to celebrate how far we have come, but to remain committed to the work that still lies ahead.

That work is not carried by activists alone.

It belongs to all of us.

It belongs to the parents creating affirming homes. The educators supporting students. The businesses building inclusive workplaces. The faith leaders opening their doors. The artists telling our stories. The volunteers showing up. The elected officials advancing equality. The community members choosing every day to care for one another.

Pride has always been both celebration and commitment.

This weekend, we will march. We will dance. We will gather with friends and family. We will honor our history and celebrate our community. But we will also recommit ourselves to the work of creating a world where every person can live openly, authentically, and with dignity.

Because Pride is not simply about being seen.

It is about ensuring that everyone belongs.

As you enjoy this year's Stonewall Columbus Pride Festival and March, we invite you to celebrate boldly, love deeply, and continue building the kind of community that makes freedom possible for all.

Because until we're all free, the work continues.

Happy Pride, Columbus!

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Honoring Juneteenth

Stonewall Columbus Pride Weekend 2026 begins on June 19--Juneteenth, a day that commemorates the delayed emancipation of enslaved Black Americans in the United States. Juneteenth reminds us that freedom has never been evenly or immediately realized--and that the work of liberation is ongoing.

As we gather in celebration of Pride, we do so in recognition that our movements are interconnected. The fight for LGBTQ+ rights has always been shaped by the leadership, resilience, and vision of Black communities--particularly Black queer and trans individuals whose contributions have too often gone unrecognized.

Beginning Pride on Juneteenth is both meaningful and intentional. It invites us to celebrate with joy while also holding space for reflection--on history, on progress, and on the work that remains.

As we move through this weekend--through the Festival and into the March--we do so grounded in a shared truth: none of us are free until all of us are free.



History of Stonewall Columbus Pride

Origins: A March for Visibility (1981 – 1982)

In June 1981, approximately 200 individuals gathered in Columbus, Ohio, for the city's first Pride march. Organized by local activists, this initial demonstration was a courageous act of visibility at a time when LGBTQ+ individuals faced significant societal stigma. Some participants wore bags over their heads to conceal their identities, highlighting the risks associated with being openly queer during that era.

Later that year, in response to efforts by the Moral Majority to establish a presence in Columbus, local activists founded Stonewall Union (now Stonewall Columbus). The organization's mission was to increase the visibility and acceptance of the LGBTQ+ community through political advocacy, education, and community building.

Growth and Recognition (1980s – 2000s)

The inaugural official Columbus Pride Parade took place on June 26, 1982, drawing over 500 participants and concluding with a rally at the Ohio Statehouse. This event marked a significant milestone in the city's LGBTQ+ history, signaling growing community support and visibility.

Throughout the following decades, Stonewall Columbus expanded its programs and services, establishing itself as a central hub for the LGBTQ+ community in Central Ohio. The organization provided support groups, educational workshops, and advocacy initiatives, fostering a sense of community and empowerment.

A Major Cultural Event (2010s – Present)

Over the years, the Columbus Pride Festival and March have grown exponentially. From the modest gathering in 1981, the event now attracts over 700,000 visitors annually, making it one of the largest Pride celebrations in the Midwest. The festival features a diverse array of activities, including a vibrant march through downtown Columbus, live performances, vendor booths, and resource fairs.

Continuing the Legacy

Today, Stonewall Columbus remains committed to its mission of increasing visibility, inclusion, and connection for the LGBTQ+ community. The organization continues to adapt and evolve, addressing contemporary issues while honoring its rich history. Through ongoing advocacy, education, and community engagement, Stonewall Columbus strives to create a more inclusive and equitable society for all.

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In our community we believe that diversity represents the differences among people, equity means fairness regardless of differences, and inclusion is achieved for all through intentional engagement and welcoming behavior.

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Upcoming events

From intriguing exhibitions, to renowned presentations, to tastings and tours, there's always something new happening here.

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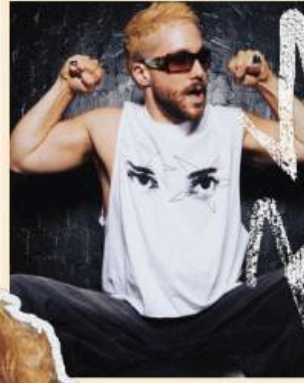


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