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NEW YEARS EVE



Friday night is the Big Blast, New Years Eve. All of Tucson is ready to bust out with celebrations to welcome 1977. All the bars have big celebrations and parties planned. Free hats, horns and favors are featured everywhere. Take part in costume contests, boogie to live or disco music, watch Go-Go Boys and an "Oil and Mist Dance" or and take part in all you can drink plans. Here's a list of whats going on:

Friday, December 31st

HAIR-TIZ: Big New Years Eve Party, hats, horns and favors, and a free glass of champagne to toast in the New Year at midnight.

STONEWALL-BACK POCKET: THE STONEWALL opens at 9pm for New Years Eve celebrating 'till lam. You have a choice of all you can drink for \$7, or \$1 gets you in for the Hors d'oevres, noise makers, hats, and favors and you pay for individual drinks. And you'll be able to wonder back and forth between the STONEWALL and the BACK POCKET. The BACK POCKET will have no cover or minimum.

H & L TAVERN: From 9pm to lam you can get all the beer you can drink for \$5. You might consider making reservations for the H & L since it's really turning out to be a popular place for the east side of town.

DALE'S GRADUATE: Get started at 7:00pm with a buffet and continue with another grat drag show featuring Ruben and John at 9pm. No cover or minimum at the GRADUATE with hats, noise makers and a great time.

JEKYLL'S AND HYDE'S: New Years Eve merry making goes from 6pm to 3am. Get your tickets early and save yourself a couple of bucks. Tickets are \$6 in advance or \$8 at the door for a free buffet, a fifth of champagne, hats and horns, and disco 'till 3am. Get into costume 'cause JEKYLL'S is offering a \$50 costume prize.

LUCKY PIERRE'S: "The Wheels" are playing music for dancing New Years Eve, and at 9pm Ray will do his famous, scandalous, sensuous "Misty Oil Dance" to get your blood running. LUCKY PIERRE'S GO-Go Boys will be on for the rest of the night, all for only \$1. This includes hats, horns, favors and a great party.

And on New Years Day, LUCKY PIERRE'S will open at 8am with the Rose Bowl Parade and the football games on TV along with 50¢ "Buddy Marys" and screwdrivers, and a "Hangover Brunch" starting at noon.

EDITORIAL

As we all know, this is the holiday season and with it has come the parties and the bar hopping. Along with all of this frivolity comes old demon rum! All of us, and certainly including this writer, tend to go overboard when everyone else seems to be doing the same. We do not intend to write an article on alcoholism, but we are very concerned for the health and welfare of everyone. We do not want anyone ending up in a bad accident or hauled off to jail to sober up. Everyone probably has a favorite method of sobering us, but we find that black coffee is not one of the best, contrary to popular belief. Coffee acts as a stimulant, and is not necessarily a sobering agent. In checking around, we have found that one of the best sobering devices is several glasses of ice cold water when you find that you are unable to function behind the wheel of an automobile. Try it, you may not like it, but it works and will go a long way to keep you out of trouble, and get you home, or wherever you might be going, safely. Water, for medicinal purposes, is free at any of our local bars. Have a safe and Merry New Years Eve!

ED. NOTE: We apologize for the brevity of this New Year's issue of TGN, but the editors have been experimenting with the ice water theory. Happy New Year.

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HAVE FINISHED IT?

MCC

MCC is so often referred to as "That" Church or The Gay Church. MCC is a church for all people to join in fellowship, and worship in the House of The Lord, and share the Good News. I feel that there is no better time for us than the beginning of a new year to share the "Good News" in our Community. The good news of trying to take time to care and love one another. To work together with unity and stop some of the discrimination that goes on among our own people. As a Humankind we were all created equal. May this New Year bring peace and love to all Humankind.

Peace to all brothers and sisters in the Community, and with love and faith, Happy New Year.

GCS

The GCS telephone, as well as the directors home phone are already located at the new building at 627 N. 7th Ave. It is on the West side of 7th between 4th and 5th Street. Call 622-2324 or 624-5900. Our major problem is that we have not yet been able to move. We urgently need help to finish the repair work on the new building and to physically complete the move. Come by 627 N. 7th Ave. after 9:00 am any day this week or next and help. The office will be open again as soon as we complete the move.

Our next regular meeting on Jan. 3rd at Truth Chapel we will have a discussion with representatives from the Alcoholism Council. Please attend.

Happy New Year
Happiness Always

GAY CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY - DEC. 29
STONEWALL/BACK POCKET - Beer Bust 25¢ draft, 50¢ well 8pm - 1am
H & L BAR - Happy Day Beer Bust 25¢ draft, 75¢ pitcher 4pm - 1am.
HAIR TIZ - Wasted Wednesday 25¢ draft 50¢ well drinks 6pm - 1am.
LUCKY PIERRE'S - Card Night, discount for those playing - 8pm - 1am.
P.S. CLUB - After Hours, FREE BEER, dancing, movies etc...

THURSDAY - DEC. 30
LUCKY PIERRE'S - Beer Bust 25¢ draft 50¢ well drinks 8pm - 1am.
GRADUATE - Beer Bust 25¢ draft and 50¢ well drinks 7:30pm - 1am.
BACK POCKET - Spaghetti, 25¢ all you can eat 9pm. At 10pm two bit whore night - 2nd drink 25¢.

FRIDAY - DEC. 31

New Years Eve! See page one.

SATURDAY - JAN 1
HAIR TIZ - 75¢ Bloody Mary's all day.
LUCKY PIERRE'S - Hangover Brunch free at noon. Go-Go Boys 10pm - 12am.
JEKYLL'S & HYDE'S - Open 4pm, Disco 9pm - 3am. \$1.00 Cover.
BACK DOOR BATHS - New movies in the Theater.

GRADUATE - Open 6pm.
BACK POCKET - Open 7pm.
P.S. CLUB - After Hours, Live Disco.
STONEWALL - Disco 10pm-1am. No Cover.

SUNDAY - JAN. 2

LUCKY PIERRE'S - Champagne Brunch \$1.69, 1pm - 3pm, David Muniz Trio 9pm - 12am.
BACK POCKET - Steak Dinner \$1.75, 5pm to 7pm. 25¢ draft 8pm - 1am.
Bare Chest Night, drinks ½ price 10pm - 1am.

GAY CALENDAR CONTINUED

Sunday Jan. 2 (Cont.)
MCC - Sunday Services 6:30pm, Truth Chapel, 920 N. 1st Avenue.
JEKYLL'S & HYDE'S - Super New Years Lunch 2pm - 5pm, \$1.50 all you can eat. Disco 9pm - 3am.
GRADUATE - Beer Bust 3pm - 5pm, \$1.00 all the draft you can drink or 50¢ well.

MONDAY - JAN. 3

LUCKY PIERRE'S - Guest Chef Night Gary cooks Bavarian Meat Balls and Poppyseed Noodles \$1.69, 7:30 - 9pm, 15¢ beer 8pm-1am.

TUESDAY - JAN. 4

GRADUATE - 50¢ well, 25¢ draft.
JEKYLL'S & HYDE'S - Brewery Night. Pitcher Beer \$1.10, Bavarian Pretzels Free.
BACK DOOR BATHS - \$1.00 to get in and enjoy!!!

DID YOU KNOW?

...that Ronnie Rios, formerly of Jekyll's and Hyde's, is studying stage make-up in California?
 ...that Lucky Pierre's new hours are 4:30pm weekdays and noon on weekends?
 ...that Bud Sherrick of Jekyll's is in California.....again?
 ...Bob Whitworth, ex-manager of the P.S. Club won Mr. Gay San Francisco, and will be in Tucson the second week in January?
 ...that "Buff" Fisher of M.C.C. used to be a legal drug waitress (A nurse)?
 ...that Jim of the H & L Tavern has a masters degree in nursing research from the University of Michigan?

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SHARE HOUSE - Looking for gay male to share comfortable, 2 bedroom house in the Swan/Speedway area. \$125/mo. Call Jason at 622-2324.

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