

Greenbow Messages:

Greenbow AGM/Race Night

Greenbow will have its AGM at Outhouse at 5pm and then Race Night at the Woolshed sports bar on Parnell Street, Dublin 1, at 8pm on Saturday, 22nd October. We would ask all members to read the AGM report before you attend the AGM.

The NLGF Gala Awards

Greenbow has been short-listed in the category for Voluntary Organisation of the Year and Sinaed Braiden has been short-listed in the category for Volunteer of the Year. The Gala Awards will be held on Saturday, 22nd October 2011. Good luck to Greenbow and Sinaed Braiden!

Emmett Barrett's Table Quiz Fundraising Night

Emmett's Table Quiz Fundraising Night was held at the Front Lounge last Tuesday, 12th October. A good crowd attended the table quiz. Eddie Redmond and Christopher Kiely hosted the quiz with the winners winning prizes. Also there was a raffle. A lot of money was raised and will be donated to St James's Hospital for HIV patients. Emmett Barrett would like to thank Greenbow members, students of the Centre for Deaf Studies and friends who attended the table quiz. His thanks also go to Amanda Dunne for interpreting the event and to the Front Lounge for providing the room for the quiz and many prizes too. It was a great night.

Greenbow Christmas Party

Our Christmas party will be held at Brassiere Sixty6 restaurant, South Great Georges Street, Dublin 2 on Saturday, 10th December at 6.30pm. The meal is limited to 25 people! If you are interested in going to the meal please pay the full amount of €35 to Eddie Redmond, Hon Treasurer, before 25th November 2011. Please see page 2 for more details.

GREENBOW Deaf LGBT

RACE NIGHT

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**WOOLSHED, PARNELL STREET,
DUBLIN 1**

Saturday, 22nd October 2011, 8pm



This event is open to all. Both LGBT members and straight people are welcome to attend and participate in the night.

INTERPRETER WILL PROVIDED!

COME ALONG FOR A FUN NIGHT!

Greenbow Deaf Lesbian, Gay, Bixsexual & Transgender Society of Ireland
c/o Outhouse, 105 Capel Street, Dublin 1

Greenbow's email: info_greenbow@yahoo.ie or text 086 3671375



Greenbow's next social night will be at the Front Lounge, Parliament Street, Dublin 2 on **Saturday, 19th November 2011 at 9pm.**

Deafab Cafe Christmas Special



Date: Saturday, 3rd December 2011

**Venue: Outhouse,
105 Capel Street, Dublin 1**

Time: 2-5pm



The Board of the National Lesbian and Gay Federation (NLGF) have informed Greenbow that we have been short-listed for a GALAS award in the Voluntary Organisation of the Year category.

The GALAS were set up by the NLGF to honour lesbians, gay men, bisexuals and transgendered people and organisations for their contributions to Irish society.

The awards are also to honour politicians, employers and other people who are committed to advancing equality and social acceptance for LGBT Irish people in Ireland.

The GALA awards will be held on October 22nd, 2011 at 7.30pm in The Sugar Club, Lesson St, Dublin 2.

GOOD LUCK TO



“Missing Pieces”

Marriageequality launched a new book report at the Mansion House in Dublin. The book report is called “Missing Pieces”, which is Marriageequality’s ground breaking report highlighting over 160 legislative differences between civil marriage and civil partnership.

The book report is available at Outhouse or you can see it online: www.marriagequality.ie

Christmas Dinner Party in Brassiere

on 10th December 2011 @ 6.30pm



YES again! Fabulous cuisine and enjoyable atmosphere!!
Do you want deja vu, if so please pay Eddie Redmond €35 either by cheque, postal order, or cash by hand by the closing date of 25th November 2011

Brassiere 66 Restaurant is in South Great George Street, Dublin 2



Saturday, 5th November 2011

Deafhood Congress and Music event - Deaf rapper Signmark!

Deafhood Congress

Where: Chartered Accountants Ireland
47- 49 Pearce Street, Dublin

Time: 9.00am to 5pm

A LITTLE NOTE FOR YOU... For those who leave a message on the Chartered Accountants Ireland Facebook page saying they are going, this is NOT considered as a seat reservation. You MUST email brian@irishdeafsociety.ie to reserve a seat for the Deafhood Congress.

Deaf Rapper Signmark

Where: Dandelion Bar,
St. Stephens Green, Dublin 2, Dublin, Ireland

Time: 7pm until late!

TICKET: Buy a €20 ticket before 21st October. After 21st October tickets will be €30. For those who wish to attend the Deaf Rapper night, you must send an email to:

tickets@irishdeafsociety.ie



SERBIA

Belgrade Gay Pride Banned: Members of the European Parliament Express Deep Regret. The Serbian LGBT pride march Parada Ponosa, due to take place on Sunday in the capital, was banned today by the National Security Council. The Council announced it would forbid the pride march, as well as three far-right counter-protests that were planned tomorrow and Sunday.

RUSSIA

Russia Tells the European Court of Human Rights: "Gays Provoke Extremism". Commentary by Russian LGBT Network. Georgii Matyushkin, the Deputy Minister of Justice, the Russian 'ombudsman' to the European Court of Human Rights in Strasbourg, answered the questions of the Strasbourg judges with regards to the case of the Tyumen LGBT organisation Raduzhny Dom.

EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT/UNITED NATIONS

European Parliament Votes Overwhelmingly on Human Rights for Gays and Transgender People Worldwide. The European Parliament today joined the United Nations' call for safeguarding the human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) people in the world. The text was co-signed by 6 out of 7 political groups, and adopted with a very wide majority. A total of 586 MEPs voted, with 442 in favour, 104 against and 40 abstentions.

UNITED KINGDOM/USA

No Real Celebration Among Gay US Military in UK – Just Relief. Closet door finally unlocked when 'Don't Ask, Don't Tell' dies at 5am tomorrow. When Matthew Walmsley starts his shift this evening at 10pm, he will be very much "in the closet", with the door firmly shut and double locked. But by the time he finishes work at breakfast time tomorrow, that closet door will be unlocked.

SYRIA

Mass Punishment for Gays in Tartous. By Sami Hamwi in Syria. Less than a week ago, a young, and reckless, gay man from the city of Tartous on the Syrian coast 'outed' his fellow Christian gay men. Acting out of vengeance, he claimed to have been "maltreated by fellow gay men".

BELARUS

Lesbian Fired by Her Employer on Retuning from Slavic Gay Pride in St. Petersburg. A leading Belarus lesbian activist has been fired by her employer after returning from St. Petersburg in Russia where she attended last weekend's Slavic Gay Pride.

All LGBT news source from the UK Gay News Website: <http://ukgaynews.org.uk/latest.htm>

A Famous Gay Quote:

"I am the most well-known homosexual in the world"

Elton John- A British Singer

BECOME A MEMBER OF GREENBOW

If you want to become a member of Greenbow, please contact our secretary, Dominic McGreal, for a membership form or download a membership form from our website.

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Website: www.greenbowdeaf.com

Our office hours are Mon-Fri, 2-5pm