



National Coming Out Day and two Events:

GSAFE's Walk/Run/Eat

National Equality March

(also Cleve Jones taped by UW-Madison LGBTI Equality NOW)

Halloween Party hosted by William Wartmann and OutReach

Dear All,

October 11th is National Coming Out Day. On that Sunday we will be holding our annual Walk/Run/Eat, but it is also the day for the National Equality March in Washington D.C. When LGBTI Equality NOW brought Cleve Jones to Madison a few weeks ago, many of us were inspired to be a part of the change in the winds. Jones believes we are at a point in our history in which the scales could seriously be tipped in the direction of full equality. How much easier it is to re-imagine our whole country embracing equality after some of Fair Wisconsin's recent wins in our own back yard! There is still a lot of work to do locally and nationally, but let's move forward with hope.

We know not everyone will be making it to D.C. on the 11th. At our Walk/Run/Eat we will be recognizing the march as a sign of solidarity with those venturing to Washington D.C. and everyone who has a passion for justice for all people regardless of sexual orientation and gender identity. We'll do this as we re-imagine a Wisconsin in which statistics on high risk behavior among LGBTQ students and their sense of safety in schools will someday no longer alarm us.

GSA for Safe Schools Walk/Run/Eat 2009

WHERE: The Goodman Community Center, 149 Waubesa St., Madison

WHEN: Sunday, October 11th, 2009. Registration opens at 9:30AM, Walk/Run begins at 11:00AM.

WHO: You, your friends, your family, anyone who shares GSA for Safe Schools' vision of educational systems where all students thrive regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity/expression. This event is open to walkers and runners of all abilities.

WHY: Because it will be a blast! Create a team and come in costume! Prizes will be awarded to the biggest team, the team with the best name/theme, the team with the best costume, and the team that raises the most money.

Are you interested in taking on an extra challenge and being one of this year's Pacesetters? Pacesetters are folks who commit to trying to raise \$500.00 for GSA for Safe Schools. If you were at last year's event, the Pacesetters were the folks in the slick purple shirts. If you'd like to try your hand at being a Pacesetter, call Tim Michael at (608)661-4141 and he'll tell you everything you need to know. Also check us out at [www.gsaforsafeschools.org](http://www.gsaforsafeschools.org)

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Cleve Jones recording and March in Washington D.C.

Cleve Jones

<http://www.facebook.com/n/?event.php&eid=127218191575&mid=1128751G5fdce5fbG87e95dG7>

Get on the Buses to D.C. from Madison for the National Equality March!

March for LGBTI Equality!

Host: LGBTI Equality NOW, Madison

Price: \$60

Start Time: Saturday, October 10, 2009 at 6:00pm

End Time: Monday, October 12, 2009 at 8:00am

Location: Memorial Union to D.C. and Back

Phone: 312-636-0201

Email: [lgbtequalitynow@gmail.com](mailto:lgbtequalitynow@gmail.com)

Description

Get on the buses to attend to the first national civil rights march in Washington D.C. since 1993; the National Equality March will be demanding FULL LGBT equality under the law. Be a part of this historic event, and help in building a new civil rights movement!

Also contact LGBTI Equality NOW! if you would like more information or to get involved with the organizing- all are welcome! Our meetings are at 7:30pm at the Memorial Union on the UW campus. See TITU (Today in the Union) board for room listing

Tickets available at the LGBT Campus Center in the second floor Memorial Union or by contacting us directly.

If you would like to come but cannot afford \$60 you can contact us directly and we can try to figure something out with you. We will be continuing to fundraise to help fund people in rough financial situations.

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National Equality March

Non-Profit - 35,236 fans - Become a Fan

On October 10-11, 2009, we will gather in Washington DC from all across

America to let our elected leaders know that now is the time for full equal rights.

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Halloween Celebration at the Historic Home of William Wartmann

Join OutReach and our host William Wartmann at his historic home in rural Edgerton for a Halloween celebration! Our party welcomes people of all ages, genders, races, and sexual orientations. Party activities will include pumpkin carving, a costume contest, and dance with a DJ. Food and beverages will be provided. Suggested donation: \$20 -- limited income \$10 Round trip transportation from Madison will be available if needed. Call (608) 255 8582 for more information, ask for Steve or Harry.  
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Be well,

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