



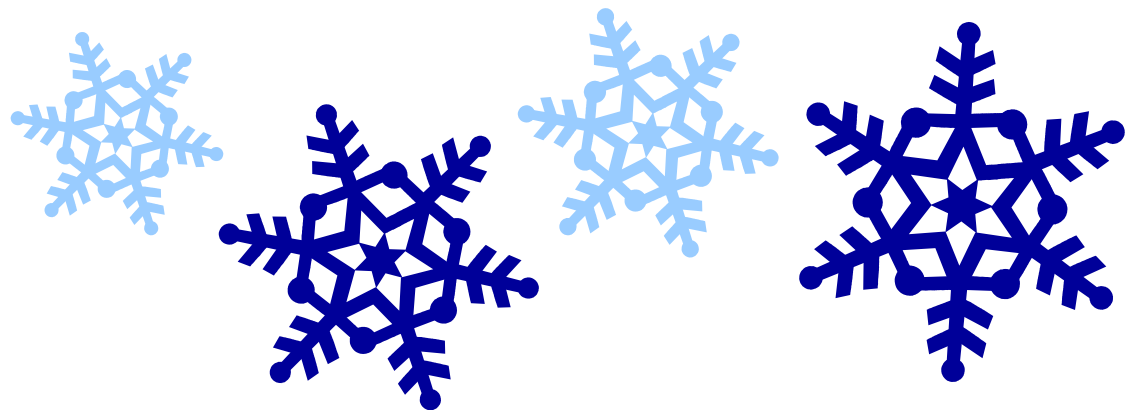
GAMMA Rays

Monthly Newsletter of Milwaukee GAMMA Inc.
P.O. Box 1900, Milwaukee, WI, 53201-1900

January 2009
www.MilwaukeeGAMMA.com

Inside this issue...

News	2
Birthdays	2
Holiday Party Pics	3
January Events	4
Board Directory	6
Accolades	6
Calendar	7



Dining Out

Enjoy great appetizers and savory sandwiches like Microburgers and Mexican Bbq Chicken, or try the entrees from Firefly's wood-burning grill accompanied by your choice of sides and sauces. See the events listing pages for more information.



Submissions for the GAMMA Rays should be sent to the editor.
The Deadline for the February edition is January, 19–5:00 p.m.

Happy Birthday!

JANUARY

- 1 James B.
- 1 Dean R.
- 3 Lee S.
- 5 Victor C.
- 6 Ken K.
- 10 Gerald O.
- 12 William B.
- 13 Edward M.
- 13 Glen G.
- 19 David S.
- 19 Glen T.
- 23 Don T.

Rome Movie Night

Please roam on down to Richard Q.'s place on the lower east side to spend an evening watching "Rome".

The miniseries is an intimate drama of love and betrayal, masters and slaves, and husbands and wives, 'Rome' chronicles the epic times that saw the fall of a Republic and the creation of an empire.

The series is shot throughout Italy and boasts the largest standing film set in the world, comprising five acres of backlot and six soundstages at the world-famous Cinecittà Studios. To learn more about 'Rome', visit the website...

www.hbo.com/rome/

A light supper will be provided along with soft drinks.

(This will be a recurring event every month during the winter and early spring.)



Thank you...



Many thanks to Dan A. and Patrick O. for hosting the Holiday Party!

Brunch

January 11, 2009



LuLu is a funky bar and cafe serving unique hot sandwiches, fresh salads, and a daily soup along with a variety of imported & domestic beers & wines, local & national micro-

brews, and fun, seasonal specialty drinks. Located at the intersections of Kinnickinnic, Lincoln & Howell Avenues in the eclectic Bay View neighborhood of Milwaukee

MSOE Hockey

January 16, 2009

Come watch the MSOE raiders battle Northland in this exciting conference game. Dress warm as the ice arena is chilly. There are concessions available at the game as well. For more information, please see the events listing pages or contact EM.



40th Birthday Party

Happy Birthday Pete and Lee!

Come help celebrate Peter S.'s 40th birthday and Lee S.'s 40 something birthday.

The boys have a special party planned and would like to invite GAMMA to join in the fun at their home in Menomonie Falls on January 3rd.

Sandwiches, soft drinks, and snacks are provided. No gifts required, just come and have a good time!

For more information, see the events listing pages or contact Jim, Pete, or Lee.



WI Gay Volleyball Association GAMMA Team Members Needed *New Milwaukee Division*

The WGVA has announced the start of Milwaukee branch league play starting in April or May of 2009.

Full details have not been published yet but GAMMA is looking for players to form both high and low skill level teams.

Please email or call GAMMA Volleyball Director Peter Schell if you are interested in joining a GAMMA team of either skill level. If enough members show interest, Peter can contact the league for more information and start forming teams.

Please contact Peter S,

Holiday Party Pics

Photos taken by Rob C.



January Events



FRONTRUNNERS MILWAUKEE RUN/WALK JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Time: 9:00 a.m. (Saturdays)
Place: Start from Water Tower
at East end of North Ave.
FMI: John S.

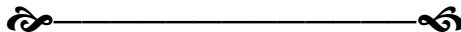
Rain or shine, each Saturday we meet in
friendship for some exercise, all are wel-
come to join in. Breakfast afterwards.



40 SOMETHING BIRTHDAY PARTY JANUARY 3

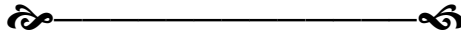
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Menomonee Falls

EM: Jim T., Lee S., and
Peter S.
RSVP: Optional
Other: **Join us for Peter's 40th and Lee's
40-somethingth birthdays.** Sand-
wiches, soft drinks & snacks are
provided. No gifts required.



ROME MOVIE NIGHT JANUARY 4

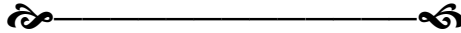
Time: 6:30–9:00 p.m.
Place: Milwaukee
EM: Richard Q.
RSVP: Highly Suggested



BRUNCH RSVP DEADLINE JANUARY 7

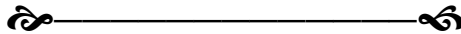
Place: Café LuLu
EM: Rob C.

Please call and leave a message so you
won't be left out on January 11.



CRIBBAGE JANUARY 8

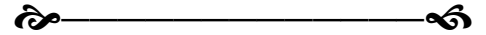
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Waukesha
Host: David H.
Bring: \$1.00 and your beverage
RSVP: Optional
Other: All abilities welcome!



BOWLING JANUARY 9

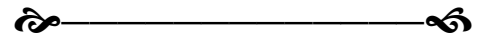
Time: 7:00–9:30 p.m.
Place: AMF-West Allis
EM: Tony S. and Yen L.
Bring: Bowling shoes & ball
or rent them
Cost: Shoe Rental \$2.00
\$4.00 per game
(We usually play three games)
RSVP: Optional

Directions: Take I-94 (West) to the Highway 100
(South) exit (#304A). Proceed South on Highway
100 to Lapham St. Turn right (West) onto Lapham
St. and proceed to address on left (South) side of
the street.



MONTHLY PARTY JANUARY 10

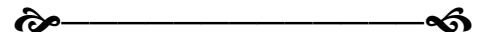
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Host: Joe L. and Tom B.
Place: Milwaukee
RSVP: Optional
Bring: Please bring a dish to pass and
your beverage.



BRUNCH JANUARY 11

Time: 12:00 p.m.
Place: Café LuLu
2261 S. Howell Ave.
Milwaukee
EM: Rob C.
Cost: \$6.00–\$15.00
RSVP: **MANDATORY BY JANUARY 7**

Directions: From Downtown take 2nd St south. Fol-
low as it turns into Kinickinic Ave. Stay on Kinickinic
until you reach the intersection of Howell, Lincoln &
Kinickinic. The restaurant will be on your right as you
are heading south. There is a small parking lot to the
south of the restaurant, however street parking is
recommended.



VOLLEYBALL JANUARY 11

Time: 2:15-3:15 p.m.
Place: Beulah Brinton Center
2555 S. Bay St.
Milwaukee
EM: Peter S.
Cost: \$6.00
RSVP: Recommended
Other: Indoor hard court in Bay View.
Juice, water, and snacks provided

Directions: Take the Lake Parkway south to East Russell Ave. Go right (west) on Russell one block to South Bay Street. Go right on Bay Street (north) about 500 feet the Brinton Center on the left (west side).

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE JANUARY 19

Time: 5:00 p.m.
Submit event listings and articles to the editor.

DINING OUT RSVP DEADLINE JANUARY 19

Place: Firefly Urban Bar & Grill
EM: Rob C.

Please call and leave a message so you won't be left out on January 23.

DINING OUT JANUARY 23

Time: 7:00 p.m. cocktails
7:30 p.m. dinner
Place: Firefly Urban Bar & Grill
7754 Harwood Ave.
Wauwatosa
EM: Rob C.
RSVP: MANDATORY BY JANUARY 19
Cost: \$10.70-\$23.95
Other: www.firefly-grill.com

Directions: Where Watertown Plank Rd. ends in Wauwatosa, WI. From Downtown take 94 west to Hwy 45 north. Exit hwy 45 at Watertown Plank Road. Take Watertown Plank Rd east, as you enter the village of Wauwatosa it will become Harwood Ave. Take Harwood east to the restaurant.

MSO HOCKEY NIGHT JANUARY 16

Time: 6:30 p.m. meet
7:00 p.m. game time
Place: MSOE Kern Sports Center
1245 N. Broadway
Milwaukee
EM: Rob C.

RSVP: Highly Suggested
Cost: \$6.00

Directions: Take Wisconsin Ave. (East) to Van Buren St. Turn left (North) onto Van Buren St. and proceed to Juneau Ave. Turn left (West) onto Juneau Ave. and proceed to Broadway. Turn right (North) onto Broadway and proceed to address. The Kern Center will be on the left side of the street.

SHEEPSHEAD JANUARY 20

Time: 7:30 p.m.
Place: Wauwatosa
Host: Mark O.
Bring: \$1.00 and Beverage
RSVP: Recommended

CREAM CITY SQUARES RSVP DEADLINE JANUARY 23

Place: Lake Park Lutheran Church
EM: Jeff G.
Other: RSVP Required to attend the event on January 25, 2009

CREAM CITY SQUARES JANUARY 25

Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Place: Lake Park Lutheran Church
2647 N Stowell Ave.
Milwaukee
EM: Jeff G.
RSVP: REQUIRED BY JANUARY 23
Other: Come for an afternoon of intro/beginning square dancing lessons with the Cream City Squares. You might surprised at how popular it is in other LGBT communities such as NY and LA.

GAME NIGHT JANUARY 17

Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Shorewood
Host: Ned T.
Bring: Please bring a snack to pass, your beverage, and your favorite game.
RSVP: Optional

BOARD MEETING JANUARY 21

Time: 7:00 p.m.
Place: Waukesha
Host: Richard G.

RSVP: Recommended



NOTE ON DIRECTIONS:

Generally, directions provided in the newsletter are from the Marquette Interchange where I-94, I-794, and I-43 intersect. If you need help, call the host or event manager.

Accolades

DECEMBER EVENTS

John M. & Doug K.—Cribbage
Patrick O. & Dan A.—Holiday Party
Tony S. & Yen L.—Bowling
Bradley R.—Game Night
Bill R.—Sheepshead
Rob C.—Dining Out, Holiday Party Pics
Peter S.—Volleyball

THANKS TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED
OR HELPED TO MAKE THESE EVENTS A SUCCESS!

GAMMA BOARD DIRECTORY

Kyle P. (09)	President
Richard G. (10)	Vice President & Membership
Patrick O. (09)	Secretary & Historian
Brad R. (10)	Treasurer
Peter S. (09)	Volleyball & Game Night
Rob C. (09)	Social & Cultural
Chris R. (09)	Special Projects & Events Calendar
Bill W. (09)	Director-At-Large
<u>Additional member support:</u>	
John S.	Front Runners
Ken K.	Webmaster
Michael H.	Sheepshead
Dan L.	Mail Coordinator
Art S.	Cribbage Coordinator
Todd S.	Newsletter

PUBLISHING INFORMATION:

GAMMA RAYS is published by Milwaukee GAMMA, Inc., P.O. Box 1900, Milwaukee, WI, 53201-1900. Articles for publication need to be to the editor by the deadline indicated on page 7. Participation is encouraged.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

Please notify the club of changes in mailing and/or e-mail address. Proper addresses insure prompt delivery of the newsletter. Address-change notifications by the Postal Service cost the club money.

LIABILITY WAIVER:

Event participants should understand that some activities can be physically demanding and even dangerous. Neither GAMMA nor the organizers of an event assume liability for any injury which may result from participating in an activity. Participants assume all liability for their own conduct and safety.

The membership directory as well as the personal information listed in the newsletter is for the private use of our members ONLY and should not be distributed or shared.

GAMMA's membership year is from July 1 to June 30, but join any time during the year, and the dues are pro-rated. Annual dues are \$30.00 for individuals, \$48.00 for two persons receiving one newsletter, or \$15.00 for out-of-state members. Dues are not tax deductible. Call Richard G. at (414)530-1886 for membership dues information.

GAMMA also maintains a web site complete with event information as well as digital copies of the newsletter. Please visit us on-line at:
www.milwaukeegamma.com



January 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1  NEW YEARS DAY	2	3 FRONTRUNNERS Run/Walk 9:00 a.m. BIRTHDAY PARTY 7:00 p.m.
4 ROME MOVIE NIGHT 6:30-9:00 p.m. 	5	6	7 BRUNCH RSVP DEADLINE	8 CRIBBAGE 7:00 p.m. 	9 BOWLING 7:00 p.m. 	10 FRONTRUNNERS Run/Walk 9:00 a.m. MONTHLY PARTY 7:00 p.m.
11 BRUNCH 12:00 p.m. Café Lulu VOLLEYBALL 2:15-3:15 p.m.	12	13	14	15	16 MSOE HOCKEY 6:30 p.m. meet 7:00 p.m. game	17 FRONTRUNNERS Run/Walk 9:00 a.m. GAME NIGHT 7:00 p.m.
18	19 NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE 5:00 p.m. DINING OUT RSVP DEADLINE	20 SHEEPSHEAD 7:30 p.m. 	21 BOARD MEETING 7:00 p.m.	22	23 DINING OUT 7:00 p.m. cocktails 7:30 p.m. dinner Firefly CREAM CITY SQUARES RSVP DEADLINE	24 FRONTRUNNERS Run/Walk 9:00 a.m.
25 CREAM CITY SQUARES 1:00-3:00 p.m.	26	27	28	29	30	31 FRONTRUNNERS Run/Walk 9:00 a.m.

Submissions for the GAMMA Rays should be sent to the editor.



P.O. Box 1900, Milwaukee, WI 53201-1900

Address Service Requested

Future Events

DATE & TIME	EVENT
February 11—7:00 p.m.	Board Meeting
February 13—7:00 p.m.	Bowling
February 15—12:00 p.m.	Brunch
February 27—7:00 p.m.	Dining Out
March 13—7:00 p.m.	Bowling
April 4—5:30 p.m.	Make A Promise Dinner
<i>PLAN AHEAD...</i>	
August 20-23, 2009	Devil's Lake Camping

