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June E-Newsletter

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Smoking? Let's Talk



If you are a current or recent smoker, tell the DC Center what you think and get a \$25 gift card for your time! A focus group for LBT women will be held at 6:30 on Tuesday, June 24th; one for men will take place the next day. Learn more [here](#) or call 202-682-2245.

In the Community

Join local filmmaker Joan E. Biren on Wednesday, June 25th, at 7 pm for a screening of **"No Secret Anymore: The Times of Del Martin and Phyllis Lyon"** at the AFI Theater in Silver Spring. With incisive interviews, rare archival images, and warmhearted humor, this documentary reveals

Happy Pride!

This June marks the 39th anniversary of the Stonewall rebellion in 1969 - a historic event in which people from across the LGBT spectrum stood together against unfair harassment by police and added fuel to the movement for LGBT equality. As we celebrate

the advances we've won since then and get inspired to continue our work, the Mautner Project remembers that social and political inequality contribute greatly to health inequalities as well. They create stress in our lives and numerous barriers to quality health care. Social justice and health are inextricably linked - so have pride, and take care of your health!



If you're in the DC area, come see us at the following Pride events this weekend:

- [Dyke March](#), Saturday, June 14, 2 pm, Dupont Circle
- [Capital Pride Parade](#), Saturday, June 14th, 6:30 pm, Dupont and Logan Circles
- [Capital Pride Festival](#), Sunday, June 15th, 11 am - 6 pm, Pennsylvania Ave. between 3rd & 7th Streets, NW

Introducing Felicia

The Mautner Project is very happy to welcome our new policy intern, Felicia Thrower! She moved to the DC area last fall from Orlando, where she earned her bachelor's degree in psychology at the University of Central Florida, with a minor in political science. She first heard about the Mautner Project at our recent event at Freddie's Beach Bar and Restaurant, and knew she wanted to help out. When she's not at the office, she enjoys spending time with her girlfriend of six years and her two Himalayan cats, Miso and Jack-Jack. She has also interned at the Feminist Majority, and hopes to return to graduate school soon for a degree in Public Policy.

Mautner Project Partners with Project WISH!

their inspiring public work as well as their charming private relationship. Sponsored by [Friends of the Library, Montgomery County](#).

CancerCare is hosting a series of free Telephone Education Workshops. The next one will be a "Medical Update on Ovarian Cancer" for women living with ovarian cancer, their families, friends, and health care professionals. Register or learn more at www.cancercare.org.

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The Mautner Project and D.C.'s Project WISH are partnering to increase access to No Cost:

- Annual mammograms,
- Clinical breast exams,
- Pap tests and pelvic exams
- transportation to and from exams (for women with limited resources)

If you are a woman between ages 40-64 with limited or no health insurance, please call D. Magrini at 202-332-5536 for more information.

Please forward to anyone who might be interested! Spread the word.

The Mautner Project improves the health of lesbians, bisexual, and transgender women who partner with women, and their families, through advocacy, education, research, and direct service. We envision a healthcare system that is guided by social justice and responsive to the needs of all people.

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