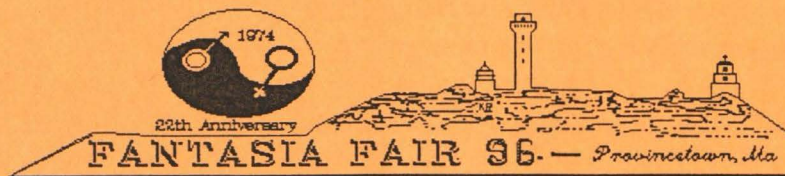


Friday

October, 25th



Newsletter for Fantasia Fair - 96'

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS for Saturday Oct 26th

MORNING -

- 8:30 - 9:30 T'ai Chi, R. Millen - 13
- 9:45 - 11:45 Ousterhout Clinic - 7
- 9:45-11:45 Causes, Cures, & circumstances Prince
- 9:45-11:45 Mid-Life Transition, Sutton & Docter 15
- 9:45-11:45 Undisguised Feminine, Miller -15
- 9:45-11:45 Resolving Conflict, Millen - 13

LUNCHEON - Noon to 1:00pm Flagship, Napi's

- Lobster Pot SO Farewell Luncheon
- 1:00-2:00 Transsexual Myths, Docter
- 1:00-2:00 Political Update, Laing

AFTERNOON -

- 1:00-4:00 Ousterhout Clinic - 7
- 2:15-3:15 What do you want at FF 97 , Laing - 14
- 2:15-4:00 Movie - Transexual Menace - Allen - 15

Evening -

- 7:30-8:30 Awards Banquet Reception - 27
- 8:30-10:30 Awards Banquet at M. Shay's - 27
- 10:30- House Parties to end the FF week

after activity denotes location on FF Map

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS for Sunday Oct 27th

- 8:30 - 1:00 Farewell Brunch at Flagship
- 11:00-12:00 Unitarian Meeting House Service

Quote of the Day - "Two things have no limit, Femininity, and how to use it" film *La Femme Nikita*

WHO'S HERE

Kayla - is another dynamic girl here with her Toronto sisters from the TG group Xpressions. She is not, however, just another gal at the Fair. Only just coming to accept her diversity less than two years ago, she has been out in public a handful of times before arriving in P-town. Her and her spouse have three children. Last week she said to her spouse, "I don't know what it will be like at the Fair". Her spouse responded, "I don't know what you will be like when you come home". How prophetic for people so new to our community. After a week at the Fair, Kayla can now say with confidence, "I'll be a much more complete person and I know that my experience will be a positive contribution to my marriage".

Kayla made use of the many professionals while here. Innocently, she thought she was coming to the States to learn about wigs and make-up, but instead she has learned about sisterhood and personal acceptance. I'm sure she can learn about cosmetics in Canada at another time. "My heart goes out to the people of the Fair and the community of P-town for helping to launch me into my exciting new tomorrows. There is no way any person could learn this much about one's self, alone. Whether it is strange, or not, it seem that the fastest way for males to help each other grow, is for

Early Birds get the best rooms (and the best prices).

Have you ever had such freedom and so much fun? Do it again next year same time - Oct. 19 26, 1997, same place - Provincetown, same Inn, same Sisters, same price. Sign up now and guarantee the 1996 price before 1997 prices are worked out. You also guarantee your choice of rooms. Do it now instead of procrastinating!

Newsletter staff: Alison Laing, Dottie Lang, Dallas Denny, Nie Miller, Diane Sutton, Donna Bacheller & all who have helped make this a great Fantasia Fair Newsletter - Warmest regards and Love Brenda Viola (Editor)

Quote "At one time, 100% of the staff of *Transvestia* were periodic crossdressers living full time as women"
Dr. Docter

What about the 1997 fantasia Fair ?

On Saturday afternoon, 2:15 at Napi's, the format will be to make suggestions for next year's Fair. If you want to help in it's planning and implementing, be sure to come. If you can't make it, you can leave any ideas you may have with Weslee, at the office.

" It's not that these are women's clothes, these are my clothes ".

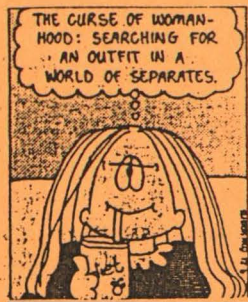
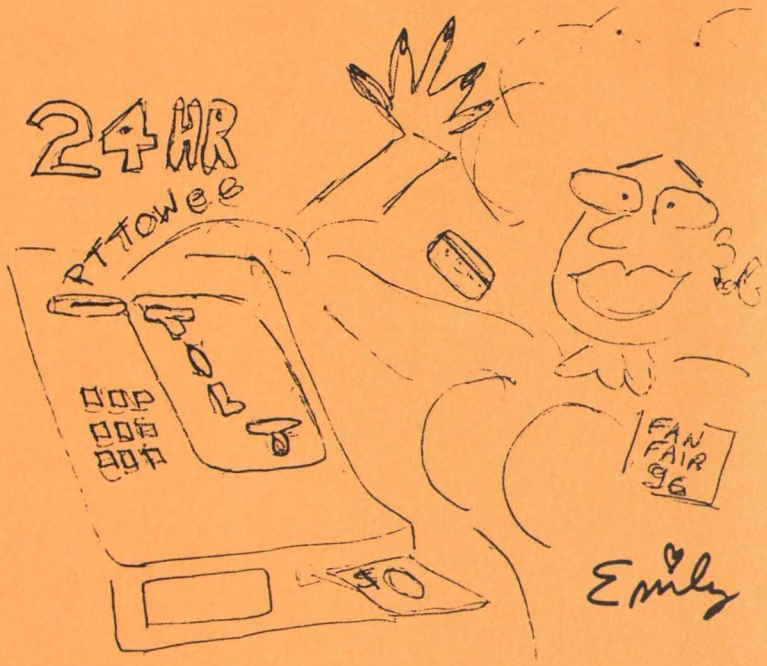
Some Thoughts on FF 96 - Brenda Viola

Don't get your knickers in a twist ! The party's not over yet ! This whirlwind week still has the Fantasy Ball tonight and the Awards Banquet tomorrow night, with plenty of workshops in between.

The Diversity dinner was a big success, bringing together a variety of personalities. The Fashion Show was an elegant and stimulating evening. The Outreach Banquet was a heartwarming experience. And The Follies, they were another example of how a diverse group of people, from all different waiks of life, can unite, with very little rehersing, and create an excilerating atmosphere of fun and cooperation.

The magnatude of togetherness, understanding, and downright sincerity is something that is hard to explain to anyone who has not been a part of Fantasia Fair. Many of our participants have kissed and hugged more males in one week, than they have in their whole lives. Every moment of our time here in P-town becomes an intricate part of ourselves, and helps make up the very fabric of our being. There is not one phrase or enough words to describe how we feel. We started in a closet, then we picked through our closets, then we gained so much knowledge that we came out of our closets. It's not just that P-town gives us the avenue to parade ourselves, it gives us the opportunity to be ourselves.

Our gender assignments at birth are just the luck of the draw. The community we belong to has given us the support, courage, and skills to transcend that assignment and reveal our true spirit to the world. It is a handicap to suppress such an intrical part of our nature, and our sisterhood enables us to overcome that handicap. We all need each other, for now, and for the future. So try to share what you have learned



GOOD BYE, SO LONG,
I HATE TO SEE YOU GO !

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them to throw on pretty dreeses".
I asked Kayla if she was thinking about returning to the Fair next year. She said, " Absolutely ! I think Fantasia Fair should be held at least six times per year ! ". B.V.

SATURDAY NIGHT UPDATE
Your Aunt Cindy Needs YOU ! If you have a steady hand, and want to see everyone, Cindy needs a flower girl. If you're not to jittery and would like to help out, please let your Aunt Cindy know.

Mariette Pathy Allen has set up her photo studio in room #30 of the **Gifford House**, not in Pilgrim as originally announced. Please, visit her there.

Evelyn Say's -
Sunday brunch is such a gas, you walk into the restaurant and it's full of guys saying, *Oh dear and calling to Jane, Janet, and Judy...* It's really strange but that's the fun of the Fair. Love to all the Judys, Janes and Gals of Fantasia Fair. ES and the Gals of Pilgrim third floor.

Early Bird Registration Form

Fantasia Fair '97

Provincetown, Mass. Oct. 19 - 26, 1997

Please complete the following and return with payment.

Name for use at the Fair: _____

Mailing Name: _____ Spouse (or S.O.) Name: _____

Address: Street/Box _____ City: _____

State/Prov: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Home Phone: _____ Fax # _____

Best time to call ? (H) _____ (W) _____ Ask for: _____

e mail _____

Accom: Inn ___/Apt ___ : _____ Rm # : _____

Single ___ Couple ___ Share ___ With _____

Anticipated arrival date : 10/_____ Departure Date: 10/_____

Reservation extensions should be made with your Inn and paid directly.

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	<u>Inn EB:</u>	<u>Apt. EB:</u>
Double*	\$850_____	\$1035_____
Single	\$1030_____	\$1545_____
Couple*	\$1595_____	\$1995_____

2. Minimum EB package; 4 days/3 nights (a day is 2 pm to 2 pm)

	<u>Inn EB:</u>	<u>Add on Days</u>	<u>Apt. EB:</u>	<u>Add on Days</u>
Double*	\$440_____	\$130ea._____	\$510_____	\$150ea._____
Single	\$520_____	\$150ea._____	\$770_____	\$220ea._____
Couple**	\$820_____	\$230ea._____	\$970_____	\$285ea._____

*Note that the double occupancy rate applies only if the room is occupied by two persons. If you sign up for a double room, but no one takes the other half, you may be asked to move or pay the single rate.

Total Fee \$ _____

Deposits & Credits _____

Balance Due: _____

To reserve Early Bird rates file form with **\$300. deposit**, the balance due is payable on or before **March 1, 1997** made payable to: **Fantasia Fair '97**

Check one: Check ; Money order ; VISA ; M/C

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

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