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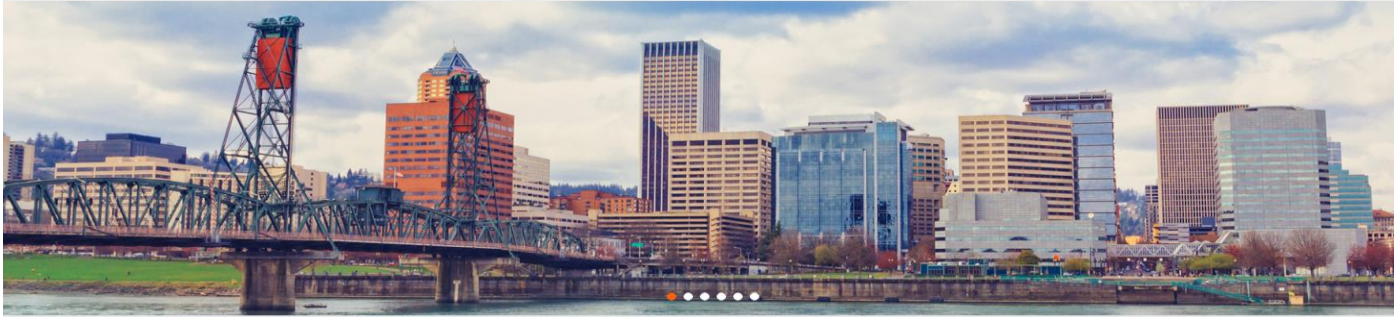
WELCOME members and guests!

January 19th, 2023

AGENDA for October 20th 2022

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| 11:00 AM | Registration Open |
| 11:30 AM | Lunch is served |
| 11:35 AM | Welcome, Announcements & Housekeeping |
| 12: 00N | Introductions and Presentation |
| 12:45PM | Q & A |
| 1:00 PM | Closing Remarks and Meeting Adjourned |

**New name, new look
and newly designed
website for
GBTA Oregon!**



GBTA | Oregon Chapter

GBTA Oregon is the local chapter of the [Global Business Travel Association](#).

We have been serving our community for more than 40 years. Our membership is comprised of leading businesses across greater Oregon and includes representatives from corporations who buy travel on behalf of their company and travel industry suppliers who sell their services.

As the premiere Oregon trade organization, it is our goal to bring together professionals from across the value chain for professional development, education and networking opportunities to drive engagement and growth in the region.

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Upcoming Events

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GBTA Oregon Presents: January 2023 Educational Lunch

Origins and Intent of Pride

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Calendar of Events for 2023

Date	Type	Topic	Location	Time
January 19 th	Educational Lunch	Welcome to 2023 Pride Portland	Hilton Portland Downtown	11AM
February 16 th	Meet Up	Happy Hour	The Nines	5PM
March 16 th	Connect	Port of Portland PDX Next Updates	Hotel Vintage	5PM
April 20 th	Educational Lunch	NDC Update from Fred Bowen	The Benson	11AM
May 18 th	Meet Up	Happy Hour	The Bidwell – High Horse	5PM
June 15 th	Connect	TBD	Hotel Zags Patio	5PM
July 20 th	Educational Lunch	Buyers Panel	TBD	11AM



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OBTA membership provides valuable career education and networking opportunities.

Contact membership@obta.org or visit obta.org/join.php for more information about value and benefits.

Interested in helping OBTA?

Join one of our committees!

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Silver Platter Award for 2022



Dossier

***Hyatt
Centric***



2022 Member of the Year

Wendy Sanman

“...it was very clear to anyone who spoke with her just how bright and creative she is. She really knew how to command a room and brought amazing ideas to the table!”

Zoe Hamilton, The Hotel Zags

“Thank you Wendy for your support of GBTA Oregon. Your enthusiasm for our work was always felt and I appreciated getting to ideate with you. Your energy is contagious and helped motivate me to continue to do more for our organization! You will be missed on the board, but will hope to continue to see you around.”

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Luis Guitart, Delta Air Lines

“Organizing best-in-class educational content with Wendy will always be a highlight of my move back to Oregon in 2018! She was warm, welcoming and a true champion for OBTA.”

Sarah Rooney, former OBTA Board Member

“Wendy has always been “at the ready” to greet you with a warm smile and conversation.

Her devotion to OBTA and passion for our industry has always clearly been front and center and admired. She will certainly be missed and I’d like to wish Wendy the absolute best in her future paths and continued success!”

Edgar Santiago, Direct Travel

“Wendy is an amazing Sales partner. I worked with her at Oakwood, I have many recollections of her “can-do” attitude and willingness to take on tough projects. She is knowledgeable in the industry. Covid resulted in a pivot for many on her team but Wendy remained a source of encouragement and a mentor to many colleagues. Wendy is lovingly known as Mrs. “Mayor” because she is so well connected. I am impressed she knows everyone in Portland and almost everyone in Seattle!! Big hugs and gratitude for what you have given to the Business Travel community.”

Sheela Hodges, formally with Oakwood Corporate Housing, Seattle



Thank you Wendy!!





Debra Porta

Executive Director

Pride Northwest Inc.



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**Pride-So Much More
Than a Riot**

A Long and Winding Road

After World War II, anti-communist sentiments quickly became associated with the personal secrets of people who worked for the US government. Congress began to require the registration of members of "subversive groups." In 1950, the State Department declared homosexuals to be security risks (because of vulnerability to blackmail) sparking the "Lavender Scare":

Dismissal of federal, state and local government employees suspected of being homosexual

Politically motivated police raids on gay bars all over the US and Canada

Even the enactment of laws prohibiting cross-dressing for men and women.

By the time LGBT bar patrons fought back against a police raid of the Stonewall Inn on a hot summer night in 1969 – the moment that most people would call the beginning of the modern LGBTQ rights movement – LGBTQ people had been making themselves visible and organizing politically for nearly two decades.

We'd already had riots like Compton's Cafeteria, the Black Cat Riot, and Cooper's Do-nuts, we'd already had protests like the Annual Reminder Days and the Dewey's Sit-In. The gay rights movement was pretty well in effect by 1969.



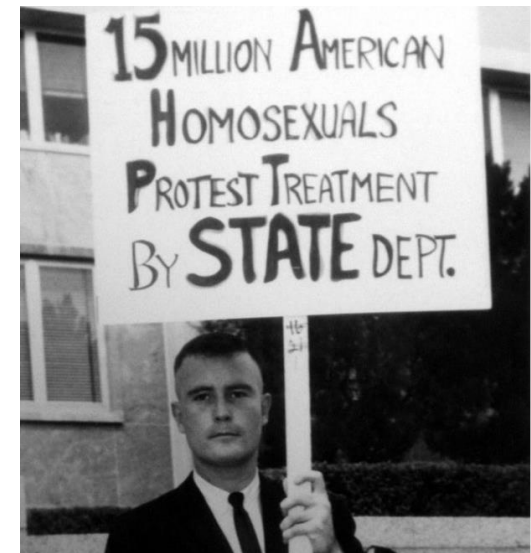
Founding members of Mattachine Society, 1951



Lisa Ben "aka" Edythe Eyde, 1951



Del Martin and Phyllis Ann Lyon,
founders of the Daughters of Bilitis,
mid-1950's



Jack Nichols, co-founder
Mattachine Society, date
unknown

The Remembrance Days

The first Reminder Day March took place in Philadelphia, on July 4, 1965. This march-this visible “claiming of our place in the public sphere”-is widely considered to be one of the first acts of public protest by the then-young homophile (word used more commonly in the 1950’s and 1960’s) movement and a major milestone in the ongoing fight for lesbian and gay rights.

Laid the groundwork for what would later become Pride.



Stonewall



On June 28th, 1969 New York police raided the Stonewall Inn, a mob-owned bar in Greenwich Village, New York.

Unlike previous raids, patrons decided not to play along this time.

Stonewall Was A Riot. Pride Is a Movement.



Sylvia Rivera



Stormé DeLarverie



Miss Major Griffin-Gracy



Marsha P. Johnson



Jackie Hormona



Zazu Nova

“By focusing on this one event, we refuse so many of our heroes the respect they deserve.”
~Movements and Memory: The Making of the Stonewall Myth”

Pride in Oregon

Portland Pride-1975/1976

Currently 15+ Pride celebrations in Oregon



Eric Brown, 2019



Kathleen Saadat, 1995



Kristan Knapp, 2008

LGBTQIA2S+ Housing Insecurity

- LGBTQIA2S+ youth account for as much as 40% of unhoused young people
- Most experience houselessness as an adult
- 15%-28%
- Likelihood increases for trans, gender-nonconforming, and BIPOC

Shelters and Camps

- **Exclusion**
- **Discrimination**
- **Physical abuse**
- **Sexual assault**
- **Harassment**

Q & A

**THANK YOU FOR
ATTENDING!**