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A photograph of two men standing outdoors in front of a red brick building. The man on the left is wearing a black button-down shirt and a black tie. The man on the right is wearing a white shirt and a black suit jacket. In the background, a large rainbow flag is flying from a pole. The sky is blue, and a tall white building is visible in the distance.

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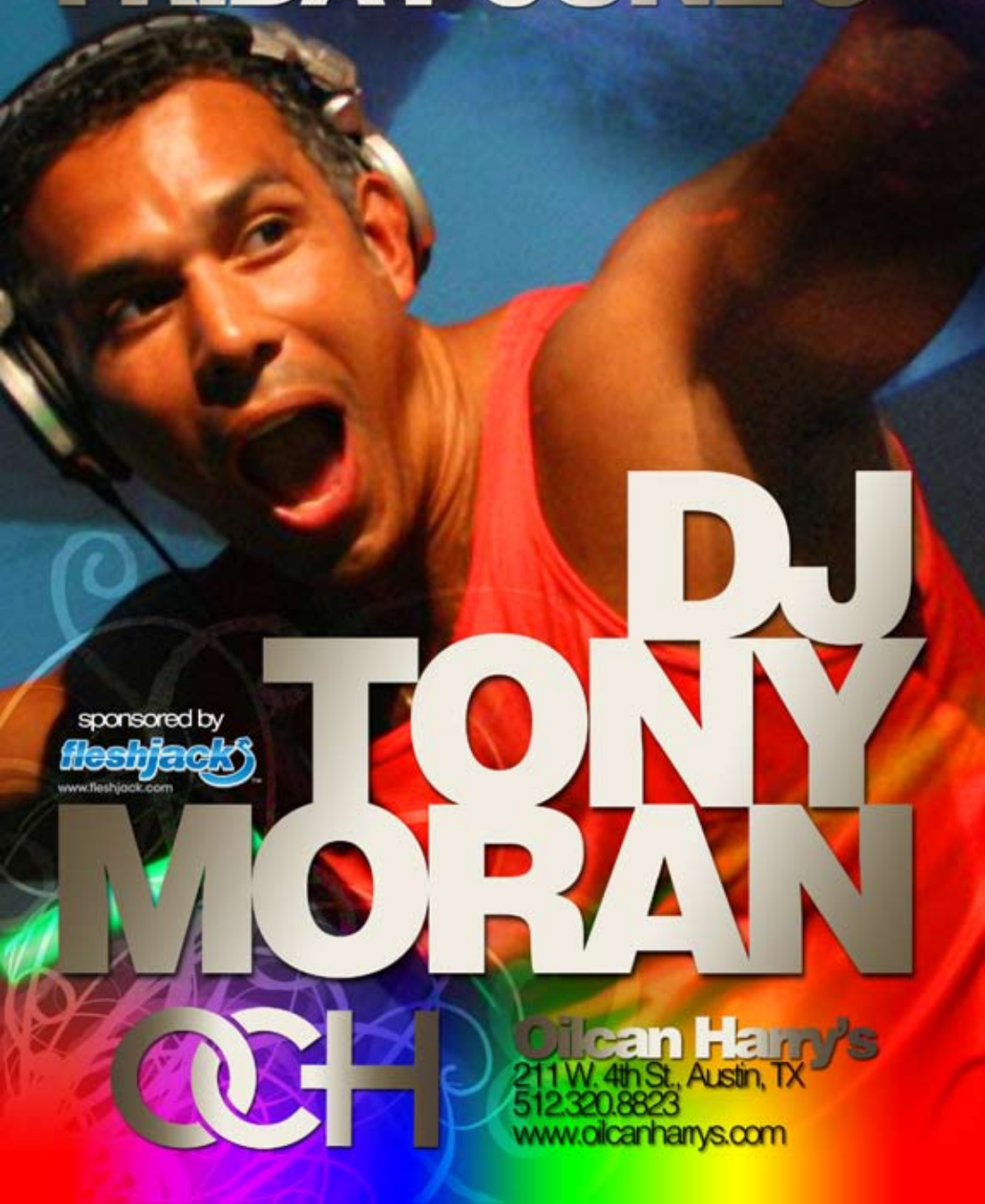
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**Howdy, Texans!**

**It's hard to believe that another season of Pride is upon us – why, it seems like just yesterday that we were riding down Cedar Springs covered in rainbow flag memorabilia at the Alan Ross Texas Freedom Parade in Dallas, and here we are getting ready to party hardy as Austin drapes itself in all things gay for this weekend's Austin Pride celebrations.**

**To commemorate this auspicious occasion, who better to be on our cover than two men that have had so much to do with making Austin the most-liberal of all Texas cities, Larry Davis and Dave Pantano. Their clubs, OCH and Rain respectively, have turned Austin's Fourth Street into a veritable gay Mecca of sorts, and their collective pride in and enthusiasm for the GLBT citizens of Austin is nothing short of inspiring. We are proud to feature these two dynamic personalities on our cover this week.**

**We're also proud to feature the incomparable talents – both musically and physically – of one of the world's top DJ's and hunkiest mixmasters, Tony Moran. He'll be spinning at OCH tonight to help usher in Pride weekend, and it's always a pleasure seeing his fab form in the magazine.**

**We've also got photo coverage of Bebe Zahara Benet's and Mark Picchiotti's recent appearance in Austin, as well as perky pix from the Saint's second annual Pink Party. And, of course, we have our usual blend of content and commentary – from Chris Allen's Groovelines and This Week's Tea to our Best Bets column and 'Scopes feature – that we proudly present to you each and every Friday!**

**We'll see you in Austin tomorrow and....**

**until next week...we're This Week in Texas!**

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# Life's a Beach @ Rusty Spurs Pride Weekend

## Friday Night

June 5, 2009  
Kick off to pride weekend  
Drink Specials, Line Dancing  
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changes we have made to  
The Other Side.



## June 7, 2009

### Summer's Here!!

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## Saturday Night

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of the flag and drink spe-  
cials all night long

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# This Week's



# Best Bets

Your guide to the hottest, hippest and the most homo-happenin' events each night of the week throughout the Lone Star state!

## Friday, June 5

**Austin: The Majestic Party**  
**Paramount Theatre, 713 Congress Avenue**  
**Doors open at 7:15 pm**

Start off Pride weekend the right way with a special screening of "Priscilla: Queen of the Desert," a costume contest and a dance party with the majestic mixing of our very own resident musicologist, Chris Allen.

**Austin: Tony Moran**  
**Oilcan Harry's, 211 West 4th Street**  
**9 pm**

The buffest boy in the music business helps Austin kick-off its Gay Pride celebrations with the music that's recognized world-wide and the body that just keeps getting better and better!

**Dallas: Hanky Night**  
**Dallas Eagle, 2515 Inwood Road, #107**  
**All Night**

Show your colors and show your kink at the club where you can add some flavor to your sex life!

**Houston: 800 Pacific Street Block Party**  
**South Beach, JR's, Meteor, MMC**  
**9 pm**

Friday nights just got hotter as the coolest place on Earth and its sister clubs join forces to let you park once and party all night at the Bayou City's favorite clubs!

## Saturday, June 6

**Dallas: Buli Team Carwash**  
**Round-up Saloon Parking Lot, 3912 Cedar Springs**  
**10 am – 3 pm**

Where else can you get your car washed, have a beer on a double-deck sundeck and ogle the cups and other gear of a bunch of hot, sweaty men?

**Dallas: Dannee & Ben's Birthday Bash**  
**Mickey's, 3851 Cedar Springs**  
**9 pm**

Two of Dallas' most-significant residents celebrate their natalversaries with a swell soiree that includes the masterful mixes of DJ Aqualight and enough festive festooning to make you think you're at Party Bazaar.

**Dallas: After Hours with Paul Kraft**  
**Club Dallas, 2616 Swiss Avenue**  
**1 am – Sunrise**

There's no better way to continue your Saturday night partying than at The Club, where the tunes are as hot as the men and you can take more than just your shirt off to cool down!

## **Sunday, June 7**

**Austin: Totally 80's**  
**Rain, 217-B West 4th Street**  
**All Night**

DJ Dallas transports you back to a time when Spandex and leg warmers were the accessories of choice and music had a rad edge.

**Dallas: Retro Sunday**  
**Mickey's, 3851 Cedar Springs**  
**6 pm**

Buck booze, the chance to win Wanda Sykes and Pink concert tickets and the best music from a DJ that was Retro before it was cool make Mickey's the place to be every week!

**Dallas: Man Candy T-Dance**  
**Round-up Saloon, 3912 Cedar Springs Road**  
**8 pm**

The tastiest T-Dance in Texas returns to the Saloon, bigger and better than ever! And you know we all love bigger....

**Dallas: Voice of Pride Preliminary**  
**Pekers, 2615 Oak Lawn Avenue**  
**10 pm**

You can be a Pekar too by joining Frank and the boyz for a fun-filled night of terrific tunes that'll help determine who will be this year's Voice of Pride!

**Dallas: Turnabout Show**  
**Woody's, 4011 Cedar Springs**  
**10:30 pm**

God-like and gorgeous guys in dresses....need we say more?

## **Monday, June 8**

**Dallas: Off-Key Karaoke**  
**Woody's, 4011 Cedar Springs**  
**9:45 pm – 1:45 am**

Warble a few tunes, sip lotsa luscious Long Island Iced Teas and be the star that you are at the club that's so much more than a Sports & Video Bar!

## **Tuesday, June 9**

**San Antonio: Layla Larue's \$100 Strip-off**  
**Heat, 1500 North Main**  
**Midnight**

The legendary femme mimic coaxes a bevy of buff beaus into revealing almost all to an admiring audience and our Cruise Camera!

## **Wednesday, June 10**

**Houston: Way Back Wednesdays**  
**Crocker, 2312 Crocker**  
**All Night**

Enjoy natural male enhancement with music videos from the 60's, 70's and 80's and drink prices that'll almost make you think it IS the 60's, 70's or 80's.



## Thursday, June 11

Dallas: Voice of Pride Preliminary  
Round-up Saloon, 3912 Cedar Springs  
9 pm

Sing Out and Sing Proud and you could be the 2009 Voice of Pride winner and be idolized and adored throughout Texas!

Houston: Houston Pride Idol  
Guava Lamp, 570 Waugh Drive  
10 pm

The competition heats up as the contest nears its end – and still no sign of Ryan Seacrest!

## AUSTIN PRIDE 2009

### Friday, June 5, 2009

6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

Central Market & L Style G Style Pre-Pride Concert  
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7:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Project Transition's 14th Annual Texas Swing  
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7:15 PM - 1:00 AM

Paramount Theatre's Majestic Party  
Paramount Theatre  
713 Congress Avenue

9:00 PM - 2:00 AM

allgo's Pride Dance  
Victory Grill  
1104 E. 11th Street

### Saturday, June 6, 2009

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Weekly Austin Farmers Market  
Downtown Austin  
4th and Guadalupe

4:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Austin Pride

4:00 PM - festival at Republic Square Park (4th and Guadalupe)

8:30 PM - parade starts from the south of the First Street bridge  
following the parade - after-parade party at Republic Square Park

### Sunday, June 7, 2009

11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

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## GROOVELINES

by DJ Chris Allen

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Over at iTunes, just in time for Austin Pride and hot for digital download, is *Just Dance* - the hot new compilation series of hard to find chart topping

dance tracks. *Just Dance* is a fantastic grouping of incredibly popular floor fillers. The hits just don't stop. This one is great for the car, the boat, your iPod, or even your gay pride parade float. Highlights on volume one of *Just Dance* include the Samus Haji & Paul Emanuel remix of Mariah Carey's *Touch My Body*, the Jody den Broeder mix Rihanna's *Disturbia*, the Ulimix of *Mad* by Ne-Yo, the Armin van Buuren remix of *Human* by the Killers, and the



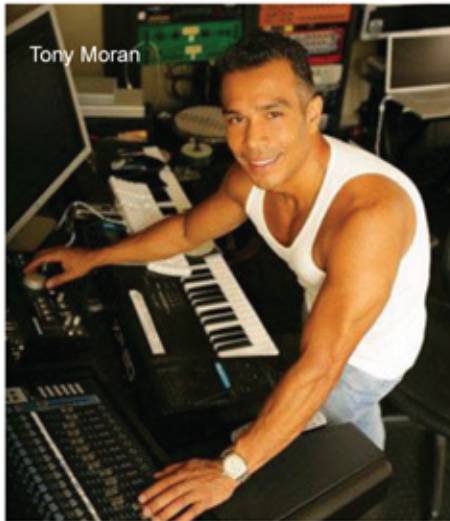
Duffy

Hot 22 mix of Duffy's *Mercy*. *Just Dance* also features the Basshunter extended remix of *If You Leave*

by Victoria's Secret supermodel Alina as well as the Jason Nevins Elektrotek radio edit of *Alive* by Annette Artani – a finalist in the Eurovision Song Contest and co-writer of *Everytime* by Britney Spears. The whole thing kicks off with the "more English" version of the smash hit *I Know*



## Just Dance



Tony Moran

*You Want Me* (Calle Ocho) by Pitbull and just keeps on going. Other artists and remixers featured include Anastacia, Tony Moran & Warren Rigg, Kim Sozzi, Fedde Le Grand, Lionel Richie, Mike Rizzo, Sharem & Kid Cudi, and Moto Blanco to name a few. *Just Dance* is also available as a hard copy cd at Amazon.com. Be sure to also check out new & noteworthy releases from Jay Arseno, Andy Kemp, Ida Corr, Ferry Corsten, Steve Angello, Michael M, Keri Hilson, Wild Jaam, Stereo MC's, and Royksopp. Good stuff. All that and more, this week on iTunes.

Over at MusicPlantRecords.com, just waiting to suck on your bandwidth, is the latest from one of my faves in the biz – dance music performer and producer Georgie Porgie. Georgie's new single, *I Believe*

*In Love*, is an incredible uplifting house track with a totally positive message. Something G.P. is well known for. The vibe here is way good. Totally feelin' it. Remixes for *I Believe In Love* are provided by Hioaki Serizawa, "G" Cavelle Project, Bryan Reyes, and more. Me, I am loving the Tod Miner Elektro Priapic Mix. Top notch work. Good nrg. Good beats. It's just good good good. Speaking of Tod Miner, this very talented producer has a few singles of his own available for purchase. Check out *Luv N Music*, *Go Daddy O*,



GEORGIE PORGIE

and get ready to shake that ass to his hot new one – *Totally Numb*. Tod Miner has not only remixed several tracks for Georgie Porgie, but he has also worked for Kristine W, Rachel Panay, Danielle Bollinger, Jason Antone, and TNT as well. Stop by todminer.com to learn more. All of these cd singles are available for purchase at Perfectbeat.com, your perfect source for queer friendly dance beats. If digital downloads are more your thing, as they are mine, head on over to MusicPlantRecords.com where you will find outstanding tracks from Georgie Porgie, Tod Miner, and more. Read my informative and entertaining 2007 interview with Georgie in the blog archive at myspace.com/djchrisallen.

You can hear me play these hits and more every week at South Beach & Meteor in Houston and at Halo in Bryan/College Station. Don't forget to tune into Hypersonic Radio every Saturday night on 101X in Austin or stream it live on the web at 101x.com or hypersonicrodio.com. Hypersonic Radio is Texas's hottest Saturday night electronic dance music mix show hosted by Jason Jenkins, Jackie'Oh, Toddy B, The Mexican From Mars, & me – Chris Allen. Be sure to catch the Pride edition of Hypersonic Radio airing after the Austin Gay Pride Parade on Saturday, June 6. Also Hypersonic's 3rd birthday, this episode will feature a guest set from the notorious DJ Bang who spins at OCH in Austin. Hypersonic airs at 10 pm with DJ Bang on at 11, followed by the world premier of my new brand new single from indi dance label Chunky Music – *Fuck Your Ass Up*. And of course, by law, we will be airing the clean edit. No fuck, no ass. Sad face inserted here. Damn FCC! For more info on all of these events and happenings head on over to djchrisallen.com. Stalk my every move at twitter.com/groovelines.



DJ Bang

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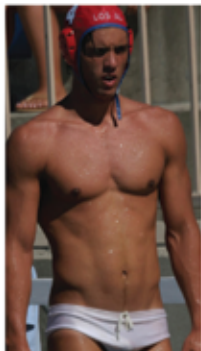


## Wet Speedos on the Brain Swimmers, divers and Aussie lifesavers (oh, my!)

One of the most undeniably glorious things about the summer season just begun is the fact that high temperatures send hot, sweaty men to the beach, pool, park and backyards in droves - and more importantly, that these hot, sweaty men often sport barely enough to contain the family jewels.

The only downside to this season of lust is that it's so short - and, that some of those hot, sweaty men sporting barely enough to contain the family jewels don't always possess the body type necessary to attractively display those jewels - which is where Wet Speedos on the Brain comes into play.

Thanks to the lascivious tendencies of Albuquerque leatherman Wes Grey Wolf and his affinity for all things tight and clingy, the world at large is treated daily to the inspiring images of fit fellows wearing, it seems, only enough to ensure the smallest of tanlines and the largest of VPL's.



According to his Recon profile, rubberwolfboy is a hot, younger-looking older switch with 52" sh, 44" ch, 34" w and nice butt that lives to play, mostly as Top now. I especially like rubber & rope bondage, long-term encasement, recycling, bc, cum-control, 24/7 chastity & plugging (I have a large collection of chastity gear), forced milkings, floggings and discipline, demanding titwork, fucking, dildos, relentless erotic torment & everything else that goes with domination.

Which, somehow, gives him exquisite taste in the male form divine, as evidenced by the plethora of pleasing pix that he uploads to the site almost daily from around the web and around the world...from celebrities to sports heroes to just everyday guys displaying their talents in the only way that's still legal in public. It's truly an embarrassment of riches for anyone that gets-off to the sight of barely-there-clad hotties that are just moist enough to reveal a helluva lot more than one might expect in a public forum.



And, happily, since it's always summer somewhere in the world – and, since there's about nine months in this country pretty much devoid of VPL shots at the beach – Wes' fascination with skimpy suits ensures that we'll have 365 days of uninterrupted viewing to satisfy our more carnal desires, even if the temperature hits 30 below - especially since the rubber wolf boy provides a handy list of links to swimwear retailers, swim stars from around the world, swimming organizations and swim photo websites that'll make you feel as though you've just doused with chlorine.

Wet Speedos on the Brain is just the thing to keep your summer memories alive...and to help you plan even better memories in future.



**Address:** [wetspeedos.blogspot.com](http://wetspeedos.blogspot.com)

**Work-safe?** *Well, sort of. There's no real nudity, but it's doubtful that anyone in a surrounding cubicle is gonna believe you accessed the site to learn more about athletics.*

**Bookmark?** *Yeah – 'cause everybody loves a hot man in tight, wet Lycra.*

**Loadability?** *About as fast as you'd hit any of the dudes on the site*

**Linkage:** *Quite a lot – and some of the linked sites are even hotter than Wet Speedos!*



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This Week's

Dude



**Name:** Jerry Nicholson

**Claim to Fame:** TWT Cover guy September 1-7, 1989.

**Occupation:** Happy Hour Bartender at Tin Room Weds-Sat 10am-6pm

**Status:** Partnered for 31 years to Tom (and his name is Jerry...Stop yourself!)

**Best Things In Life:** Jake (white lab) and Molly (chocolate cocker spaniel), reading Sidney Sheldon, classic movies with Susan Hayward, competing in dart tournaments.

**Secrets to a Lasting Relationship:** Communication. Loyalty. Being there for each other for better and for worse. Enjoying each other's company and talking a lot.

**Something People Might Not Believe:** I am a suburbanite now.



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## ASK THE MAN

Dear Man:

I love my partner. As lesbians, we love everything about each other. We have been together 6 years and are considering adopting a child. With everything that is going on nowadays - Prop 8 and Florida saying gay people should not be allowed to adopt - what is your suggestion for an easy transition? We've spoken to other people who are also considering adoption. Why should gays and lesbians not be allowed to adopt? We have more love in our household than other people out there. We have great careers and know financially we can do this.

Questioning the Laws

### Questioning

*It is very upsetting to me that states decide to put to a vote allowing gays and lesbians to be able to adopt children. What about what is right for the child? I have several groups of friends who have adopted children and they are truly blessed to be a part of a new family. It's just my opinion, but there are at many times heterosexuals who adopt, and then abuse, these children. If our gay brothers and sisters*

*"...both Gay & Straight."*

*have love to give, why should we not have the same rights? My suggestion is contact several attorneys, both gay and straight, and see if you will find one in your area who can help answer all these questions and possibly expedite your adoption proceedings. Good luck to you and your partner. I'll keep my fingers crossed that you do get to adopt a child. Keep me posted!*

Dear Man:

I'm considering doing drag. I go see shows all the time and, when in different cities, I check out their shows as well. How would I get started? Drag Queen wanna be Queen

*I know that in most cities, they have amateur drag show night. You don't say what city you are from. I do know that, for example, in San Antonio the Saint Showbar does Mr. Jenny McCall's Tuesday Night Drag. Each week Mr. Jenny McCall is your host for this night, and it's always standing room only. You go and perform and it is by audience response how well you do. At the end of the month, if fortunate, you compete for that month. If you are selected for a month, then in February they have Newcomer of The Year. Pauletta Leigh created Newcomer of The Year many years ago, and many national titleholders and state titleholders got their start this way. I know that clubs in cities such as Dallas and Houston also do Amateur Night. All you have to do is look in TWT Magazine and, in many of the ads, it mentions their Amateur Night or Newcomer Night. You can also contact different bars and see if they have a night such as this. Let me know when and where you will perform and I'll be more than happy to come and cheer you on. Also, ask the queens out there questions. They don't mind answering them.*

Want your questions answered honestly? Email me @ [MRTWTMAN@AOL.COM](mailto:MRTWTMAN@AOL.COM) and I will be more than ready to give you what you want. Don't want to hear the truth? Move on and just enjoy the letters sent to me. Happy Reading! And until next issue...Play Safe!



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# This Week's SCOPES



Famous Gemini Birthdays: Mark Wahlberg, Sandra Bernhard, Prince, Joan Rivers, Michael J. Fox, Shia LaBeouf

## Aries (March 21-April 19)

It's an exciting time for travel and a love relationship. Pisces gives the nod of approval. Spend a little time with a loved one today, they may have some good news for you. Don't let current work or anxieties undermine your general health and well-being. What had been lost will be recovered. It may be a good time to veg out in front of the TV tonight. Your best bet is the number 3.

## Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Pay off all your bills before they get out of control. Surprise your beloved with a gift that will be much appreciated tonight. You'll find that lady luck is on your side. You will recover a lost item. Supervisors aren't in your corner. Invite appreciative Sagittarius types into your home. Play the number 15, it's a winner.

## Gemini (May 21-June 20)

Heartfelt emotions are in evidence. Something that has been lost for quite sometime will turn up in the most obvious of places today. Supervisors, associates and co workers are in your corner. Family objections can multiply and come through your frame of reference as limiting. Making plans for your future is signified by Mercury. Pisces

may have some important answers. Cash in on the number 1.

## Cancer (June 21-July 22)

A little rest and relaxation will put you in good shape for the days ahead. Now's the time to push your career, status, authority and prestige. You'll be the feature of a major assignment. A loved one should be your main focus of attention tonight. A heated argument with family members could come to a boil today. Libra plays a key role in your day's activities. Play the number 25 to win.

## Leo (July 23-August 22)

It's a great time to finish one task, closing one door so to speak, so that a new door can be opened. Romance is highlighted and you'll take center stage. Your deliberate actions may be covered up in one way or another. Don't waste any time, for time is money. Sharing a meal with a stranger will generate a new long-lasting friendship. Consult with Aries in the evening. The number 29 will pay off for you.

## Virgo (August 23-September 22)

You will wake up on the wrong side of the bed. A

difficult subject will create new problems for you. Consider the wishes of a partner before making any decisions. Order the items you need in quantity. Neptune appearing in Pisces points to improvements in your home life and relationships. Capricorn may have some important answers. Count on the number 10, it's a winner.

#### **Libra (September 23-October 22)**

Put your enthusiasm to work and go after something you have always wanted. There is much impatience represented in your life at this time. There should be a good meeting of the minds where you will learn much. You'll receive exciting news from a foreign land concerning your family background. Listen to a loved one's problems, they will thank you for it. Leo comes front and center to help. The number 4 will pay off for you.

#### **Scorpio (October 23-November 21)**

Friends will be willing to help you in a constructive project. Your personal magnetism soars and sex appeal will be much in evidence. Your ruler, Pluto, says you should help someone look on the bright side. Think things out completely before taking any action. You may run into trouble with a superior. Another Scorpio is involved with your plans. Your best bet is the number 2.

#### **Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)**

Don't let jealousy cause unprecedented remarks with a loved one. The one you may have eyes for does not know you exist. Venus in your own birth sign signifies willingness without action is fantasy. Aggression won't get you in trouble if you are sure of the facts. Contracts can be overhauled if that's what you desire. Virgo proves to be very dependable. Take a chance on the number 15.

#### **Capricorn (December 22-January 19)**

You can encompass many personal interests as you advance to new levels. Don't fight your feelings, they are trying to tell you something. Don't let personal affairs get in the way of doing business. Catching up on work will pay off for you. You feel excited, adventurous, and expectant in your love department. Sagittarius plays a key role. The number 12 will pay off for you.

#### **Aquarius (January 20-February 18)**

Entertainment and parties will go well this evening. Kindred spirits would like to hear more about your recent activities. Love and romance should come front and center in the day's activities. A co-worker may cover a mistake you make. If in school, homework will come easy to you. Cancer figures in the day's doings. Cash in on the number 17.

#### **Pisces (February 19-March 20)**

Today is a good day to set your mind straight and finishing a recreational project you have been working on. You may want to bend the ear of a loved one tonight. A situation may arise to your dismay at lunch time. Stick to your diet, it will pay off for you in the long run. Take care of your bills before they take care of you this evening. Libra has some say in this scenario. Take a chance on the number 7.



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Right now, as your fingers are flipping through these very pages, two of the most united and dedicated bar staffs in Texas are preparing for another assault on Fourth Street in Austin. The gay assault called PRIDE. Thousands of GLBT community members will flood the famed downtown boulevard to join in a mass celebration of unity, fellowship and fun. This is the time that we let down our walls, and extend our hands in friendship to our fellow community members; A time to find common ground to stand on and unite against the front of prejudice and ignorance; to educate the willing on what we have so long endured as gay men and women; to come together to do what any person who feels accomplishment for their cause would do. This is the gathering of Austin PRIDE 2009.

This week, for Austin Pride, we take our camera and pen to the hub of all things gay in Austin, Fourth Street's very own RAIN & Oilcan Harry's. This 200 block of Austin's unofficial Boystown has, for the last 3 years, been a common gathering spot for events of mass gay proportions. Amateur strip shows, karaoke, and hot DJs are a staple of commonality between these two famed gay establishments, but this barley scratches the surface of what these clubs really have in common. The one key point to a great night club/bar starts with humble beginnings, and those beginnings start with the owners Dave Pantano of Rain and Larry Davis of Oilcan Harry's. These two club owners have managed to develop a friendship that has allowed them to not only give the community what they want, but to do it in a manner that prevents them from stepping on each other's toes. Not even 25 yards away from each other, both night clubs week in and week out draw the GLBT community to their places of business with unparalleled enthusiasm as they play host to the hottest DJs, entertainers, and benefits.

In the following pages we have questions, some the same, and some different, for both owners. So give you, the readers, a better insight to what makes these proud men tick. You may be surprised to find out that they put their pants on one leg at a time and that their wishes for the GLBT community are as strong and honorable as any other GLBT community member. So sit back, sip your cocktail, and enjoy the freshest tea on two of Austin's premier gay night club owners.



**Austin** Larry Davis & Dave Pantano

# PROUD TEA

by Rusty Korea

Both Dave and Larry will be busy this weekend, helping Austin's GLBT community celebrate itself... celebrate its Pride. The community is blessed to have two such strong advocates on its side... and we're delighted that they could spend some time with us.

**How long have you been the owner of Rain?**

*I opened Rain with the help of a partner in December of 2004. Since that time, the aforementioned partner has been bought out and I have brought other local partners in.*

**Where were you born?**

*Detroit Michigan*

**How important is it to you to keep 4th Street as gay as possible?**

*Very important. I think the community needs a place to consider a home base. Somewhere our guests can rely on to take care of them and their friends. Austin's community is a little more geographically spread out than other cities, so a home base becomes more important.*

**Isn't it hard to work with a club (OCH) next door and be in competition?**

*Why would it be? Both clubs are run by adults who understand that competition breeds a better atmosphere. We (Larry and I) view it as friendly competition, and we try to work with each other whenever possible.*

**When out to Lunch with Larry Davis, who buys?**

*We switch it up every other time.*

**How long have you known Larry?**

*I knew him enough to say "Hi and Bye" for the first two years we were open, as he was one of our guests. We became better friends over the past year to 18 months.*

**Do you think in the near future we will see a Rain/OCH block party with a super high end performer?**

*No clue, we would love to do something like it, but shutting down the streets in Austin is a feat in it's own, and the bureaucracy it takes when closing down a street can be quite consuming. We will see.*

**If there is one thing you like about OCH, what is it?**

*From a customer standpoint - their patio, so open and unpretentious, it feels great out there. From a management standpoint - their storage, they have lots and I have none, very jealous.*

**If you had to steal one employee from OCH, who would it be?**

*Larry Davis, I could then take a few days off and not have to worry.*

**Most of the community knows you are straight. Do you think it matters to the community that you are straight, or are the friendships in the community you have the glue that holds you in good standing? Please tell us your take on this.**

*You know, when I am held out as the owner of Rain it makes me kind of uncomfortable, as I am the managing owner. ... my partners in the business are gay. I guess I am just the face, and my partners don't get enough credit for letting me run this place the way I feel would benefit not only them, but the community itself.*

*Making a community that bonds together as human beings should be the end result of all we do. I believe Gore Vidal said what I believe to best describe how I wish everyone thought, he said "I'm not sure I believe in homosexual or heterosexual beings, as much as I believe in homosexual and heterosexual acts." A basic statement that says we are all human, shouldn't we be strengthening each other, in that sense, and not being divided by labels? And yes I know it is not that easy for everyone, but I think my friends and my guests know that I am here for them and the community.*

**Please tell us something everybody should know when they come to 4th street.**

*Wanna dance? Get your ass in the door.*

**What does Pride mean to you?**

*It's a gathering of like-minded people showing mutual respect and admiration for each other and knowing we still have a long way to go, but celebrating the open minds we all share. It is an evolution of walls coming down and accepting each other as basic human beings; it is about embracing each other. Now we just have to get the evangelicals to stop quoting Leviticus, though they still eat shrimp and wear cotton blends. Hypocrites! We have to get Mike Huckabee and Sean Hannity to stop acting like gay marriage is a war on semantics and not the partnership of two loving individuals who deserve the same rights as others. We have to get rednecks and fraternity members to just calm down a bit when they feel their manliness is being threatened by walking by a gay person. We start there and all will be fine sooner, rather than later.*

**Dave Pantano**



**How long have you been an owner of OCH?**

*I purchased Oilcan Harry's in May 2006, with my business partner, Dr. Randy Speights.*

**Where were you born?**

*I was born in South Texas, in a small town, named Pearsall - a really cool place to grow up in.*

**Why a club in Austin?**

*I have always wanted to own a nightclub, from a very young age, I have lived in many cities in Texas, and I consider Austin to be home. It is a beautiful city, and by far my favorite.*

**How important is it to you to keep 4th Street as gay as possible.**

*I don't really need to keep 4th Street gay, per say. However I would like the gay clubs to stay gay. I really don't find it appealing in the gay community for new businesses to go into the business solely for a vehicle to generate money, without the consideration of the gay community as a whole.*

**Isn't it hard to work with a club (Rain) next door and be in competition?**

*It is actually easier to work together, then to be at odds. OCH has enjoyed working with Rain. The clubs, the staff, the patrons and the owners all benefit from a united sense of community. Don't get me wrong, we still compete, however it is a friendly rivalry...competition is a good thing!*

**When out to lunch with Dave Pantano, who buys?**

*Dave and I take turns buying lunch. In fact, this week is his turn...I feel Sullivan's in my future.*

**How long have you known Dave from Rain?**

*I met Dave around the time we purchased the club (3 years.) I really didn't get to know Dave as a person at the beginning of this venture, however we now have a great working relationship, and he has become a very dear and trusted friend.*

**Do you think in the near future we will see an OCH/Rain Block party with a super high end performer?**

*I am working on that. Dave, Randy, and I have wanted to do that for some time...it is a super difficult thing to pull off.*

**If there is one thing you like about Rain what is it?**

*The sense of loyalty among the staff is awesome*

**If you had to steal one employee from Rain who would it be?**

*I would take them all! They are a great group of people, and I love them all. That being said we have a good bunch ourselves! Both club's staffs have a lot of history together and get along great.*

**You have been sober for 10 months now. How has this affected OCH and how is it run?**

*I quit drinking just after "Red Hot" last year. I am more hands on than ever, and I really enjoy that. I am again focused on the things that mean most to me in my life, including my business, my family, my friends and most important my boyfriend Jaime. I have learned that some people can have a drink or two, and that's great. I can't, and I know where I stand with that issue*

**How long have you and your partner Jaime G been together?**

*Jaime and I just celebrated our 20 year anniversary seems like just yesterday. Jaime keeps me strong, and is always there for me, thru the good, and thru the bad!*

**Tell us something everybody should know when they come to 4th Street?**

*The warehouse district as a whole is a great, safe and fun place. OCH and Rain both feed off each other, and we enjoy our patron's being able to bar-hop easily, and have a great time. It's the best of both worlds.*

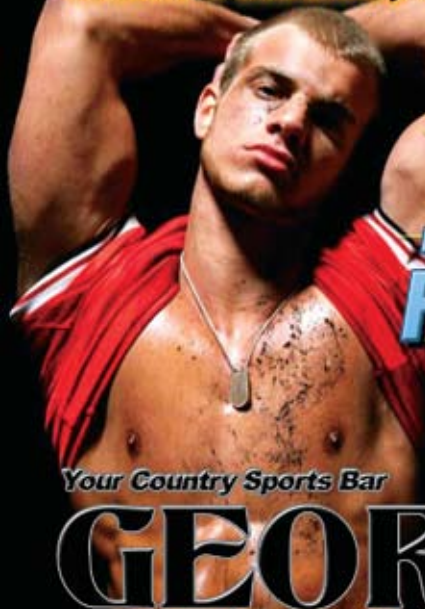
**What does pride mean to me?**

*To me, pride is a feeling of self-worth, and having the ability to be proud of a job well-done. Both Dave and Larry will be busy this weekend, helping Austin's GLBT community celebrate itself...celebrate its Pride. The community is blessed to have two such strong advocates on its side...and we're delighted that they could spend some time with us.*

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Old-school freestylin DJ Tony Moran is tearing up todays circuit scene. Tony headlined major events including the Memorial Day Allegria party in New York City, the Dancing On the Bay and Labor Day Zenith parties on Fire Island, Soakin' Wet in New York, Black and Blue in Montreal, The Hell Ball in San Francisco, "Southern Decadence" in New Orleans and "White Party: Seaquarium" in Miami. Hes released four compilation albums from Centaur Entertainment - Global Groove: House, Global Groove: A Deeper Heart, Party Groove: Hotlanta, and Maze: Miami Beach. As well as "Tour Da Beats" on Tommyboy Records. He has also wrote the score for the independent film Circuit. Now, along with continuing his nationwide touring schedule, Tony is releasing his latest compilation disc, also from Centaur, Global Groove: Clubland 2.

Tony Morans career began in 1981 when he and friend Albert Cabrera teamed to create a whole new step in the record making process. Together they were The Latin Rascals, whose re-edited versions of hit songs spliced together enjoyed major air-play on New York dance radio WKTUs popular mix show. The radio exposure led to a deal from Shakedown Studios who hired the duo to restructure popular hit radio songs into viable dance club hits. Shortly thereafter, they were contracted by another studio, Fever Records, to write and produce a song for one of their new acts, The Cover Girls. The result was Show Me, a song that not only became Tony Morans first Top 40 gold record but also helped to usher in the Freestyle era of music. This opened the doors for new artists including TKA, Safire (Boy Ive Been Told), and Lisette Melendez (Together Forever), all of whom benefited from the skillful hands of Moran and Cabrera.



Tony Moran credits his freestyle background for the pop sensibility he incorporates into his music today. Playing music that generates a feel-good energy is what I love about being a DJ/mix master, explains Tony. He eschews the strict underground house mentality preferred by many of his contemporaries and instead prefers to impart his remixes and productions with a hook laden commercial appeal that is both radio friendly and dance floor ready. Tony measures a successful dance floor with the number of hands in the air, dancing and singing along.

Dance music is where my heart is. Over the last year I've worked on developing dance music that is also pop music. Working with artists like Donna Summer (Universal Music), Kevin Aviance (Emerge Records) and Becky Baeling (Universal Music) has been really exciting for me.

Tony Moran has been a major contributor to the dance and pop music scene. Whether as a music editor, record producer, songwriter, singer or DJ, he has stayed on top of his game, exhibiting time and time again that his creativity is unrestricted. I don't try to reinvent myself. I work at making music and playing music because I love it. I don't set boundaries, nor do I allow them be built around me, explains Tony. I go where the music takes me. Tony has written and remixed for: Gloria Estefan, Celine Dion, Janet Jackson, Whitney Houston, Barry Manilow, George Michael, Patti Labelle, Michael Jackson, The Beach Boys, The Cover Girls, TKA, The Latin Rascals, Kenny G, Luther Vandross, Cyndi Lauper, Cher, Donna Summer, Becky Baeling, Britney Spears, Kevin Aviance, Deborah Cooper, Beyonce Knowles, Deborah Cox and more recently Kristine W, Brooke Hogan, Rihanna & Jennifer Lopez just to name a few.

Today, Tony Moran enjoys being back in the DJ booth. I never left the turntables, he says. I had been keeping my sets more private as I spent more time in the recording studio. But DJing provides a spectacular way of communicating and sharing all the love and passion that is inside of me. When I see my friends and other new faces enjoying themselves on the dance floor, it is a huge payoff and the energy that I feel gets poured back into what I create in the studio, explains Tony. Tony has turned out dance floors from: Tel-Aviv to Rio de Janeiro, New York to LA, and just about everywhere in between. Carnival (Rio), White Party (Miami), Crobar (New York, Chicago, Miami), Whistler - Altitude 12 (Vancouver), Metropolis (San Francisco), Red Eye (Los Angeles), Blu (Atlanta). He wants to let all his fans know that he thanks you all for your love and support. His new cd that is expected out this month and you will not be disappointed!



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# This Week's

# TEA

## AUSTIN

We just love a man in uniform so, when our good buddy Jim over at Rusty Spurs told us the club was having a military-themed party,



we dropped everything, grabbed our camera and dashed over to Fifth Street to snap some photos to add to our Big Guns of the Navy scrapbook. And sweeties, are we glad we did 'cause Jim is one hot hunk in jeans and a T-shirt, but he becomes something almost mythical when he dons anything with a little more starch. Suffice it to say that our eyes never left his....

er, belt loops. Yeah, his belt loops. And as if Jim wasn't enough to cause a rather significant set of the vapors, we were treated later in the week to the sight of Woody and one of the hottest hunks of the Lone Star rugby team wrestling in hot oil - with nary a belt loop in sight! That's right, sistas, gore guys with buff bods and practically no cloth-



ing rolling around in a pool of oil. If you'll excuse us, something's come up that we need desperately to attend to....

Okay, we're back, and about to launch into another incident of major manpower that warmed the cockles of our hearts, tickled our fancies and left us with little more than baited breath. That incident was the sight of our main man, the object of our rather lascivious affection and one of the hottest DJ's

in the known universe, Dallas Downs, in the booth at Rain. Not only was this magnificent specimen of male pulchritude available for our oculars, but so was fellow mix-master Deftone and the incredibly gifted Shawn - making our visit to the Fourth Street fun-house even more special than it usually is. We just love it when there's something visu-



ally-stimulating to occupy our senses while we sip on our multiple rounds of refreshing adult beverages, doncha know.

Finally, OCH has been in a redux mode for a while now, and the changes to the club have been exciting to watch - even though the crews in charge of said redux tend to wake us when we're taking our disco naps in the cot in the backroom that Larry and the boyz so kindly keep freshly-changed for us. We're usually just a Tad Martin-ish touchy when we first wake up but, thankfully, most of the crew is great to look at and that makes us a little more inclined to overlook the brevity of our breaks. It also doesn't hurt that the club's marvy manager, Kyle, is such a hawtie, because he's usually the one that we run to whenever those breaks feel shorter than they really are. One smile from Kyle and one



feel of those huge, really big muscles that he sports and we're as tame as a pussycat and ready to face the day, night and onslaught of the remodelers. In fact, if it wasn't for the gentle way in which Kyle rouses us from our slumber, we would have completely missed the appearance at the club of Bebe Zahara Benet and super sexy mix-master Mark Picchiotti, photos of whom you can find on the next page of this very magazine that you're now reading....



# Bebe Zahara Benet and DJ Mark Picchiotti at OCH



# DALLAS

We shared with you last week about undie-mogul Andrew Christian's appearance at Union Jack, but some of you might like to know that the king of package parades took his packed pouches over to Rush for a fashion show that did more than display the cot-



ton blends, babies – it revealed just how truly talented some of Big D's best and brightest really are. Nearly a dozen divine dudes draped only in the latest from the "Show-It" collection teased, tempted and titillated the awe-struck audience as the designer, the bodaciously beyorgeous Whitney Paige and the club's honcho of the head variety Mark



looked on, and we were forced – forced, do you hear - to imbibe on multiple rounds of refreshing adult beverages to bring our overheated blood pressure down to an acceptable level. We were particularly enamored of a brilliant brunette with a killer smile and bedroom eyes that selected a royal blue square-cut to encase his juicy jewels, and have offered our fluffing services to him, should extra hands ever be required...

While we're on the subject of fluffing, there's never any need for such action with our best buds Zav, Dustin and Matt because with them what you see is what you get – and, trust, what you get is truly significant. In fact, we ran into the big boyz at Woody's just the oth-



er night and, after working our way around their ginormous assets, saddled up to the bar for several luscious libations and a peek at the treasure that we're sure exists 'neath the belt buckle of the singularly sensational R.J. With such a plethora of pleasing peens so readily available to us, it's amazing that we even remembered to snap a photo....

And speaking of pleasing peens, there were more than even we can handle at the recent



construction-themed SIN Party over at the Brick, where the terms loading zone and erector set took on several new and fun meanings right before our very eyes. Party promoter Mikie was particularly well-tooled that night, and his buff beau Brandon hinted at what the nocturnal excavations that might be undertaken with a treasure trail that

literally left us weeping. Fortunately, our gal pal Lindsay was also on-hand to help us deal with all the heavy equipment, and our dear friend Paul Kraft provided the pulsing beat that echoed the pounding that was going on throughout the club. It truly was a fab fete that we'll never forget and, even more importantly, trumormongers are mongering that the successful SIN soiree will now be going monthly, right there at the Maple manse. Wonder how Mikie feels about gladiators...



We know how Lady Minx and Miss Solitaire feel about gladiators, because they told us so when we ran into them at the Eagle the other night. While they agreed that the concept



was pretty hot, they did feel that mankind's habit of glorifying only male gladiators was a bit archaic, and they admitted to hoping that tunic-wearing, sword-sporting warriors of the female variety – a la Xena, the Warrior Princess – could catch on at least half as well as the Spartacus type that many of us are so used to ogling. We offered to go home and get into Coliseum drag for them...maybe even stop by the zoo and grab a couple of lions...but they thought that might not exactly produce the effect that they were looking for. Well, we tried...

One of the effects that we're always on the lookout for is a tanned and toned torso with a sprinkling of tats and, in a perfect world, at least one nipple piercing, and we are absolutely delighted to report that we found an



oh-so-special specimen of one behind the bar at Hung Dinger in the guise of a totally-hot mixologist by the name of Souk. Good Gaea, sweeties, could that chest BE any hotter? Or, that glare any sexier? We know that Souk's BFF Laylonni Duvall thinks so, 'cause she had no problem leaping over the bartop and posing seductively next to the macho man before we even had our lens cap off. Now, if Royce would only add Souk to the menu....honeys, we gonna eat tonight!

So, how many of you are out looking for a new pair of Nikes to wear to the Million Gay March on June 28th? Huh...only 999,998 of you. Well, for the other two of you, the Million Gay March is Dallas' very own commemoration of the Stonewall Riots that took place forty years ago this month, and just about everyone who is anyone will be on-hand to show their support for LGBT rights. Needless to say, such a hugantic endeavor requires a few bucks to pull off properly, and fundraisers such as the recent Makeup & Mayhem art auction are just one of the ways those bucks are gathered. M & M took place in the Artisan's Collective at the Rorschach Gallery, and our best gal pal Ivana Tramp was on-hand to induce the crowing crowd into spending huge, really big bucks on some



fantabulous pieces of art. We bid every dollar we had in our Christmas Club account, realizing only afterwards that it was a rather stunning statue that we won, and not a double date with La Tramp and her compadres Daniel and Jesse – which was kind of okay 'cause we do have that blank spot on the wall above our Roche-Bobois sectional. But we were really looking forward to spending some quality time with Daniel...hell, maybe he'll help us hang the painting.

Finally, Jenna Skyy is one of the most popular entertainers in the Lone Star state – and, one of the busiest. Between her monthly Gay Bingo gig in the Rose Room and multiple appearances at JR's and other venues throughout the month, the groovy graduate student definitely works hard for her money, sweeties. We caught up with the glam gal at JR's during her House of Skyy shindig, which featured similarly-sensational sirens sporting the latest in fab fashions. You go, sistas!



# HOUSTON

Ya know how you have those lifetimes where nothing seems to go according to plan? When the universe keeps throwing you curveballs, and you end up having your whole life turned upside down...and your camera, filled to the digital max with This Week's Tea photos is somehow removed from the glove box of your TWTmobile without your knowledge or participation so you have nothing to record the many events that have happened in the Bayou City during the past week? Well, it's definitely one of those lifetimes.... BUT, we soldier on and do our best to tell you, our loyal and faithful readers, what's been happening and who's been doing who in H-town.

Needless to say, the record release party for Elektrik Red at South Beach last Sunday was a huge, really big success, as fans of the fab four were given tips on how to be a lady while still maintaining that girl power on crack state of mind. It was So Good and so packed at the Pacific party palace, which afforded us the frequent opportunity to bump multiple times into several hunky hawties whose tantalizing tan lines left little doubt in anyone's mind about the brevity of their bathing briefs. There was even one coppery cutie with no tan line at all....and we'd really love to know where he does his sun worshipping!

Speaking of worshipping, we just adore Reno over at JR's - not just because we've known him longer than just about anybody except Randall Jobe, but also because we've shared so many quirky and silly times together while staring at the studly strippers that populate Houston's Number One Gay Bar virtually every night of the week. In fact, he was with us when one of our very favorite penile projectionists, Javier, presented us with a pair of his well-broken-in and odoriferous cowboy boots so that we'd always have something personal to remember him by. And remember him we definitely did...many, many, many times. Wonder what ever happened to those things...

So, we're on online looking at all of our friends' friends and we came across the MySpace site of the devastatingly dashing dude that just happens to be the manager over at Male Uwear and just happens to love donning fetching styles of cotton blends to tempt, tease and tantalize curious customers during his shift. For the one or two of you that aren't already aware, said manager's name is Rick Reynoso and said fetching styles of cotton blends tend towards the Timoteo and Andrew Christian range...just soze ya know in case you wanna surprise him with a gift some day. We can honestly say that Rick is really good at what he does and how he wears those blends, 'cause we never seem to be able to leave the beau-tique

without an armload of boxer briefs whenever he's on duty. It's gotta be the bulge....

While we're on the subject of bulges, there are a helluva lot of them over at George - and some of them even happen to be on the staff. The others, of course, belong to the special and sporty spiffs on the big screen monitors that play with their balls and other tools to the delight of fans everywhere and provide those of us not fortunate enough to be married to a major league player with sufficient fantasy material to get us through those sometimes long and lonely nights. Our favorite athletes are those of the baseball variety, mostly because we think the idea of stirrups is really hot but, with the dry spell that we've been experiencing, we'd settle for just about anything in a jock. Unless that anything happens to be Donna Day...we definitely draw the line at Donna Day.

As of this writing, the judging panel that does not look to Ryan Seacrest for inspiration and includes Ernie Manouse, Vanessa Riley and the too-too precious Joey Guerra has winnowed down the list of finalists in this year's Houston Pride Idol contest taking place each week at Guava Lamp to a sensational seven that includes AJ Cabrera, Anthony Magee, Ben Montes, Hojamanda Lopez, Jean Nicole Rivers, Racquel Refuerzo and Shauna Wood, but that list will be a little bit shorter by the time you read this since another round of elimination took place last night at the Waugh watering hole. Guava Lamp is the exclusive venue for Houston Pride Idol, which means that you'll not only enjoy the contest for the next three weeks, but you'll experience the courteous customer service that Woody's place is known for. You might even run into Toddicus...which is always a very good thing.

Finally, the next time that you're sweltering in yet another of Houston's torrid temperature inversions that you, too, can be cool as a cucumber on the patio at EJ's, which has often been compared to both the hanging gardens of Babylon by those that are old enough to remember them and a really cool display at The Backyard Gardener in the Heights by those with less mileage on their bodies. However you describe it, it's the perfect place to sip on perfectly poured potent potables in the cool and misty shade - and, more importantly, it's the perfect place to more closely inspect the goodies of the participants in Roxanne Collins' wet underwear contest before or after they compete. We usually do it afterwards, 'cause that's when they're really wet....ahem.

# SAN ANTONIO

Got a text message from Niecy the other day, reminding us that the legendary Our



Town diva, Alayna Marquez, was celebrating her 30th birthday at the Bonham and she was absolutely sure that we wanted to be there. Well, she was right about that, 'cause the Lady M has been a favorite of ours since way back in the day when we used to bartend at the Sunset Boulevard and Alayna was running around in Jellies and dia-

per dresses. The truly amazing thing is that she's actually gotten even better with age, and shows us just how much she deserves the many and myriad titles that she has won over the years every time she makes an appearance. You can see her each and every Thursday night at the BX, when she takes to the stage to present some of the Alamo City's best and brightest newcomers and uber-special guests in her You Bring the Talent revue...We love ya, gal!

While we're on the subject of love, it's always love at first sight whenever we imbibe at the 2015 while Chris is pouring the perfect potent potables, so you can imagine how thoroughly delighted we were when - during a rousing round of the always-popular Who Am I Going to Marry game - he actually pointed at us! Can you believe it? Naturally, we were struck completely dumb - which usually happens when we drink a bit, anyway - and could do nothing more than babble in the corner, hoping that our dreams of wedding Chris in Iowa, adopting several Third World children and opening a bed and breakfast on South Padre weren't just in our imagination. We'll keep you posted...



Speaking of posting, the 1757 MySpace

friends of Club Venom do their fair share of posting on the club's site, and the fact that there's buck booze on Tuesday and Thursday nights and there's always free pool and free Wi-Fi isn't all they're posting about! No, honeys, they're sharing how much they love the club and its alternative to the alternative nightlife ambience and how very much it reminds some of them of the clubs in San Francisco. And, they're also mentioning the affection that our best buds Sam and Ernest have for each other, even alluding to the fact



that they make such a nice couple. Hmmmmm...Waddup wid dat?

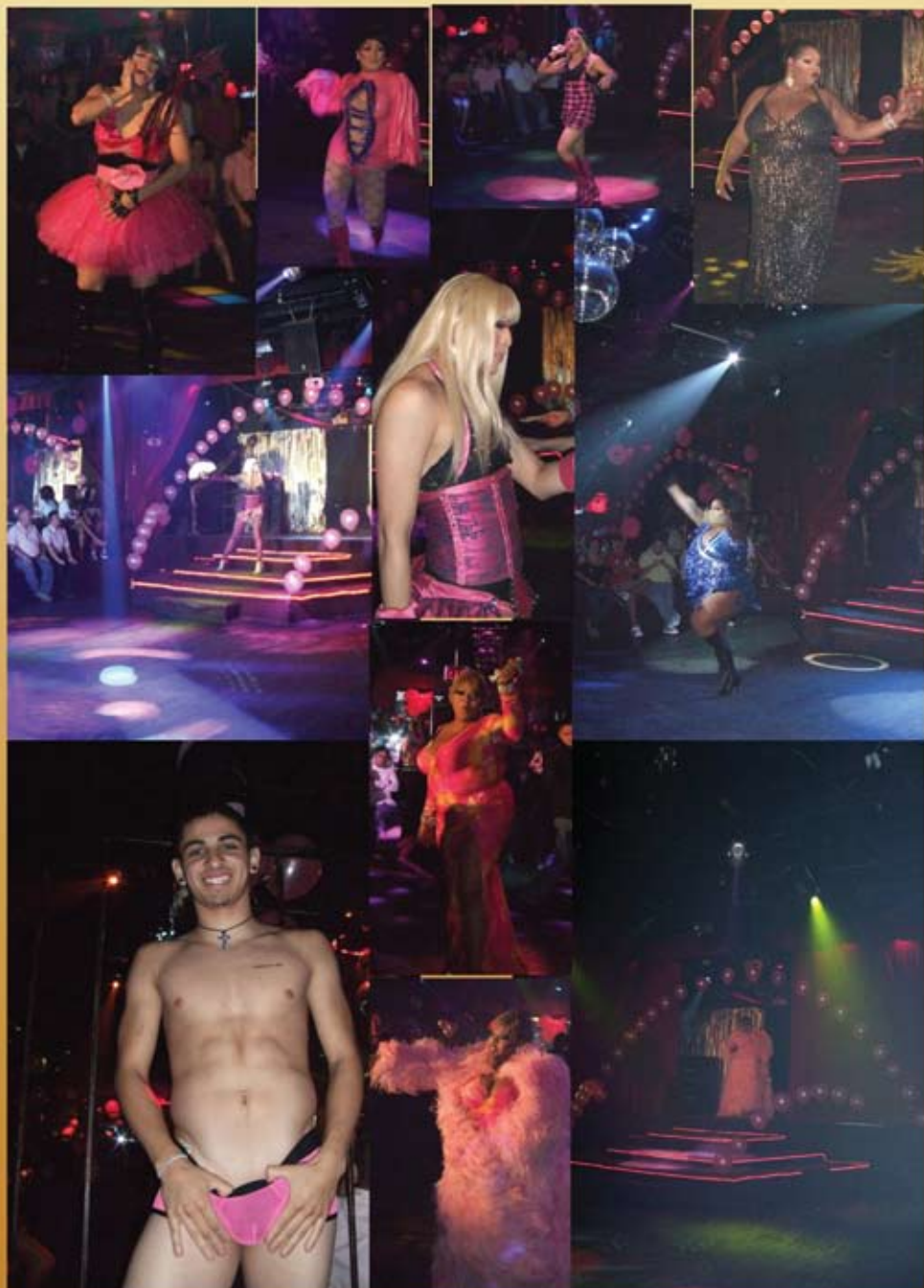
Another couple of the breathtaking variety is the one created whenever Josh and Erica Andrews are together, blending their beauty, as it were, to outshine anyone else in the room. It's virtually impossible to find two more perfect examples of beyorgeousness than these two - although those impressions might change next week when Heat hosts the start of a XXX tradition as the club's first annual Pornfest takes to the stage with an open casting call by Raging Stallion Productions and special appearances by Colt Men Gage Weston and Ricky Parks. As much as we adore Josh and Erica, the thought of all that bare beefcake strutting around does give one pause, doncha know.



Finally, the Saint presented its second annual Pink Party last week and the sight of so many sexy sirens and satyrs all sporting their very best dusty rose-hued ensembles - coupled with the incomparable talents of the Eyes of Texas, Whitney Paige - created a host of memories for all who attended. So much went on, in fact, that we were forced - forced, do you hear - to create a photo page feature to commemorate the event....a page you'll find immediately following this one you're now kvelling over....

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Matt was born in Ft Worth, but spent his formative years in the San Fernando Valley in California before coming back to Texas and making his home in Big D. Matt likes any outdoor activities, and can often be spotted rollerblading down Cedar Springs on his way to work. You can also catch his fit form in all its splendor when he dances at the Tin Room...or, when he's just out partying on the Strip!

Photography by Brett Vander



**Matt**  
Dallas







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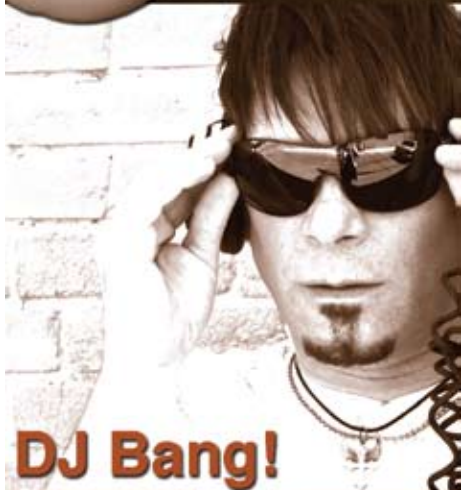
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