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March 9, 2012

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INSIDE THIS ISSUE

Dear Readers.

Welcome to the Bunny Issue of abOUT Magazine. Inside you shall see everything that Bunnies on the Bayou has on it's plate for you this year. The awesome Bunny Shuttle, the areat After party and the always fun kick off - The Bunny Bar Bash

and be good "Christian ladies" for the community

We take a look into one of Houston's oldest LGBT dance clubs, the Brazos River Bottom, or better of Montrose and a great place for a Saturday

We have some great community photos that our awesome photographers spend their weekends collecting for everyone to enjoy. See if you made the page. We also would like to welcome the awesome underwear company "Paul Ferrer and the Super Center" to the abOUT Magazine family of

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HOUSTON'S ONLY L.G.B.T. COUNTRY MUSIC DANCE CLUB

In it's 33 year histroy the Brazos River Bottom has served our community as the oldest gay bar in Houston in its original location

by: Cade Michals

Brazos River Bottom or better know in Houston as the BRB, is nestled just out side of Montrose in the ever growing Midtown or right smack in the middle of straightville. Do not let this detour your thoughts, as the BRB is one of Houston's best kept gay country secrets.

Upon walking in you get a instant feeling of a warm welcoming. Maybe it is the feeling of walking into a hidden cabin in the middle of no where or the thought that you might be on the set of Urban Cowboy, which ever it might be, the sound of country music immediately has your foot tapping the floor.

Unlike any clubs in our community the BRB offers boots, demin, cowboys, and crowds that are twostepping with out all the smoke on the dancefloor, with out all the lazer lights - it's just great country music- and great looking cowboys that are looking for the down home small town feel. The BRB has had to survive the ever changing demand for something new and slick. If was not long ago that you could look at a photo of the packed dance floor at the BRB and all you would see were cowboy hats and ball caps the days when patrons would come in to Houston from smaller cities or ranches for a night of good olé fashion dancing. But what ever they have done to keep the country music loving fans returning- sure works.

There is more jewels to the BRB than their choice of music or the great DJ's that play it, or the always friendly, and ear to ear smiles of their bar staff. Their support of our community, the support they show is one of the BRB's major goals, and that support can be seen as the BRB regularly hosts fund-raisers such as Mr. and Ms. BRB contest, which raises funds for a rotating roster of local charities. Since their opening, every Sundays drag show, the tips go to AIDSfocused nonprofit.

If you have never stepped foot into the BRB abOUT would invite you to make the journey into apart of the community history and enjoy a ice-cold beer and listen to some great music and look around their walls covered with posters of some of the best the music industry has to offer. It's definitely a evening you will never forget.

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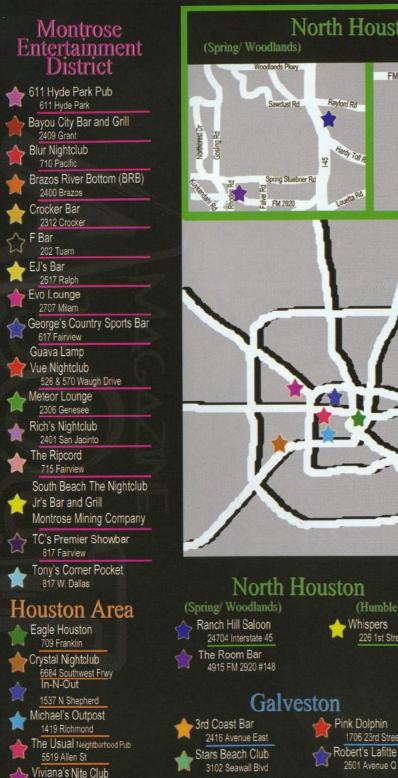
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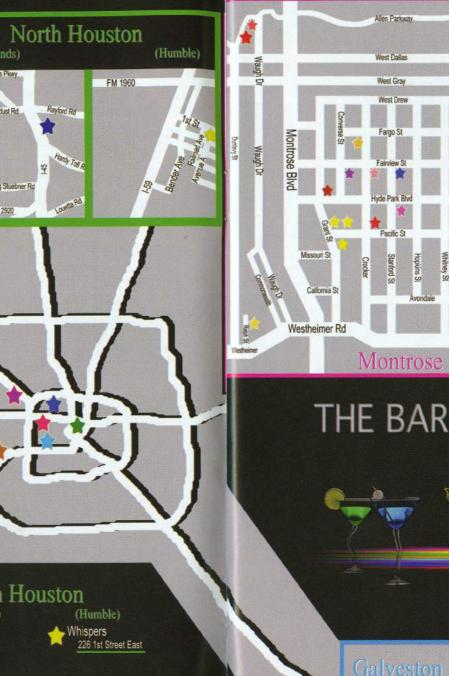
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Chelsea Grill VISIT CHELSEAGRILL.COM In 2011 Guava lamp and Vue Nightclub came up with the idea of a complimentary shuttle service that would provide transportation to any guest that wanted to take advantage and get a free ride to Bunnies on the Bayou. The idea ended up being a smash hit and had an estimated 400 riders.

Allowing people to park in their parking lot and hoping on a shuttle for the short ride to downtowns Fish Plaza, allowed people to be able to enjoy their self and have beverages and not having the hassle of finding parking or worrying about drinking to much and driving. Not to mention why not park for free at the same location as the official After Party.

This year in 2012, Guava Lamp and Vue Nightclub are pleased to announce the return of the FREE shuttle. Not only will the shuttle return but the Official and ONLY After Party will also take place at Guava Lamp and Vue.

Unlike last year, Guava Lamp will join Vue Nightclub in all the after party festivities. For the party goer that wants to unwind and have bottle service Guava Lamp is the place to be with a live DJ. For the person that wants to continue to party and dance to high energy, Vue Nightclub welcomes you. One of the hottest DJs, Deejay Pollo will spin live at Vue- which will also have VIP and Table /bottle service available.

As always the shuttle is complimentary

Remember to play it safe and enjoy the ride.



The Bunny Shitle presented by

Vue Nightclub Guava Lamp Bunnies on ^{the l}ayou The Houston Wave abOUT Magazine

Parking

Everyone wanting to take advantage of the Bunny Shuttle is encouraged to park at the following locations: The Guava Lamp Parking Lot, the parking lot behind Guava Lamp.

Run Times

The Bunny Shuttle starts picking up passengers on Easter Sunday in front of Guava Lamp and will drop off downtown at Bunnies. Return passengers will be dropped off in front of Vue Nightclub. Guava Lamp and Vue are located in the same strip center at the corner of Waugh Drive and Allen Parkway.

 Start Time:
 12:30PM til 2:30PM

 Return Time:
 5:00PM til 6:45PM

Vue Nightclub and Guava Lamp will be open following Bunnies on the Bayou. Each location will offer separate after parties for Bunnies on the Bayou. Both location are 21+ and must have a valid ID. As always Guava Lamp is free of charge.

Vue Nightclub will be complimentary to people with BOTB wristbands or ticket stub.

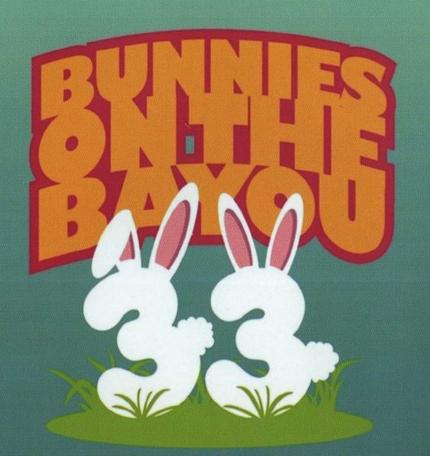
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Broadway Star and Grammy Nominee Frenchie Davis Heads to Houston's F Bar

Frenchie takes the F Bar stage on Tuesday, March 27th as the finale to a week long First Year Anniversary Celebration. Frenchie Davis; a finalist from the VOICE and AMER-ICAN IDOL. American Idol Judge Simon Cowell predicted Frenchie could win the competition and The Voice's Christina Aguillera summed it up by telling Frenchie, "you always make me proud.

For information or reservations contact randall@fbarhouston.com or call 713.661.7600 / 713.522 FBAR

Flash Back to the '80s Themed Walk



Sunday, March 11th, 2012

Make sure and join AFH in Sam Houston Park this Sunday as they Walk for awareness in the fight against HIV/AIDS. Registra tion begins at 8am, Program at 9am, and we Walk at 10am. Join the Madd Hatta and the rest of Houston as they take on an '80's theme and travel down Allen Parkway. After the Walk, the band, Mr Hand's Revenge, en tertains in the park!



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ircuit Parties Return to Houston in June Just in time for Pride 2012

Houston's inaugural dance music event, Wonderland Houston, is presented by Pride Houston and is shaping up to be the premiere Circuit Party of the Houston LGBT Pride Celebration. Step into the looking glass and experience a place like no place on earth: A land full of Desire, Mystery and Wonder! In the heart of downtown Houston, this event will offer heart pumping music, go-go dancers, drag performances, full bars and unique VIP areas. Houston is pulling out all the stops as you take a journey down the rabbit hole. The doors open at 9:00 PM and the party rages from 10:00 PM to 2:00 AM. With master of the beats, DJ Michael Tank, direct from Miami's Winter Party. Special circue aerial performances by Francois Gravel and Michael Lanphear as Tweedle Dee and Tweedle Dumm. The Bayou Music Center's 130,000 square foot arena will be transformed into the surreal Wonderland with areas like The Queen's Throne, Madhatter's Tea, Catterpillar's Lair, Cheshire's Retreat and who knows what else. With state of the art lights and sound You'll experience the party in ways you could never have imagined. Some say to survive it: You need to be as mad as a hatter. So you must be entirely bonkers. But I'll tell you a secret... All the best people are.

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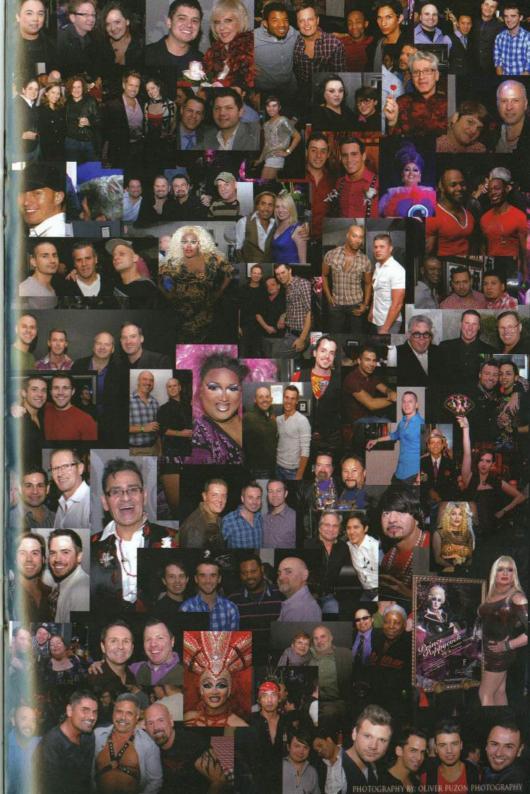
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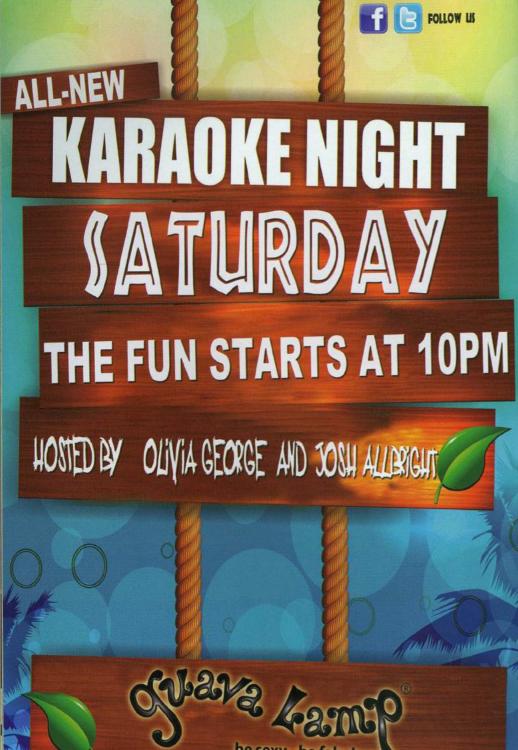


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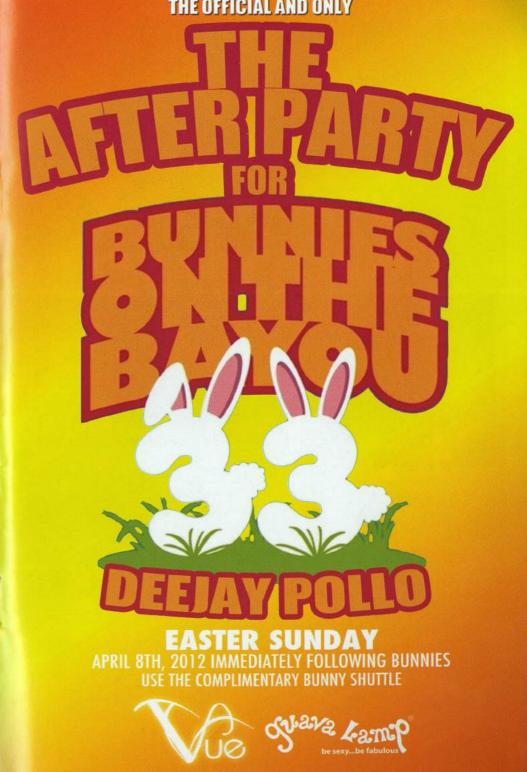
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So many WRONGS with this picture. What is she wearing? And these young boys- Don't they have to sign some type of form that says they won't do this kind of thing? NO sex or making people gag while on the dancefloor! No! Ma'am!



Fitness is a tough mans world! This is what happens when Papi catches you underneath the bleachers playing tummy sticks. On a good note, Papi's eyebrows look FAB-ULOUS! Yes! Ma'am!

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It's a given! You will always have a friend ruin a good photo! In this case you have 2. She's trying to see how wide her mouth can open (Prolly a scrapper) and he has his eyes closed thinking about what's to come later- and singing "Can't burch this" Can't touch this'

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Hunter Valentine Lands in Houston

If you haven't heard of Hunter Valentine yet, I'll do my best to school you and bring you up to speed. The three badass Canadian babes practically sweat rock 'n roll, and lead singer Kiyomi McCloskey growls with the ferocity of a scorned lover while looking like a young, part-Asian Joan Jett.

Touring almost non-stop for the majority of their careers, it's clear they love what they do. Even the most rigorous aspects of the job become routine

"Getting to a new city every single day is an amazing thing to do when you're doing it with your best friends [who are also] in your band. And then with these other two groups," McCloskey says. "I've started to not really feel normal when I go home now. So I prefer to be on the road."

Sooo... every band's favorite question; Hunter Valentine, what does it mean? What's the origin? Hunter Valentine is actually a complex mathematical equation, and if you can solve the equation you'll figure out the way into each of our hearts. Here's a hint, enter into your calculator: 58008

Go in, nail 'em and go home exhausted. Such a simple victory has been the mission of rock bands for decades. It's a noble pursuit; a Do It Yourself mentality that compels musicians to obliterate with powerful songs propelled by live passion and vitality.

That's Hunter Valentine.

Be sure to attend the after party at Evo Lounge on March 19th.

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MONDAY, MARCH 26

Substance Abuse/Alcohol Abuse LGBT people are more likely to use drugs, have higher rates of substance abuse, and are more likely to continue drug use into later life.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27

HIV/AIDS and other STDs The rate of new HIV diagnoses among gay and bisexual men in the U.S. is more than 44 times that of other men.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

Fitness and Mental Health Gay men report higher rates of major depression and panic attack syndrome and lesbian women report higher rates of alcohol and drug dependence.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29

Cancer LGBT people often delay or avoid health screenings, resulting in cancers being detected at a later stage when they are more difficult to treat.

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Learn more about 5 of the top health concerns for lesbians, gay men, bisexual men and women and transgender people.

Each day from 4:00 to 8:00 pm, Legacy will offer FREE screenings, including HIV, Hepatitis C and syphilis testing, as well as blood pressure and glucose screenings.

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