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# Founders, 4/2012



First Known Group Photo

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**Frederick's LGBTQ Community Center's**  
**Picnic in the Park**

<http://www.facebook.com/TheFrederickCenter>

**June 23—Noon to 6 pm**

**Ballenger Creek Park 5420 Ballenger Creek Pike, Frederick MD**

Bring your picnic baskets and coolers\* and join us for a family-friendly day of fun, games, entertainment, and special guest speakers!

\* Bring your own food and beverages. The picnic will be held rain or shine.

# 2012 Pride Picnic in the Park



300 Attendees

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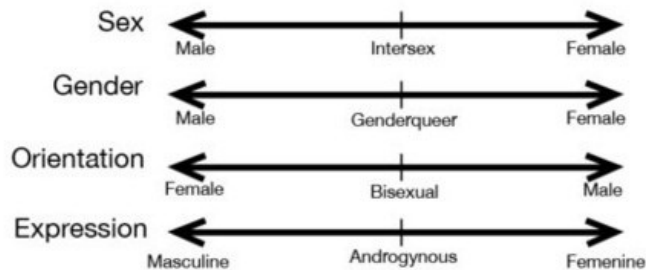
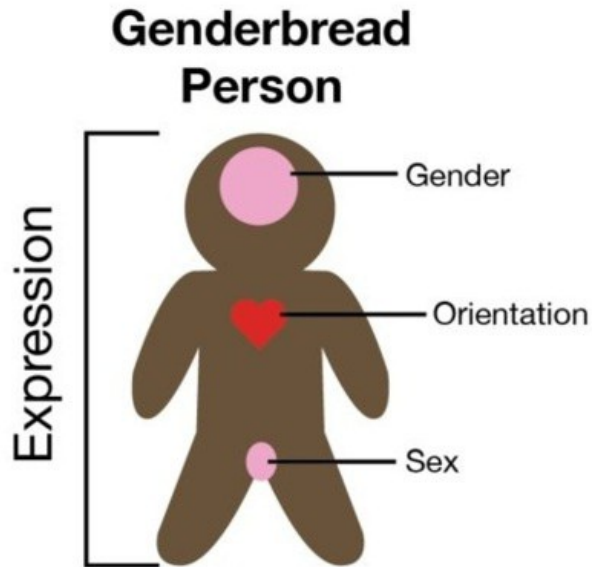


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# Respect, Authenticity, Awareness



## **Frederick Police Academy Training 9/2012**





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# Youth Group, 1 Year Anniversary



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# Where We Have Been

- FCC - Project OUT
- FUN! Concert – Outreach Tabling
- Hagerstown Hopes – Outreach Tabling
- Frederick Policy Academy – Cadet Training
- Frederick City Police – Officer Training
- SAGE Conf. – LGBT Elder Care Training
- Festival of the Arts – Lemonade Volunteering





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# 2013 Frederick Pride

**Frederick Pride 2013**  
Utica Park • June 29 • Noon-6pm  
10200-B Old Frederick Rd, Frederick, MD



Grab food from our vendors or pack your picnic baskets and coolers and join us for a kid-friendly day of fun, games, live music, and special guest speakers!

The picnic will be held rain or shine.

Stage Sponsor: **THE CLUB** Pavilion Sponsor: **THE LODGE**  
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Frederick Pride is bigger and better than ever this year at our new venue, Utica Park. Contact us now to reserve a table for your organization or business. Or donate to support The Frederick Center and Frederick Pride, to help keep the event free to our communities.



**FREDERICK PRIDE**

**The Frederick Center**  
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**Our Mission:** To support, educate, link, organize, and provide outreach to the LGBTQ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer) communities and allies.

**Our Vision:** The Center is dedicated to bringing the leading organizations for LGBTQ resources and advocacy to Central Maryland.

# 2013 Frederick Pride



Posted: Sunday, June 2, 2013 2:00 am

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On May 16, the mayor and Board of Aldermen of Frederick city presented a proclamation naming June 2013 as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Pride month. Members of these communities, the Frederick Center leadership and organizers of the second Frederick Pride accepted the proclamation and celebrated on the steps of City Hall. From left, front row are Peter Brehm, Austin Beach, Cindie Beach and Katherine Jones; second row are Craig Lafko, Matt Gibbons, Brian Walker and Jerry Clifford; back row are Dave Reighard, John Day and Rick Buske.

**June named Pride Month**

**(City Hall, FNP)**



# 2013 Frederick Pride



Posted: Saturday, May 4, 2013 2:00 am

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On April 17, community members with The Frederick Center and Frederick Pride discussed the layout of this year's expanded Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and Allied Pride 2013 scheduled for June 29 in Utica Park. The group has booked live musicians, community and public speakers, community organizations and food vendors for the kid-friendly event. Front row, from left, are Paul Esche, Rick Buske and Nicole Beller. Back row are Kristopher Fair and Peter Brehm.



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## Ribbon Cutting

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## Welcoming Entrance for 1,000 Attendees

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