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# PFLAG<sup>of</sup> Door County

5-6:30PM THE 3RD SUNDAY AT HOPE CHURCH, STURGEON BAY



Advocacy,  
education and  
support for gay,  
lesbian, bisexual  
and transgender  
people, their  
families and  
friends.

## *Northern Door PFLAG meeting*

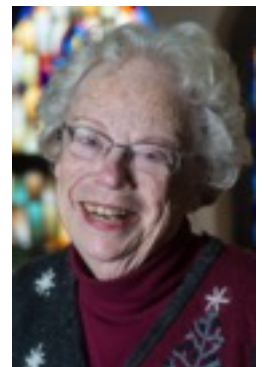
On April 9 we had 23 people in attendance, including six long time supporters, including Mary Kay Wagner, from the Green Bay area! Five students from Sturgeon Bay spoke to us about their club, their process, and answered our questions. The Sturgeon Bay students have named their GSA group the Gender/Sexual Diversity Alliance rather than Gay/Straight Alliance. They are doing important work!

### A NOTE RECEIVED:

Just wanted to say that Sam and Ariel, and the other kids from the GSA/Sturgeon Bay HS, were so grateful for the generosity of those at the meeting. They had NO idea that there would be any money involved in the bracelet giving, so they were so happy and surprised. If there is any way you can acknowledge how grateful the kids are in the next PFLAG newsletter, I would really appreciate it. The generosity of the people there was/is not taken for granted by these kids, and it would be so nice if their gratitude could be noted.

## 2015 GENEROSITY OF JOSEPH HONORS GALA HONOREE PROFILE MARY KAY WAGNER

Mary Kay grew up in a strict Catholic home and her father did not allow her to bring anyone home of Jewish or African American origin to their house. College allowed Mary Kay to meet others of color and different faiths. This opened up her world as she in turn would open the world to others who were excluded... For the full profile on Mary Kay visit <https://www.csjsl.org/ways-to-give/events.php>



## *Night of Noise 2015*

Join Goodwill NCW's LGBT Partnership in breaking the silence and celebrating Night of Noise 2015! Night of Noise occurs every year following Day of Silence, which is a national day of action in which students take a vow of silence in order to bring attention to anti-LGBT bullying and harassment that occurs in schools throughout the country.

The event will take place Friday, April 17, 2015 from 7:00-9:00. It will be held at the Green Bay Goodwill on West Mason Street in the old Harmony Cafe space. There will be music, dancing, food and drink, as well as an open mic portion of the evening and resource tables!

We will also be providing a bus from Menasha to Green Bay. If you would like to take the bus to and from the event you will need to fill out a permission form, a link to which will be posted soon. The bus will be picking up at the Goodwill Community Center, entrance #2: 1800 Appleton Rd, Menasha, WI 54952.

We are very excited about this event and can't wait to see you there! If you have any questions feel free to email Tara Cunningham at [tara.cunningham@snc.edu](mailto:tara.cunningham@snc.edu) or Deanna Tappy at [dtappy@goodwillncw.org](mailto:dtappy@goodwillncw.org)

**GLSEN**  
**DAY of SILENCE**  
**APRIL 17, 2015**

[WWW.DAYOFSILENCE.ORG](http://WWW.DAYOFSILENCE.ORG)

**WHAT WILL  
YOU DO  
TO END THE  
SILENCE?**

## STAY CONNECTED

To stay updated on the latest news and actions from PFLAG National, be sure to:

Stay current with PFLAG National by visiting [www.pflag.org](http://www.pflag.org).

Keep in touch with PFLAG National on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/pflag](http://www.facebook.com/pflag).

Follow PFLAG National on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/#!/PFLAG>.

Check out recent posts on our PFLAG National blog at <http://blog.pflag.org/>.

Watch PFLAG National on our YouTube channel at <http://www.youtube.com/user/pflagnational>.

## Calendar of Meetings and Other Events

### Manitowoc

#### **PFLAG Manitowoc County**

PFLAG Manitowoc County meets the 1st Thursday of the month from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the St. James Church, 434 N. 8th St.  
[pflagmanty@gmail.com](mailto:pflagmanty@gmail.com) 920-629-3771

### LaCrosse

#### **PFLAG LaCrosse**

PFLAG LaCrosse meets every Tuesday starting at 6:30 p.m. at the LGBT Resource Center of the 7 Rivers Region.  
[www.7riverslgbt.org](http://www.7riverslgbt.org)

### Door County

#### **PFLAG Door County**

PFLAG Door County meets on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. at the Hope UCC Church, 12th and Michigan, Sturgeon Bay. For more information:

[www.pflagdoorcounty.org](http://www.pflagdoorcounty.org) or  
[pflagsturgeonbay@gmail.com](mailto:pflagsturgeonbay@gmail.com)  
920-421-8815

#### **PFLAG Northern Door**

Meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship located between Ephraim and Sister Bay, just south of the Shops of the Green Gables.

#### **GSA, Gay Straight Alliance**

Meets on Tuesdays at GLAS in Sturgeon Bay at 4:15 PM for about an hour. Participation is limited to high school students between the ages of 14 and 19.

#### **Game Night with Friends!**

An opportunity for adult members of the LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender) community, their families, friends and allies to meet and socialize. Second Monday of each month, 5-7 PM, in meeting room above Cellcom/GLAS in Sturgeon Bay. No charge, but all are encouraged to purchase refreshments at GLAS. Sponsored by Door County PFLAG.

# Calendar of Meetings and Other Events

## Green Bay / Appleton

### PFLAG of Appleton

Lawe Street Wellness  
Suite 5 Meeting Room  
1620 South Lawe Street  
Appleton, WI 54915  
(Use the Lawe Street parking lot entrance and enter building through door under awning.)  
[pflagappleton@gmail.com](mailto:pflagappleton@gmail.com).

### Conversation Cafe

All meetings will continue to be held on Fridays, from approximately 11:30 to 1:00pm. There are no fees, and no requirement to purchase food or drinks. We are informal, and discuss news, weather, books, movies, personal stories, and even religion and politics! Meeting at rotating locations, please contact Cricket at [paul.jacob@arcw.org](mailto:paul.jacob@arcw.org) for each week's location.

### Spectrum

(LGBTQ and allied social group 18 years and up)  
Appleton

Mondays from 7-9 p.m. at the Goodwill Community Center (1800 Appleton Road, Menasha, WI, 54952)

### Green Bay

Tuesdays from 6-8 p.m. at UWGB LGBTQ Resource Center (Mary Ann Cofrin Building)

### T-Force

(transgender adults)  
2nd & 4th Fridays from 7-9 p.m. at the Goodwill Community Center  
(1800 Appleton Road, Menasha, WI, 54952)

### LGBT Partnership

(Offers leadership development and support for teens ages 14-18)

### Appleton

Mondays from 6-8 p.m. at the Goodwill West Store in Green Bay (1660 W. Mason St. Green Bay, WI 54303)

### Green Bay

Tuesdays from 6-8 p.m. at the Boys & Girls Club of the Fox Valley (160 South Badger Avenue, Appleton, WI 54914)

### Adult-Gay/Straight Alliance of Green Bay

A-GSA, Adult Gay/Straight Alliance of Green Bay, is a new advocacy group located in Green Bay for families and friends of persons who identify as GLBT.

A-GSA provides opportunities for dialogue about topics related to sexual orientation. All sessions are respectful, nonjudgmental, and strictly confidential. A-GSA charges no fees. All are welcome.

Meetings are 6:30-8:00 pm, second Tuesday of the month (September through May)

"The English Room" at the Union Congregational United Church of Christ

716 S. Madison St. Green Bay, WI 54301

Contacts: Michele Becker, 920-432-1283 or John and Karen Wirch 920-434-9960.

### Trans Support Group

The Appleton Group meets at 6pm in the Appleton Library. We meet on the third Monday except March and April when we meet on the third Tuesday due to the library schedule.

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## Madison

### PFLAG Madison

#### Straight Spouse Group

PFLAG Madison meets the 3rd Sunday every month except June, July and August, from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. The Straight Spouse Group meets at 4:00 p.m., immediately following the PFLAG Group meeting. See [www.pflag-madison.org](http://www.pflag-madison.org) for directions and agenda topics.

## Point

### PFLAG Point

PFLAG Point meets on the 3rd Tuesday of every month from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. No permanent meeting place has been determined. Link on the following for more information: [www.pflagpoint.com](http://www.pflagpoint.com) or phone 715-572-6922.

## Sheboygan

### PFLAG Sheboygan

Meeting the first Tuesdays 7-8,  
823 Union Ave.  
Sheboygan, WI 53081  
Contact information:  
[PFLAGSheboygan@live.com](mailto:PFLAGSheboygan@live.com)  
(920) 2540-1834

## Milwaukee

### PFLAG Milwaukee

PFLAG Milwaukee meets on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. at the Martin Luther Church in Milwaukee. See the following for more information:  
[www.milwaukee-pflag.org](http://www.milwaukee-pflag.org).

## Washburn

### PFLAG Washburn

PFLAG Washburn meets on the 4th Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. on the lower level of the Washburn Public Library, 307 Washington Avenue, Washburn. For further information, please call 715-209-1100.

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