



THE SAN DIEGO LGBT COMMUNITY CENTER'S


50TH ANNIVERSARY GALA



PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Saturday, October 14, 2023 | Hilton San Diego Bayfront

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We are so excited to share with you the upcoming 50th Anniversary celebration for The San Diego LGBT Community Center!

As one of the oldest and most vibrant LGBTQ+ Community Centers in the nation, we are celebrating 50 years of providing vital programs and services to the diverse San Diego LGBTQ+ community. Join us in celebration as we toast to the accomplishments and the countless lives impacted.

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From our humble beginnings as a single answering machine in a utility closet to the thriving community center that stands today, The Center has transformed over 50 years into a critical resource for the San Diego region. Now, we celebrate the community of supporters who have made The San Diego LGBT Community Center what it is today. We expect a large and vibrant crowd of Center Supporters, including local and business leaders, community members, and advocates who support the health and well-being of our community. We know that this will be a truly special occasion.

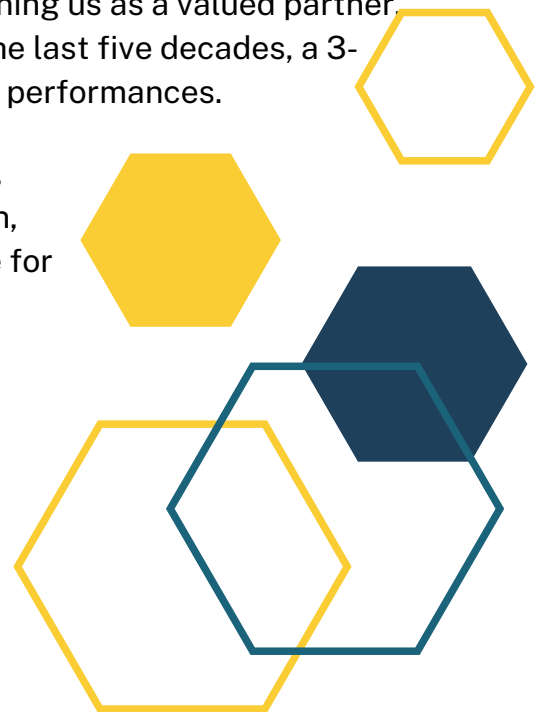
We invite you to participate in this historical celebration by joining us as a valued partner. Your guests will enjoy a festive look back on the triumphs of the last five decades, a 3-course gourmet dinner, live music, and surprise entertainment performances.

If you have any questions or would like to pledge your support, contact us directly. We appreciate your time and consideration, and we hope you'll join us in honoring this important milestone for our communities.

Thank you for your support,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ian".

Ian Johnson
Senior Director of Development
The San Diego LGBT Community Center





ABOUT THE CENTER

The San Diego Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Community Center, Inc., (d.b.a., The Center) is one of the largest and most vibrant LGBTQ community centers in the nation. Functioning as the San Diego LGBTQ community's anchor organization, The Center is led by an 11-member board of directors, employs more than 100 paid staff, and utilizes more than 1,200 community volunteers to achieve its twin goals of promoting LGBTQ health/wellness and human rights.

Over the last 50 years, The Center has evolved into a thriving hub for our community. The Center provides targeted programs and services to the full diversity of the San Diego LGBTQ community, including lesbian, gay, bisexual, queer, transgender, nonbinary, immigrant, and HIV communities to the betterment of our entire San Diego region. Last year, The Center provided more than 80,000 direct service visits to San Diego community members, and through its events, activities, and advocacy, touched the lives of thousands more.

The Center is a leader in solving San Diego's housing crisis, especially as it affects our LGBTQ community. In the last few years, The Center has expanded its housing programs and resources from one program – the Sunburst Youth Housing Project, a 23-unit building specifically for youth experiencing homelessness – to a continuum of 8 housing programs.

These programs include North Park Senior Apartments, in partnership with Community Housing Works; Karibu, a permanent supportive housing program for individuals, couples, and families; LGBTQ Safe Stay Wellness Center, an overnight emergency housing program for transitional age youth; a Host Home program; a Family Reunification program; Rental Assistance and Homelessness Prevention & Diversion services; and Project Compassion, an action-based program that provides direct supportive resources for those experiencing homelessness.

Through advocacy, civic engagement, and coalition building, The Center works to promote LGBTQ health and wellness, fight anti-Black racism, and advance human rights by amplifying the voices of families and community members who remain most marginalized – low-income residents, communities of color, immigrants, and refugees. A core value of The Center is that the health and wellness of our community cannot thrive without strong advocacy and community power.





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SAVE THE DATE

OCTOBER 14, 2023

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\$50,000 ANNIVERSARY SPONSOR

- Listed as presenting sponsor.
- Speaking opportunity to welcome guests
- 60-second promotional video in the broadcast pre-show
- Logo on broadcast website
- Logo on event invitation
- Logo in pre-event print and electronic advertising
- Logo included on event ticketing website
- Recognition during the live program
- Logo in event program
- Name on table placard
- Table of 10 at the Gala

\$25,000 GOLD SPONSOR

- Listed as presenting sponsor
- Speaking opportunity to welcome guests
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\$15,000 SILVER SPONSOR

- Logo in pre-event print and electronic advertising
- Logo included on event ticketing website
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\$10,000 BRONZE SPONSOR

- Logo included on event ticketing website
- Recognition during the live program
- Logo in event program
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\$5,000 SAPPHIRE SPONSOR

- Recognition during the live program
- Logo in event program
- Name on table placard
- Table of 10 at the Gala

\$2,500 COMMUNITY PARTNER

- Name on table placard
- Table of 10 at the Gala

\$250 SINGLE TICKET

- One ticket to the Gala

We are looking forward to welcoming you to this year's 50th Anniversary celebration on Saturday, October 14. To reserve your table or for more information, visit thecentersd.org/Gala or contact us at events@thecentersd.org.

