



Advertising Standards Authority to address gender stereotyping in commercials

FINALLY! Adverts, especially TV adverts, are so stuck in the dark ages when it comes to gender stereotyping. It is LITERALLY blue for boys and pink for girls. Take razors. Gillette/Venus is a perfect example. So stupid. So archaic. And don't even get us started on kids' adverts (toy guns for boys, toy kitchens for girls). Anyway, now it's finally being addressed.

The ASA wants to find out more about it, and they're starting a big research project over the next few months. "We're serious about making sure we're alive to changing attitudes and behaviours," said Chief Executive Guy Parker "We've already been taking action to ban ads that we believe reinforcing gender stereotypes are likely to cause widespread offence, or harm."



Sometimes, gay parents have threesomes



According to recent events regarding a certain celebrity in the press, gay parents occasionally have threesomes. Reportedly, this is because gay men are sex-crazed maniacs and can't walk past a paddling pool without filling with lube and having a threesome in it. Allegedly, straight parents have threesomes sometimes too. None of this is proper news.

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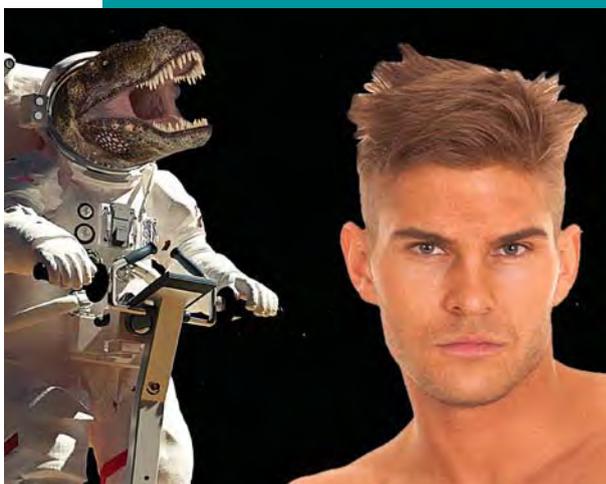
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Space Raptor Butt Invasion has been nominated for a prestigious literary award

Because of an insane series of events involving joke nominations and conservative parody groups, Chuck Tingle's cult internet erotica novella *Space Raptor Butt Invasion* (!) has been nominated for a Hugo Award, a well-respected accolade in the science fiction community. It's obviously all a big joke, but the author has responded in spectacular fashion, by quickly churning out a "response novel" called *Slammed In The Butt By My Hugo Nomination*. What a load of ridiculousness. Love it!



We're giving asylum to a Singapore trans woman



She's won UK asylum on the grounds that she'll be forced into compulsory army service if she's sent home. They do legally recognise gender reassignment in Singapore, but only if they've undergone full surgery. This woman hasn't, so she would be forced to join the male army for the 2 year conscription that's required of every young man in Singapore. Which would clearly be a massively uncomfortable experience. She has now been given full rights to live the UK for as long as she wants. Hooray, our government got something right for once!

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OUR FAVE FAMOUS TWINKS!

It's time for a list of our fave famous twinkles! Why? Why NOT! We love a twink as much as the next man. Youthful, white-toothed twinkly goodness. Whether they're bounding along Old Compton Street, or on our TV screens singing at the VMAs (hey Biebs), we are AAALL partial to a twink at some point.

SO, here they are, in all their twinkly goodness. Twink, twink, twink, twink, twink, twink, twink. You may notice an absence of Tom Daley. The reason we haven't included Tom Daley is because all you need to do if you want to read about him is open Facebook, or any gay blog in the world ever. He's always there staring back at you. Legs akimbo. Anyway here we go, famous twinkles.

O'Shaughnessy

Dudley



Dudley is perhaps best-known for being that beguiling blue-eyed male model in Rihanna's epic music video for We Found Love. He's got a smokey allure and a pout-lipped aloofness that's totes sexy. He's just appeared opposite Rihanna again in her Puma Fenty campaign. He's also worked with Fred Perry and Jeremy Scott, and was cast in a Benetton campaign. We want to find love in a hopeless place with you Dudley!

Armond Riuzzo



His bottoming skills are unparalleled. Which is very commendable.

We couldn't NOT have one of One Direction in here. Louis Tomlinson is our favourite because we feel like he probably does EVERYTHING in bed. We're not sure why, but we feel like he'd be a right dirty shag. So there.

Louis

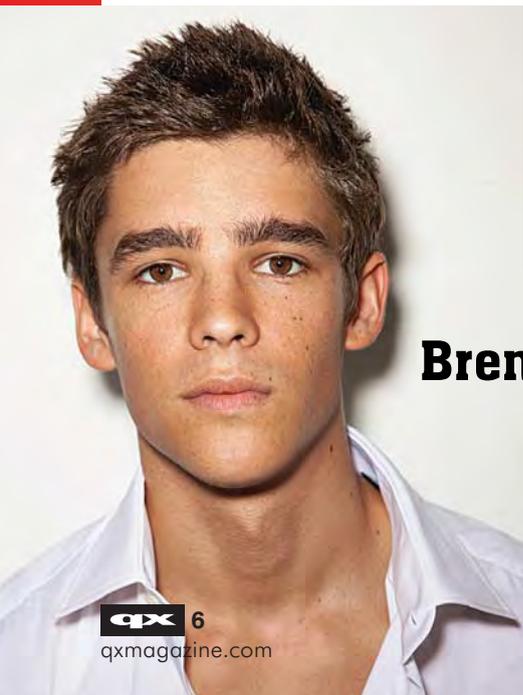


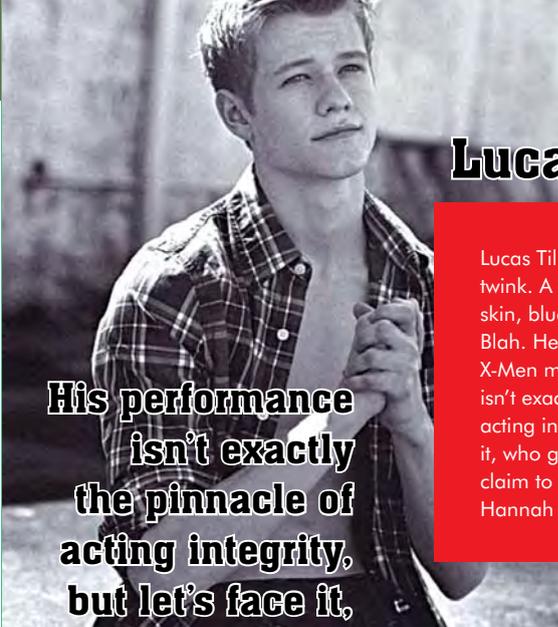
Tomlinson

You probably already know what Armond Rizzo's famous for, but in case you don't, we're just gonna say it...he's famous for TAKING DICK! Very well. And usually on all-fours. Yes, he's a gay porn superstar. Apparently he's one of the highest paid actors in the industry, and he deserves it. His bottoming skills are unparalleled. Which is very commendable. It's way more impressive than being a top. Good for you Armond! Keep doing what you're doing!

Brenton Thwaites

Now, if you recognize little Brenton Thwaites from when he ran around a forest being completely useless in Maleficent. Except he was totes cute. Don't worry if you fancy him, it's fine! He's older than he looks! He's 26! Hooray! All perfectly above board. Anyway he's got a big career ahead of him by the looks of it. He's got several blockbusters in the works, including the next installment of the Pirates of The Caribbean franchise, in which he'll be playing Will Turners son. Twinks Of The Caribbean! That sounds like a porn film. If only it was.





Lucas Till

Lucas Till is, like, the archetypal twink. A fop of blonde hair, pale skin, blue eyes, skinny. Blah Blah. He plays Havok in the new X-Men movies. His performance isn't exactly the pinnacle of acting integrity, but let's face it, who gives a fuck. His other claim to fame is being in the Hannah Montana movie. Lol.

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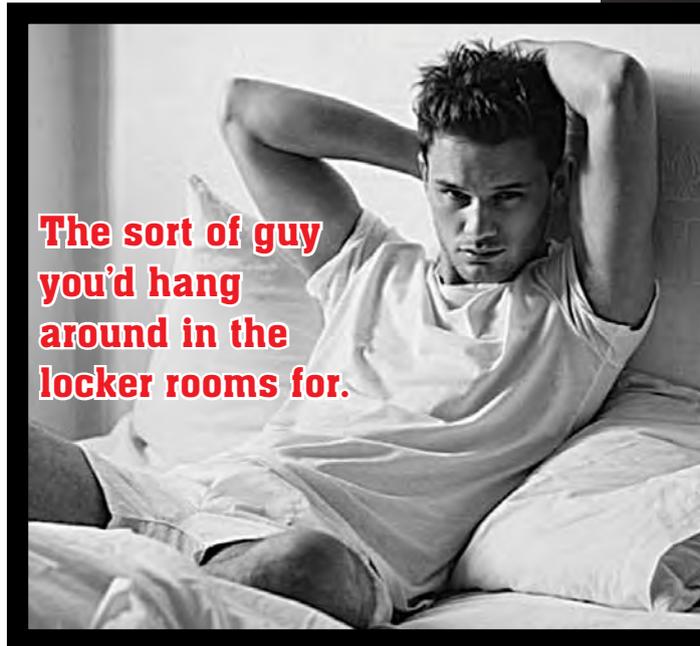
Malachi



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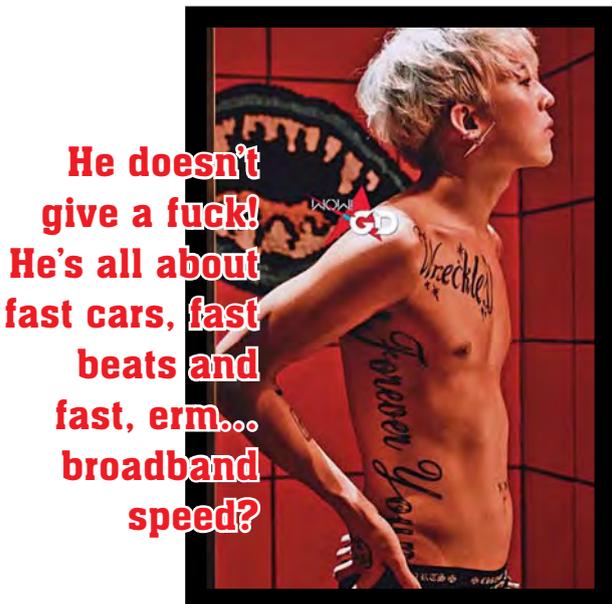
Love, love, love Malachi! Not only he is he gorgeous, but he has some upcoming noble acting credibility: he's starring as Kunta Kinte in the new, much-hyped miniseries of Roots on The History Channel. Intense stuff. You might also recognize him as Wayne Ladlow from Eastenders.

Jeremy Irvine



The sort of guy you'd hang around in the locker rooms for.

British twink Jeremy Irvine is like every boy you used to fancy at school rolled into one broody-eyed, square-jawed package. Captain of the hockey team. School tie always loose. Wrote graffiti on his desk. YOU know the sort of guy. The sort of guy you'd hang around in the locker rooms for. He made his film debut in critically acclaimed epic, War Horse. He was also in that Stonewall movie, but we're pretending the entire thing didn't happen, so we'll forget about that. Later this year he's in dark thriller Fallen. Hopefully there'll be lots of brooding!



He doesn't give a fuck! He's all about fast cars, fast beats and fast, erm... broadband speed?

G-Dragon

G-Dragon is a k-pop sensation who's way cooler than you and wears high top trainers that probably cost more than your entire student loan. He doesn't give a fuck! He's all about fast cars, fast beats and fast, erm...broadband speed? Anyway we really like his look, and he's totes cute! Hey G-Dragon! *waves, giggles*



Connor Franta

Ugh there was bound to be a Youtuber in here somewhere wasn't there. Connor Franta is probably one of the more likeable Youtubers, but that's not really

saying much because they're all annoying little turds. Still, among Connor's redeeming qualities are his winning smile and his ABSOLUTELY ROCKIN' BOD. You could grate hashtags on it! He's probably tried. He's got a following of legions of 14-year-old girls, and no doubt a good few 14-year-old boys.



DOUBLE TWINNOVATION

It's a sunny Spring afternoon, and we're in dusky private members venue The Phoenix Artists Club, with two hot gay French entrepreneurial twins. THATS not something you say every day is it.

Hot gay entrepreneurial twins are definitely worthy of an interview. But Pierre and Adrien Gaubert are more than just pretty faces. They've got an award-winning website that links LGBT professionals. Something that's wonderfully important in a potentially misogynist, homophobic working environment.

They spoke to Dylan Jones about business, and British men.

Hey boys...so tell us a bit about yourselves.

ADRIEN: We are twins! We are 27, we grew up in a little town in the South of France. We moved to London 4 years ago to study our masters and decided there is no better place to live than London! We love to hang out with our friends and meet new people, travel, and come back!

How does the London gay scene compare to France's?

PIERRE: The London gay scene is always very trendy. When we came here a couple of years ago after living in China and Mexico, we really enjoyed going out in London. We love that people are so open minded and a bit a crazy sometimes (in a good way). We have many friends from Paris and heard that the scene is getting better and better, copying the parties in London or Berlin. Maybe we'll go for a weekend to check it out.

What's your favourite thing about the London scene?

ADRIEN: In London, everyone can be who they want to be. Nobody judges you or looks at you. Once we went clubbing and there was a 70-year-old man wearing a tutu and shirtless. No-one in the club even looked at him. In France, sadly he would have stayed at the door. London is vibrant! Also, we have the feeling straight girls and guys feel much better going out in the LGBT scene in London. They feel more welcome, which is great! We think it is important for the LGBT community to be inclusive towards our straight allies.

Where do you like to go out?

PIERRE: We like to go out everywhere. We're not picky. From having a nice drink in Soho with friends, ending with going to Heaven, to a crazy Friday in Clapham or East London and sometimes a bit wilder when the fire of the party gets to us! We also love to travel and enjoy other countries' gay scenes. Mykonos is by far our favourite. People are chilled and it is a great place to meet new friends.

Photography: LUXXER



“Of course when we go out and people have had more than one beer, they ask if we have sex together.”

Do you like British guys?

PIERRE: The UK is made of various cultures and looks so yes, we like British guys. Who would not fall for the British accent?

Who would be your ideal man?

ADRIEN: Like anyone else, we would not say no to a nice, smart, handsome and successful guy. Any prince charming out-there is welcome!

What’s it like being gay twins?! Do you get a lot of attention?

ADRIEN: Attention is not what we get, we get looks and the same questions over and over ‘are you guys twins?’ but sometimes people ask if we are boyfriends which is a bit confusing as we evidently share some genes...and, of course when we go out and people have had more than one beer, they will ask if we have sex together, as if it’s something normal for brothers to sleep together. Maybe for some people their fantasy is a reality!

Tell us about your business.

PIERRE: We launched myGwork after we both experienced homophobic situation at work. myGwork ease networking between LGBT professionals, graduates and LGBT-friendly organisations. Our goal is to remove the fear of coming out at work for everyone and help companies create a more inclusive and diverse workplace for our community.

What do you have planned for the future?

In the near future we will expand myGwork to the US and the northern European countries.

You can check out Pierre & Adrien’s website at myGwork.com



Friday 6th May

Honey Soundsystem X Dalston Superstore

Honey Soundsystem are a notorious DJ collective from sun-soaked San Francisco, and this Friday Dalston Superstore is welcoming them with open, tie dye-clad arms. Much like honey, the popular substance manufactured by bees, this night is going to be gloopily irresistible, an immersive, sticky, sensory experience. We'll stop now, we're starting to sound like a Madonna album track description. Suffice to say, it'll be so good you'll want to spread it on toast. As well as Honey Soundsystem, there'll be D-Swizzle faves **Dan Beaumont, Fannar** and **Jeffrey Hinton**.



Honey Soundsystem

Dalston Superstore, 117 Kingsland High Street, E8 2PB.
9pm – 3am. £7 entry.



The Vauxhall Tavern, 372 Kennington Lane, SE11 5HY.
9pm – 4am. £8 entry

Friday 6th May

Lipsinkers

The Lipsinkers were doing it BEFORE drag exploded into the mainstream with YAAAS KWEEEEEN and fingersnapping. No, the Lipsinkers were way before all that. They're absolutely mad! Like, they're feral! In the best possible way! And the gorgeous Vauxhall Tavern makes for a perfect backdrop to their insanity, with its vaulting historical ceilings and lovely ornate pillars. Go there, and **MAKE HISTORY**. Or at least have a vodka diet coke.



Friday 6th May

Glory Wotever Party!

Like, **WOTEVAH**. The Glory are having a big, binary-defying **BASH**, in honour of those clever enough to transcend gender and its societal constraints. Tonight, fuck all those fucking Herbal Essences adverts, and fuck fucking North Carolina. The Glory's glitter-shitting dancehole will be playing host to non-binary riot starters **WOTEVER WORLD** for a night of non-definable nefariousness. So bring some sparkly clothing and leave your psychosexual preconceptions **AT THE DOOR**. Or in the frozen aisle of Haggerston Tesco, where they'll thaw. Very slowly.

The Glory, 281 Kingsland Road, E2 8AS.
10pm – 2am. £5 entry.





Saturday 7th May
XXL

Give us an X. X! Give us another X. X! Give us an L. L! Imagine if XXL had cheerleaders. Bearleaders. In little uniforms with little hats and furry pom poms. That'd be awesome. We'll put the idea to them and get back to you. XXL is the biggest, hairiest gay night in town! Perfect for ursine brethren and their admirers. Or anyone really you'll have a blast! And **Wayne G** will be there spinning ALL the hits.



Pulse, 1 Invicta Plaza, South Bank, SE1 9UF.
 10pm – 7am. £15 guests, £8 members.



Saturday
 7th May
Blocheads

East Bloc, 217 City Road, EC1V 1JN. 11pm – 6am. £5 before 12:30, then £10.



Attack Attack Attack



Lady Lloyd

Omg Blocheads is gonna be maaaajor this week! Well, it's always major, but this week it's gonna be PARTICULARLY major. The DJ lineup is a rip-roaring amalgamation of fashion muses, world class DJs, and bearebrities (that's our word for bears who are celebrities). We're talking about **Beary Carey**, our fave new bear DJ! Then there's **Lady Lloyd**, who's wet and wild and once modeled for Vivienne Westwood. Then there's **Attack Attack Attack**, who's had more trips to Ibiza than you've had hot dinners. So get down there on Saturday night!



Saturday 7th May
Cherry Bomb

There's a brand new girls' night in town, and it's called CHERRY BOMB! So, call up your fave lesbian gal pals and let them know! And it's at Bloc Bar, so it's obvs gonna be super cool and super sexy. With DJs **Michelle Manetti**, **Izzy Trixx** and **M.O.N.**



Bloc Bar, 18 Kentish Town Road, NW1 9NX.
 9pm – 3am. £5.



R & She

R&She Fourth Birthday
Tipsy, 20 Stoke Newington
Road, N16 7XN
30/04/2016

Words by Dylan Jones
Photos by Freddy Krave



I have to admit, I was VERY grateful for my guestlist credentials at R&She on Saturday, because it was possibly the most hotly-attended club night I've ever been to. I stormed to the front of the queue with a cigarette and gave my name, then sauntered in to bays of "who the fuck is HE" from the queuing crowd. I felt like *Lindsay Lohan* and it was great. Supertrendy little Dalston venue *Tipsy* was packed to the rafters, almost literally, for the now-iconic R&She's birthday celebrations. *QBoy* was there looking gorgeous and spinning tunes, as well as equally gorgeous *Neil Prince*. The music was predictably major, I particularly enjoyed when *How Many Licks* by *Lil Kim* came on, I think it's the first time I've ever heard it out in a club. My only regret was that my jeans weren't tighter. Well done boys! Oh and special shout-out to the bar staff who did a fucking phenomenal job of keeping the queue for drinkies to a minimum xx



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BEYOND

Beyond @ Fire
01/05/2016
39 Parry Street, SW8 1RT

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"3 rooms of hedonistic dance music and show stopping performances."



Keeping the gas pedal firmly depressed, round 2 of the Beyond weekender combined 3 rooms of hedonistic dance music and show stopping performances that has ensured it's continuance at the pinnacle of afterhours clubbing. Celebrating his 40th birthday, the main room at Fire was Italian stallion Pagano's playground all night long and featured some of the absolute best dance tunes

we have heard this year. Over in the Mirror Arch Lee Harris and Chris Brogan were like 2 naughty children let loose in an aural asylum and in room 3 Severino and D'Johnny did the magic on the decks. A quartet of masked gogos in tiny trunks were perfectly positioned at eye height and the packed venue was pulsating until well past lunchtime. What a fantastic bank holiday it was turning out to be.



BEYOND

Beyond Invasion @
Coronet Theatre
28 New Kent Road, SE1 6TJ
30/04/2016

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Bank holidays in London's clubland are always amazing cus all the big boys come out to play, but last weekend was exceptional because all the great parties were not shipped in from Spain or South America, but were home grown. First up was the Beyond Invasion that saw an extra-terrestrial make-over of the Coronet for the local inhabitants of Planet MW06 who's sense of life, individuality and charisma had been sucked out of them – their words not ours, but we've all been there!

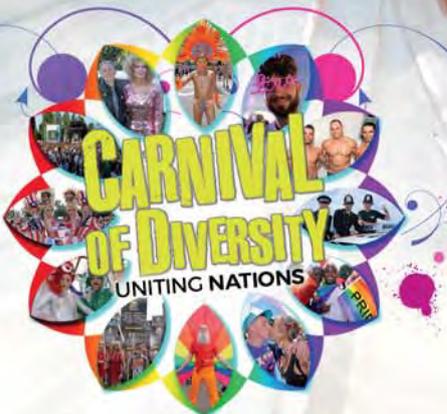
With phasers set to stun, sending aural waves over the main floor were DJs MisWhite, Tony English and Gonzalo, while Heir's Maze & Masters *et al* lit up the dark recesses of room 2. On stage Shaun Capewell and the Beyond dancers gyrated in mesh and leatherette catsuits that left nothing to the imagination with mirrored visors for that hint of anonymity we like in our boys! JJ and Alfonso were the perfect welcoming hosts and the packed venue was pumping full blast until laaaaaate. Beyond Invasion – out of this world.

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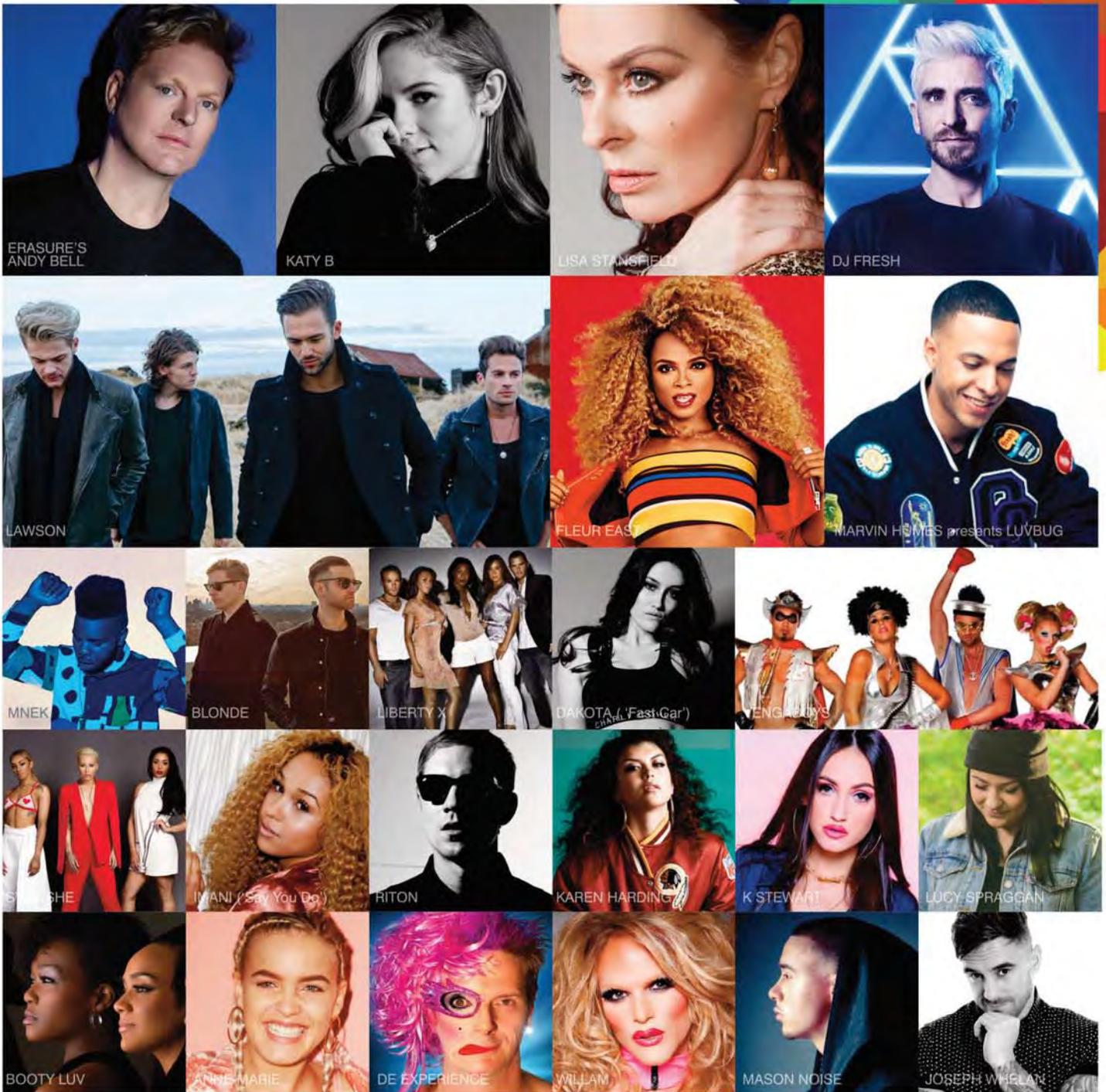
No bank holiday would be

complete without a trip to Orange to see if Glendora was still standing, and we are pleased to report ... she was! But not just standing, oh no, she was working the stage to within an inch of its life while the legend that is Fat Tony was ramping up the bpm in to aural territory that only bats can hear. Also on the decks were Mattias Dabo and Zach Burns while hostess Brook probed everybody with her intergalactic wand – don't ask. A quick jaunt over to room 2 and there was Glendora again, but this time throwing shapes to Miquel Brown's *So Many Men So Little Time* served up by Disco Smack in the BoomBox. 'New' Orange is nothing if not eclectic, and WE LOVE IT!



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Words by Tommy Hibbitts
 Photos by Joel Ryder



"Superstore delivered everything and more for the bonkers bank holiday."



It's that time of the year again, when the banks need a break from swindling our money so the month of May is blessed with two crazy ass long weekends. It gives us more of an excuse to be a hot mess on a Monday morning (not that most of us need that excuse, although it makes it more acceptable to look like Courtney Love in a K-Hole on the 149). This is where the seventh birthday of East London's shining gem, Dalston Superstore, was the only plausible place for us to be spending our Sunday evening. There was never going to be any doubt that the scene queens would be out in full force, enticing us with their Charisma, Uniqueness, Nerve & Talent ...Did anyone else see Foxy Hunt dutty whining on the bar? She was all about that C.U.N.T.

With the upstairs of Superstore blasting out some much appreciated camp classics (can you imagine what happened when they played Slave 4 U) and the downstairs catering to the more hard-headed techno adoring gays of our scene, Superstore delivered everything and more for the bonkers bank holiday we've all been waiting for - the testosterone circulating the sweat-infused room was enough to make you forget Chariots shut down.

Superstore, you've got two weeks until the next bank holiday to plan a party that will live up to this Sunday Session. Maybe hire Lindsay for some party inspiration, that'll surely get the gays pumping until mid-week.



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XXL HOXTON WHORES
 30/04/2016
 Pulse Nightclub, 1 Invicta
 Plaza, SE1 9UF

Words by Jerry Thompson
 Photos by Joel Ryder



Pulse Nightclub was pulsating with life on Saturday night, as London's discerning bears, dastardly daddies, twinkling twinks and hipster hoes descending on XXL for a totally mad bank holiday edition of one of London's best club nights! That's the thing about XXL, it's open to everyone, and this weekend was no exception.

It has an irresistible pull (and hopefully you'll pull someone irresistible), especially when you've got a few beers in you and you're dancing to euro techno like an idiot! There were some commendable beats from super duper DJ duo Hoxton Whores too, serving up and sending up some awesome club tracks. Unlike some places, there wasn't a judgemental eye in sight. So refreshing in our superficial climes! Anyway, an awesome night had by all, thanks guys! Xx(L).



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EAST BLOC

Blocheads
30/04/2016
217 City Road,
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Words by Nicolas Chinardet
Photos by zefrographica



"The music and
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as hot as ever."

The music and the crowd were as hot as ever in the maze-like bowels of East Bloc this Saturday for the weekly hedonistic revelry that is Blocheads. The popular basement on City Road was again a-wash with the choicest melodies. The main room was throbbing to the electronic beats spun by Josh Caffee, while Johnny Kalifornia got a groovy pop vibe going on the smaller dancefloor complete with a funky tribute to the late Prince. Boys and girls, gay and straight, and all those in between were having one hell of a time as they danced that bank holiday weekend night away in glorious style, letting their hair down in wild abandon. As dawn broke on the empty streets of the Big Smoke, scaling those familiar stairs back to dull reality was an unpleasant wrench only mildly mitigated by the thought of next Saturday on the Bloc.





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Photos by Mark Storey



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thrum of hot
hairy guys and
sick beats!"



The beefy Brut boys were out in force this Bank Holiday. It was a heaving thrum of hot hairy guys and sick beats! We got ourselves a can of beer and took in the ambience. We can conclude that tattoos and beards are totally in vogue for 2016 and we are loving it. After a drink and a schmooze we sauntered to the dancefloor to enjoy Massimo Paramour (great name!) and his awesome tunes, then on to room two for DJ Dreadful.

Got chatting to a super hot guy from Bilbao called Alessandro, but never saw him again! Left our hearts on the dancefloor! The Steelyard is an awesome venue, and one that couldn't be more suited to a super cool, steaming hot night like Brut. Thanks guys, we'll definitely be back next time!







An awesome idea! The meeting of two super awesome club nights combined into one. Kicking the bank holiday off in major style, it perhaps wasn't the best way to remain fresh through 'til Monday, but it was definitely the best way to have fun. From the packed floor we were happy to see most people certainly weren't saving themselves for the rest of the weekend. Protocol's a great venue, and it was full on Thursday with a great, friendly and sexy crowd, and some of the best DJs around. There was Fat Tony and Richard Jones in the Gravity room, with Jason Prince and sexy Charlie Holland taking care of business in the ONYX room. A great meeting of two ingeniously debauched club nights and another great night on offer in Vauxhall!



"A great meeting of two ingeniously debauched club nights."







Sportsbolt
30/04/2016

The Hoist, Railway Arch 47,
South Lambeth Place,
SW8 1SR

Words and Photos by
Mark Storey



Well it would seem that the football was still on late this Saturday as QX entered the Hoist for its new offering of fetish extravaganza. Wow what a treat! Top of the list for this Sportswear feast was of course West Ham kitting, followed closely by Chelsea. Well not that close thankfully, and I think a Hotspur, or was that hot man?! Both actually very hot, so it doesn't matter.

The arch was buzzing with testosterone as the mats were being laid for some hot and sweaty wrestling. So to recap boys, this is The Hoist's new night SportsBolt, a night of sportswear antics. So take your pick: footie kit, rugby, wrestling spandex...endless stuff to get your sleazy bodies into. No Need to worry though this is still the Hoist, the slings are still upstairs for those other types of ball games and ping-pong, or wherever you decide to play tennis. And to top it off you got to wrestle rim and suck hot beefy guys! Great fun! To top off the night there was a guest wrestler Huge Muscle Guy, who really had his hands full in more than one way, these guys were here for the kill and planted him smack on his back a few times. What a great new night! Get your asses down here and check this game out.



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London Gay Village Guide

Vauxhall & South



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2. George & Dragon
Blackheath Hill, Greenwich
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3. Kazbar
50 Clapham High Street
SW4 7UL

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4. Two Brewers
114 Clapham High Street
SW4 7UJ

This long-running, legendary cabaret and club venue has played host to scores of talented acts and big names over the years – and still does. Not only that, but there's a good dose of camp clubbage and great value bar goodness with scores of fun and friendly local lovelies. Be wowed by drag deliciousness and then dance 'til the early hours in the club at the back.

5. BACKcounter
Railways Arches, South
Lambeth Road, Vauxhall
SW8 1SR

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6. Coronet
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7. Eagle London
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8. Fire
40 Parry Street SW8 1RT

Fire is synonymous in the brain of many a homoxial Londoner with

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9. Lightbox
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12. Protocol
6 South Lambeth Place,
Vauxhall, SW8 1QX

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13. Bar Berlin
Railway Arches 47b/c,
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17. The Hoist
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Road SW8 1RH

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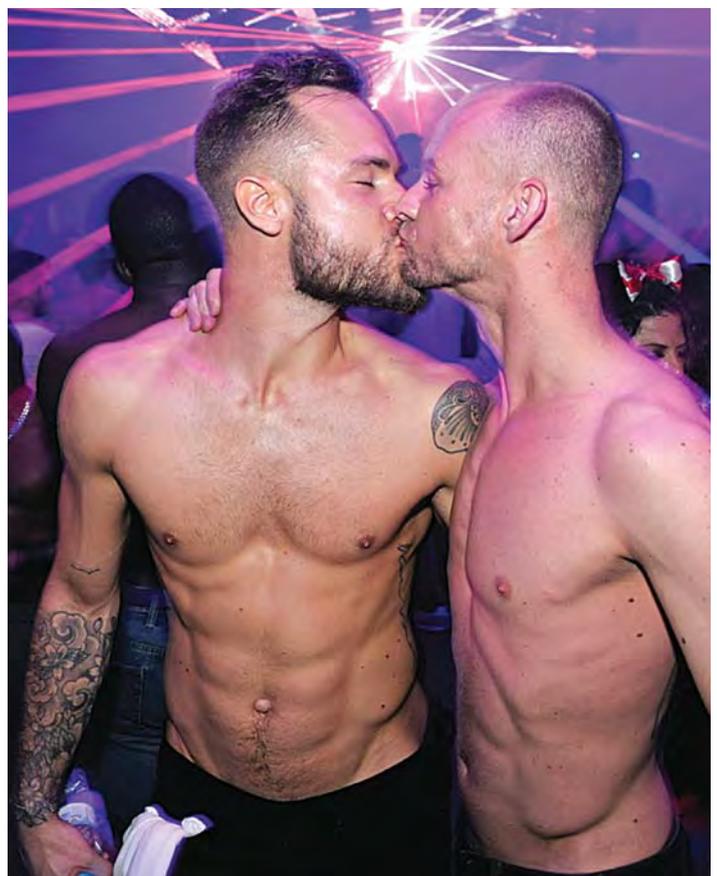
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Vauxhall & South

18. Union
66 Albert Embankment
SE1 7TP

Booze, choons and cruise is the order of the day at this venue, with a variety of nights such as naked disco Nudity, the ever-popular leather/rubber/sports night Hard On, cruisy Friday club night Club Wrong and brand new club CUM IN YOUR PANTS.

SAUNAS
14. Chariots Vauxhall
63-64 Albert Embankment
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Popular with the post-clubbing crowd and open until the early hours to accommodate those hotties with the horn. The Vauxhall venue features two saunas, two steam rooms, video screens, spa pool, chill-out lounge and endless private rooms in a labyrinth of cruisy mazes; it's a veritable playground of adventure.

15. Chariots Waterloo
101 Lower Marsh SE1 7AB

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16. Locker Room
8 Cleaver Street SE11 4DP

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23. Pleasuredrome
Alaska Street, Waterloo
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OTHER
19. Oval House Theatre
52-54 Kennington Oval
SE11 5SW

Renowned for its diverse range of gay interest plays, performance, presentations and events, this is one of London's foremost fringe theatres.

20. Above the Stag Theatre
Miles Street, Vauxhall,
SW8 1SF

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21. Vauxhall Street Food
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40 Parry Street SW8 1RT

A new addition to the Vauxhall scene, when Fire's vast dancefloors are closed the refurbished rear space becomes a bustling haven of international food, drinks and

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22. Counter
Railways Arches, South
Lambeth Road,
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Vauxhall's glamorous "deco meets disco" brasserie serves French & American-inspired contemporary food and drinks while playing host to special events like Brunch Off-Broadway.

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The Glory

281 Kingsland Road, Haggerston, E2 8AS

The Glory, The Glory, The Glory. IF THOSE WALLS COULD TALK. Sometimes they do. We're not sure whether it's because we drink too much, or if there's a drag queen stuck behind the wall. One or the other. Probably both actually. Anyway The Glory has unignorably cemented itself in the East London scene and now it's a DESTINATION. Don't miss Man Up, their mind-blowing weekly drag king contest, on Wednesdays from 8pm.



Rose Garden

West 5

Popes Lane, South Ealing, W5 4NT

In sleepy little Ealing, there's a BIG CAMP GAY CLUB! Quite right too. We can't have suburban heteronormative nonsense coming and ruining the quiet repose of our tea party. NO SIR! West 5 is great. It's in close proximity to University Of West London, so there's lots of hot young students, as well as a generous dose of EVERYONE ELSE. This Friday 6th, Rose Garden is performing her usual floral, yet thorny fare. From 8pm.



Mary Mac

Halfway 2 Heaven

7 Duncannon Street, Charing Cross, WC2N 4JF

Halfway 2 Heaven is one of our fave central watering holes! It's slap-bang behind Trafalgar Square, doesn't get much more central than that! For some reason every time we're there we get ABSOLUTELY WASTED. Which means they're doing their jobs very well. Well done kids. 10/10. They've got a lovely rustic upstairs bar and downstairs...well...anything goes! It's a gorgeous cavern of cabaret and debauchery. One of the highlights is Mary Mac on Saturday afternoons from 3pm. Perfect excuse for some day drinking.

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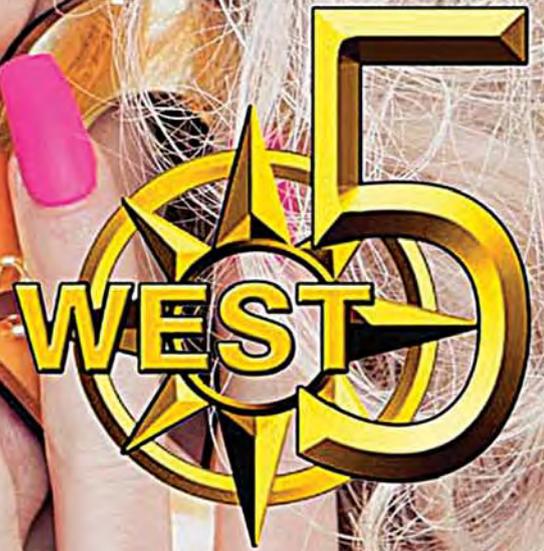
On the cards this week was Klub Klimax at West 5, so Pope's Lane was our destination this cold Saturday night. Bag packed, and Long Johns on, we headed out to see what shenanigans we could get up to. West 5 is always fun and this evening we were being treated to a PA from Nicolette Street! DJ Ben was on the decks, the packed bar full of some really sexy boys, and our temperature? Rising! Anticipation of Nicolette's set was mounting, so we treated ourselves to a few sherries (for our nerves) until it was show time. First off; amazing vocals. We were VERY impressed. This blonde pocket rocket had the rowdy crowd uptown-funking, disco-cavorting, and floor-slaying in no time! Way too much fun. We ran ourselves ragged out on the floor! We can't wait for next time; we love this destination, oh and the new decor is looking amazing, Dan, even that star wall!



"This blonde pocket rocket had the rowdy crowd uptown-funking, disco-cavorting, and floor-slaying."



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Words and Photos
 by Joel Ryder

"All you queens out there, think twice before asking me on stage, lol."

You can never refuse a drag queen! And I didn't when Dave Lynn demanded I put my camera down and get on stage to do a number with her. She got one other poor guy on stage with me and after doing a few leg kicks we had to pick her up across us and spin round. Well Dave did a funny turn mid way and she slipped to the floor! But she's in great shape for whatever age she is ;-) and got up, then picked her up again, this time from the waist and hoist in to the air. This time I didn't drop her but I did accidentally crush her womanhood! By this time Dave got a Jäger bomb in hand, probably just to take the edge off, but she passed it to me to hold while she rearranged herself. However I was a bit flustered myself and proceeded to down it, to the delightful screams from Miss Lynn, "what are you doing?!", I smiled and handed her back the glass. Suffice to say I left the stage rather quickly, so all you queens out there, think twice before asking me on stage, lol. Wonder what will happen at the George & Dragon next time.



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Ruby Murry: Doing it for Drag!



No stranger to huge audiences, Ruby Murry took to the Britain's Got Talent stage recently and was met with a wave of love after performing Nessum Dorma.

It was one of 'those' talent show moments. You know the type? Simon Cowell almost cracks a smile; random girl in the audience gasps, and then they crank up the big dramatic Mariah Carey track. Ahead of an exclusive performance at Sink the Pink and (hopefully) preparing for the BGT live shows, Ruby spoke to Jason Reid this week...

Congratulations on your spectacular audition. How has the public reaction been since?

It's been amazing. A huge positive response from friends and strangers, especially through social media.

Were you nervous when the show aired?

Nervous? I don't think I've ever experienced anything like it in my life. I'm used to being onstage performing, and in that situation I'm the one in control, doing what I do. But when you put yourself in the hands of the Britain's Got Talent editors it's scary because you don't know how it will be presented on the actual show.

What happened on the actual day of the audition?

It was a very overwhelming day. My audition in January was at the Liverpool Empire. Throughout my chat with the judges I was getting laughs and jokes, so I think they were expecting something comedic from me. Obviously when I opened my gob and started singing opera there was a big element of surprise. Then the whole audience stood up, and the reaction that followed from the judges was great.

What were your expectations going into it?

I kind of hoped it would go well because it's a bit different: a man in drag singing a male tenor song. I first started performing it in Ibiza a couple of years ago, as part of my Monday night residency at Pacha.

Having three thousand (slightly worse for wear) clubbers in front of me at 2am in the morning transfixed as I sang Nessum Dorma was quite something. I realised then it could work in a variety of environments.

Let's talk a bit about your background. Which came first, opera or drag?

I studied at a drama school in London from the age of 18 to 21, and at the same time I was learning classical singing. I'd say the singing came first.

Why did you decide to combine the two?

A few years ago I was working as a musical director in the holiday industry, and I became more and more aware of how much I was missing performing. As I'd spent so much time in Ibiza, I knew some friends who ran an entertainments company so I approached them with a view to producing my own show. They said they'd love to have a live drag show as it was something that was missing from their catalogue. I decided to give it a go; I wrote a full show and performed in it myself. To close the show I would belt out Nessum Dorma, which always went down a storm. One night the powers that be from Pacha approached me. They said they were looking for someone who personified their club night, the slogan of which was, 'It's not over till the fat lady sings'. So of course I jumped at the chance, and before I knew it I had a twenty week residency. All from putting myself in a drag show that initially I wasn't sure I was wanted to be in.

It must've been fate! Back to BGT briefly, you're through to the live semi-finals, right?

Well... I couldn't possibly say. But please keep watching and you'll find out.

Brilliant. That damn confidentiality clause must be a pain. Hypothetically speaking, if you were in the live shows, what would you do?

I think it's about being diverse. They've only seen one colour of Ruby. Moving forward it'd be about doing something slightly different and incorporating comedy and humour.

"Nervous? I don't think I've ever experienced anything like it in my life."



Ruby will be performing at Sink the Pink on 11th June.

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Ke\$ha & Zedd – True Colours
I've only had the chance to listen to this a few times, not enough to PROPERLY make my mind up on it yet, but at the moment I'm loving it! Firstly, no matter what you think about the whole Ke\$ha saga, it's a really well-produced song, with a fairly original sound. I tried to operate a bit of Death Of The Author with it. I learnt that phrase in A-Level English Literature. It means reading a book with no prior knowledge of the author. So yeah. Who'd have thought it'd come in useful when writing about Ke\$ha in a fag rag! So yeah, as it stands, True Colours is an 8/10. We'll see!

WELL, the last few days have been quite a major (MAYJOR) few days for music, so I can actually write about new releases! Which I haven't done in ages. I know this column promises to be a "round-up of new music" but when the only new music is No by Meghan Trainor I just can't bring myself to do it and so I write about Lindsay Lohan album tracks from 2005.

BUT NOT ANYMORE!
We've got new Ke\$ha!
We've got new Rihanna!
We've got new Dua Lipa!
SO HERE WE GO.



Dua Lipa – Hotter Than Hell
ABSOLUTE BANGER! This is exactly the sort of punky dance pop we live for at QX! It's leather-jacket-storming-through-Dalston-with-a-cigarette fare! It's great! Dua has been pretty consistently good actually, and she hasn't even been around for that long. Apparently she lives somewhere around Hampstead. We'll give you a call next time we're up there cruising Dua, you can join us for a sausage roll. Well done babe! Snaps for Dua #HotterThanHell



Rihanna & Calvin Harris – This Is What You Came For
Meh.

A R T S by Dylan Jones



QX FAVES: PARTY MONSTER

We're continuing the theme of championing queer cult classics in our film section at the moment. Last week it was Christina Ricci's drawlingly cynical *The Opposite Of Sex*, and this week it's *Party Monster*, the outrageous, surreal comedy/drama that captured a generation and helped shape club kid culture.

Now to the more discerning amongst you, *Party Monster* might seem like an obvious choice. Not only have we already seen it, but we live it, we breathe it, we ARE it. But a surprising amount of people don't have it in their repertoire of cultural references. The other day I complimented someone's look in the smoking area of *The Glory* and said it was "very *Party Monster*" and they were like "what's *Party Monster*?" Shocking!

Directed by Fenton Bailey and Randy Barbato, *Party Monster* is pretty much the definition of a queer cult movie. It's based on the real life of notorious New York club night promoter Michael Allig, known for his outlandish dress sense, propensity for class A's and, erm, hacking people up. He hacked up his then boyfriend Angel Melendez and left his bits in the bathtub. Anyway now he's out of prison and starring in a horror movie called

Family Possessions, currently in production. Oh and he's got a single out.

The film covers all these events and more, with Macaulay Culkin as Allig. It's also got avant-garde fashion designer slash actress slash fascinator connoisseur Chloe Sevigny (*GOOD EVENING AMERICA*) and Seth Green as Allig's best friend James St James.

The whole movie is absolutely absurd. It's self-indulgent, contrived, completely unbelievable and mind-blowingly arrogant. Unsurprisingly, it was universally panned by critics on its release in 2003. But a few years later, people started to get it. Its absurdity and arrogance is actually genius, because it perfectly reflects its subject, and the sociopolitical milieu it's set in (yes I just said "sociopolitical milieu", I did A-Level Media Studies).

So if you haven't already seen it, watch it immediately. It's so ingrained in gay culture that you'll feel like you've seen it already. Maybe you have seen it already. In fact, if you can't be bothered to watch it, just go to a warehouse party in Dalston, it's pretty much the same thing.

Party Monster is available on Netflix.



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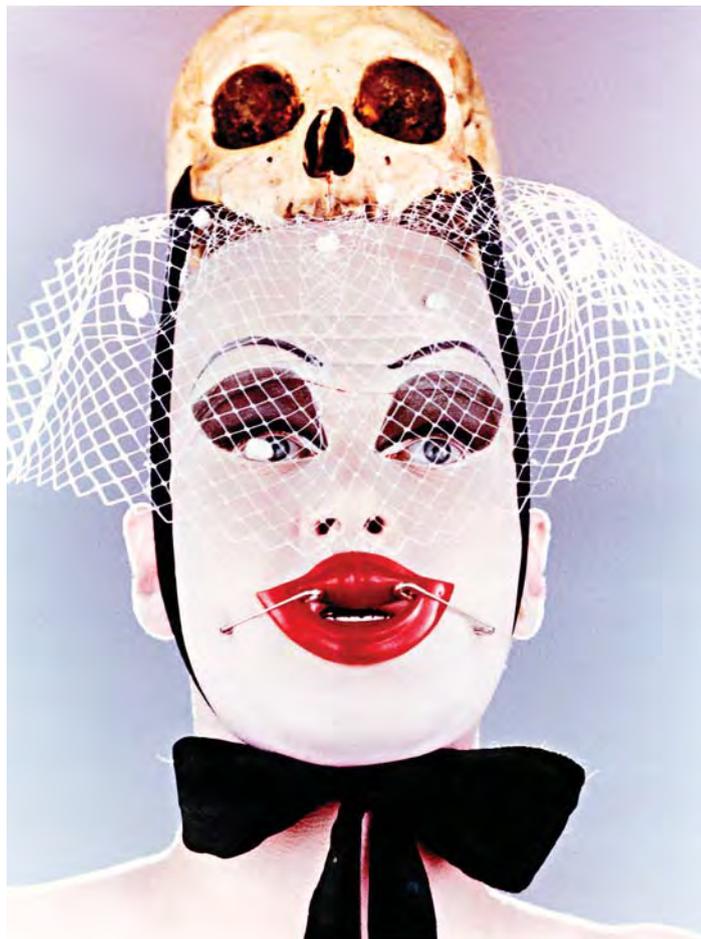
Who makes up the rules on what you can and can't look like? I like to think if you don't like something about yourself why not change it, except nothing is quite that clear cut. Some people are always looking for the reasons why someone might go to extremes when really it's up to the individual as to how they present themselves, best not give a fuck what anyone else thinks (well, as long as they pay you homage).

This week we're warming up with first Thursday of the month **Quiz Me Maybe - EuroQUIZZIN' Special** on May 5th at the **Dalston Superstore**. Brought to us by superstar drag sisters **ShayShay & May** who will be obsessing over the Eurovision Song Contest from 7pm.

Roll up! **Glory Wotever** celebrate **Too Queer for your Binary** on Friday 6th May with non-stop non-binary cabaret and disco at **The Glory**. Catch star turns from the likes of **Baby Lame, Maxi Moore** and more, more, more - 8pm prompt, dance & drink 'til 2am.

Up at Vogue Fabrics it's **Gay Vinyl London w. secret guest DJ Niksi, LSDXOXO (Queen beat NYC), Jesse Kanda** and international cult performer **No Bra!** It's on Friday 6th 9pm-3am. Looking ahead on Saturday 12th it's **The Legend of Leigh Bowery** and a night dedicated to his brilliance and legacy. **The Amy Grimehouse** have curated a screening, talks and performance over the two floors of **The Glory** from 7pm...

...and a new club alert this month! **Private Life** is opening on Saturday 28th May somewhere near Old Street! Not much details on this one yet but it's over 4 floors with VIP booths, PAs, DJs and all sorts. With **Fat Tony** holding the fort it's bound to be tres chic!



'Leigh Bowery With Skull' by Nick Knight - 1992

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THURSDAY 5TH MAY

CLUBS & EVENTS

Gravity & Onyx at Protocol: 6A, South Lambeth Road, London SW8 1SP. 11pm-8am (Thursday night/Friday morning). Vauxhall legends Gravity & Onyx combine forces to bring you the ultimate Thursday night/Friday morning afterhours!

Hard-Up Thursdays at Sweatbox: 1-2 Ramilies Street, Soho, W1F 7LN. 24 hours. Under 25s FREE all day, £16 others. Start the weekend early and relieve the pressure with this discounted day for under 25s (ID required) at Soho's only gay sauna.

Room Service at Club 49: 49 Greek Street, Soho, W1D. 10pm-3am. Don't you dare miss this fiercely social, sexy club spot, playing edgy and upfront house. Expect hot gogo eye candy and hosted by fab scene faces.

Klub at Ku Bar Lisle Street: 30 Lisle St, WC2H 7BA. 10pm-3am. FREE. The party continues 'til late in the Ku basement.

Eagle London at 349 Kennington Lane SE11 5QY. Closed for refurbishment.

G-A-Y Porn Idol at G-A-Y Heavens: Villiers Street, WC2N 6NG. 10pm - 5am. Amateur strip night with £100 prize money! To enter email info@g-a-y.co.uk

BARS & CABARET

The Family Fierce at Bloc Bar: 18 Kentish Town Road, Camden, London, NW1 9NX. 5pm-2am, £5. Cabaret from one of London's best performing troupes.

Counter: Arch 50, 7-11 South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. Looking for a bargain lunch? COUNTER's Snappy Lunch is £10 for a main and a glass of

wine or beer. NEW Spring menu available now.

New Bloomsbury Set: 76 Marchmont Street, WC1N 1AG. 4pm - 11:30pm. Gorgeous cocktail bar in the heart of Central London. Happy hour 4-8pm daily.

BackCounter Swing: South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. 7pm-10pm. The perfect way to start or end your night in Vauxhall. Happy hour 5-8pm, enjoy cocktails and jazz in this lush venue.

Official Room Service: The Fifth Birthday at Circa: 62 Frith Street, Soho, W1. 4pm-4am. Thursdays are the new Friday' at Soho's intimate bar/club spot with the most amazing DJ booth in town! TONIGHT: The sexy Circa crew celebrate their fifth birthday!

City of Quebec: 12 Old Quebec Street, Marble Arch, W1H 7AF, 12pm-3am. The newly refurbished venerable institution of the gay scene rocks out some pop classics for an evening of fun.

Comptons of Soho: 51-53 Old Compton Street, Soho, W1D 6HN. 12pm-2am. The grand dame of Soho. Tasty Tim's Takeover from 8:30pm - big House classics all night!

G-A-Y Bar: 30 Old Compton Street. 12pm-2am. Free entry. Popular pop music bar with non-stop hits on the screens and a fun, flirty atmosphere.

Backing The Stars at Halfway 2 Heavens: 7 Duncannon Street, Charing Cross, WC2N 4JF. Popular central London karaoke fun with Kevin Walsh. Showtime at 8pm.

The Light Lounge: 1 Newport Place, WC2H 7JR. 5pm-11:30pm. Enjoy the Ku Group's newest venue; a boutique cocktail bar. 2-4-1 cocktails 5-7pm all week.

Two Brewers: 114 Clapham High Street, SW4 7UJ. Bar open 6pm-2am. FREE b4 10pm, £3 after. Popular South London cabaret/club spot.

Candy at The Village: 81 Wardour Street, W1V 3TG, 5pm-2am. Snap cackling pop & chart with Heidi Lisicious and the gorgeous gogo boys.
Cocktails & Dreams at West 5: Pope's Lane, South Ealing, W5 4NB. Open from 8pm. FREE. Ealing's hugely popular club, bar and cabaret spot.

FRIDAY 6TH MAY

CLUBS & EVENTS

A:M at Protocol: 6A South Lambeth Place SW8 1SP, 11pm - 11am. £4 with a flyer/AD before 1am. Fabulous Friday night/Saturday morning afterhours tunes!

Le Cock at East Bloc: 217 City Road, Shoreditch, EC1V 1JN. 11pm-6am. £5 b4 1am, £8 after. House, disco, pop and Italo mash-up with Martyn Fitzgerald & Johnny Kalifornia.

Honey Soundsystem at Dalston Superstore: 117 Kingsland High Street, E8 2PB. 9pm-3am. £7 entry. San Francisco party starters Honey Soundsystem descend on Dalston Superstore for a night of sticky sweet hedonism!

The Lipsinkers at The Vauxhall Tavern: 372 Kennington Lane, Vauxhall, SE11 5HY. 9pm - 4am. £6 & £8. Mad lip-syncing fun from the critically-acclaimed lip-flapping troupe!

Men Inc at Eagle London at 349 Kennington Lane SE11 5QY. Closed for refurbishment.

Savage at Metropolis: Strip Club, 235 Cambridge Heath Road, E2 9NN. 11pm-5am. £5. Your late night homo disco now every Friday as well as Saturday.

Klub at Ku Bar Lisle Street: 30 Lisle St, WC2H 7BA. 10pm-5am. FREE b4 10:30pm, £5 after. Pop perfection and hot floor fillers as Ku's hot 3 spin the tunes in its downstairs basement club spot. Open super-late tonight for Bank Holiday!

BARS & CABARET

Bloc Bar: 18 Kentish Town Road, Camden, NW1 9NX. 9pm - 3am. £5. Friday night fun at Camden's hottest bar!

New Bloomsbury Set: 76 Marchmont Street, WC1N 1AG. 4pm-11:30pm. Gorgeous cocktail bar in the heart of London. Happy hour 4-8pm daily.

Bridge Bar: 8 Voltaire Road, SW8 6DH, 4pm-12am. Free. Snug gay bar in a railway arch, offering cocktails, wines and light meals, plus outdoor seating.

GLORY WOTEVER at The Glory: 281 Kingsland Road, Haggerston, E2 8AS. 10pm-2am. Free b4 10pm, £5 after. Non-binary debauchery in The Glory's glitterhole dance basement.

Friday Night Fever at BackCounter: South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. The perfect way to start or end your night in Vauxhall with style and great drinks. TONIGHT: DJ Chillz

Bridge Bar: 8 Voltaire Road, SW4 6DH. Open from 4pm. Free. The end of the working week oasis. Perfect to wind down with a chilled pint.

Karaoke at Central Station: 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1 9SD. Open from 6pm til 3am or later... FREE The super-friendly Kings Cross bar. DJs 'til late. Hosted by DJ Chris Reardon

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Comptons of Soho: 51-53 Old Compton Street, Soho, W1D 6HN. 9pm-2am. The grande damme of Soho welcomes blokes and boys to her bosom for a Friday night of socialising.

City of Quebec: 12 Old Quebec Street, Marble Arch, W1H 7AF. 12pm-3am. The newly refurbished venerable institution of the gay scene rocks out some pop classics for an evening of fun.

George and Dragon: 2 Blackheath Hill, SE10. 8pm-4am. The friendly Greenwich local. TONIGHT: Mary Mac

Friday Night Live at Halfway 2 Heaven: 7 Duncannon Street, Charing Cross, WC2N 4JF. From 9pm. Tickets from £10. With DJ Little John & Sandra.

RUGGERCUB at Two Brewers: 114 Clapham High Street, SW4 7UJ. 10pm-4am. Free b4 10, £7 after. Join Kings Cross Steelers and La Voix for their monthly Ruggercub party.

Ku Bar Soho: 25 Frith Street, WC1D 5LB. Open till 5am. Ku Bar's little brother stretches across two floors for that perfect Soho warm-up drinking session and a little dance with downstairs DJs.

The Light Lounge: 1 Newport Place, WC2H 7JR. 5pm-12am. Enjoy the Ku Group's newest venue; a boutique cocktail bar. 2-4-1 cocktails 5-7pm all week.

Fadoodle at The Village: 81 Wardour Street, W1V 3TG, 5pm-2am, Free. Into the Deep in the basement and Funhouse upstairs with Heidi Lis-cious and the Go Go's.

West 5: South Ealing, Pope's Lane, W5 4NB. Open from 8pm, FREE. The popular West London club, bar and cabaret spot. TONIGHT: Rose Garden

The Yard: 57 Rupert Street, Soho, W1D 7PL. Open till 1am. FREE.

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**SATURDAY 7TH MAY
CLUBS & EVENTS**

XXL at Pulse: 1 Invicta Plaza, Southwark, SE1 9UF. 10pm-7am. £15 guests, £8 members. Big, bear night with no attitude at super-club Pulse!

Blocheads at East Bloc: 217 City Road, Shoreditch, EC1V 1JN. 11pm - 6am. £5 before 12:30am, £10 after. East Bloc's weekly Saturday is back with house delights in the main room and pop/R'n'B in the bar! Neil Prince, Attack Attack, Lady Lloyd, Martyn Fitzgerald and Beary Carey spin the tunes.

HOMODROP at Dalston Superstore: 117 Kingsland High St, E8 2PB. 9pm-4:00am. Free b4 10pm/£8 after. Supercute supersexy Saturday night for gays and their pals. TONIGHT: Paris-based DJ LOUISAHH

Duckie at The Vauxhall Taverns: 372 Kennington Lane, Vauxhall, SE11 5HY. 9pm-2am. £6. Duckie's flag ship rock 'n' roll honky tonk.

Klub at Ku Bar Lisle Street: 30 Lisle St, WC2H 7BA. 10pm-5am, FREE b4 10:30pm, £5 after. The party continues in Ku's basement club with hot pop and floor fillers from the DJs.

Savage at Metropolis: Strip Club, 235 Cambridge Heath Road, E2 9NN. 11pm-5am. £5. Weekly Saturday club night from the Sink The Pink crew.

Glitter Bomb at The Shadow Lounge: Brewer Street, Soho, W1G 0RF. 10pm-3am. Let disco do its dance with live entertainment, dancers and DJs.

G-A-Y at Heaven: Villiers Street, WC2N 6NG. 10pm - 5am. £5 entry wristbands available from G-A-Y Bar, Free entry with Wrist band. Hefty hits and huge acts at the palace of pop.

Savage @ Metropolis

Saturday



Sweatbox: Foam Party at 1-2 Ramilies Street, Soho, W1F 7LN. 24 hours. 24hr pass £17, 48hr pass £19. Unwind and release some tension after a stressful week with the all the fun of the foam at Sweatbox's original weekly party.

BARS & CABARET

BackCounter: South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. Open 'til 1:30am. The perfect way to start or end your night, enjoy cocktail hour in Vauxhall with its unique twists on classic serves.

Cherry Bomb at Bloc Bar: 18 Kentish Town Road, Camden, London, NW1 9NX. 9pm-3am. £5. New girls night exploding in a burst of femme hotness! With DJs Michelle Manetti, Izzy Trixx and M.O.N.

New Bloomsbury Set: 76 Marchmont Street, WC1N 1AG. 4pm-11:30pm. Gorgeous cocktail bar in the heart of Central London. Happy hour 4-8pm daily.

Glory Lates at The Glory: 281 Kingsland Road, Haggerston, E2 8AS. 5pm - 2am. Free before 10pm, £5 after. The Glory's rolling Saturday night party across two floors. TONIGHT: Jonny Woo & Ginger Johnson.

Bridge Bar: 8 Voltaire Road, SW8 6DH, 4pm-12am. Free. Snug gay bar in a railway arch, offering cocktails, wines and light meals, plus outdoor seating.

Counter: Arch 50, 7-11 South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. Vauxhall's best all-day brunch. Try their delicious French toast and Build Your Own Bellini special at your table.

Central Station: 37 Wharfedale Road, Kings Cross, N1 9SD. Open 'til 4am. FREE b4 10pm. Cabaret then DJs 'til late.

Old Ship: 17 Barnes Street, Limehouse, E14 7NW. 8pm-12am. Cabaret: 8pm. Free. Local gay bar in East London's Limehouse. TONIGHT: First heat of Drag Idol with Mandy Gap!

Circa: 62 Frith Street, Soho, W1D 3JN. 4pm-4am. Soho's intimate but packed-out bar/club spot watches Munroe Bergdorf and friends werq the floor!

City of Quebec: 12 Old Quebec Street, Marble Arch, W1H 7AF. 12pm-3am. The newly refurbished venerable institution of the gay scene rocks out some pop classics for an evening of fun.

Comptons of Soho: 51-53 Old Compton Street, Soho, W1D 6HN. 5pm-2am. The grand dame of Soho pulling in a more blokey crowd.

G-A-Y Bar: 30 Old Compton Street. 12pm-2am. Free entry. Popular pop music bar with non-stop hits on the screens and a fun, flirty atmosphere.

George and Dragon: 2 Blackheath Hill, SE10. 8pm-4am. The friendly

Greenwich local. TONIGHT: Miss Jason

Rose Garden's Swap Shop/Lipsync Saturday at Halfway 2 Heaven: 7 Duncannon St, WC2N 4JF. Open 'til 3am. Rose Garden and DJ Little John from 4pm. Showtime at 5pm. Followed by **Xanadu** from 8pm, the Camp Disco.

Ku Bar Lisle Street: Chinatown, WC2H 7BA. 8pm-3am. One of London's hottest gay bars and clubs, with the hottest boys both behind the bar and in front of it, stretching over three floors.

Ku Bar Soho: 25 Frith Street, WC1D 5LB. Open till 12am (3am last Friday of the month). Perfect for that Soho warm-up drinking session and cheeky dance with downstairs DJs.

The Light Lounge: 1 Newport Place, WC2H 7JR. 5pm-12am. Enjoy the Ku Group's newest venue; a boutique cocktail bar. 2-4-1 cocktails 5-7pm all week.

Two Brewers: 114 Clapham High Street, SW4 7UJ. 10pm-4am. Free b4 10, £8 after. Cabaret and clubbing 'til late at the famous venue.

The Village: 81 Wardour Street, W1V 3TG, 5pm-3am. Chunky funky techno in the basement with Paul Heron and snap crackling pop upstairs with Heidi Liscious.

Klub Klimax at West 5: South Ealing, Pope's Lane, W5 4NB. Open from 8pm. The popular West London club, bar and cabaret spot, with added Piano Lounge fun. TONIGHT: Drag With No Name

The Yard: 57 Rupert Street, Soho, W1D 7PL. Midday 'til Late. FREE. Renowned as one of Soho's most unique and popular destination venues, with terrific outdoor space.

SUNDAY 8TH MAY

CLUBS & EVENTS

Sunday Brunch at Dalston Superstore: 117 Kingsland High St, E8 2PB. Free entry. Pop into D-Swizzle for some lovely food to stave off your hangover!

East End Boyz at East Bloc: 217 City Road, Shoreditch, EC1V 1JN. 10pm-4am. £5. Deep sounds from the long-running boys night Fitladz! Chunky beats and a men-only chill area. TONIGHT: Paul Coals and Stevie B.

Beyond at Fire: South Lambeth Road, SW8 1RT. 4am - SUPER-LATE. £10 advance. MOTD. Combining hedonistic dance music & show stopping performances Beyond really is the ultimate Gay party destination.

Sunday Social at The Vauxhall Tavern: Royal Vauxhall Tavern, 372 Kennington Lane, SE11 5HY. 3pm - 12am. £4 members/£5. Weekly Sunday fun at The Vauxhall Tavern, with cabaret and DJs on rotation.

Horse Meat Disco at Eagle London: 349 Kennington Lane, Vauxhall, SE11 5QY. Closed for refurbishment.

Orange at Fire: South Lambeth Road, SW8 1RT. 11pm - SUPER-LATE. £1 entry before 1am with a flyer/AD. Orange gives you 100% fresh house. Rotation of superhot DJs every week, including Fat Tony, Zach Burns, Steven Artis, Mattias Dabo, and hosted by Glendora!

BARS & CABARET

New Bloomsbury Set: 76 Marchmont Street, WC1N 1AG. 4pm - 11:30pm. Gorgeous cocktail bar in the heart of central London. Happy hour 4pm - 8pm daily.

Sunday Mass at Bloc Bar: 18 Kentish Town Road, Camden, London, NW1 9NX. 5pm-1am, Free. Virgin Xtravaganazah soothes away your weekend sins. Rejoice!

Counter: Arch 50, 7-11 South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. Brunch, lunch, dinner or cocktails - the weekend continues.

BackCounter: Arch 50, 7-11 South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. 12pm-3pm. Vauxhall's new playground. The perfect way to start or end your night in Vauxhall.

TONIGHT: Happy Sunday from 3pm-midnight.

Central Station: 37 Wharfedale Road, Kings Cross, N1 9SD. Open 'til 4am. FREE b4 10pm. Cabaret then DJs 'til late.

Big Queer Songbook at The Glory: 281 Kingsland Road, E2 8AS. From 5pm. Free entry. Big ole' singalong with queer music from Jonny Woo, Rudi Douglas and friends.

Cira: 62 Frith Street, Soho, W1D 3JN. 4pm-4am. Soho's intimate but packed-out bar/club spot with the most amazing DJ booth in town.

Brunch off Broadway at Counter: South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1SR. 12pm-3pm. The funniest brunch this side of Blecker Street, piano bar delights.

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New Bloomsbury Set: 76 Marchmont Street, Bloomsbury, WC1N 1AG. 4pm-11.30pm. Open all week for the more social gays around the Kings Cross/Bloomsbury area.

Old Ship: 17 Barnes Street, Limehouse, E14 7NW. 8pm-12am. Cabaret: 8pm. Free. Local gay bar in East London's Limehouse. TONIGHT: Saucy Sophie.

Power of Three at Two Brewers: 114 Clapham High Street, SW4 7UJ. 5pm-2am. FREE b4 8pm, £4 after. South London's legendary club, bar and cabaret spot with Miss Jason, La Voix & Sandra.

The Village: 81 Wardour Street, W1V 3TG, 5pm-11:30pm. Wind down with happy hour at the village between 5-9pm.

West 5 South Ealing, Pope's Lane, W5 4NB. From 8pm The popular West London club, bar and cabaret

spot, with added Piano Lounge fun. TONIGHT: Carmen Dioxide Karaoke with DJ Steve James

MONDAY 9TH MAY

CLUBS & EVENTS

Popcorn at G-A-Y Heaven: Villiers Street, WC2N 6NG. 11pm-5.30am. £5 b4 1am, £8 after, Last admission 3:30am. FREE with wristbands from G-A-Y Bar b4 1am. Massive mixed mash-up with four rooms of top sounds, from upfront, progressive house to chart hits, via R&B tuneage.

Hard-Up Mondays at Sweatbox: 1-2 Ramilies Street, Soho, W1F 7LN. 24 hours. Under 25s FREE all day, £16 others. Finding Mondays hard to handle? Relieve the pressure with this discounted day for under 25s (ID required) at Soho's only gay sauna.

Ku Klub at Ku Bar Lisle Street: 30 Lisle St, WC2H 7BA. 6pm-3am. FREE. DJs play the weekend out on a wave of hot pop.

The Big Bingo Show at Vauxhall Tavern: Royal Vauxhall Tavern, 372 Kennington Lane, SE11 5HY. 7pm - 12am. Free. Mad bingo with Timberlina!

BARS & CABARET

It's A Drag Knock Out! at Bloc Bar: 18 Kentish Town Road, Camden, London, NW1 9NX. 5pm-1am, Free. Bloc Bar are on the lookout for the next big drag talent London has to offer with a fierce, furious and fabulous, 8 week knock out competition!

The City of Quebec: 12 Old Quebec Street, Marble Arch, W1H 7AF. From 9pm. The newly refurbished venerable institution of the gay scene rocks out some pop classics for an evening of fun.

Comptons of Soho: 51-53 Old Compton Street, Soho, W1D 6HN. 12pm-11.30pm. The real queen of Soho. Bar Alex Eugenio from 8:30pm- 'Soulful House with a

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The Old Ship: 17 Barnes Street, Limehouse, E14 7NW. Local gay bar in East London's Limehouse.

The Village: 81 Wardour Street, W1V 3TG, 5pm-1am. All night happy hour with 50% off cocktails and selected drinks.

TUESDAY 10TH MAY

CLUBS & EVENTS

Bar Wotever at The Vauxhall Tavern:

372 Kennington Lane, Vauxhall, SE11 5HY. From 7pm, show at 8:30pm. £5. Genderbending cabaret, live music and performance at the monumental Vauxhall Tavern.

Klub at Ku Bar Lisle Street: 30 Lisle St, WC2H 7BA. 10pm-3am. FREE. The party continues 'til late in the Ku basement.

Disco Spritz at Dalston Superstore:

117 Kingsland High St, E8 2PB. 9pm-2:30am. Free. Capelas, Donna Leake and Chaka Khan't present a weeknight helping of disco, soul and funk.

Cruise Control at Eagle London: 349 Kennington Lane, Vauxhall, SE11 5QY. Closed for refurbishment.

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WEDNESDAY 11TH MAY

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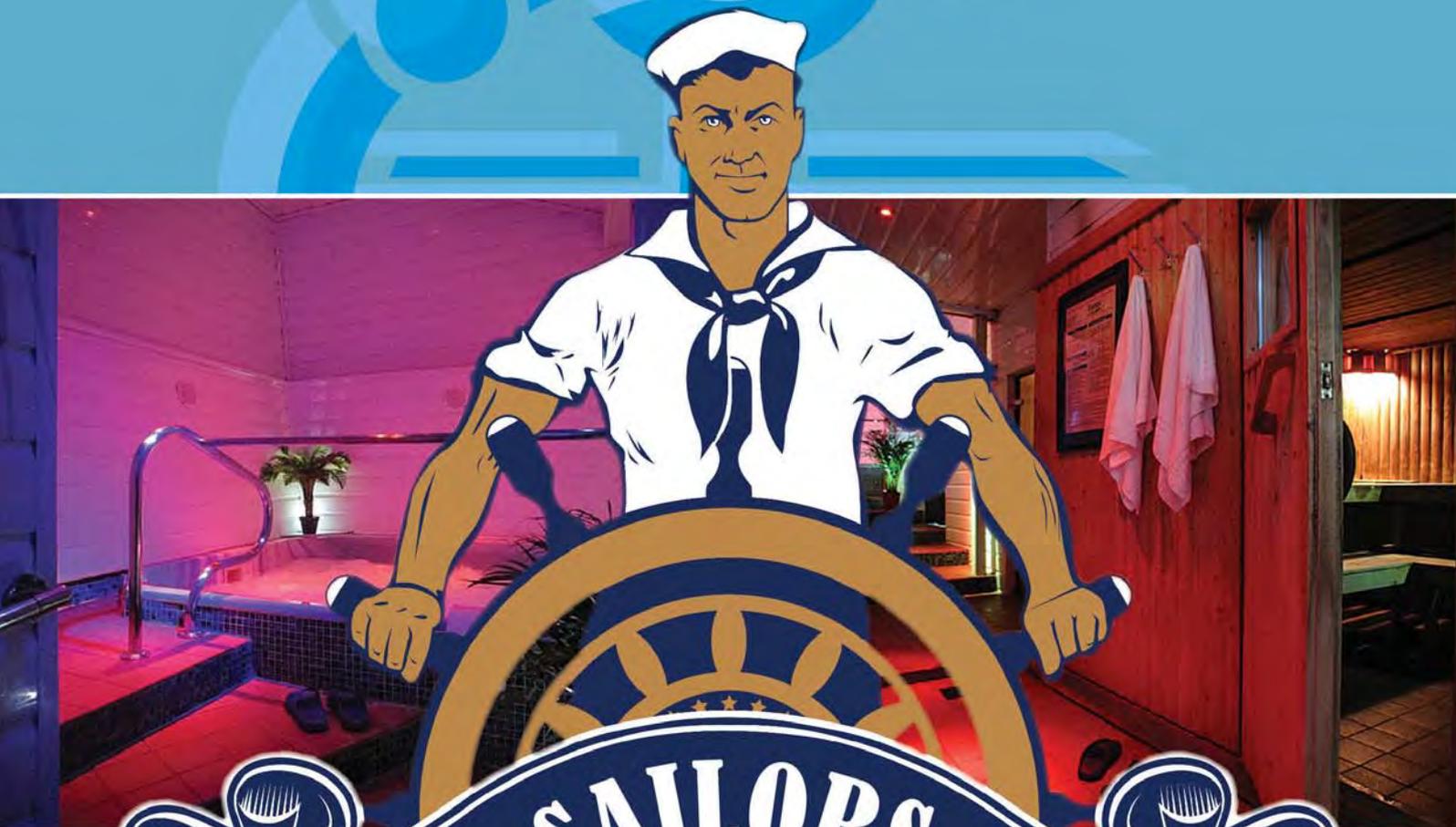
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WEDNESDAY 4TH MAY

The Backstreet:

Buff at Wentworth Mews, London E3 4UA. 7pm-11pm, £9 members/£10 guests (free drink/coat check). Horny, naked cruise party.

The Hoist: Office/NBN at Arches 47b & 47c, South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1RH. **Office**, 9pm-1am, relax, chill and score after work.

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The Underground Club: Hard Cruz at Central Station, 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. 10pm-1am, free. Men only, hard, up cruise night where you can get it on.

Vault: Cruise/Underwear at 139b-143 Whitfield Street, W1T 5EN. **Cruise**, 1pm-7pm, £8. Followed by **Underwear**, 7pm-1am, £8, free drink, cloakroom and re-entry. Get down to your underwear.

THURSDAY 5TH MAY

Teds Place: TV/TS Party Night at 305a

North End Road, W14 9NS. 7pm-2am. £5. A horny night in the cruisey basement club in West London.

The Underground Club: Pants/Spunkz/Come To Daddy at 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. **Pants**, 12pm-6pm, £4 or £2 b4 2pm, underwear fun. **Spunkz**, 6pm-10pm, £25 b4 7pm & £7 after, CP night for rougher, tougher play. **Come To Daddy**, 10pm-2am, £5, for bears, daddies, big boys, chubs and chasers.

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FRIDAY 6TH MAY

The Hoist: Hoist Classic at Arches 47b & 47c, South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1RH. Arch 1, 10pm-3am. Expect a busy night with lots of

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The Underground Club: Pants/City Boys at 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. **Pants**, 12pm-6pm, £4 or £2 b4 2pm, underwear fun. **City Boys**, 7pm-12am, Members £6, non-members £8. London's original long-running suit & tie club.

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SATURDAY 7TH MAY

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SUNDAY 8TH MAY

The Hoist: SBN/NBN at Arches 47b & 47c, South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1RH. **SBN**, 2pm-1am, the largest naked party in Europe. **NBN**,

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The Backstreet:

MEGABuff at Wentworth Mews, London E3 4UA. 4pm-10pm, £9 members/£10 guests (free drink/coat check). Horny, naked cruise party.

Teds Place: Chill Out at 305a North End Road. 7pm-2am, £3 b4 10pm, £5 after, mixed/gay crowd of cruise guys.

The Underground Club: Streams Of Pleasure at 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. 1pm-11pm. £7. Yellow fun for waterworks fans.

Vault: Underwear/Cruise at 139b-143 Whitfield Street, W1T 5EN. **Underwear**, 1-7pm, £8. **Cruise**, 7pm-1am, £8, free drink, cloakroom and re-entry, just pants

b4 7pm, then cruise 'til late.

MONDAY 9TH MAY

The Hoist: SBN/NBN at Arches 47b & 47c, South Lambeth Road, Vauxhall, SW8 1RH. Party for guys who like wearing boots or trainers with jocks, shorts, underwear or naked if you dare.

Teds Place: TV/TS Admirers & Gay at 305a North End Rd, W14. 7pm-midnight, £3. Night for lovers of trans, drag and gay beauties. Something for everyone!

The Underground Club: Pants/Butt Naked/Hard Cruz at 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. **Pants**, 12pm-6pm, £4 or £2 b4 2pm. **Butt Naked**, 6pm-10pm, £5, strip down and get off with like-minded guys. **Hard Cruz**, 10pm-1am, free entry, hard cruising for horny guyz.

Vault: Cruise/Stripped at Vault, 139b-143 Whitfield Street, W1T 5EN.

Cruise, 1-7pm, £8. **Stripped**, 7pm-1am, £8, free drink, cloakroom and re-entry, horny cruise session first before naked time (except footwear).

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TUESDAY 10TH MAY

Bunker Bar: Club CP at 217 City Road, EC1V 1JN. 7pm – 11pm. £6 members, £7 non-members. Punishment night for naughty boys. Video room, CP rooms, smaller areas for 1-2-1's, full bar, lots of seating and other equipment to bend over! They have equipment for you to use but you

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Teds Place: Underwear/Naked at 305s North End Rd, W14. 7pm-midnight, £4, strictly underwear only.

The Locker Room: Cum In Your Pants at 8 Cleaver Street, Kennington, SE11 4DP. 6pm – 12am. £15. Underwear-themed party night.

The Underground Club: Pants/S.O.P. at 37 Wharfdale Road, Kings Cross, N1. **Pants**, 12pm-6pm, £4 or £2 b4 2pm, the attitude-free afternoon cruise club. **Streams Of Pleasure**, 6pm-1am, £8, yellow fun for waterworks fans.

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