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Local Community Center Hosts Afterglow Fundraiser

Barre, VT (Dec 11, 2022) – The Rainbow Bridge Community Center is working with The Reynolds House Inn to host Afterglow, a Drag Queen show centered around raising money to continue providing programs and resources for the LGBTQ+ community of Central Vermont. This show will be held on January 14th at 5 p.m. with doors opening at 4:30 p.m. and presale tickets being \$35 while purchasing as the door is \$40.

Afterglow has a limited capacity of 60 people allowed to attend with a cash bar available all night. Tickets include access to an oversized charcuterie board for all to enjoy and once glass of champagne for toasting. This event is for 18 and older attendees which is perfect for a girl's night out, bachelor or bachelorette night, or just to try something outside of your comfort zone.

The Rainbow Bridge Community Center has been supporting the local LGBTQ+ community since opening their doors this past summer. Hosting fundraisers such as Afterglow is their main financial support outside of donations made by the general public.

“The Rainbow Bridge Community Center has helped so many of the Central Vermont residents and we want to keep providing the support needed,” said Gregg Forbis, the Executive Director and founder of the local organization.

The donations are used to help fund the programs, services, and resources they have available. This is anywhere from providing counseling to education and career training to providing community groups for everyone to feel accepted.

Tickets are available now through the Rainbow Bridge Community Center website. Click on the champagne glasses to be directed to ticket sales. PayPal and credit or debit cards will be accepted. Attendees may also pay with cash at the door.

For more information about the programs, services, or resources that the Rainbow Bridge Community Center has to offer please visit their website at www.rainbowbridgevt.org or visit their location on Main Street in Barre.

About The Rainbow Bridge Community Center

Founded in the summer of 2022, The Rainbow Bridge Community Center is dedicated to provide free of charge counseling services both in group or individual settings for community members as well as guidance on helping individuals become comfortable with their own sexuality. The also provide opportunities for community members who need assistance with education, training, or career opportunities such as finding programs, having

a reliable computer lab available, assistance for resume building and other career essentials, and even offering internships for young community members. The Rainbow Bridge Community Center is a non-profit and is solely funded on donations from the community.

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