

General Resources



LGBTQ Glossary of Terms

www.web.uri.edu/gender-sexuality/resources/lgbt-qa-glossary/

- A comprehensive glossary of proper terminology within and regarding the LGBTQ community crafted by URI's Gender & Sexuality Center.

Options Magazine & Resources

www.optionsri.org/resources

- In addition to being RI's all volunteer LGBTQ newsmagazine Options has a detailed resource list worth looking through.



Youth Pride Inc.

743 Westminster St. Providence, RI 02903
(401) 421-5626 Info@youthprideri.org
www.youthprideri.org

- Provides support, advocacy, and education for youth and young adults throughout Rhode Island who are impacted by sexual orientation and gender identity/expression.

RI-LGBT News

- RILGBT-NEWS is a free, confidential email list for news and announcements from and about the LGBT and AIDS communities of Rhode Island. Email Tina Wood at tinawood@cox.net and she will sign you up.

GLAAD

18 Tremont, Suite 950 Boston, MA 02108;
(617) 426-1350 gladlaw@glad.org

- A national organization that works directly with the news media, entertainment, and social media to make our culture more LGBTQ inclusive.



Trevor Project

www.thetrevorproject.org
(866) 488-7386

- Provides national, 24-hour crisis intervention and suicide prevention services for LGBTQ youth.

Rhode Island Queer Exchange Facebook Group

- Group by and for the trans* and queer communities throughout RI for the purpose of sharing ideas, information, upcoming events, medical and mental health resources, items for sale/trade, apartments for lease, rooms for rents, etc. Search Facebook for “RI Queer Exchange” and request access.

Trans Youth Handbook

www.transyouthhandbook.org

- The Trans Youth Handbook is a legal resource guide that covers the rights of trans youth across a wide spectrum of situations, including identity documents, school, health care, nonaffirming care environments, and work. This handbook was created in a partnership of the Harvard Law School LGBTQ+ Advocacy Clinic.

Days of Action

GLSEN's Ally Week

www.glsen.org/ally-week

- Created by GLSEN, Ally Week is an opportunity for non-LGBTQQ people to show support in a visible way.

National Coming Out Day

www.hrc.org/resources/national-coming-out-day

- An international awareness day, held every October 11th, that celebrates people who publicly identify as LGBTQQ.

National Transgender Day of Remembrance

www.glaad.org/tdor

- Transgender Day of Remembrance (TDOR) is an annual observance on November 20th that honors the memory of those whose lives were lost in acts of anti-transgender violence.



No Name Calling Week

www.glsen.org/no-name-calling-week

- Held every January, this is a national week of educational activities aimed at ending name-calling of all kinds and providing schools with the tools and inspiration to launch an ongoing dialogue about ways to eliminate bullying in their communities.



Asexual Awareness Week

www.glaad.org/tags/asexual-awareness-week

- Asexual Awareness Week takes place in October and seeks to educate on asexual, aromantic, demisexual, and gray-asexual identities.

GLSEN's Day of Silence

www.glsen.org/event/day-silence

- A day of action, usually held in April, in which students across the country vow to take a form of silence to call attention to the silencing effect of anti-LGBT bullying and harassment in school.

GLAAD's Spirit Day

www.glaad.org/issues/spirit-day

- Held each October, it is a day of action against bullying. People are encouraged to wear purple to show their support.