



Executive Board

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25 Years of Nebraska Pride – 2010 Theme

Rainbow Celebrations is proud to announce our theme for the 2010 Nebraska Pride Festival. One Candle, in the Darkness, Ignited Hope – Nebraska Pride 25 Years.

The theme was derived by the fact that 25 years ago, the Pride movement in Omaha, NE was just a simple candlelight vigil. Times have now changed and each year for the past two years the Nebraska Pride Festival has brought in approximately 10,000 people over the course of the two-day festival held on Lewis & Clark Landing.

This year's pride festival is scheduled to take place on June 18th and June 19th 2010.

About Nebraska Pride:

Nebraska Pride where "One Candle, In the Darkness, Ignited Hope"! Celebrating 25 years in Nebraska in June 2010. We have come along way and even though we are a conservative "red" state, we hosted 2009 Nebraska Pride with over 10,000 attendees. Dedicated to diversity and awareness as well as civic responsibility, we seek to educate, assist those in need, and provide a celebration of hope for the GLBTQQS of Nebraska.

Operating in downtown Omaha, we host many events throughout the year and seek to include volunteers from all 93 counties of the State. Currently, we are a 501C4 organization working to become a 501C3 which means your donations would be tax deductible. We are always looking for those who wish to get involved, whether it is one hour or a heroic act of serving on the board or heading a committee.... Talk to us! We are here to LISTEN and to ACT!

About Rainbow Celebrations:

Rainbow Celebrations is a community- wide, volunteer nonprofit Nebraska corporation, and the official home of the annual Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Nebraska Pride Parade & Festival and the annual National Coming Out Day Celebration. Formed in 2002, Rainbow Celebrations seeks to advance educational and social activities for the GLBT communities of Nebraska and western Iowa.

Membership is open to any individual who supports the stated mission of Rainbow Celebrations and attends a meeting of the Executive Board, the Pride Committee or the National Coming Out Day Committee. Currently, Rainbow Celebrations sponsors several benefits and special events throughout the year including the annual Nebraska Pride Celebration and NCOD Celebration. Future events are being considered as time and volunteer help permits!

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