



CHRISTCHURCH PRIDE 17TH - 29TH JUNE 2022

For all full event details, tickets and covid updates please check out the events on Facebook 'Christchurch Pride' or our website www.chchpride.co.nz

FRIDAY 17TH JUNE

Assembly Point Pop-Up Store

Shop 9/10, Cathedral Junction, 109 Worcester St / 12pm-4pm
Pride Pop-Up Shop with art and products from our local LGBTQIA+ community as well as a return of some of our faves from our last Assembly Point pop-up - we are here to celebrate PRIDE and LOVE in all it's forms, as well as some non-themed goodies to feast your eyes on too! This Pop-Up Shop runs throughout the whole of Pride Week.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

The Wonder of Matariki: A Pride Kōrero

Rehua Room 226, Cnr Forestry & Arts Rd, University of Canterbury / 12:30-1:30pm
Green MP Dr. Elizabeth Kerekere will lead a very special kōrero on the wonder and meaning of Matariki, inviting perspectives from a range of fabulous Takatāpui and Rainbow voices.
[Free event](#) | [Registration Required](#) | [All ages](#)

Pride Walk of Support

The Terrace, Christchurch Central / 2pm
We warmly welcome all friends and whānau to join Christchurch Pride and Christchurch Foundation as we officially open the week with what will be another super exciting installation in Ōtautahi in a not to be missed event.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Pride Bouldering at Uprising

Uprising Bouldering Gym, 199 Ferry Rd / 5:30pm
Uprising bouldering gym invites you out for an all-ages evening of pride-themed climbing! It will be a beginner-focused evening of climbing and yoga, social games, a blind auction, and giveaways for the best-dressed. A great playlist will be set up to keep the night pumping for all. Our cafe will be open serving pizza, fries and beer to enjoy all evening!
[See website for prices](#) | [All ages](#)

FriYAY @ RiverPride

Riverside Market (upstairs) / 6:30pm
Over the Chch Pride celebrations, Riverside will become RiverPRIDE!! And to celebrate this what better way than to have a family friendly event. Some amazing Drag performances upstairs at 7pm and again @ 8.30pm
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Now That's What I Call: Queer Comedy

Good Times Comedy Club / 8:30pm
Tony Chestnut proudly presents an evening of quality stand up comedy performed by your favourite Queer icons! Starring: Troubadette, Jack Swallows, Jadwiga Gibson, Sam Gibson, Eli Matthewson & Ray Shipley!
[Tickets \\$15-20 @ Humanitix](#) | [R18](#)

FriGAY Drinks Opening Party

Castro's Tapas & Bar Riverside Market / 9pm
Christchurch LGBT Social Events & Christchurch Pride are super excited and proud to bring you the biggest FriGay Drinks ever to celebrate the opening of Christchurch Pride Week 2022! The Terrace will be packed with colour so bring your rainbows, dust off your sequins, glitter, feathers and wigs and let's show Christchurch just how fabulous life can be!!!! DJ Gregor will be in the house with a big dance floor to shake your booty!
[Free event](#) | [R18](#)

SATURDAY 18TH JUNE

Kahukura Dinner

Secret Premiere Venue / 6pm
Christchurch Foundation present a rainbow dinner designed to unashamedly raise money for the PRIDE Endowment Fund, our legacy of support for greater Ōtautahi, Christchurch's rainbow community. MC'd by Eli Matthewson the event will have a wide variety of entertainment.
[Tickets online: https://christchurchfoundation.org.nz/events/kahukura](https://christchurchfoundation.org.nz/events/kahukura)

Otopia Pride Ball

Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū / 7pm
Otopia Pride Ball is back for Christchurch Pride 2022! All ages and all-inclusive, this ball is for everyone! Come celebrate an unforgettable night with your community in the gorgeous Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū. Make your entrance down the marble staircase, dance to our incredible DJs, have some delicious kai, and enjoy some great entertainment!
[Tickets, pay what you can \(\\$10 student/unwaged, \\$25 waged\) | All ages](#)

Menfriends Blackout Mask Party

Menfriends 427 Tuam St / 8pm - late
Menfriends are proud to present the Annual Pride Mask Party for men into men. With the Lights Blacked Out, Heat right up and Mo-Beats pumping hard, you cant help but have fun! Don't worry if you havent got a Mask, we'll have one for you. There's a Lucky Locker Draw every hour and free stuff all night.
[Cost \\$30](#) | [R18](#)

Leather & Lace

A Rolling Stone, 579 Colombo St / 9pm
A night to remember... moody and sexy with a hint of burlesque and a whole lot of gender f*ckery. Leather and Lace is a safe gender non-specific queer event with a fabulous lineup of entertainment to reflect that!! A night to be whatever you want to be!!
[Tickets online @ Humanitix \\$25 presale / \\$30 doorsale | R18](#)

SUNDAY 19TH JUNE

Queens Telling Stories

Tūranga Library, TSB Room / 10am
It's Pride Week at Christchurch City Libraries, and Tūranga Library are celebrating with stories of diversity and love! Come along and hear these stories read aloud by 2 of our favourite Queens the Divine Joanne Neilson and Little Miss Cinnamon... because reading is what? - FUNDamental!!!
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Pride Bottomless Brunch

Dux Central, 6 Poplar St / 11am - 1pm
Grab your gaggle of gays and all your fabulous friends come along to one of the cities most loved locations, where the wine will be chilled, the food will be just as divine as the company... especially after a few glasses of bubbles! The fabulous team at Dux Central are providing a DJ to set the mood for what will be a perfect day!!!
[Tickets \\$70 online @ Humanitix](#) | [R18](#)

Drag 101 Workshop with Hugo Grrrl

Kathmandu 223 Tuam St / 2pm
Want to do drag but don't know where to start? Doing drag but want to up your game? Learn how to create slick, simple but sickening stage spots that are guaranteed to stick in this drag basics workshop. This workshop is perfect for all new dragsters, kings, queens and inbetweens, as well as anyone creating a character and acts in any kind of cabaret discipline.
[Tickets \\$25 online @ Eventfinda](#)

Oasis Lite Pride Service

St Albans Uniting Church, 36 Nancy Ave / 5pm - 6:30pm
Faith based service celebrating Pride, spirituality and community. Followed by a light supper. All welcome. Oasis Lite is an outreach of the Metropolitan Community Churches, the worlds largest inclusive Christian community.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Chch Pride Screening: Benedetta (R18)

Alices Cinema, Cnr Tuam & High St / 7:45pm
Alice proudly supports Chch Pride with a special screening of provocateur Paul Verhoeven Renaissance tale of a 17th-century nun, Benedetta, who becomes entangled in a forbidden lesbian affair, but it's her shocking religious visions that threaten to shake the Church to its very core.
[Tickets \\$15 online at www.alice.co.nz](#) | [R18](#)

MONDAY 20TH JUNE

Gaymers Night: Play-to-Win Social

Winnie Bagoes City, 40 Welles St / 4pm - 8pm
Gamersphere aims to bring the Gaymer Community together to learn and play board, card and dice games in a friendly, social, safe and accepting environment. Play-to-win is a concept where people can sign-out a game donated by Gamersphere, play it, and then enter their name in a lottery to win that specific game at the end of Chch Pride
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Chch Pride Screening: Fiona Clark: Unafraid

Alices Cinema, Cnr Tuam & High St / 6:30pm
Alice proudly supports Chch Pride with a special screening of this documentary, directed by Lula Cucchiara, takes a look at how Clark, the groundbreaking Taranaki photographer, known for her social documentary images, including of the early queer scene overcame censorship, homophobia, sexism and debilitating physical injuries to become one of our most respected social documentarians.
[Tickets \\$15 online at www.alice.co.nz](#)

Moana Vā Koko Night

C1 Espresso, 185 High St / 7pm
Moana Vā has regular meetups every second Monday where we provide a safe space for connection and building relationships. Pride Week we will have our regular on the 20th come for a free hot drink . Meet the team and make new connections from our Pasifika Rainbow Community.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Pride in the Hot Pools

He Puna Taimoana, 195 Marine Parade, 8pm - 10pm
Chch Pride and our fabulous friends at He Puna Taimoana are excited to invite you to the Pride in the Hot Pools for a Splash 'n' Drag Pool Party! This is a private ticketed event just for Christchurch Pride for our queer community and allies. Our stunning Jack Swallows will MC with entertainment by Lady Bubbles and Miss Shaniqwa there will be giveaways for the best pride bathing costumes, including a runway to sashay!
[Tickets \\$30 online @ www.hepunataimoana.co.nz](#) | [All ages](#)

TUESDAY 21ST JUNE

Veggie Rainbow Dinner

Welcome Chinese Vegetarian Cafe, 2 Whareni Rd / 6pm
Veggie Puffs Vegetarian group invite you to a Rainbow Dinner. No need to be vegetarian to attend, we just ask out of respect for the group only vegetarian food is ordered. Come meet with other vegetarians and vegans from the rainbow community. Just pay for what you eat and drink.
[Pay as you go | All ages | Bookings essential](#)
[RSVP: rosoryl@gmail.com](mailto:rosoryl@gmail.com) or [Ph: 021 0225 3650](tel:021-0225-3650)

Board Games and Pizza Night

Dice & Slice / 5/181 High St / 6pm
Christchurch Heroes Sports Trust invite you to a board games and pizza night at Dice & Slice. A great way to celebrate Pride is to spend it together playing games and eating pizza. Get your own tables or join up with others.
[Tickets online @ Eventbrite](#) | [All ages \(under 18's with guardian\)](#)

Gay Men's Health Forum

Upstairs at the Pegasus Arms, 14 Oxford Tce / 6:30pm - 8:30pm
Gay men's Health Forum - hosted by the New Zealand AIDS Foundation with Christchurch Sexual Health (DHB) and the NZ Drug Foundation. A fun and informative evening to discuss health-related issues that affect gay, bi and other men who have sex with men. There will be several speakers covering areas related to Love, Sex and Drugs.
[Free event](#) | [Mature audiences](#)

Severley Queer - It's a Pirates Life

Little Andromeda, Level 1/134 Oxford Tce, 7pm
Yo ho, it's a pirate life for me! Severley Queer is back for it's fourth year and is setting sail for a nautical adventure on the high seas! Sailors, buccaneers and pirates have long been associated with our rainbow community and this show will delve into the swash buckling, cross dressing campery of life as an outlaw of the ocean.
[Tickets \\$20-\\$25 online @ www.LittleAndromeda.co.nz](#)

Chch Pride Screening: Firebird (R16)

Alices Cinema, Cnr Tuam & High St / 8:15pm
Alice proudly supports Christchurch Pride with a special screening of FIREBIRD a swooningly romantic love story, starring Tom Prior, influenced and inspired by films like "Brokeback Mountain. A handsome soulful young soldier embarks on a clandestine love affair with a charismatic fighter pilot on a Soviet Air Force Base at the height of 1970s communist rule.
[Tickets \\$15 online at www.alice.co.nz](#) | [R16](#)

WEDNESDAY 22ND JUNE

Proud to Shine

Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū, 6pm
Drag yourself kicking and screaming back to the Gallery for another evening of outrageous glamour and glitzy performances by local drag luminaries. Be prepared for a wild ride of song, dance, and sass. Come dressed up, if it takes your fancy! Bar open from 6pm, show starts at 6.30pm
[Free event](#) | [All ages - parental guidance recommended.](#)

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THURSDAY 23RD JUNE

Queer Games Night: Pride Edition

Understorey at The Welder, 20-26 Welles St / 6pm
Join The Green Lab and friends for our Pride edition of Queer Games Night - an LGBTQIA+ community games night amongst the plants at understorey. This is an all ages, alcohol free event. A variety of board games, jigsaws, and colouring will be provided. You are welcome to bring your own games/activities or continue an existing campaign in the space.
[Free Event](#) | [All ages](#)

Retro Pride Karaoke Party

Retropolitan Social Club, 255 St Asaph St / 8:30pm
Get your bellbottoms ready for RETRO PRIDE! Starting with free Karaoke from 8.30pm -10.30pm. Then a \$10 cover charge from 10pm onwards to hit the dance floor with DJ Dale spinning the old school decks till 1.30am - so dust off your hot retro rainbow leg warmers and get your dancing queen a** on!
[Free event until 10pm then \\$10 on the door \(cash and eftpos\) | R18](#)

Queered Scriptless

The Court Theatre, Bernard St / 9pm
Join some of the most fabulous Court Jesters plus special guests from the Christchurch institute that is Scared Scriptless for a night of improvised comedy with a special pride edition of 'Queered Scriptless'! Last years was hilarious so we can't wait to wet our pants with laughter all over again!
[Tickets \\$16-\\$20 online @ www.courttheatre.org.nz](#) | [R18](#)

FRIDAY 24TH JUNE

Sweat with Pride

Anytime Fitness, 11am-12pm
Join Anytime Fitness Papanui and their trainers for sweat with PRIDE! We'll be bursting with pride, so join one of 2 group classes (Dance and HIIT) or do your own workout in our facility with some scrumptious trainers and drag queens roaming the floor to help you lift, pump and keep you motivated. Dress up or down in your favorite leotard, sweat bands, and ankle warmers and join us for an hour of getting hot and sweaty.
[Cost: Donation towards Sweat with PRIDE](#)

Otopia Games Night

Aldersgate Venue, 309 Durham St / 7:30pm
Join us for our regular Friday Games Night with a focus on connecting our ethnic rainbow communities with support from Otopia and the Ethnic Rainbow Communities of Ōtautahi Christchurch.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

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SATURDAY 25TH JUNE

Christchurch Bears Car Rally

Meet at Latimer Square / 10am
Bears Christchurch present another fun car rally! Gather a group of friends for a morning of solving clues, taking photos, and more, as you travel a secret path across Christchurch! Finishing with a lunch at a secret location. This will be LOTS of fun with prizes for best dressed, first car/group to complete the course correctly, and more! Make sure to register.
[Free event](#) | [R18](#)

Too Much Hair

Little Andromeda, Level 1/134 Oxford Tce / 6pm-7pm & 8pm-9pm
Combining celebratory stories about gender identity and expression with the power of music and the brilliance of emerging artists, Too Much Hair is a new musical cabaret about gender euphoria. Created in conversation with the gender diverse community in Ōtautahi and Pōneke, Too Much Hair highlights the joy of being oneself and having diverse expressions of gender.
[Tickets \\$15-\\$20 online @ www.littleandromeda.co.nz](#) | [R13](#)

Christchurch Pride 'PROUD' Party

Viaduct Nites, 134 Oxford Tce / 9pm
Chch Pride is excited to bring you 'PROUD' our premiere event for Pride 2022. There are many things in Christchurch we can be PROUD of, rebuilding our city from the rubble, helping create a safer and more inclusive community, dealing with a worldwide pandemic, our fabulous diverse tangata... and 69 rainbow flags flying in the CBD and now we bring you 'PROUD' Join us at the amazing Viaducts Nites on The Terrace with our gorgeous 'DJ Gregor' and straight outta Auckland the smokin hot 'DJ Jordan Eskra'
[Tickets \\$30 online @ Humanitix](#) | [R18](#)

SUNDAY 26TH JUNE

Pride Week Service

Aldersgate Venue, 309 Durham St / 10am
Otopia and Ethnic Rainbow Communities invite you join them at 10am for an interfaith Pride Week service at the Aldersgate Centre with a focus on connecting our ethnic rainbow community with the communities of Ōtautahi Christchurch..
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

Crafting with Queens (Family Friendly)

The Darkroom, 336 St Asaph St / 12pm
Come and learn some fun fabulous crafts with some of Christchurch's gorgeous local drag artists! All materials provided! This is an inclusive family friendly event for all ages.
[Tickets \\$5 - \\$15 online @ Humanitix](#) | [All ages](#)

Femme Makeup 101

Art Hole at The Darkroom, 336 St Asaph St / 3pm
A free makeup workshop dedicated to our trans community, come and learn some new techniques for everyday wear! Bring those burning makeup questions and our wonderful, talented tutor: Em from Eminent's Effort - Makeup Artistry and Cosmetic coaching will answer them for you. As this is a hands on event there is only limited space for a maximum of 10 people. All products on the day will be supplied.
[Free event - Register @ Humanitix](#) | [All ages](#)

Doggie Style: Rollickin Dog Walk

Rollickin Gelato, 98 Cashel St / 5:00pm
The most fabulous Dog Walk yet! Come adorned in your gay attire, and adorn your dog too! Starting at Rollickin - 98 Cashel Street, join us for a 30-minute evening strut through the fabulous Ōtautahi Central City 100% of the gold coin donation will go to our the SPCA Christchurch Centre! Our walking route will be a tour of the beautiful light displays that are out for the Tīrama Mai festiva. Come along for freebies, prizes and doggie gelato!
[Gold coin donation](#) | [All ages](#)

Crafting with Queens (R18)

The Darkroom, 336 St Asaph St / 6:30pm
Come and learn some fun crafts with some of Christchurch's gorgeous drag artists! More than your average paint and sip. This event will have crafts, drinks, nude life models and of course Drag Queens! Our nude life model special guest will be Aka Damian!
[Tickets \\$25 online @ Humanitix](#) | [R18](#)

Too Much Hair

Little Andromeda, Level 1/134 Oxford Tce / 3pm-4pm
Combining celebratory stories about gender identity and expression with the power of music and the brilliance of emerging artists, Too Much Hair is a new musical cabaret about gender euphoria. Created in conversation with the gender diverse community in Ōtautahi and Pōneke, Too Much Hair highlights the joy of being oneself and having diverse expressions of gender.
[Tickets \\$15-\\$20 online @ www.littleandromeda.co.nz](#) | [R13](#)

Joke and Soak

He Puna Taimoana, 195 Marine Parade, 8pm - 10pm
Christchurch Pride and our fabulous friends at He Puna Taimoana are excited to invite you to a night of queer comedy while soaking in the hot pools! We have a wickedly sassy MC along with some hilarious comedians who will have you pissing yourself... just not in the pools please!
[Tickets \\$30 online at www.hepunataimoana.co.nz](#) | [R16](#)

MONDAY 27TH JUNE

Pride Bingo

The Cashmere Club, 88 Hunter Tce, Cashmere, 7pm
Christchurch Pride is excited to host the ever popular sell out event Pride Bingo. Come join your favourite aunts Aunty Pipi, Meryl Vale & Freeda Cox along with some special guests as they drop their bingo balls for a naughty night of risqué hilarity and fabulous prizes up for grabs! Balls drop at 7:30pm, snacks and drinks available throughout the night. The best Bingo with the prettiest gal's, run for over 10 years now, this is the most unprofessionally professional Bingo you'll ever play!
[\\$15 book of 10 games \(cash and eftpos on the door\) | Mature audiences](#)

TUESDAY 28TH JUNE

Stonewall Anniversary Community Potluck

Aldersgate Venue, 309 Durham St / 5:30pm
To commemorate 53 years since the Stonewall Riots that launched the gay liberation movement we want to celebrate with you, our community. Let's gather together, nourish our spirits and our bodies with warm conversations and delicious kai. Please bring a plate to share, but we also understand times are tough so if you are not able to bring a plate then please just bring yourselves and a smile. We want this to be accessible to everyone. This will be an alcohol free event and a safe place to share our stories, catch up with old friends and create new friendships and networks.
[Free event](#) | [All ages](#)

WEDNESDAY 29TH JUNE

Dr. Sketchy's: Friend of Dorothys

Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū, 6pm
A night of life drawing where good bitches draw wicked pictures. With colourful models, magical performances, and fantastical prizes... there's no place like Sketchy's! Starring Amy Leigh and Josh Hart from Mystical Jinx. Don't worry if your drawing skills are a bit rusty (looking at you, Timman!). There are no art skills required, just come along and have a doodle. Drawing materials are supplied but you are welcome to bring your own spectrum of colours if you prefer. Costumes encouraged!
[Free event](#) | [Parental guidance recommended for younger munchkins.](#)