

Monday July 13th

10:00 a.m. Opening Ceremonies, Tom Davies Square

- Declaration of Pride Week by Mayor Rodriguez, flag raising
- Theme: Our Rights, Your Rights, Human Rights
- Guest Speakers: It was suggested that the government representatives be invited to provide words of celebration to officially recognize Pride Week. MP Glenn Thibeault – Sudbury Riding; MP Claude Gravelle – Nickel Belt; Riding; MPP Rick Bartolucci – Sudbury Riding; MPP France Gélinas – Nickel Belt Riding
- Dave Lalonde will provide the Youth remarks.

7:00 p.m. Erogenous Zone Out

- Gala Opening Multi Media Art Show and Exhibition (local artists give expressions of Eros)
- Studio 276 Cedar Street
- Entrance: Guest book signing, coins for Pride

Tuesday July 14th

7:00 p.m. Educational Event/Lecture

- Venue: Fromagerie Elgin
- Shana has confirmed Rachel Epstein, head of LGTB Parenting Network, queer parenting activist and author of “Who’s Your Daddy?” as the guest lecturer. Rachel will bring to the forefront her thoughts and research surrounding queer parental rights in Canada. Rachel will be provided with a hotel room at no cost. Sudbury Pride will contribute to this expense and some value to her gas.

8:00 p.m. Film Night followed by educational forum

- Venue: Rainbow Cinemas
- Forum Speakers: Gary Kinsman, Diane “Ziggy” Seguin and Rachel Epstein
- Film: Milk : Upon moving to San Francisco from New York City in 1972, forty year old Harvey Milk gains focus in his life as a gay activist in the city's Castro district. Gay rights activism turns to political activism as Milk decides he can be a more effective voice for the gay community as a politician, elected or not. Through several elections and losses both for a city seat and a state assembly seat, Milk becomes the first openly gay man in the United States to be elected to political office when he wins a San Francisco supervisor seat in 1977. His many political battlefronts include one with the national anti-gay Save the Children crusade, led and fronted by singer Anita Bryant. Closer to home, Milk has a continuing struggle with his fellow supervisor, Dan White, a staunch social conservative.

- Cost: \$10/person

10:00 p.m. Karaoke Night/Pride Idol

- Venue: Zig's Bar

Thursday July 16th

8:00 p.m. Poetry Out Loud/Open Mike Night

- Venue: TBD
- A Pride Celebration of the spoken word.
- MC – still to be determined.
- The committee agreed that this year a new venue would be selected to host this event. Some ideas include; Librairie du Nouvel-Ontario, Office Bistro or Parker House.

10:00 p.m. Fetish/Leather Night Fundraiser

- Venue: Zig's Bar, MC: Mr. Leather Man (Toronto)

Saturday July 18th

4:00 p.m. SNO Bears Picnic in the Park and Baseball Tournament

- Venue: Delki Dozzi ; Ticket Price: \$20.00 per person includes grilled pork buffet, bazaar and music

10:00 p.m Official Annual Rainbow Party

- Venue: Zig's

12:30 p.m. 12th Annual Pride March;

- Venue: Streets of downtown Sudbury (same route as previous years) and Memorial Park
- **BBQ and Celebration in Memorial Park** ; Family picnic and bazaar, Ice cream route 86, information booths, artists and music. Prize to be given to Keystone Consulting for the guide and website design.