

The SAGE

The Newsletter of SAGE of South Florida

January 2020

Happy
New
Year

2019 was a monumental year for SAGE of South Florida during which we celebrated our 25th Anniversary of enriching the lives of the Senior LGBT community.

But, it's a New Year and a New Decade for SAGE of South Florida! SAGE will be sponsoring many memorable events and activities in the coming months for both our members and the community, so remember to consult your SAGE calendar every month.

And it's January, which means it's time for our annual

SAGE MILESTONE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

Join us as we honor the Most Senior of our Senior Members who celebrated their 75th, 80th, 85th, 90th (or better) birthdays in 2019.

THE PRIDE CENTER MAIN HALL
SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2020 1:00 – 4:00PM

SOME OF THIS YEAR'S HONOREES ARE:

Carl Barton Michael Camardo

David Durham Ken Goodman

Charlie Scarcella Herb Slomowitz



Rex Coston Dan Driscoll

Gerald Heineman Emma Hinman

Alan R. Sutherland

(Please see the enclosed flyer for reservation information.)

Senior Action in a Gay Environment

SAGE Message Line - 954.634.7219 - www.sagewebsite.org

SAGE BIRTHDAYS FOR THIS MONTH

The SAGE Board would like to acknowledge the following members whose birthdays are this month as well as any other member whose birthday that we don't have.
If, when you renewed your membership or became a new member you did not give us your birthday, you may call the office and leave the information at 954.634.7219 or e-mail us @ sagesofl@gmail.com.

First Name	Last Name	Birthday	First Name	Last Name	Birthday
JOHN	ACTMAN	Jan-03	CHRISTOPHER	BATES	Jan-21
BILL	NYQUIST	Jan-03	RICHARD	WERNER	Jan-23
HANK	BROOKS	Jan-04	JOHN	DANLEY	Jan-24
ROBERT	SMITH	Jan-11	RICHARD	SCHWARTZ	Jan-25
MICHAEL	WOLMETZ	Jan-11	WILLIAM	WOODWARD	Jan-26
ALAN R	SUTHERLAND	Jan-15	MICHAEL	MILLS	Jan-27
LISA	PETERS	Jan-17	BRIAN	MCNAUGHT	Jan-28
JEFFY	GAINES	Jan-18	GARY	SNYDER	Jan-29
BARRY	BATES	Jan-19	TONY	TSAGRIS	Jan-30
ANTHONY	CIANCE	Jan-20			

New Members

JOHN AMOROSU, HAROLD ATCHISON, KARL GUSTAFSON, JOSEPH LEONARD, ED ULMANN

If you have had an anniversary with SAGE for either 5, 10, 15 or 20 years and you have not received your pin, please call the SAGE office (954.634.7219) to pick it up.

SAGE OF SOUTH FLORIDA

OFFICERS

President: Patrick S. Vida
Vice President: Carl Barton
Secretary: Ken Goodman
Assistant Secretary: Michael Vita
Treasurer: Allen Churchman

BOARD MEMBERS AT LARGE

John Chandler **Marilyn Lamkay**
Lee Lawson **Kathy Macchio**
Sal Orlando

VOLUNTEERS Jean Arthurton, Judith Bowling, Hank Brooks, Frank Cavanaugh, Philip Collier, Marc Flanagan, Jean Johnson, Caroline Leto, Gene Majka, Sonny Miller, Ken Moore, Frank Piasecki, Ann Smith, Richard Werner, Norma Wingo

SAGE MISSION STATEMENT SAGE of South Florida is a non-profit organization for Senior Action in a Gay Environment to enrich the lives of the GLBT senior community through membership inclusive of age, gender, race, nationality, and religion. We believe this can be accomplished by sponsoring social alternatives, by providing personal interaction, offering educational opportunities to deal with the special needs of aging, and by promoting contact with the isolated and home-bound persons of our community. SAGE is also an advocate for the concerns and needs of the senior community at large, providing referral information on community resources and promoting inter-generational communication in the GLBT community. SAGE was founded in 1994 as a Florida "not for profit" corporation (Federal Tax-Exempt Status of 501 (c) 3, allowing tax-deductible donations).

SAGE EDITORIAL POLICY SAGE welcomes contributors to the newsletter. An author may request their entry be "anonymous". However, the submission, as received by SAGE, must be accompanied by the full name and address of the author. Items will be published at our discretion, and such publication does not constitute endorsement by SAGE of South Florida. If we feel that we cannot publish a submission anonymously, we will contact the author. We reserve the right to edit articles for length, clarity, or standards of decency. We do not accept paid ads in the newsletter.

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REGULARLY SCHEDULED SAGE-SPONSORED ACTIVITIES

THE ROUND TABLE

This CoEd group, sponsored jointly with The Fort Lauderdale Prime Gentlemen, meets to discuss contemporary topics and ideas from **2:30-3:30pm** on the **second and fourth Mondays of each month in Room 206 of The Pride Center**. Sessions have a moderator who presents a brief background on the discussion topic chosen for the session.

The topic scheduled for January 13th is *Sex Toys – History and Today*, presented by Gene Majka. The topic scheduled for January 27th is *That Drug May Kill You*, presented by John Siegfried, M.D.

Please email Ed Slough at **WILDHYBRID@aol.com** if you would like to be on the mailing list to receive notice of upcoming topics and background material for the sessions.

SAGE WOMEN'S LUNCH

All women are welcome at SAGE Women's Lunch, **every 2nd Thursday of the month**, at the **Golden Corral, 7401 Commercial Blvd., Tamarac 33319 at 12:00 Noon**, to meet, greet, eat, and discuss current happenings. **Membership is encouraged after the second visit.**

This is a 'women only' SAGE event. SAGE has many other co-ed activities for women to enjoy and take advantage of, such as computer classes, a book club, a Round Table discussion group, and SAGE on the Border which meets at the Volen Center in Boca Raton. We're looking for a few good women. Come join our friendly family. **SAGE WANTS TO OFFER MORE ACTIVITIES FOR OUR WOMEN. POT LUCK DINNERS? THEATRE PARTIES? BRING US YOUR IDEAS AND SUGGESTIONS!**

Contact Kathy at kmbadabing@gmail.com for more information.



SAGE ON THE BORDER/ ALTERNATIVES

Caroline Leto & Frank Piasecki

This Co-Ed discussion group meets **every Monday from 11:00 am to 1:00**

pm, at The Volen Center, 1515 W. Palmeto Park Rd., Boca Raton 33486. Everyone is welcome. No reservations are needed. (Please call The Volen Center at 561-395-8920 to assure the Center is open as it is closed on most Legal Holidays.)



SAGE LUNCH & LEARN

Lunch and Learn is held the **first Saturday of the month, 12:30pm**, at the Herb Skolnick Community Center.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. Please see the enclosed flyer for more information.



SAGE MEN'S NIGHT OUT

John Chandler

If you are a man who enjoys the company of other men, then we have an evening for you.

Every 4th Monday of the month, SAGE Board member John Chandler co-ordinates an evening of cocktails, dinner, lively conversation, and meeting and making friends begins with drinks. **We are now meeting at TROPICS GRILLE, 2000 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors at 5:30pm** for drinks, followed by dinner at **6:30pm. PLEASE NOTE THE TIME CHANGE.** For more information, or if you have any questions, please contact John at 561-704-1004 or Email him at johnchandler436@aol.com.



SAGE COMPUTER CLASS

Ken Goodman

By popular demand the SAGE Computer Class has begun teaching a full course, **"Windows 10 for Seniors"**, which meets weekly to help you learn the basics of Windows 10.

Although instruction has begun and enrollment is closed, watch for announcements of future course offerings. If any of you would still like to review what's happening in the tech world and have your questions answered, contact **Ken Goodman** at kennyg1944@outlook.com. If there is enough interest, we will also schedule sessions to address these topics.

SAGE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Philip Collier

"Before the entitled lived here exclusively, the marginalized died in droves." Founded in 1849 to care for indigent immigrants in Greenwich Village, St. Vincent's Hospital was sold in 2010 to create multi-million-dollar homes. In its 161 years of existence, the legendary institution treated survivors of the Titanic, tended to victims of both World Trade Center attacks, and served as Ground Zero of the AIDS Crisis. With honesty, humor, and flights of historical fancy, *Ghosts of St. Vincent's* by **Tom Eubanks** tells the hospital's story through the eyes of a man who spent a winter on its 7th floor AIDS ward and survived just in time for the drug "cocktail" that saved so many lives. Featuring appearances by indomitable icons (from Edna St. Vincent Millay to Robert Mapplethorpe, Sidney Lumet to Vito Russo, Ed Koch and The Ramones), *Ghosts of St. Vincent's* explores coming out and coming back from the dead, gender fluidity and gentrification, the price of forgiveness, the cost of survival, and the ephemeral nature of New York City. Please consider joining the SAGE Book Group in a discussion on **Saturday, January 11, 2020 at the Stonewall Library, 1300 E. Sunrise Blvd., Fort Lauderdale from 11am to 12 noon.** All are welcome and no reservation is required.



SAGE at Zuckerello's Italian Restaurant



SAGE Lunch & Learn Holiday Party



SAGE / Prime Gentlemen Round Table



SAGE/Prime Gentlemen Movie



SAGE Computer Class



Photos contributed by Allen Churchman, Rex Coston, Gene Majka, and others.

View more photos by visiting our Photo Gallery at our Website: www.sagewebsite.org.

SOCIAL LITES *Sal Orlando*



Happy New Year! Can't believe it's 2020! Where did all those years go? Here it is January, and coming from New York, where those poor souls are freezing their... off, we here are enjoying gorgeous weather. I guess that's why we live in South Florida.

Our **Holiday Party** on the 15th at **The Embassy Suites** turned out to be a huge success. Everyone had a fabulous time! The management and staff couldn't have been any nicer. The food was delicious and, of course, the entertainment, **Jennifer McClain** was superb - what a voice! She could sing for me anytime.

We have a lot of exciting venues for you this coming year. Some old favorites, and some new places for us to explore.

This month we go to **Tropics Grille** on **Tuesday, January 7th at 5:30pm**, where we'll enjoy cocktails and conversation from 5:30 to 6:30pm (at Happy Hour prices), followed by a delicious dinner. For those of you who don't know, **Tropics Grille**, formally **The Grille**, changed hands about 6 months ago. The new owners really know how to keep their patrons happy, both with their terrific cocktails and fabulous food. Don't miss out. Remember, reservations close on **January 2nd**.

Also, on **Sunday, January 26st at 1pm at The Pride Center**, SAGE celebrates **The Milestone Birthdays** of our members. For those of you who turned 75, 80, 85 or 90 (and above), please contact the **SAGE** office ASAP so we can add you to our list. This event will be complimentary to our Honorees. Get your reservations in for this wonderful yearly sumptuous Italian Buffet Luncheon, catered by none other than **Chef Giacomo of Cafe Primavera**.

Save the Date – Sunday, February 16th, 1 to 4pm, Valentine's Day Celebration at Cafe Primavera.

As always, watch for news of our upcoming events. So, keep reading your Social Lites Column. For ongoing activities, consult your **SAGE** Calendar for meeting times and places.

Ciao for now.



NOTES FROM THE MEN'S DROP-IN

Carl Barton

SAGE Men's Drop-In meets every **Wednesday from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in Room 204 at The Pride Center**. Well, the year 2019 has come to an end. The snowbirds are returning, so come in and participate in one of our Wednesday meetings. New members and guests are always welcome. Some of our meetings can be very lively and informative with a lot of audience participation. Thanks to **Jefy Gaines** for his co-hosting and thanks to **President Patrick S. Vida** for providing baked goods. So, stop by for a great afternoon! We always have a happy ending with special entertainment at the end of the session.



Marc Flanagan

SEE YOU AT THE MOVIES



Michael Vita

Many of us often ponder how relationships evolve and the choices that some individuals make in their mates. After one views the SAGE January movie, **Crazy Love**, previous thoughts about matching will likely be re-examined. What results is a fascinating account about the wonders of human nature, manifested through a combination of criminal battery, speculation and New York nostalgia.

This 2007 film chronicles what led to the 1959 incident when Iye was thrown in the eyes of Linda Riss, who was photogenic, stylish and barely out of her teen years. In spite of being blinded due to the assailant's action as she answered the front door of her apartment, Linda, her family and friends knew who was responsible. Two years earlier, she became acquainted with Burt Pugach, an ambitious attorney and 12 years her senior. When Burt became aware of a milestone that Linda was planning that didn't involve him, his obsession generates into this heinous crime.

Burt is unlike any of the guys that Linda or her contemporaries dated in their Bronx neighborhood. He owns a nightclub where he could clandestinely meet with an assortment of girlfriends. Burt impresses Linda by taking her up in his airplane and purchasing a sporty vehicle every year.

After courting for an extended period and longing to get married (like her friends), Linda makes her feelings known to Burt. While initially believing his reasons for delaying her request, Linda was confronted with the likelihood that Burt is already married. When she approaches him about such matters, Burt confirms this hunch and assures Linda that he will soon be divorced. They continue to date and Burt conjures up outlandish excuses for stalling.



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SAGE Health Tips

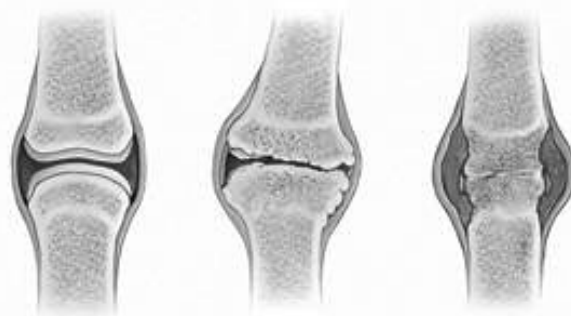
Gene Majka, APRN

Welcome. If you have a topic, comment or questions, please send an email to sagesofl@gmail.com.

OA or RA = Oy Veys!

At a recent *Lunch & Learn*, Board Member **Kathy Macchio** asked me about the difference between Osteoarthritis (**OA**) and Rheumatoid Arthritis (**RA**) which both cause considerable discomfort with a lot of expressive Oy Veys! of pain.

The primary difference between **RA** and **OA** is the underlying nature of the disease. **OA** is a **degenerative condition** that is the result of increased wear and tear on joints. **OA** may produce inflammatory symptoms but it primarily destroys joint cartilage over time. **OA** affects an estimated 27 million Americans. **RA** is an **autoimmune disorder** that produces inflammatory joint symptoms throughout the body. **RA** can develop in patients anytime between the ages of 30 and 60 and affects 1.3 million people.



Healthy Joint

Osteoarthritis

Rheumatoid Arthritis

Causes

OA is caused by wear and tear in specific joints. Certain jobs, sports with repetitive actions, and old injuries which did not heal properly place you at risk of **OA**.

RA's exact cause is unknown but research has shown that antibodies attack healthy joint tissue. The cause of these antibodies' development is unknown. Risk factors are possibly genetic, environmental, hormonal, smoking and obesity.

Sign & Symptoms

OA causes morning stiffness in hands, fingers or knees but it generally subsides within the first 30 minutes. One side is affected worse than the other side. Symptoms slowly develop and gradually worsen over a long period of time.

RA causes joint pain, stiffness, and swelling. It affects multiple joints and both sides of the body. Morning stiffness will last more than 30 minutes. **RA** also causes fatigue, fever and loss of appetite. Symptoms are rapid and the condition can worsen in a matter of weeks.

Diagnosis

OA is diagnosed with X-rays and MRI's that will show the progressive damage and deterioration involving the joints.

RA is diagnosed by a complete history and physical examination. A blood test is performed to determine the presence of antibodies.

Treatment

Unfortunately, neither form of arthritis has a cure. Treatment is used to reduce pain and manage symptoms. Ibuprofens are used to reduce swelling and pain. Physical and occupational therapy are used to improve mobility. Exercise, weight management, and overall healthy living habits are essential in treating and managing both diseases. Since **RA** is an autoimmune disorder, specific drugs are prescribed to suppress the immune system and prevent antibody formation leading to decreased flare-ups and prevent further damage.

Please always seek advice from your physician/nurse practitioner for diagnosis and treatment.

References and Resources:

<https://www.rheumatoidarthritis.org/ra/ra-vs-oa/>

<https://www.webmd.com/rheumatoid-arthritis/rheumatoid-arthritis-osteoarthritis-difference#1>

<https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/arthritis/multimedia/osteoarthritis-vs-rheumatoid-arthritis/img-20008728>

SAGE cares because YOU care about your health.

Please always seek advice from your physician/nurse practitioner (HP's).

Thank you to my editors Ann Smith GNP, and Martin Horowitz, MD.

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After he provides a fake divorce decree, Linda announces that she no longer wishes to be strung along and the relationship is dissolved. Burt becomes depressed, which turns outward and is targeted at people in Linda's life. When none of these tactics deter Linda from resuming the relationship, Burt conjures up the ultimate scheme for Linda to return. Although it doesn't pay off for over a generation, it sets off the debatable point of whether this was coincidental or just one of the ingredients for this volatile relationship to pick up where it left off.

What adds to the mix is how Linda perceives that she is fighting the battle of feeling threatened by Burt without suspecting anybody knows. Throughout the film, her friends recount how they knew what was transpiring and their explanations for not verbalizing their concerns. Could this be the case due to not wishing to alarm others (whether on Linda's or friends' part) or to the gender expectations of the times? Linda's friends admit their concern with her marital status as she approached middle age, despite several of them being either in tenuous relationships and/or divorced. Meanwhile, Burt's peers are very open about his shady dealings, while acknowledging that one (if not only) apparent saving grace is his "larger than life" personality.

The author takes tremendous interest in ***Crazy Love*** due to how the main characters and family/friends stick to their versions of what led up to the crime that blinded Linda and the resumption of her relationship with Burt 20 years later.

Crazy Love is unrated with suggestions of physical violence and occasional profane language. It will screen without subtitles on **Monday, January 20 at 4pm in Room 204 of The Pride Center**. The running time is 92 minutes with dinner to follow.

SAVE THESE DATES!

Sunday, January 12th: Celebration of Life for SAGE President Emeritus CARL GALLI
The Pride Center Main Hall – 2pm

Sunday, February 9th: From the Broadway Stage to the Silver Screen; SAGE Member Michael Vita performs songs from and discusses the 14 Broadway Musicals he was a part of.

The Pride Center Main Hall – 2pm

Sunday, March 8th: An Afternoon with Brian McNaught; SAGE Member, Author and Educator Brian McNaught discusses challenges faced by LGBTQ people.

The Pride Center Main Hall – 2pm

FRIENDLY SUPPORT PROGRAM

We'd like to think we are not merely fair-weather friends, but people who really care about our SAGE family. If you know of any SAGE member who is sick, in the hospital, recently lost a loved one, or would appreciate a friendly call or a note of cheer, please contact:

For Women – Jean Johnson & Norma Wingo @ 954.804.3013 For Men – Michael Vita @ 786.586.4286

SAGE MEMBERS IN NEED

If you are a Senior, or a Care Giver, who needs information or referral services regarding assistance with Activities of Daily Living, please contact the ADRC (Aging and Disability Resource Center), part of the Area Agency on Aging:

In Broward County – 954.745.9779

In Palm Beach County – 561.684.5885

BEREAVEMENT GROUP

After the funeral, grieving gets intense and lonely. Free LGBT Bereavement Group helps to manage the waves and tsunamis of grief. For days, time, and location contact:

Rev. Anne Atwell – 954.462.2004x208

Anne@sunshinecathedral.net

SAGE EVENT CALENDAR

January 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 New Year's Day	2	3	4 10:00 am SAGE Board Meeting 12:30 pm SAGE Monthly Luncheon Held at the Herb Skolnick Center in Palm Aire
5	6 11:00 am SAGE on the Border Co-Ed/Alternatives at the Volen Center	7 5:30 pm SAGE Dinner at Tropics Grille	8 1:00 pm Men's Drop-In @ Pride Center at Equality Park 4:00 pm Windows 10 for Seniors @ The Pride Center	9 12:00 pm SAGE Women's Lunch at Golden Corral	10	11 11:00 am SAGE Book Club @ Stonewall Library
12 2:00 pm Carl Galli - Celebration of Life	13 11:00 am SAGE on the Border Co-Ed/Alternatives at the Volen Center 2:30 pm Roundtable	14	15 1:00 pm Men's Drop-In @ Pride Center at Equality Park 4:00 pm Windows 10 for Seniors @ The Pride Center	16	17 1:30 pm SAGE/Prime Gentlemen Monthly Movie	18
19	20 Martin Luther King Jr. Day 4:00 pm SAGE Movie at Pride Center AVRoom 204	21	22 1:00 pm Men's Drop-In @ Pride Center at Equality Park 4:00 pm Windows 10 for Seniors @ The Pride Center	23	24	25
26 1:00 pm Milestone Birthday Celebration	27 11:00 am SAGE on the Border Co-Ed/Alternatives at the Volen Center 2:30 pm Roundtable 5:00 pm Men's Night Out at Tropics Grille	28	29 1:00 pm Men's Drop-In @ Pride Center at Equality Park 4:00 pm Windows 10 for Seniors @ The Pride Center	30	31	

UPCOMING SAGE EVENTS

Thursday, January 9, 2020 at 12 noon, join the Women of SAGE for lunch at the Golden Corral Restaurant at 7401 W. Commercial Blvd. in Tamarac, FL

Join SAGE Members and Friends as we celebrate the life of President Emeritus, Carl Galli, on Sunday, January 12, 2020 at 2 pm at The Pride Center at Equality Park.

Sunday, January 26, 2020 at 1 pm SAGE of South Florida celebrates the birthdays of some of our most “senior” senior members at our annual Milestone Birthday Party to be held at The Pride Center.

Sunday, February 9, 2020 at 2 pm, Michael Vita will present his annual concert (Two Acts) at The Pride Center. Cookies and coffee will follow the event.

Sunday, February 16, 2002 Join SAGE of South Florida for our annual Valentine Lunch at Primavera – Cocktails at 1 pm and Lunch at 1:30 pm.

Community Events

BALLET AND OPERA GROUP: Meets the 2nd & 4th Sunday at The Pride Center (Rm 204) at 12:30 pm

GLBTQ VETERAN'S DROP IN GROUP sponsored by the Gold Coast Chapter of AVER meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm, at SunServe (2312 Wilton Dr. in Wilton Manors)

January 4, 2020 at 12:30 pm
HERB SKOLNICK COMMUNITY CENTER

800 SW 36th Avenue, Pompano Beach, FL

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED !

Members \$15.00 Guests \$20.00

Everyone Pays at the Door

Doors Open at 12:00 pm

Reservations must be made by 12:30 pm on

Thursday, January 2, 2020 by calling

954.634.7219



Patti Lynn will present on SAGE National's —Friendly Visitor Program. This program matches volunteers with homebound LGBT older adults.

If you arrive early, make yourself comfortable in the lobby and meet with other SAGE members and their guests.

LUNCH & LEARN IS A SAGE-SPONSORED ACTIVITY

JANUARY MENU

Romaine Hearts Salad with Tomatoes

Penne Pasta

(in a spinach and cream sauce)

Sausage-Stuffed Pork Loin

Grilled Chicken Breast available

Ratatouille (mixed sautéed vegetables)

Panna Cotta (egg-less vanilla custard)

Catered By



SAGE WANTS YOU !

PLEASE JOIN TODAY



The NEW membership form is on the reverse side.

The new membership categories are:

- **\$35 Single Membership with Newsletter Electronically from SAGE Website**
- **\$45 Single Membership with Newsletter mailed to you via US Post Office**
- **\$60 Couple Membership with Newsletter Electronically from SAGE Website**
- **\$70 Couple Membership with one Newsletter Electronically and one mailed via US Mail**
- **\$300 for An Individual Lifetime Membership**

Thank you very much for your support and participation.



SAGE of South Florida, Inc
SAGE MEMBERSHIP FORM

RENEWAL ☐
NEW MEMBER ☐

Member 1: First: _____ Last: _____ First You Want to Use: _____

Member 2: First: _____ Last: _____ First You Want to Use: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone 1: _____ Cell Phone 1: _____ Birthday 1 (Month/Day) ____/____

Home Phone 2: _____ Cell Phone 2: _____ Birthday 2 (Month/Day) ____/____

E-Mail 1: _____ Check to receive mailings by E-Mail. ____

E-Mail 2: _____ Check to receive mailings by E-Mail. ____

SAGE Annual Membership Fees/Newsletter Mailing Options: CHECK THE APPROPRIATE LINE

1. \$35 Single Membership with Newsletter Electronically from SAGE Website ____
2. \$45 Single Membership with Newsletter mailed to you via US Post Office ____
3. \$60 Couple Membership with Newsletter Electronically from SAGE Website ____
4. \$70 Couple Membership with one Newsletter Electronically from SAGE Website
and one mailed via US Post Office ____
5. \$300 for An Individual Lifetime Membership ____
6. \$_____ as a special Gift to SAGE ____
7. I want to remember SAGE in my will. Please contact me ____

As a member of SAGE, I give permission for the use of my name and my likeness in any photo or image taken at, and used to promote, SAGE sponsored activities. SAGE does not share your contact information with third parties

Please enclose your check made payable to SAGE of South Florida for the option you checked above. If paying by Credit Card please fill out section below.

Mail to: PO Box 70516, Oakland Park, FL 33307 - SAGE Message Line 954-634-7219

For Snowbirds Only

Dates to change my mailing address: From _____ / _____ to _____ / _____ as follows:

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Pay by Credit Card:

I authorize SAGE of South Florida, Inc. to charge my: (check one) ____ Visa ____ MasterCard ____ Amex

in the amount of \$_____ Credit Card Number:

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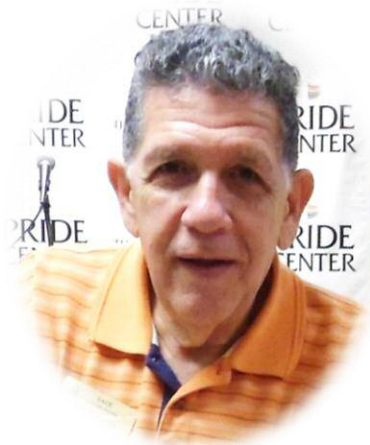
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PLEASE JOIN SAGE OF SOUTH FLORIDA

In a Celebration of the Life of
SAGE *President Emeritus*

Carl M. Galli



March 30, 1949 – November 10, 2019

Sunday, January 12, 2020
2:00pm

The Pride Center – Main Hall
2040 North Dixie Highway
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Opening Prayer Led by Brother John Chandler, OSF

Song Performance by Michael Vita

SAGE Members' Personal Remembrances of Carl

-Light Refreshments will be served -



SAGE (Seniors Active in a Gay Environment)
of South Florida

Celebrating 25 Years (1994-2019)



**SAGE Celebrates Milestone Birthdays of
Some of Our Most Senior Senior Members**

Sunday, January 26, 2020 1:00 – 4:00pm

In the Main Hall of The Pride Center at Equality Park

At This Time, Our Honorees include:

*Carl Barton - 80 Michael Camardo - 90 Rex Coston - 97 Dan Driscoll - 75
David Durham - 75 Ken Goodman - 75 Gerald Heineman - 94 Emma Hinman - 98
Charlie Scarcella - 75 Herb Slomowitz - 91 Alan R. Sutherland - 75*

***If YOU are a Member who turned 75, 80, 85 or 90 (and above) in 2019, please contact
the SAGE Office, ASAP so we can add you to our list of Honorees***

**A Sumptuous Italian Buffet Luncheon, Catered by Chef Giacomo of Café Primavera
Surprise Entertainment and Dessert & Coffee**

**Pricing: \$15 @ Members and \$18 @ Non-Members
All Inclusive of Meal, Beverages, Dessert and Entertainment!
Member Cost is being partially subsidized by SAGE of South Florida**

*****No REFUNDS *****

THE HONOREES WILL BE THE GUESTS OF SAGE.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP DEFRAY SOME OF THAT COST PLEASE INDICATE BELOW.

Reservations Close NO LATER THAN: Wednesday, January 22, 2020

_____ MEMBERS @ \$15 Each - # _____ SAGE Milestone Birthday Celebration
NON-MEMBER @ \$18 Each – Phone # _____

Name: _____ Name: _____

Name: _____ Name: _____

I am adding \$ _____ for the Honorees.

Mail with Payment to: SAGE at P O BOX 70516 OAKLAND PARK, FL 33307

Questions: Call SAGE Message line at (954) 634-7219 - A SAGE-SPONSORED ACTIVITY

SAGE AT TROPICS GRILLE



Join SAGE for our First Dinner of 2020 at the Tropics Grille
2000 Wilton Drive, Wilton Manors, FL 954-530-3361

Tuesday January 7th at 5:30pm for Cocktails and 6:30pm for Dinner

Menu for the Evening:

Starter – Bread & Butter - Side House Salad or Cup of Soup

Choose from one Entrée:

Angel Hair Bolognese

Chicken Alfredo

Lasagna

Meatloaf

Dessert - Cheesecake or Fruit Cup

Dinner includes Coffee, Iced Tea or Soda (At Table Only)

Pricing: \$23 Members - \$28 Non-Members
(A Portion of Member Cost Subsidized by SAGE)

Reservations Close 1:00pm Thursday January 2, 2020

Tropics Grille Tuesday January 7, 2020

#__ Member @ \$23 #__ Non-Member @ \$28 Phone # _____

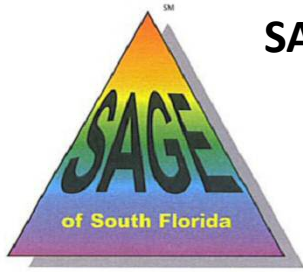
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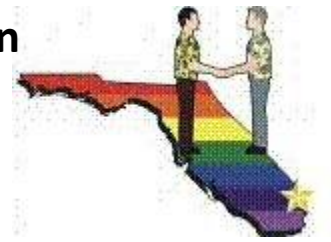
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present
Judy



January 17, 2020 at 1:30 pm
Pride Center, Main Hall

Winter 1968 and showbiz legend Judy Garland arrives in Swinging London to perform a five-week sold out run at The Talk of the Town. It is 30 years since she shot to Global Stardom in The Wizard of Oz, but if her voice has weakened, its dramatic intensity has only grown. As she prepares for the show, battles with management, charms musicians and reminisces with friends and adoring fans, her wit and warmth shine through. Even her dreams of love seem undimmed as she embarks on a whirlwind romance with Mickey Deans, her soon-to-be fifth husband. Featuring some of her best-known songs, the film celebrates the voice, the capacity for love, and the sheer pizzazz of “the worlds greatest entertainer.”

For many people, Judy Garland’s story is the story of Hollywood: a natural talent who grew up in front of the movie camera, the pressures of fame that consumed her, and the tragedy she eventually met. She comes to mind anytime we lose a star too early. Naturally, she’s a figure whose story still has the power to fascinate many, and in the movie “Judy” we revisit the last few months of her time on earth with us: the booing crowds, the empty bank accounts, and the custody battle to come. It’s less the portrait of the glamorous Judy Garland, forever young and singing “Somewhere Over the Rainbow” or “The Trolley Song,” and more the wounded figure still unsure if she could perform again the next night.



There will be free soda and popcorn served during the movie.

For those interested, there is an optional lunch planned before the movie at 12:00pm at Galanga’s Thai Restaurant, 2389 Wilton Drive (two blocks south of Five Corners). There is a 2 for 1 lunch menu with around 20 items priced \$10 to \$13 (i.e. \$5.00 -\$6.50 plus beverage per person)