

Boston Dyke March
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Dyke March Friday, June 13

Annually, Boston lesbians, bisexuals, queers, transwomen, and transmen come together to rally and march not only to demonstrate their pride but also to convey how much work is needed to overcome homophobia, transphobia, and hatred in Massachusetts and the nation. The Dyke March is for people of all races, cultures, and ethnicities and is an event for both politically active and non-political individuals to meet and unite. On Friday, May 13 the 9th Annual Boston Dyke March will begin with speakers at the Boston Common Gazebo, followed by a March which will conclude back on the Common with a rally including performers, informational tables from statewide organizations, and presenters representing the broad range of the queer community. Dyke March Committee Members will be available to news media for comment.

What: *Boston Dyke March: The Personal is Still Political*
A free, open-to-all event for lesbians and their allies.

Who: Over 1,000 dykes, lesbians, gay women, bisexuals, queers, transwomen, transmen, and their allies marching for political and cultural change. Performers will include poets, musicians, and political activists. The Dyke March is wheelchair, scooter, and stroller accessible. A van will be available for those who need to ride some or part of the route and don't have the use of a wheelchair or scooter. ASL interpreters will be present.

When: Friday, June 13, 2003
7:00 pm Gather
7:40 pm March Begins
8:40 pm Rally Begins

Where: Gathering at the Boston Common Gazebo near the Boylston T-stop.

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