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Warwickshire Pride is the primary
LGBT+ organisation in Warwickshire.
We run a number of services and
social events for LGBT+ people
across the county.



TESTIMONIALS

*"I really enjoy attending Warwickshire
Pride's social events, it's a great way of
building up the local community, making
new friends and having a great local
support network as a result."*

HEATHER ALICE-GRACE ORCHARD

*"I enjoyed all of the training, the way it was
delivered, the handouts, the open way in
which the session developed, it was so
helpful."*

TRAINING PARTICIPANT FEEDBACK

ART IN THE PARK 2022



SUPPORT GROUPS

Throughout the year we host a range
of LGBT+ social support groups such
as Proud Youth, LGBT+ coffee
mornings, TransTogether, and Proud
Parents.



SOCIAL EVENTS

Our headline event is our annual
Pride festival but we run physical and
virtual events throughout the year.



TRAINING

We deliver training to organisations
across Warwickshire including
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Warwickshire Pride 2026

Thank you for downloading or picking up a copy of this Pride Guide. You'll find it's packed with all the information you need to enjoy the big day.

As always, Pride is a protest. Once again that is our theme for this year. We chose this theme because Pride started as a protest many years ago and still needs to be a protest in which we rise up with Pride. LGBTQ+ people, and trans people in particular, are under attack from the Government, the media, people in positions of power and influence, and in communities. Then there are the anti-LGBTQ+ antics of the Reform administration at Warwickshire County Council. As an LGBTQ+ community, we need to stand up for ourselves and everyone in our community. We must stand up for trans people and trans rights. We must remember that Pride is still be a protest before it is anything else.

Of course, Pride can also be a celebration. We can celebrate our rights and freedoms, but it is vital that we also protest against the injustices that LGBTQ+ people face locally, nationally and around the world. Hate continues to rise. So, yes, celebrate and let Pride be what you want it to be, but let's not forget our roots and those who came before us. Let's not lose sight of what Pride is first and foremost about.

Everything you need to know about this year's Warwickshire Pride festival should be in this Pride Guide. But if you're unsure of anything, please head to the information stall (you'll find it's location on the site map on page 15 of this guide).

We would like to thank the following people and organisations that have helped to make Warwickshire Pride 2025 happen: Our headline sponsor National Grid, Coventry Building Society, Third Kind Games, Mister V Street Food, Bravissimo, Telent, and Glitzy Vintage Jewellery for sponsoring this year's Warwickshire Pride. Thank you to all our funders and everyone who has made a donation to help this event happen. Sponsorship and funding is way down this year, as it is with many other Prides. So, we appreciate those who have stuck with us and continued their genuine support of Pride even more.

Thank you to every stallholder and performer here today, and to everyone helping Warwickshire Pride to run smoothly. Volunteers are the backbone of the festival and we cannot praise these amazing people enough.

And you... Thank you for coming. Enjoy!

With love and Pride, from the board of trustees:

Daniel Browne Healey Moyes Alison Jones Edythe Wurtzler



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Aims

Warwickshire Pride is a charity working with and for LGBTQ+ people in Warwickshire. Warwickshire Pride promotes acceptance, understanding and respect of LGBTQ+ people.

Information

The **lost child** and **lost property** point is at the information stall, marked on the site map included in this Pride Guide.

Toilets are located along the path that runs alongside Dormer Place. All toilets are gender neutral and there is an accessible toilet available. Sadly, the Mobiloo with a hoist and changing bench was cancelled as the company went into administration. There are also toilets inside the Pump Rooms.

First Aid is available from Tolan Medical Services. They are located close to the vehicle entry/exit point (please refer to site map on page 15).

Please dispose of **rubbish** in the bins provided. Littering is not ok and it's unfair on volunteers who have to tidy up after everyone. We also get charged if the site is not left clean. So, please be responsible. Use the bins or take rubbish away.

Warwickshire Pride is completely **family friendly** and all people are welcome to enjoy the Pride celebrations.

Well behaved **dogs** are allowed on site and must be kept on leads. Please also clean up after your dogs. If it's a hot day, please leave your dogs at home.

The festival site is as **accessible** as possible. Please contact us if you require any further information.

An **information stall** is located on the festival site. Please refer to the map and stalls list on pages 13 -15 of this event guide to see its location.

You may take your own **food** to Warwickshire Pride, but there are lots of food vendors on site, so support these local businesses if you can.

Alcohol will be on sale from our Pride bar. There will be a Challenge 25 policy in operation, so please bring ID if you are lucky enough to look under 25. Please drink responsibly and be considerate of other people. Anyone too heavily under the influence of alcohol or drugs will not be served and will be asked to leave.

Warwickshire Pride runs from 11:00am - 6:00pm. As it takes place in a residential area, please respect local residents by leaving quietly. Let's not give people a reason to complain.



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Donate to Warwickshire Pride

Warwickshire Pride is a **FREE** event for the community to enjoy. However, it costs over £25,000 to put it on and costs rise each year at the same time as sponsorship and funding reduces.

Please help your local Pride by scanning the QR code and donating whatever you're able to afford. It all makes a difference and will help Warwickshire Pride to keep going and continue being a free event at a time when so many Prides are cancelling. Thank you for your support.

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THE MAIN STAGE

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11:30 - 12:00

Daniel Browne - Chair of
Warwickshire Pride

Councillor Sarah Boad, Mayor of
Royal Leamington Spa

Cal King

Heather Alice-Grace Orchard

12:00 - 1:00

Keith Clarke

Out in Cov Choir

S-Bars

Rachel Taylor

1:00 - 2:00

Dance Contest

Chaos

Sassi Afrika

2:00 - 3:00

Kitten von Mew

The Saturnos

3:00 - 4:00

Livin' Joy

Proud Youth

Doctor Woof

4:00 - 5:00

Rokat

Ciara

The Movement Project

5:00 - 6:00

Anita Bush

Expect a few surprises on the
day, plus more performer
announcements coming soon...

*Named performers, speakers and times are subject to
change, but are correct at the time of publication.*



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The Warwickshire Pride March

There will once again be a Pride March through the heart of Leamington Spa!

The march is free for members of the public to take part in. **Businesses, charities and groups must apply in advance** so we can carry out background checks before approving the application.

The march starts at 11:00am and the route is:

Beauchamp Road —> Clarendon Avenue —> Parade —> Dormer Place

And then on to the Pump Room Gardens, finishing at the main stage.

This is a walking march, so people and pooches only. Please assemble any time between 9:30am - 10:45am on the day on Beauchamp Road. Our team will be getting everyone into order, so please listen to what they say.

Bring signs, placards and flags. Feel free to dress up and get into the Pride spirit.

Come and be part of something fabulous and a first for Warwickshire Pride and for Warwickshire!

You don't have to be LGBTQ+ to take part.

There are no age restrictions.

The march is fully accessible.

A team of stewards will be on hand to assist anyone who needs help.

If it's a hot day, drink plenty of water and put on some sun cream.

If it's raining, take an umbrella and still get involved. The weather isn't going to stop the march happening.

This is an important, historic event and you are all welcome.

If there are any anti-LGBTQ+ protesters at the march, our advice is to ignore them and keep walking. There will be a Police presence in the town centre and they will take any action that is required to deal with anti-LGBTQ+ protestors that break the law.

Protesting is not against the law, so we have no power to get any anti-LGBTQ+ protestors removed. All we can do is ignore them and counter their hate with a massive show of Pride.



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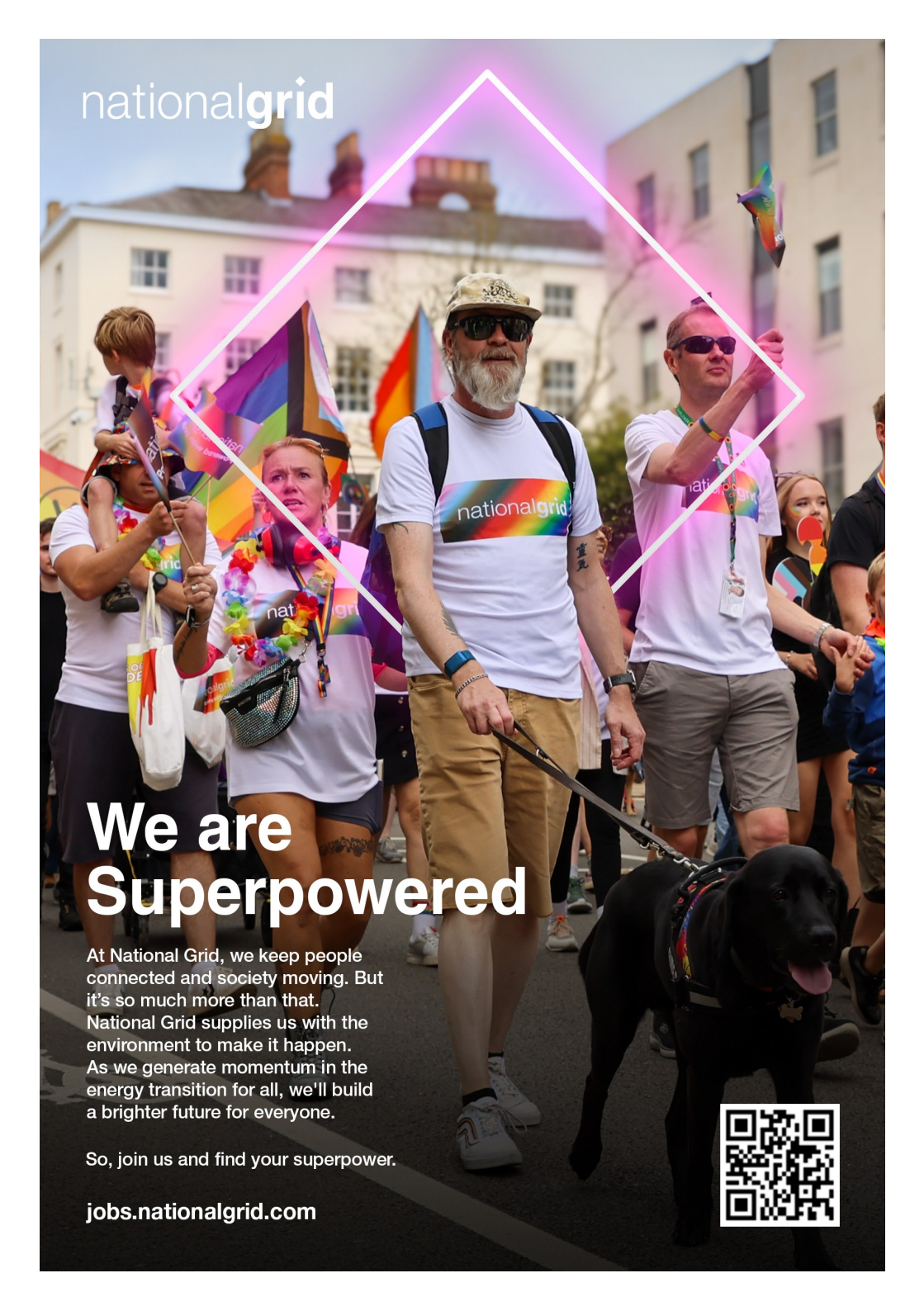
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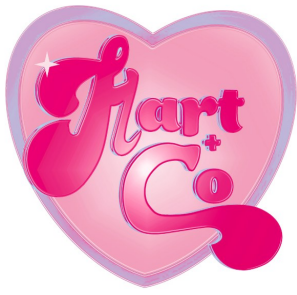
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Warwickshire Pride's LGBT+ Awareness Training *Helping your organisation become more LGBT+ aware*

Our LGBT+ awareness training is essential for any organisation wanting to support their LGBT+ staff and customers. Diversity and inclusion matters.

Sessions can be tailored to your needs but we also have a standard 3 hour LGBT+ awareness training session covering:

Terminology

Issues faced by LGBT+ people

Hate crime

Mental health

Challenging homophobic, biphobic and transphobic behaviour

How to make your service safe and welcoming for LGBT+ people

How to be an ally to LGBT+ people

To enquire or make a booking, please call 07580 532659 or email info@warwickshirepride.co.uk



Stalls List

1. Mister V Street Food
2. Chilli Guys
3. Bests Jamaican Cuisine
4. Appletons Catering
6. Snow White Catering
9. Street Food on Tap
11. Spice Fever
12. Churros Fusion
13. Amnesty International
14. ACE - Adoption Central England
15. Warwickshire Fostering
16. Warwickshire County Record Office
17. The Salvation Army of Leamington Spa
18. Healthwatch Warwickshire
19. EQUIP - Equality and Inclusion Partnership
20. This is Me Dorset
22. BHA for Equality and the LGBT+ Foundation
23. Sapphic Books
24. Old Leamingtonians Ladies Rugby Team
25. Warwick and Leamington LGBT+ Christians
26. Leftbians
27. Birmingham Unicorns Cricket Club
28. This is Queer
29. Warwickshire National Education Union
30. Out in Cov
31. Coventy Corsairs
32. Unity in Coventry
33. The Yard
34. National Grid
35. Victoria's Pamper Palace
36. Crossdressed UK
37. Sensual Passions
38. Hillman's Handmade
39. Penrose Place
40. Drty Glass
41. Dragged Out
43. EatTheRichArt
44. Glitzy Vintage Jewellery
45. Let's Glow Solihull
46. Made with Love Jewells and Smellies
47. Koukou
48. Kalas Crochet
50. Sweets Fudge & On Trend Gifts
52. Wicked Cookies
53. Roo Roos Chocolate and Sweet Emporium
54. Layerlabs
55. Ukipiragua
56. The Brownie Boss
57. Swirls
58. Boxed Drinks Coffee Truck
59. Swirl Street Social
60. Hart + Co
61. Bake Box
63. Sugar Catering
65. Mr Whippy Ice Cream
66. Gilly Jean Crafts
67. Urban Pocket Art
68. Escape Arts
70. Morrisons/Marie Curie
71. Refuge
72. Rethink Meeting of Minds
73. NHS Talking Therapies
74. ARC - Achieving Results in Communities
75. CWW Mind
78. Diabetic Eye Screening
79. Cycleways
80. Capll Ltd
81. CGLP805
82. Telent
83. Maternity and Neonatal Voices Partnership
84. NCT Parents in Mind
85. Orbit Housing Association
86. Pawprints Dog Rescue
87. Natural Skincare/Dog Welfare
88. Lottie Luvs
89. Bravissimo
90. Ali Laura Artistry
91. Bobble & Boo/Enchanted Curiosities

Stalls List

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| 92. Bombastik | 107. Warwickshire Wildlife Trust GenWild Committee |
| 93. RSPB | 108. Natural Plant Medicine |
| 94. ROSA | 110. Crafty but Nice |
| 95. Charity Link obo Breast Cancer Now | 111. Funky Fab Studios |
| 96. Safeline | 112. Bubble Boo |
| 97. Samaritans | 113. Glitter Kissed |
| 98. South Warwickshire Methodist Circuit | 114. MIJO MAKERS - Doris Creations and Gifts |
| 99. The Shakespeare Birthplace Trust | 115. Warwickshire Freemasons |
| 100. The Woodland Trust | 116. Action 21 |
| 101. The Myton Hospices | 119. Ali Laura Artistry |
| 102. ROSA | 120. Enchanted Goods |
| 103. Hellisio | 122. Pink Brownie |
| 104. Just Jules Artisan Jewellery | 123. Violet Project |
| 105. Unison | 124. NSPCC |
| 106. WWF | |

Listings are subject to change and are correct at the time of publication.

You will also discover the following stalls in the rainbow marketplace:

- Warwickshire Pride Information Tent
- Warwickshire Pride Youth Tent
- Warwickshire Pride Education Tent
- Warwickshire Pride Merch Tent
- Warwickshire Pride Trans Tent
- Warwickshire Pride Safety Tent
- Compton Verney's Sensory Folk Lounge

And if that wasn't enough, you will also find the Gay Classic Car Group displaying a range of classic cars within the rainbow marketplace.

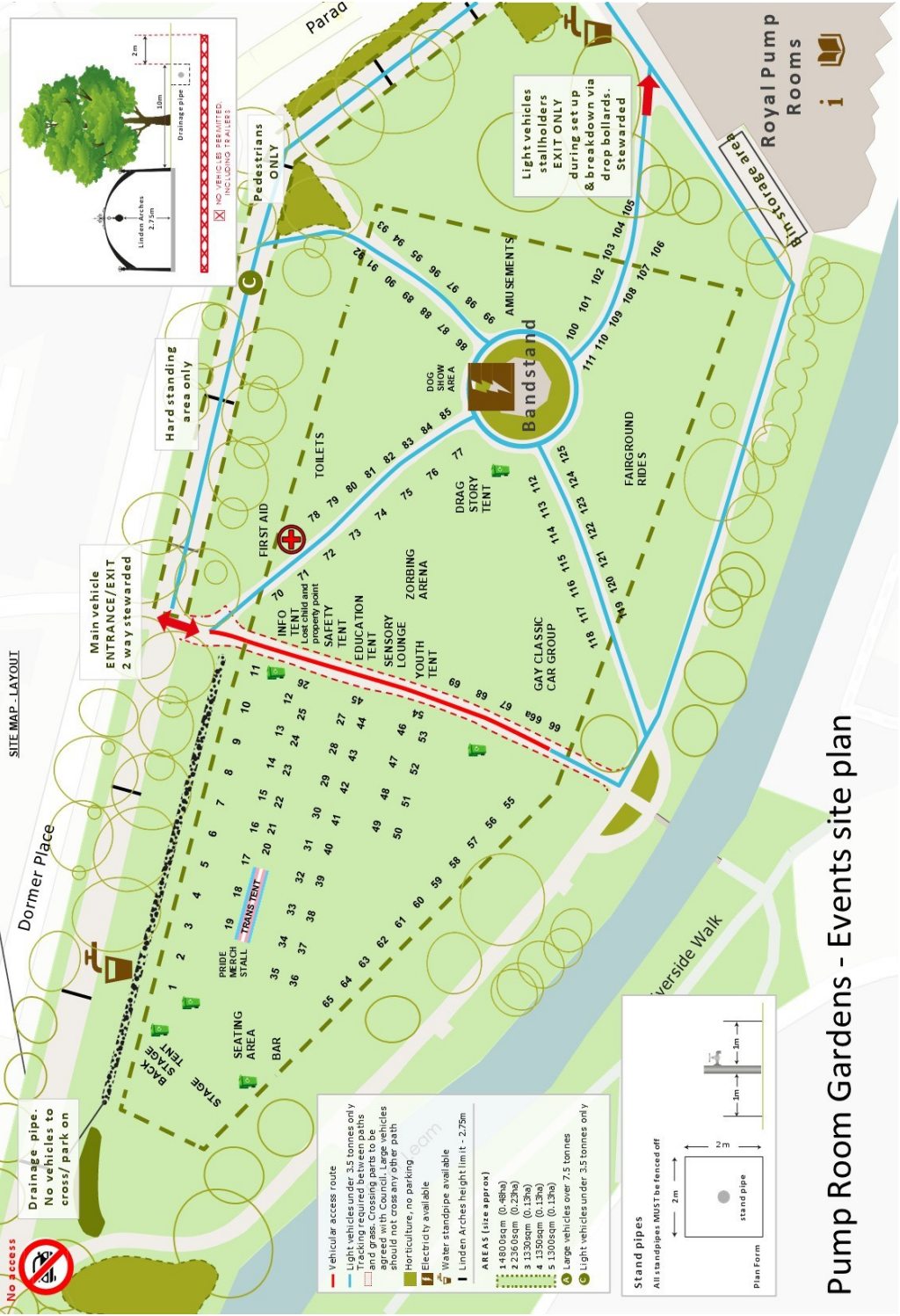
You will also find Coventry Building Society on the Bandstand. They will be providing wellbeing activities and running the Warwickshire Pride dog show.

Thank you to everyone who has booked a stall this year. It's the most number of stalls we've ever had, with a great mix of charity, community, trader and catering stalls.

Stall bookings help the festival to happen, so we really do appreciate everyone who is getting involved.

If you are interested in having a stall at Warwickshire Pride 2027, please email stalls@warwickshirepride.co.uk. We'll be in touch when bookings open in January.

SITE MAP - LAYOUT



Pump Room Gardens - Events site plan



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Trans Tent

As part of our commitment to ensure Warwickshire Pride is as welcoming as possible to the whole LGBTQ+ spectrum, this year we once again have a Trans Tent.

The Trans Tent is a safe, welcoming space for anyone who identifies as trans or non-binary. Allies are also welcome on the understanding the tent is a trans safe space.

We recognise that Pride is about more than white gay men. Although it's important that Pride does cater for that part of the community, it's equally important that everyone else who comes under the LGBTQ+ umbrella is represented at Pride too, especially groups under attack, such as trans people.

The Trans Tent will feature seating to chill out in a safe, welcoming and non-judgemental space, in addition to a changing space and clothing station where trans people can take away clothes for free, donate clothes to others, or exchange clothes. Information on local services will be available too.

There will also be free binders available. If you are under 18, you will need to have a conversation with one of the volunteers in the trans tent before being allowed to take a binder. This is so we can check you understand how to use a binder safely.

Please refer to page 15 of this event guide to see where the Trans Tent is on the map (look for the trans flag on the map).





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Warwickshire Pride Dog Show

The Warwickshire Pride dog show is returning to this year's festival, with the fabulous team from Coventry Building Society running it.

If you wish to enter your dog, please head to the Bandstand between 11:30am - 1:00pm to register.

The dog show will start at 1:30pm at the dog show area next to the Bandstand.

CLASSES

- Puppy pride – best youngster up to 12 months old
- Born this wag – best rescue/cross breed/tail energy
- Prettiest queen or king
- Mightiest mutt – larger breeds
- Tiny but mighty – smaller breeds
- Fur-ever proud – dog and owner

Entry is free. People can enter up to two categories. There will be rosettes and dog biscuits for the winner.

If the forecasted temperature at the time of the show is above 24 degrees, the dog show will not go ahead as it will be unsafe for dogs to be in direct sun.

The Bandstand will be open for dogs and their owners to have a rest with water bowls and snacks available.





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The Sensory Folk Lounge

We are excited to be working with Compton Verney to bring a sensory folk lounge to this year's Warwickshire Pride festival.

Welcome to Compton Verney's LGBT+ Folk Exchange!

Visit our sensory Folk Lounge and help us build an archive of creativity, pride and protest. We are celebrating previously suppressed forms of making and remembering inspired by queer folk speech from our collection. Make a memorial tag for somebody special, or leave one behind to help us reimagine Folk Art through your stories.





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Youth Tent at Warwickshire Pride

Pride is for people of all ages to enjoy. That's why the Youth Tent is back this year for 11 – 18 year olds.

Our team of DBS checked youth workers will be on hand providing information and advice. There will also be activities, games to play, and a chillout space. Please refer to page 15 to see where the Youth Tent is.

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*Three groups (Nuneaton, Rugby, and Leamington) are for 11 - 18 year olds. One group (Leamington) is for 18 - 25 year olds.

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Safe Haven: Supporting LGBTQ+ Asylum Seekers in Warwickshire

Safe Haven is a Warwickshire Pride project funded to support LGBTQ+ asylum seekers who have been placed in Warwickshire. LGBTQ+ people seeking asylum often face extreme isolation, poverty, and fear, particularly when navigating the asylum system and settling into a new area. There is also an increased risk of harm due to attitudes towards LGBTQ+ people. This project exists to provide safety, community, and practical support at a critical time in their lives.

How we can help:

Community Access and Inclusion

- Support you to attend Warwickshire Pride groups, events, and services.
- Create safe spaces where you feel welcome and supported.

Asylum Application Support

- Provide letters of support confirming your LGBTQ+ identity and that you attend our groups, events, and services.
- Offer guidance and signposting to other support and specialist advice.

Practical and Financial Support

- Provide funds to cover essential costs such as travel to appointments, groups, events, and services.
- Help with the cost of clothing and basic necessities if they are not already provided.
- Assistance with living expenses where hardship exists.

Safe Haven exists to reduce isolation, boost confidence, and improve wellbeing among LGBTQ+ asylum seekers, while providing community and connection at a critical time. It's about helping your needs to be met with dignity and the right kind of support.

Visit the Warwickshire Pride website for more information, or contact us in confidence if you need support.

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Come and visit us today in our chillout zone in the bandstand to find out more about our Proud Together colleague network and why we are a great place to work.

We are also proud to be hosting the Warwickshire Pride dog show – please bring your dogs along after the parade to enter.

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Warwickshire Pride Book Club

Leamington Library | First Thursday of every month | 5:45-6:45PM

Stratford Library | Second Saturday of every month | 12:15 - 1:15PM



Warwickshire Libraries



Warwickshire Pride meetups for 18-25

**Every Monday from
6:00pm - 8:00pm at Salino
Lounge, Leamington Spa.**





Proud Parents

The group for parents of LGBT+ people

Proud Parents is a group for parents and family members of lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans (LGBTQ+) people.

Meet new people
Share your experiences
Get advice and support

A warm and non-judgemental welcome is promised. Everyone is friendly and supportive.

Proud Parents is restarting in September 2026. It will be on the first Monday of each month from 6:30pm - 8:30pm at Salino Lounge in Leamington Spa town centre.

Please contact us for further details or if you would like to attend and one of our team will get back to you with all the information. You can also simply turn up when you want.

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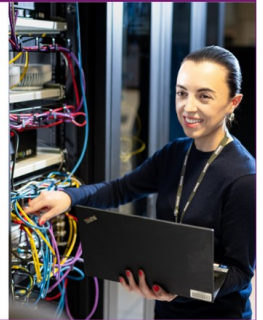
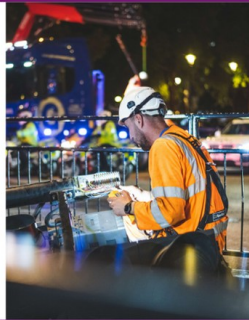
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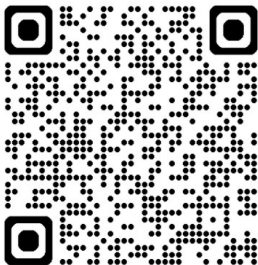




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Fairground Rides

Barkers funfair will be back at Warwickshire Pride with rides for children and big kids too.

There will also be a 'Last Person Standing' and target games brought to you by Aidan McLoughlin, who has been providing amusements and attractions at Warwickshire Pride for many years, as have Barkers funfair.

A new addition this year is the Zorbing Arena, where you can join others for some zorbing fun.

You can enjoy the rides, attractions, amusements, and zorbing all day. View the site map on page 15 to see where they will be.

The images are for illustration only.





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Safety Tent

If you are finding the festival a bit much and need some time out, head to the safety tent to relax and have some time out.

You can also go to the safety tent if you feel unsafe at the festival. Tell the volunteers there that you need help. If the volunteers are on a break and not in the tent, please go to the information tent instead.





Better to be **SAFE** than sorry.

Your safety is more important than your LUST

Follow these cautions before going on
a **Grindr** Date

1. Ask the person you are meeting for a recent face pic. If they won't send a pic, it's worth considering whether that is a red flag. While some guys like to be discreet, consider your safety if they want to be anonymous.
2. Ask to meet in a public place if that helps you feel more comfortable. It will give you an opportunity to meet the person before deciding if you want to go somewhere private and have sex with them.
3. Tell someone that you're meeting a person from Grindr. Let them know where and when you're going.
4. Be mindful of where you are in the world. In some countries it's illegal to be gay/LGBT+, or there are negative social views of it. This could put you at risk if you decide to meet someone in one of those countries.
5. Practice safer sex. Use condoms and get tested for STIs regularly. Safer sex is also about consent and only doing what you are comfortable with doing. You are allowed to say no.
6. If meeting for sex in a public place, be aware of your surroundings and your safety.

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The background is a teal color. A large, dark teal 'F' shape is on the left. A green rectangle at the top contains the word 'SAMARITANS' in white. Below it, the text 'Be you Be proud' is in large, dark teal letters. Further down, 'You can talk to us about anything that's troubling you' is in smaller dark teal letters. Below that, 'Call free day or night on' is in dark teal, followed by '116 123' in very large dark teal numbers. At the bottom, 'samaritans.org' is in dark teal. The bottom right corner features a rainbow-colored geometric design with diagonal stripes in red, orange, yellow, green, blue, and purple, and a pink and blue chevron shape on the left.

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COME AND WORK WITH US

Warwickshire Pride is a fantastic charity to be part of and we offer a variety of opportunities to work with us as we support the LGBT+ Community



TESTIMONIALS

"Being a Trustee allows me to use my skills to support the community. I've done it for years and love supporting all the activities."

HEALEY MOYES, TRUSTEE

"Being a Warwickshire Pride volunteer is like inheriting a huge sparkly multicolour family that's always there for you!"

TILLEN DENISE PIMLOTT, VOLUNTEER

"As part of a team of fantastic and supportive volunteers at Warwickshire Pride, if I can help to make visitors feel welcome, that is reward in itself."

ALEXANDRA YORK, VOLUNTEER



SPONSORSHIP

We have various sponsorship options for businesses to support our annual Pride event and be at the heart of the festival.



TRUSTEES

We seek individuals passionate about LGBT+ Issues to join our board of trustees and support the governance of this award-winning charity.



VOLUNTEERS

We encourage those with an interest in engaging with LGBT+ communities to consider becoming a Warwickshire Pride volunteer.

GET IN TOUCH WITH US TO FIND OUT MORE!



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Proud Counselling Warwickshire's LGBT+ Counselling Service

Proud Counselling is Warwickshire's LGBT+ counselling service run by Warwickshire Pride. The service provides a safe space where LGBT+ people can speak with counsellors who are LGBT+ themselves.

Proud Counselling is a pay what you can afford service. So, whether you can afford the full amount per session or can't afford to pay anything, it's all good. We also don't put a limit on the number of sessions you can have. Counselling is an individual experience, so you can have as many sessions as you feel you need.

To book an appointment, please visit:

www.warwickshirepride.co.uk/counselling

Appointments can take place at a therapy clinic in Leamington Spa town centre or online by Zoom or Whatsapp video call. The choice is yours.

If you're ready to have counselling that is inclusive, accessible, accepting and affirming, take your first step today and book an appointment.

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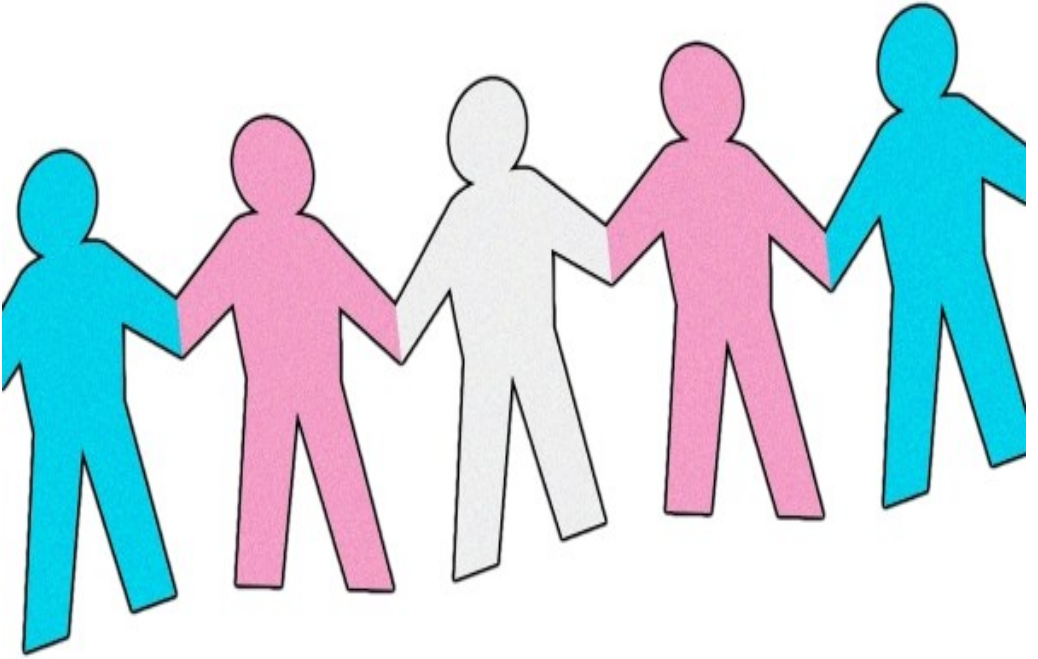
Donate to Warwickshire Pride

Warwickshire Pride is a **FREE** event for the community to enjoy. However, it costs over £25,000 to put it on and costs rise each year at the same time as sponsorship and funding reduces.

Please help your local Pride by scanning the QR code and donating whatever you're able to afford. It all makes a difference and will help Warwickshire Pride to keep going and continue being a free event at a time when so many Prides are cancelling. Thank you for your support.

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#PrideWithTheT

ALWAYS!



Thank you for visiting Warwickshire Pride. You have supported the local LGBTQ+ community and showed that you care about equality, diversity, inclusion and acceptance.

Warwickshire Pride is organised for all people to enjoy, and we hope that you have indeed enjoyed it. Warwickshire Pride will return next year for an even bigger celebration of LGBTQ+ culture and a huge protest for our rights and freedoms. Pop the date in your diary now... Saturday 21st August 2027!

In the meantime, why not check out the work we do throughout the year. We run a range of services and activities for LGBTQ+ people in Warwickshire. Have a look at the calendar on our website and come along to anything that takes your fancy.

We are much more than an annual Pride festival and there are many ways you can get involved. Please visit **www.warwickshirepride.co.uk** for details.

You can also make a donation via our website. Warwickshire Pride is free to attend, as are all of our support services. We rely on donations to keep going, and costs rise every year. A lot of Prides had to cancel this year. We don't want to be in that position. So, please help if you can.

Thank you.

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