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GAYS OF THUNDER BAY

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We're the Gays of Thunder Bay. Formed recently to serve the many needs of the gay community in the area. Although several meetings and social events have been held previously, up to now there has been no structured group.

At a meeting on May 20, a group gathered to form an interim executive and initiate plans for the future work to be done.

Among the highest on our list of priorities is the establishment of a club and permanent home for the organization. To raise the minimum target of \$2,000 to make this a reality, we are holding a series of social and educational events. They'll be informative and enjoyable.

Fundraising ideas include a possible bar-be-cue, picnic, film night and so on. The executive has decided to hold a mammoth social in a rented hall some time in the late summer.

We've opened an account at the Bay Credit Union and all profits from these events are deposited to raise our target of \$2,000.

Contributions of time, money and so on are always welcome. A receipt can be given for those requesting one but are not tax deductible.

The video taped program this evening is entitled the "Word is Out". This is a highly rated documentary on gay liberation.

COMING EVENTS:

The next scheduled General Membership meeting is Tuesday, June 3rd at this location. The meetings begin at 8:00 p.m. and you are more than welcome to attend. Your ideas and energy will make the Gays of Thunder Bay a success.

Membership meetings are generally held every second Tuesday.

YOUR IDEAS:

What to you ranks highest? A club? Small socials? Bingo? Take a moment to jot down your thoughts about your gay life and how you think it could be improved in our city. If you can not make it to a meeting, mail them to us. Your suggestions may be just what we're looking for. You can reach us through the following address:

G.T.B.,
c/o P. O. Box 2155,
Thunder Bay, P, Ontario.

MAILING LIST:

If you would like a copy of the minutes or our meetings or a newsletter mailed to you fill in the coupon below. A confidential list is being drawn up. If you wished to be phoned, indicate as well.

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the mailing list
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