The Prez Says

Fellow Prime Timers,

It is with a bittersweet feeling that I write my last letter as your president.



First, many thanks for entrusting me with the office of CPT President. It has been my privilege to serve you and it is my hope that I leave the club on a sound footing.

A special thank-you is in order to the board members that I served with: Scott B., Bob C., Ron D., Tom La, Larry L., Marvin L., Ray N. and Thom N.. We were like a well-oiled machine

where each fulfilled his role and generously worked with the others to ensure everything went smoothly. A strong shoutout to all of them.

Scott B. was the one who always did what he was asked to do and did it faithfully. He was a great support as the vice president. Tom La focused his attention on ensuring that the newsletter was accurate and interesting. Larry L. utilized fully his many community connections to ensure that there was a wide variety of speakers at the monthly socials as well as various activities during the month. Ray N. kept the financial records in order as well as faithfully welcoming people and collecting the fees at the monthly socials. They, along with me, will be leaving the board.

Bob C. sent out the periodic eblasts and helped to organize major events. Ron D. carried out a host of activities that included organizing neighborhood dining at various restaurants, securing sites for potlucks and wine and cheese and coordinating various cultural events. Marvin L. has dedicated many years to CPT and his current position is keeping the membership database in order as well as a proofreader and deliverer via email of the newsletter. Thom N. keeps accurate notes as board secretary to ensure that the board minutes are complete. They will be remaining on the board, which will ensure a continuity while at the same time the new members will be adding their own perspective.

Mark H. generously utilized his IT expertise to make sure the website was up to date and worked with Tom La and me to produce the monthly newsletter. Mark has a special talent to utilize technology to ensure that the many details are accurately presented while Tom La has a special affinity to the English language that he used to write his "Heard and Scene" columns as well as ferreting out grammatical errors and awkward expressions. A hearty thank you to both of you.

Thank you to **Russ B.** for chairing the nominating committee and its members - **William E., Frank G.** and **Gil N.** - for recruiting members for the upcoming board. The new board, after the membership approval, will then take up their duties. The board has a good combination of previous and new members; thus ensuring the presenting of new ideas while having the experience from the previous boards. A detailed listing of the incoming board members is listed on page 6.

Because of a previous commitment, I will not be at the December meeting. Nonetheless, I look forward to continue being a part of CPT as it continues its growth and serves as a vital element of the LGBTQ Community.

On behalf of the current board, thank you for the opportunity to be an important part of CPT.

Sincerely,



Chicago Prime Timers

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If you have any questions or would like to receive a membership application, send an email to

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www.ChicagoPrimeTimers.org

CPT Herald is emailed to its membership. For those who would like to receive a paper copy, a fee of \$8 per year is charged to partially cover the added expense.

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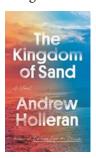
Upcoming Events

Book Discussion

The Kingdom of Sand by Andrew Holleran

Thursday, December 1, 2:00 p.m.

Larry L. has offered to host a book discussion on *The Kingdom of Sand* (258 pages) by Andrew Holleran, author of *Dancer from the Dance*. The discussion will be held at Larry's apartment in Chicago's Edgewater neighborhood.



In this tale of desire and dread, the nameless narrator is a gay man who moved to Florida to care for his aging parents during the height of the AIDS epidemic and never left. He chronicles the indignities and loneliness of growing old in a small town. His one friendship is with Earl, an older gay man he met twenty years previously while cruising the boat ramp. They meet weekly to watch classic films and critique the neighbors.

Now Earl's health is failing. Our narrator must face that after Earl dies, he will be completely alone with only sexual encounters at the video porn store and visits to Walgreens. His reflections on illness and death are at once funny and heartbreaking.

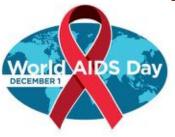
The Kingdom of Sand is available at libraries or for purchase at Amazon. Order the book now and let Larry L. know that you will participate.

Silent film Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood

Thursday, December 1, 7:00 p.m.

What made Robin Hood's men so merry? The answer lies in this silent film with live organ accompaniment at the Music Box Theater, 3733 N. Southport Ave., Chicago. See Douglas Fairbanks at the height of his athleticism and high jinks in this 1922 film. Admission is \$10.





Gay Art Exhibition -

Private Showing

The First Homosexuals: Global Depictions of a New Identity, 1869-1939

Thursday, December 8, 12:30 p.m.

At Wrightwood 659 659 W. Wrightwood Ave.

The term "homosexual" was first coined in Europe in



1869. Before then same-sex behavior was hidden. Now same-sex desire was viewed as the basis for a new identity category. Artists portrayed this new identity in their work. Twenty-three international scholars selected 100 artworks, many by major artists, for this exhibition.

Cost per ticket is \$15. Send a check for \$15 made out to GCCVSA to **Larry L.** by December 1.

I must give the museum a list of attendees beforehand. Include your email address and phone number should the museum send me rules which I need to share. Last time they expected all attendees to arrive at the same time. Be prepared to show your vaccination card with dates of vaccines and boosters. Bring a mask should the museum require it.

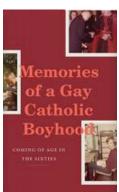
Public transportation or Uber is advised as street parking is extremely tight. SpotHero might identify parking garage spaces.

Questions? Contact Larry L.

John D'Emilio Presentation

Saturday, December 10, 11:00 a.m.

Author and CPT member John D'Emilio talks



about his memoir *Memories of a Gay Catholic Boyhood* for the LGBTQ discussion group at the Episcopal Church of the Atonement, Parish House, 2nd fl. 5749 N. Kenmore Ave. Many of us attended his presentation at the Open Social in October and found it to be most engaging and thought-provoking. Those who missed that presentation now have a second chance to experience it, while those who attended may want to explore the subject more deeply.

RSVP to Larry L. Free.

Pizza and Politics

Tuesday, December 20, 6:00-8:00 p.m.

PIZZA AND POLITICS

We said last month that we would not meet again if the political news was grim, but the post-midterm political landscape remains as fascinating as ever. **David Z.** invites you to share some good pizza and great conversation on Tuesday, December 20, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at his office in Chicago's Uptown neighborhood. The space is around the corner from the Clark Street bus stop on Clark and Wilson or a five-minute walk west from the Wilson stop on the red line. Parking is free on Wilson or the residential side streets or paid on Clark. The office is on the ground level (there are four steps down.) All points of view are welcome. David will order pizza from an Uptown spot. Please chip in \$5 for pizza and bring a sweet drink, ice, or fruit. RSVP so that David can plan the pizza order accurately.

Monthly Open Social

Sunday, December 11, 5:30 p.m.



Join us for our monthly Open Social at Ann Sather Restaurant, 909 W. Belmont Ave. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. with dinner served at 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$25, which includes a buffet dinner and tip. Following dinner, we will ring in the holidays with a cabaret act from PrideArts featuring Joe Lewis and Peter Stielstra with accompaniment by Anna Wegener.

Christkindlmarket

Thursday, December 15, 3:00 p.m.



At Gallagher Way, 3635 N. Clark St. Wander booths offering holiday decorations, beverages, and food. New this year is an ice-skating rink inside Wrigley Field. Admission to Christkindlmarket is free, but there is a \$5 fee to enter Wrigley Field.

Holiday Cabaret

Saturday, December 17, 1:30-4:00 p.m.



Lakeside Pride Wilde Cabaret performs a holiday show at Sidetrack, 3349 N. Halsted St. No cover. Pay for beverages.

Organ Concert

Sunday, December 18, 3:00 p.m.



Join us for a free organ concert at Madonna della Strada Chapel, 6453 N. Kenmore Ave., on the Loyola University Lakeshore Campus. Madonna della Strada Chapel is home to Goulding and Wood Opus 47, the Katheryn "Kay" Stamm Memorial Organ. Peter Morey, Organist.

Peter Morey



Holiday High Tea

Tuesday, December 27, 3:00-6:00 p.m.



With Larry L. and Thomas N. Celebrate the season with a wide selection of teas beside the Christmas tree with a serenade of holiday music. RSVP to Larry by December 20 and tell him what you will bring — fancy pastries, cut-up fruit, teatime sandwiches, etc. Indoor pay parking available. Free.

Book Discussion

Shortest Way Home by Pete Buttigieg



Larry L. has offered to host a book discussion on *Shortest Way Home* by Pete Buttigieg. The date is not set yet, but it would be mid-February at the earliest, so you will have plenty of time to acquire a copy of the book and read it before the discussion. Written in 2019 when Buttigieg was age 37 and mayor of South Bend, Indiana, the book interweaves two narratives, that of a young gay male Episcopalian coming of age and the tale of a Rust Belt industrial

city regaining its economic vitality. Buttigieg attracted national attention and respect when he ran for president. He sits in President Biden's cabinet as the Secretary of Transportation.

Please contact Larry if you would like to join discussion. Be sure to include your contact info and let him know what times work best for you.

The discussion may also be attended by members of Gay Book Club, Rainbow SIG Mensa, and Queers at Atonement. Covid precautions are to be determined depending upon the vicissitudes of the virus through the winter months.

Other Prime Timers are welcome to submit articles about their areas of interest that they think may be useful and beneficial to the *Prime Timer membership.*

Swim and Dine

Thursday, December 22, 10:00 a.m.



At Edgewater Beach Apartments, 5555 N. Sheridan Road in Chicago's Edgewater neighborhood. We will meet in the lobby. Bring a swimsuit, towel, padlock, hair dryer, and togs. Swim in the beautiful, newly opened, large indoor pool. Following our swim, join fellow Prime Timers for lunch at a nearby restaurant. Paid indoor valet parking is available. This event is limited to five participants, so call Larry L. without delay to reserve your spot. You must speak directly with Larry; do not just leave a message.

Holiday Theatergoing

Our very own **David Z.** has curated a fabulous assortment of theatrical experiences for the holidays. Please follow instructions for purchasing tickets online, but if you're not able to do so, you may contact David.

Sunday, December 4, 3:00 pm Center on Halsted



Handbag Productions is thrilled to ring in the holiday season with the return of its favorite seniors in *The* Golden Girls: The Lost Episodes, The Obligatory Holiday *Special.* The holidays take an unexpected turn for the gals when they find out that the infamous Shady Pines Retirement Community is on the verge of closing, leaving most of Sophia's friends homeless for the holidays. Can the girls step in and save the day in time for Christmas? These questions and many more you never asked will be answered in this newest installment of *The Golden Girls*: *The Lost Episodes.* The production features original cast members David Cerda, Grant Drager, Ed Jones and Ryan Oates as the Geriatric Fab Four, joined by Lori Lee, Terry McCarthy, Michael Miller, Michael Rashid, Coco Sho-Nell, Jamie Smith and Danne W. Taylor. The performance

is at the **Hoover-Leppen Theater** on the 3rd Floor of Center on Halsted, 3656 N. Halsted. Tickets for CPT members should be purchased individually here. Use the code Prime to get discounted tickets.

> Saturday, December 10, 2:00 pm Beverly Arts Center

CPT member **David Z.** directs *The Christmas Schooner* at **Beverly Arts Center**, and CPT members are invited to join a group on Saturday, December 10 at 2 pm. Reuniting with Z. and The Christmas Schooner is Jeremy Ramey, the former Resident Music Director of Theo Ubique Cabaret Theatre, and a cast of 16! The *Christmas Schooner* is based on the true story of the *Rouse* Simmons, a Great Lakes schooner whose captain during the late 19th century risked life and limb to transport fir trees from Michigan's Upper Peninsula to Chicago. Following the musical's 1995 premiere directed by **David Z.** at Bailiwick Rep, it became a Chicago holiday tradition. Order tickets <u>here</u>. The Beverly Arts Center is located at 2407 W. 111th Street, Chicago. After the show, Prime Timers are invited to join Z. and have an exceptional burger at Manzo Burger across the street from BAC.

Saturday, December 17, 7:30 pm **PrideArts Center**

lack Off the Beanstalk, a holiday panto, was written by Tom Whalley, arguably the leading panto artist of Great Britain. Jack and his mother, Dame Trott, live in a tiny cottage in the shadow of a terrible giant. With the rent overdue, they have no choice but to sell their beloved bovine pal, Fist the Cow. After tricking the Trotts into selling her for a bag of worthless beans, the villainous henchman Fleshlight kidnaps Princess Jill for the giant's supper. With the help of Fairy Flick Bean, will Jack be able to rescue them before they're swallowed whole? PrideArts is proud to present the US premier of this very adult British panto. Due to the nature of the material, no one under 18 will be admitted. With audience participation involving call-and-response reactions and with alcoholic drinks (available in the lobby for a donation) allowed inside the theater, the audience experience will be as much a party as attending a live performance. Purchase tickets here. PrideArts Center is at 4139 N Broadway, Chicago. Use the code Prime to save \$10. That discount code is valid only for 12/17.

Find us on



CPT members in good standing are invited to join our private Facebook group. We hope that you'll find this to be a useful resource for connecting with other members and learning of late-breaking news about events.

Widowers Group

Sunday, December 18, 1:00 p.m.

The topic for this month is "How to get through the holidays?" and it will be via Zoom.

Click on the link below to join the meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89655431447?pwd=T0F2T0Ywd2QzcEJ3M3UyanRGQUZiUT09

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You can also reserve at the Meetup site https://www.meetup.com/LGBT-Widows-and-Widowers-Support-Group-Meetup/. (You must sign up for Meetup to fully use it.)

Dame Myra Hess Memorial Concerts

Every Wednesday, 12:15 p.m.

Enjoy a delightful concert, free of charge, at the Seventeenth Church of Christ, Scientist at the corner of Wabash Ave. and Wacker Dr. After the concert, everyone is invited to lunch at a nearby restaurant. Contact **Ron D.** for more information.





CPT Board News

The Nominating Committee is happy to announce the following names for all incoming board positions.

President	David Z.
Vice President	Alan F.
Secretary	Thom N.
Treasurer	Bob M.
Membership	Marvin L.*
Entertainment & Outreach	
Social Events	Ron D.*
Special Events	Paolo A.
Newsletter	Mark H.*
Publicity	Bob C.*
* Existing position holder	

A hearty vote of thanks to those who chose be on the incoming Board as well as to the committee members who worked diligently to recruit the members: Russ B., William E., Frank G. and Gil N.

The next Board meeing will be *Monday, December 12, 7:00 p.m.* https://zoom.us/j/8251754745























Dec. 02	David K. & Garnet F.
Dec. 05	Jack M. & Tom B.
	Patrick C. & Armand I.

WELCOME

Luis B.

Ray B.

Franklyn B.

Paul B.

Paul D.

David E.

Richard E.

Glen G. & Gregory R.

Dean G.

Steve H.

Mark H. & Rick K.

Jim H.

James M.

Mike O.

David R.

Randall T.

Jamie V.



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Dec. 06	Kevin W.
Dec. 07	Leland B.
Dec. 08	Thom N.
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Dec. 24	Luis B.
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Board of Directors' Minutes

CHICAGO PRIME TIMERS ZOOM BOARD MEETING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2022

Present: Scott B., Bob C., Ron D., Tom La, Larry L., Marvin L., Tom Lo., Ray N., and Thomas N..

Guests: Russ B., Alan F.

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m.

The Agenda was approved by consensus.

Approval of Minutes of October 17, 2022 was moved by Marvin and seconded by Ray. The motion passed unanimously.

President's Report: 1) He worked with Tom and Mark formatting and publishing the newsletter. 2) He signed the contract with Michael's Catering and was present at the event at Gerber-Hart. A special thanks to Paolo A. who worked tirelessly on the event.

Vice-President's Report: Scott reported that three membership forms were received – Larry G. & Roger B. (couple), John M., and Jim S.

Treasurer's Report: Ray reissued the September report, CPT checking balance was \$5,437.60. The CPT savings balance was \$12,000.10. The total of all accounts was \$17,437.70. The October CPT checking balance is \$4,065.96. The October savings balance is \$12,000.20. The total of all accounts is \$16,066.16.

Education and Outreach Report: Larry reported on the following:

- 1) December 1, book discussion re: Andrew Holleran's The Kingdom of Sand at the apartment of Larry L.. Free.
- 2) December 8, Wrightwood 659. The First Homosexuals, private viewing. \$15 pay in advance. Repeat information from the November bulletin.
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Old Business: The October event at Gerber-Hart Library was a success. **Paolo A.** coordinated the library's participation. While **Tom Lo.** coordinated the food.

New Business: 1) The Nominating Committee is still working on the slate of members. 2) The survey of the Membership is still in construction.

The next meeting will be December 12, 2022, at 7 p.m.

The meeting was moved for adjournment at 8:23 p.m. by Marvin, and seconded by Ray. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Thomas N., Secretary.

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