



# San Jose ♦ Peninsula Newsletter

EXTRA—February 2016

Parents, Families, Friends,  
LGBTQ People and Allies,  
United for Equality

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P.O. Box 2718, Sunnyvale, CA 94087

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## San Mateo Meeting — Location Change!

Our San Mateo group will meet in a new location, beginning this month:

**Michaels Arts & Crafts Store**  
**2925 S. El Camino Real**  
**San Mateo CA 94403**

Michaels is located next door to Ana Furniture, and across the street from Sears (Hillsdale Mall). The community meeting room is in the right rear corner of the store. Michaels has a large parking lot! ▼

## San Jose Meeting Program

February 10 — 7:30 pm

Anthony Ross of Outlet will be the guest speaker. Outlet serves LGBTQ youth in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. ▼



**Annual Community/PWG  
PFLAG Fundraiser:  
Women's Dance  
with DJ Page Hodel**

Saturday, February 20, 6:30 — 11:00 PM

### FOR WOMEN ONLY

Twin Pines Senior & Community Center, Belmont  
1223 Ralston Avenue (2 blocks west of El Camino)

6:30-8:00 pm — lower volume and pace.  
8:00-11:00 pm — volume and pace pick up!  
You can bring your own dinner. Beverages and snacks will be available. No outside beverages allowed.

Please send your check payable to Wendy Mines to:  
Wendy Mines /Eleanor Sue  
734 Marion Avenue  
Palo Alto, CA 94303  
\$15 advance purchase  
\$20 after February 15  
Your tickets will be held at the door. No refunds.

For information contact Wendy or Eleanor: [wene@comcast.net](mailto:wene@comcast.net)  
For information about PWG (Peninsula Women's Group):  
<http://peninsulawomensgroup.org> ▼

## Meeting Calendar

◀ FEBRUARY ▶



- Feb. 8 San Mateo Support - 7:00 pm**  
Michaels Arts & Crafts Store  
2925 S. El Camino, San Mateo  
(2nd Monday of the month)
- Feb. 10 San Jose Support - 7:30 pm**  
First Congregational Church  
1980 Hamilton Ave. (at Leigh)  
(2nd Wednesday of the month)
- Feb. 6 Parents, Family & Friends of Transgender Children - 10 am**  
1017 Middlefield Rd., Redwood City  
(1st Saturday of the month)
- Feb. 18 Straight Spouse Support-7:30 pm**  
Call our Helpline for info.  
(3rd Thursday of the month)
- Feb. 18 Board Meeting online - 7:30 pm**  
(3rd Thursday of the month)  
**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**GILROY** and other locations:  
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**March Newsletter Deadline:**  
Friday, February 19

*This Extra Issue  
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We need your help — Call today!**

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Your contribution is tax-deductible to the full extent provided by law.

San Jose Meetings are 7:30—9:30 PM  
San Mateo Meetings are 7:00—8:30 PM

Small group support is offered at all meetings.  
Light refreshments are served at all meetings.

**▼ PFLAG'S MISSION**

We provide love and support for all family members and friends. We work to create an environment of understanding so that our gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender loved ones can live with dignity and respect. These are our goals:

**SUPPORT • EDUCATION • ADVOCACY**

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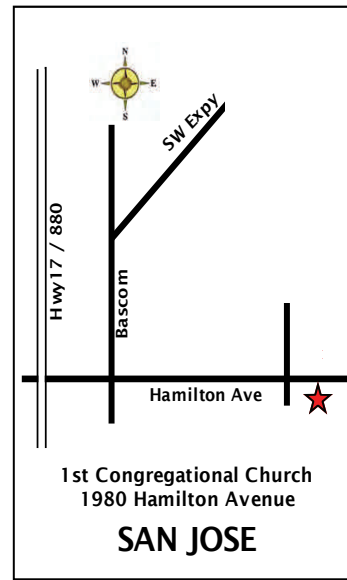
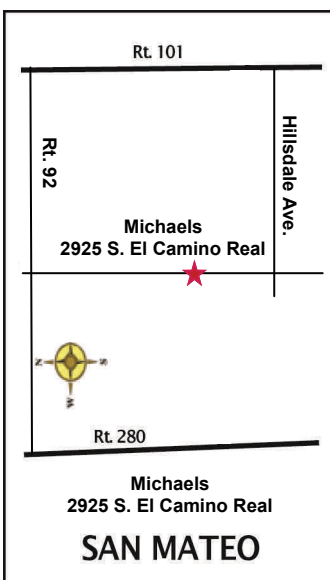
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**WHAT IS PFLAG?**

**PFLAG** is a national support, education and advocacy organization for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender (GLBT) people, their families, friends and allies. With 200,000 members and supporters, and local affiliates in more than 500 communities across the U.S. and abroad, PFLAG is the largest grassroots-based family organization of its kind. PFLAG is a nonprofit organization and is not affiliated with any religious or political institutions.

Your financial support makes PFLAG's work possible. As a chapter member you can also become engaged in the vital work of providing support, education and advocacy in your community. Even if you're not sure that you need PFLAG, remember that **PFLAG NEEDS YOU!**



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