

# From the Office of Mental Health Promotion Issue: June 18, 2012

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#### Search for Sanity

What: Search for Sanity, a TV special shot inside the Hudson River State Hospital in 1954, sets the stage for a special preview of a work-in progress about the former Rochester State Hospital's high rise on Elmwood Avenue, and the lives that were indelibly changed within its walls. Q&A with Dr. Laurence Guttmacher, Bob Riley and filmmaker Dylan Toombs

Where: Cinema Theatre, 957 S. Clinton Ave

When: Tuesday, June 26th 7pm

More information: For tickets and more information, www.thereelmind.com (585) 325-3145

ext. 100

#### Miss Puerto Rico of Rochester Pageant

**What:** Come support these young women showcase their talent and culture as we look to crown our new winners.

Where: Rochester Museum & Science Center, 657 East Ave Rochester, NY

When: Saturday June 30<sup>th</sup>, 3pm

More information: Visit our new website <a href="www.prfestival.com">www.prfestival.com</a>. Feel free to email

president@prfestival.com for any questions.

**Cost:** \$10.00

#### **Executive Jibaritos Networking**

**What:** Come join us as we have our networking event. Females wear your country's flower in your hair or colors for a chance to win Puerto Rican Festival tickets. Males are encouraged to wear Guayaberas.

Where: Tapas, 177 St. Paul St Rochester, NY

When: Friday July 6<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm

More information: Visit our new website <a href="www.prfestival.com">www.prfestival.com</a>. Feel free to email

president@prfestival.com for any questions.

Cost: Free!

## **Healing through Loss: A Two Day Retreat for Practitioners**

What: This two day retreat is designed to discover your inner strength through the exploration of the many facets of grief and loss. As practitioners, we are often confronted with the issue of loss brought in by our clients. Helping others through their journey asks that we become aware of our own experience within the grieving process. Through equine assisted exploration, art, Native American ritual, music and discussion, an arena of opportunities to learn how to incorporate dealing with loss into your professional and personal life, will be considered.

Where: Windhorse Farm, 75 Walker Road, Hilton, New York 14468

When: July 6 - 7, 2012 9am to 3pm

More information: Registration contact: Kimberly Henry (865)233-3090,

kkhenry@manesupport.org www.manesupport.org Fee is \$300 and lunch is included.

Reservations are required. No horse experience needed. All activities are unmounted.

## African American Network Annual Family Gathering

**What:** Free event Sponsored by the African-American Network at the University of Rochester. Includes Live DJ, games, face painting, network, eating, and relaxing

Where: Genessee Valley Park

When: Thursday, July 12, 4:30-8pm

More information: Please RSVP by June 29th to Denise at

<u>denise\_harris@urmc.rochester.edu</u> and receive a ticket. Please contact the African-American

Network at the University of Rochester (585) 276-3259 ext 2

## Pride Parade

What: The University's participation in this event is currently being organized by the

Diversity and Inclusion Committee and the Pride Alliance at the University of Rochester, with the hope of having a strong ally visibility. Please consider showing your support by joining us for this fun event. Please wear University of Rochester-related clothing

Where: Line-up from 2:30 to 3:30 pm on Brunswick/Argyle Streets Parade Route: Park

Avenue to Goodman Street to College Avenue.

When: Saturday July 14<sup>th</sup>2012

More information: Please RSVP if you plan to join us at <a href="mailto:pridealliance@rochester.edu">pridealliance@rochester.edu</a>

#### Reminders

- Please consider applying your attendance for any events that might meet the
  objectives for independent study credit hours in order to complete your cultural
  competence training requirements (minimum of 3 credit hours) for the Department
  of Psychiatry.
- To see any past Stepping Out newsletters, please visit our OMHP homepage for the Stepping Out Archives at <u>Psychiatry Department</u>: <u>Office of Mental Health</u> <u>Promotion</u>

For more information on events in the community check out the <u>DBSA Website</u>

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