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**Tuesday, April 5**
**1:40 PM**
**NB L.68**

**Luncheon Support Group**
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**Wednesday, April 6**
**6:00 PM**
**Racquetball Court (4th floor of Haaren Hall)**

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**Thursday, April 7**
**7:00 PM**
**NB 9.64**

**Objection Honey!**
Join us as we invite a host of drag queens to take the stand in a Mock Trial event. Find evidence, try your hand at a trial and let's make it queer!

**Contact:** [Spectra Club](mailto:SpectraClub@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Friday, April 8**
**12:00 PM**

**Safe Zone Allyship Training (open to students only)**
Learn how you can support and become an ally for LGBTQIA+ students, staff & faculty in our John Jay Community. Please note these trainings will take place via Zoom and require cameras to be on.

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**Monday, April 11**
**1:40 PM**
**Haaren Hall 228**

**LGBTQ+ Military Heritage Celebration: Recognizing the Accomplishments of LGBTQ+ Service Members in the US Military Throughout History**
With keynote speaker, James Fitzgerald, retired US Army combat infantryman (Iraq and Afghanistan), wounded warrior, and advocate for veteran and military families. John Jay veteran and military students also will participate in the ceremony. Lunch will be served.

**Contact:** [Military and Veteran Services](mailto:rspsateri@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Tuesday, April 12**
**1:40 PM**
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**Wednesday, April 13**
**10:00 AM – 3:00 PM**
**NB Atrium**

**TABLING: Gaypril Celebration**
Join us at the atrium as we inform you of all the great events taking place during the month of April! You will also have a chance to receive resources, prizes and more!

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**Wednesday, April 13**
**1:40 PM**

**Hormone Replacement Therapy w/ Folx Health**
In collaboration with Folx Health, in this workshop students will be able to learn more about Hormone Replacement Therapy, the pros and cons, what to expect and steps to take to begin the process.

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**Wednesday, April 13**
**6:00 PM**
**Racquetball Court (4th floor of Haaren Hall)**

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**Thursday, April 14**
**1:40 PM**

**BDSM 101**
An event where members learn from instructors the basics of BDSM and the history of shibari.

**Contact:** [Spectra Club](mailto:SpectraClub@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Monday, April 25**
**1:40 PM**
**East End Student Dining Hall**

**Celebrating the LGBTQ+ Immigration Students through Art**
Join The Immigrant Student Success and the LGBTQ+ Resource Center in this event to celebrate the LGBTQ+ immigrant community during Gaypril by painting.

**Contact:** [Immigrant Student Success Center](mailto:Divrav@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Tuesday, April 26**
**1:40 PM**

**Queer Prom Reception**
A virtual prom for the members to celebrate being queer and being proud! Spectra hosts this prom to allow members who didn’t have a prom to be celebrated.

**Contact:** [Spectra Club](mailto:SpectraClub@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Tuesday, April 26**
**1:40 PM**
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**Tuesday, April 26**
**6:00 PM**
**9th Floor Conference Room**

**Comedy Night**
Relax with food and an evening of comedy with our face-tattooed funny man, Shayne Smith! He’ll be stopping here smack dab in the middle of his Prison for Wizards tour, so don’t pass his humor up!

**Contact:** [Center of Student Involvement & Leadership](mailto:Jsalama@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Wednesday, April 27**
**1:40 PM**
**Jay Walk**

**LGBTQ+ Pride Picnic**
This will be John Jay’s first pride picnic that will take place on the Jay Walk. This event is to encourage networking amongst the student body. Lunch will be provided or you can bring your own.

**Contact:** [Theater & Events Support Services](mailto:Dvivar@jjay.cuny.edu)

**Wednesday, April 27**
**6:00-8:00 PM**
**West End Dining Hall**

**Drag Bingo w Monet x Change**
You don’t have to be old to enjoy a game of bingo, especially when RuPaul’s Drag Race Drag Bingo w Monet x Change.

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**Thursday, April 28**
**1:40 PM**
**NB L.270.13**

**LGBTsa 4**
A place where LGBTQ+ members can casually meet in the virtual space and vent about their frustrations.

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**Friday, April 29**
**12:00 PM**

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