

**IYG WISH LIST as of 8/12/09** ( \* For donation of *Italicized items*, please contact IYG for details)

**Fun items for Center:**

1. *Karaoke Machine\**
2. *Karaoke discs that work with the player\**
3. *New or gently used LGBT-themed books* (appropriate for ages 12 thru 21)\*
4. Nintendo Wii with four controllers and games.
5. X-box
6. Games for X-box 360
7. Various board games for small to large groups:
  - Apples to Apples*
  - Bananagram*
  - Sorry!*
  - Clue*
  - Othello*
  - Touche'*
8. Commercial grade, movie theater style popcorn machine
9. Art Supplies:
  - Pre-stretched Canvases
  - Craft supplies (string, beads, etc.)
  - Drawing paper
  - Paint
  - Paint brushes
  - Professional artwork (for our annual Art Auction)
  - Clay (not modeling)
  - Plaster Strips
  - Sculpting wire
  - Sculpting mesh
10. LGBT themed (PG-13 rated or better) DVD movies(Some suggestions below):
  - Happy Texas*
  - Beautiful Thing*
  - Maurice*
  - Looking for Langston*
  - Object of my Affection*
  - Connie and Carla*
  - All Over the Guy*
  - The Celluloid Closet*
  - The Truth About Jane*
  - Saving Face*
  - Latter Days*
  - Wilde*
  - Get Real*
  - Imagine Me and You*
  - Prom Queen*

*Black is, Black Ain't*  
*Quinceanera*  
*Better than Chocolate*  
*Desert Hearts*  
*Iron Jaw Angel*  
*Gray Matters*  
*Trans America*  
*Prayers for Bobby*  
*For The Bible Tells Me So*

**Practical Items for Center:**

1. Fifteen passenger van
2. Lowes gift cards, for various upkeep in the Center
3. Staples gift cards for clerical needs
4. Laminating machine and sheets
5. Paper pads (8.5 x 11 & legal size)
6. Pens
7. Staples gift cards
8. Copy paper (white and colors)
9. Cases of soda (cans please)
10. Sturdy disposable plates (recyclable plastic if possible), plastic-ware, napkins, plastic Solo cups (9 – 12 oz)
11. Toilet Paper, SofPul Brand Paper Towels for bathroom/kitchen dispensers,
12. paper towels
13. Cans of air freshener
14. *Large recycling bin for kitchen with spaces for paper, plastic and cans\**
15. Wall mounted coat hooks
16. Picnic table. (non-wood)
17. Park benches (sturdy metal or heavy plastic)
18. New refrigerator with ice maker
19. Deep Freeze chest
20. *New furniture for new media center (small table and chairs, lamps, etc)\**
21. *Brochure holders/racks\**
22. *Kitchen cabinets\**
23. *Grass seed patch\**
24. *Mini- or plantation blinds\**
25. *Wall/Ceiling paint\**
26. *Collapsible canopy tent\**
27. *Waterproofing (for exit staircase)\**
28. *Concrete yard tiles\**
29. AA & AAA batteries
30. Dish cloths, kitchen towels
31. *First aid supplies\**
32. Flashlights
33. Frozen entrees and healthy snacks

34. 16 x 20 and 16 x 25 furnace filters
35. Charcoal and a large charcoal grill
36. Liquid hand soap
37. 30 or 35 gal. drawstring lawn trash bags
38. Tall kitchen drawstring garbage bags
39. Toilet bowl cleaner
40. Various cleaning chemicals (CLR, Glass Plus, Clorox Cleaner w/ Bleach, Murphy's Oil Soap, Spot Shot)

**Small gift ideas for Youth (i.e. Holiday Gifts) :**

1. DVDs (new releases, with gift receipts if possible)
2. iTunes gift cards
3. Gift cards for various stores (Borders, Target, Simon Malls, Movie theatres, Old Navy, Out Word Bound, restaurants, etc)
4. Rainbow gear (pride jewelry, stickers, etc). (try Out Word Bound! They give discounts for bulk orders)
5. Various hand held electronic games
6. Candy
7. Gift cards for food
8. Gas cards
9. Knick-knack toys (Magic 8 Balls, etch-a-sketch type things)

**Building Maintenance/Upkeep Wish List**

1. Ceiling tiles (not suspended ceiling) in front living room need repaired and painted.
2. Build steel cages to surround our flood lights and A/C units outside. Previous A/C unit had been stolen and scrapped for parts.
3. Repair sagging suspended ceiling in large group room (the Pit, as we call it).
4. Replace several missing recessed lighting rings in the Pit.(few dollars each, approximately 3 or 4)
5. Slow sink in kitchen, needs snaked.
6. Replace rotted floor section in front of sink. This was damaged apparently from previously leaking pipes below sink.
7. Need several new floor registers (some are odd shaped)
8. Update window coverings in Kitchen, Pit, and Living room.
9. Patch hole from tree stump in parking lot with new blacktop.
10. Deadbolt for upstairs door
11. Replace cracked siding in front of house.
12. Paint new markings in parking lot for direction (i.e.: enter with arrow pointing) and parking spaces.

**Underwriters for Youth Activity Center Costs:**

1. Alarm System \*
2. Banners and signage\*
3. Booths @ PRIDE Festivals\*
4. Bottled Water \*
5. Cable TV \*

6. DSL Internet Line \*
7. Electricity \*
8. Fax Line \*
9. Letterhead and matching envelopes\*
10. Marketing brochure\*
11. Natural Gas \*
12. Internet Access \*
13. Postage \*
14. Repairs & Maintenance \*
15. Telephone\*
16. Trash Collection \*

**Youth Activity Center:**

**Building Upkeep:**

1. *Annual AC & furnace inspections/cleaning\**
2. *Carpet cleaning\**
3. *Duct cleaning\**
4. *Annual lawn fertilizer/weed killer service\**
5. *Annual leaf removal\**
6. *Mulch\**
7. *Parking lot sealing and striping service\**
8. *Tree limb removal, hauling\**

**Underwriters/Supplies - Youth Social Activities:**

1. Valentine's Day party\* - \$100
2. LGBT youth prom\* - \$300
3. Halloween party\* - \$100
4. Thanksgiving dinner\* - \$100
5. December holidays party\* - \$150
6. Annual overnight lock-in\* - \$250
7. Annual Drag/Variety Show\* - \$200

**Volunteer Opportunities:**

1. *Informational booths @ summer Pride Festivals and various events throughout the year\**
2. *Clerical and office help, Mon - Fri. \**
3. *Dinner for 20 youth, Wed - Thurs. evenings\**
4. *Dinner for 60 youth on Friday evenings\**
5. *Librarian (books, DVD.s, videotapes)\**
6. *Speakers at our activity center (what's your expertise, job, passion, or social cause?)\**
7. *Spring and Fall Work Days at our drop-in center\**
8. *Yard work & Gardening\**
9. *Re-design website with supplied content\**

This list is current as of 8/12/09.

To donate or for more information, contact:

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You may bring your donations to our drop-in center located at:

2943 East 46th Street

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Center Hours:

*Please call before coming if possible*

Monday: 9am to 5pm

Tuesday: 9am to 5pm

Wednesday: 3pm to 9pm

Thursday: 3pm to 9pm