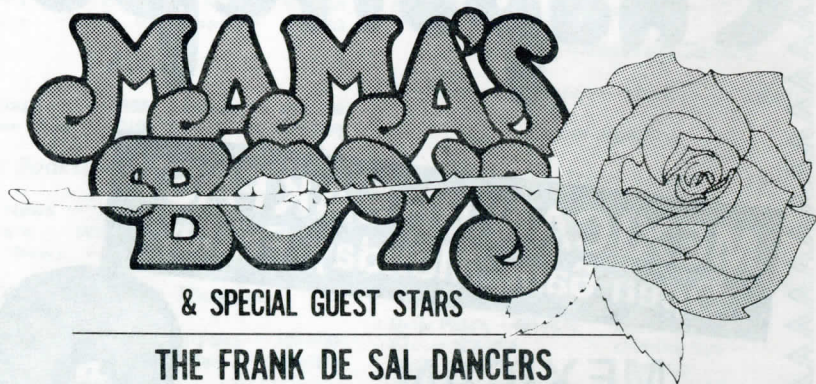


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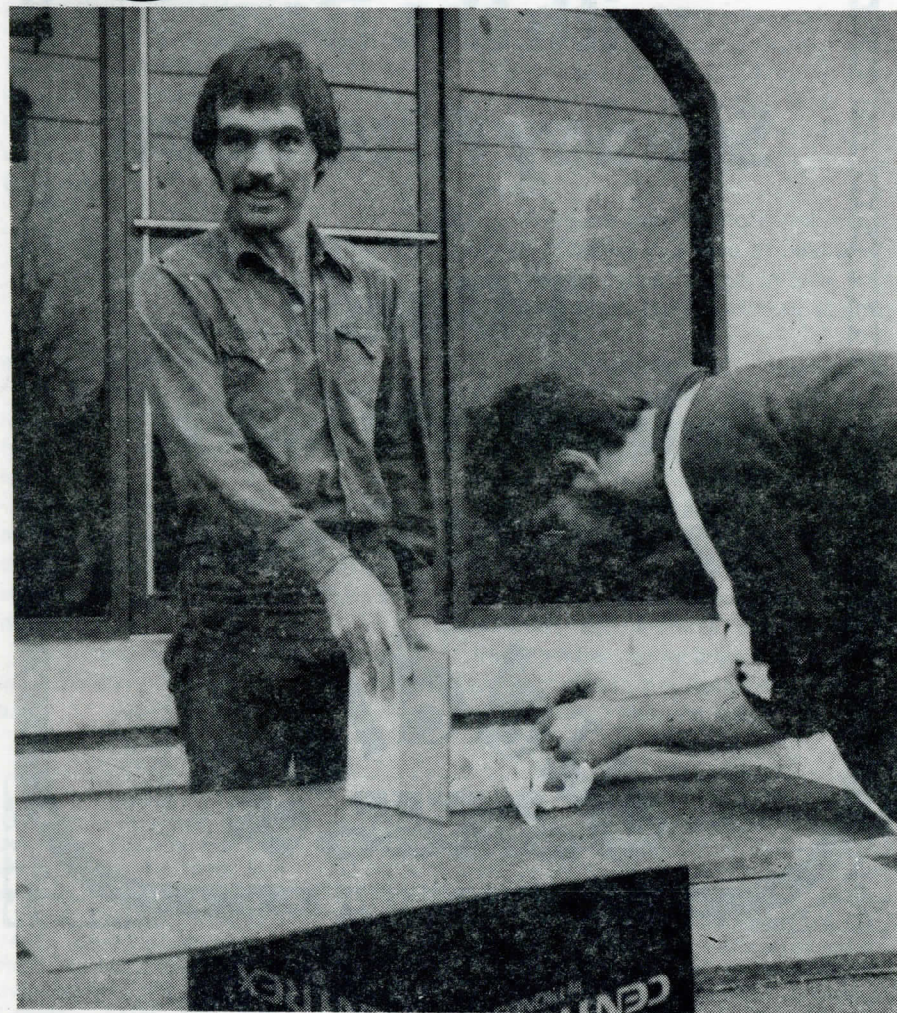
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What are these two up to? See inside.

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Huggy
Bear says
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4714 MAIN

bar talk

Mama's Boys will perform at Cuddle's

Cuddle's Disco has inked Mama's Boys to appear for three nights in Houston, March 12, 13 and 14.

The popular group last appeared in Houston a year and a half ago at the Old Plantation to a sell-out crowd with an act they called "Hot T.V."

This time Mama and her boys have all new material and they'll be backed up with the Frank de Sal Dancers and Cheslea recording group "L.A.," in what is being billed as "Mama's Disco Ball and Show."

Mexican restaurant open late for after-the-bar hungries

Tired of always having breakfast after a night on the town?

Chapultepec is a new Houston Mexican restaurant, located at 813 Richmond, between Montrose and Main.

They stay open to 3am or so Friday and Saturday nights for the gay crowd. More information on hours is included in their ad on page 23 of this issue.

Also recommended is the Saturday and Sunday brunch, starting 11:00 a.m.

The Star plans to help establish gay news service

"What we intend to do is set up a professional news service, similar to your establishment services, such as AP and UPI, but of course on a smaller scale. This service will provide coverage of gay news and special features to gay newspapers and magazines throughout the country," said Star publisher Henry McClurg.

There are over fifty local gay magazines and newspapers in America today. All major cities have one or several.

"What we hope to do is link many of us together in a kind of network."

The Star News Service, or SNS, as it will be called, is scheduled to start in late April.

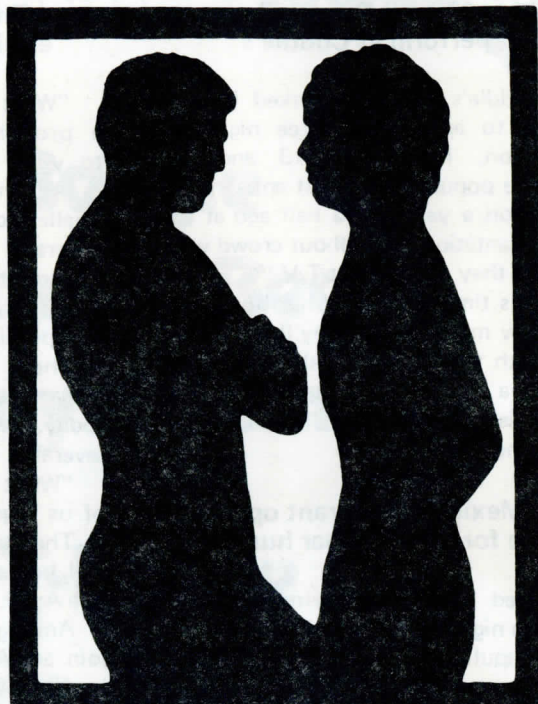
Among publications invited to join are Arizona Gay News, Data-Boy in Los Angeles, Boston's Gay Community News, Seattle Gay News, Impact in New Orleans and New York's GaysWeek.

"We're looking for news stringers in the major American cities and for people with ideas for special columns and features to be fed to the member publications. Interested persons should get hold of our office in Houston," McClurg said.

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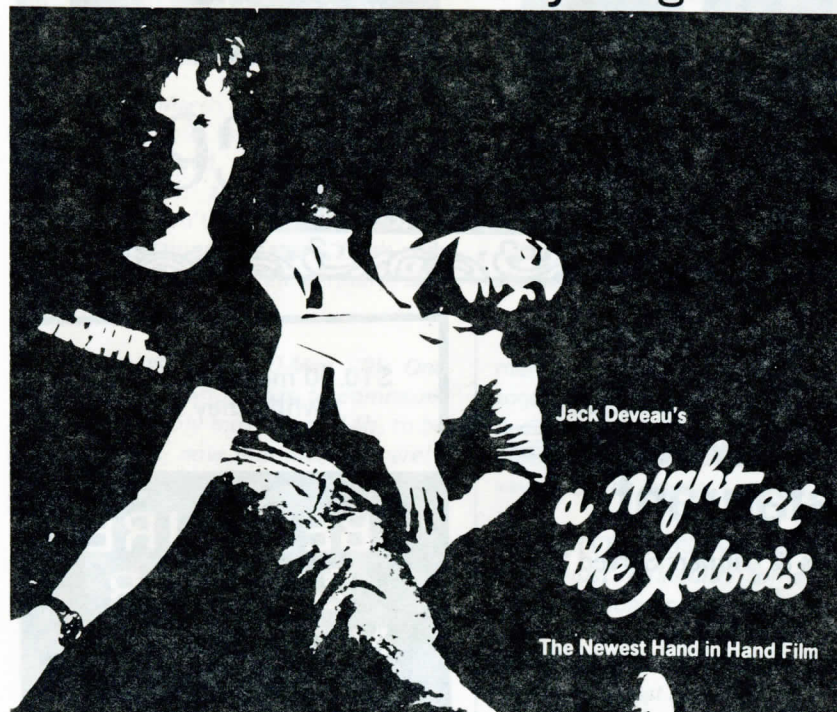


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horoscope

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): *You are not going to deal in regret this week, for regret is negative. Stop whining over spilled chablis. It was just cheap training wine anyway.*

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Matter concerning cold, hard cash highlighted. Taurus involved. Taurus is a born charmer, Ari, and don't you ever forget it. Don't be sweet-talked into deal of questionable nature. Week ends with a snort. Which, incidentally, isn't all that bad.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): *One at a distance who longs to communicate is probably muttering: "Ah, to be with Taurus, now that March's here!" Before week is complete your cup runneth over. Trieth to remain calm.*

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Established partnership moves along smoothly. However, as new relationship comes into orbit your magnetic pull is downright sinfull! Week ends on key of B, for balmy, banter and butterfly.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): *Though you are seldom pushy or obviously aggressive, you usually get your own way. Indirection is your key to success. Others often acquiese to your wishes without quite knowing why. Busy week ends with a chuckle.*

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Read message to Aries. Stick close to home base, Leo. No pub-crawling allowed. That which appears so nice and green on the other side of fence is probably crab grass.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): One with highfalutin plans enters picture. Money is involved. Yours. Tie a rope around your wallet, Virgo, and week has good chance of ending on a cheerful note.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): *Hair-trigger balance must be maintained where head and heart are concerned. Just one foolish slip on your part, Libra, and week winds up an absolute shamle.*

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Romance, career and fate all come together this week, Scorp, and some decisions are taken out of your hands. Week of personal adventure ends on key of D, for drama.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): *You must relinquish some of your precious independence this week, Saj, in order to keep important promise. Week of confusion ends on key of B, for boss, budget and blah!*

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Born under the sign of the Goat you climb in one direction only . . . Up. Because you are so upwardly mobile, Cap, you won't tolerate (for long) any job, partnership, romance which seems to lack potential. Decision-making week ends with a squawk.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): *If burden you carry seems too heavy, Aquari, then dump what is least essential. Taurus helps you get through week unscratched. Before last day, Cupid flirts. Flirt back.*

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mother

Anita's back
and Mother's got her!
(Anita Bryant trailed by
strange woman of Waco)

Willa Catheter and I fled to Waco as soon as we could get it together last Friday — we both had dates we just couldn't keep, the thought of those two Persians was making us gag. And I was really getting going to catch it if I stood up the Shah again, so that's why we had to hurry.

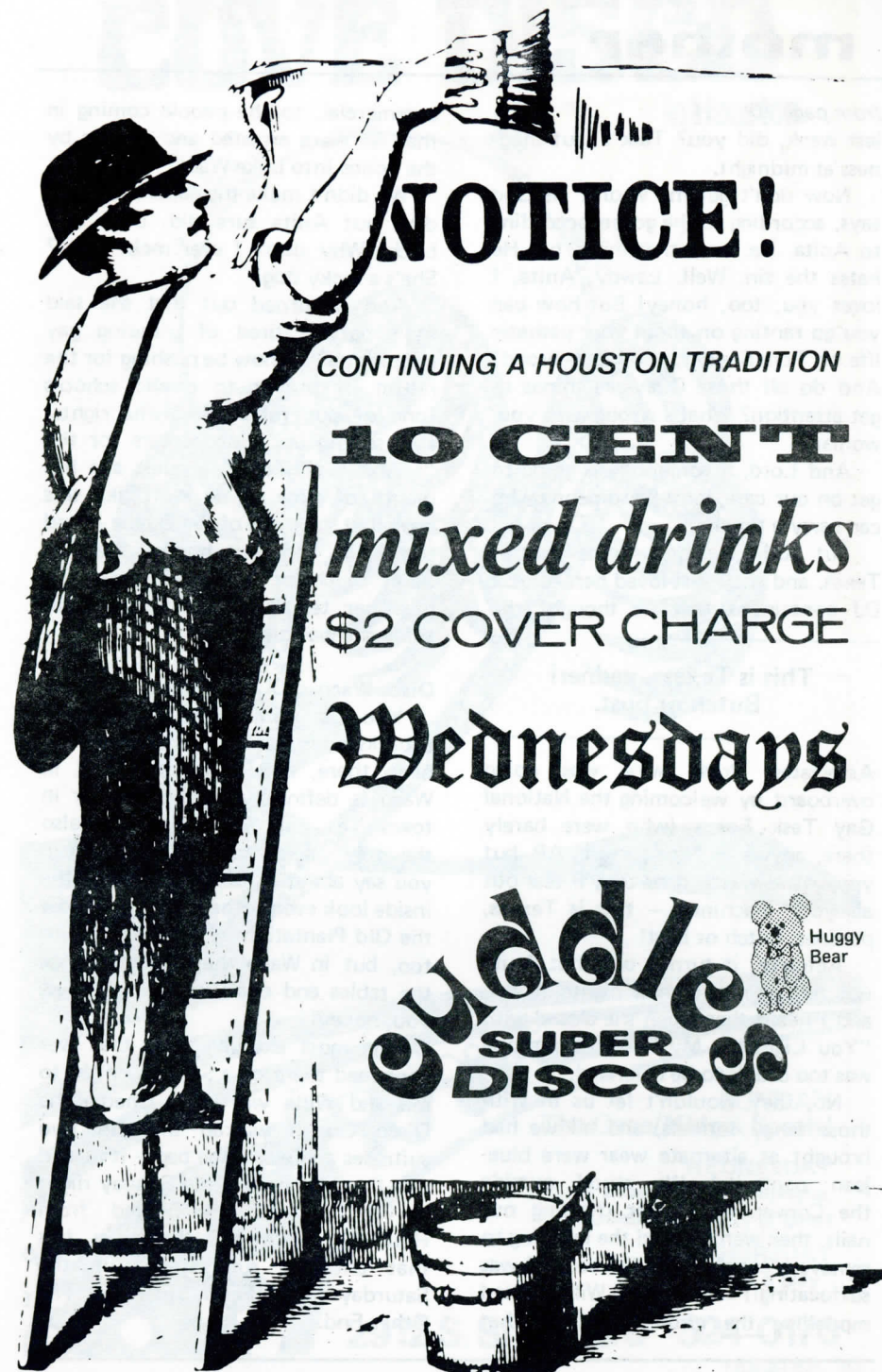
Well, we got there and lo and behold, the sign said "Waco Welcomes Anita Bryant to the Junior League Charity Ball." Yes — she was performing there. We could have died! But we thought up a little plan, and it got SO radical it turned out that it was Anita's turn, not ours! (Willa was going to get real close and call her a "mangy fucker.")

Thank goodness we came prepared. We just happened to bring along our best formal gowns — the ones we wore at the Prom — class of '49, honey. And I only have to wear two 18-hour girdles to get into mine. (Willa needs four!)

I was armed with my trusty tape recorder, Willa with her B-B gun filled with orange pits, and we set out for the Convention Center.

Willa painted a sign on the way that said, "We're mad as hell and we're not going to take it anymore."

Let me tell you something. I am that sick of Anita Bryant's tired face. That woman has gall to make the kind of news she does, and with that twerpy husband of hers to boot! You didn't happen to catch Mr. and Mrs. Greenjeans jawing with Tom Snyder



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Wednesdays

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Huggy Bear

mother

from page 10

last week, did you? Talk about madness at midnight.

Now don't get me wrong. As God says, according to the gospel according to Anita, He loves the sinner, but He hates the sin. Well, Lawdy, Anita, I loves you, too, honey! But how can you go ranting on about your pathetic life on Tom Snyder, you loony broad? And do all those Quay-zee things to get attention? What's wrong with you, woman?

And Lord, if somebody is going to get on our case, let it be someone who can carry a tune!

But, Anita was deep in the heart of Texas, and they just loved her. A local DJ announced that he thought the

This is Texass, padner! Butch or bust.

Associated Press wire was going overboard by welcoming the National Gay Task Force (who were barely there, anyway). Nice gesture, AP, but you better watch it or they'll tear out all your machines — this is Texass, pardner. Butch or bust!

Actually, it turned out that Anita was rehearsing her new nightclub act, and I heard that when she closed with "You Light Up My Pussy," everyone was too drunk to be offended.

No, they wouldn't let us in with those fancy formals, and all we had brought as alternate wear were blue-jean pantsuits! We stood outside the Convention Center chewing our nails, then went behind the building to remove a couple of girdles each. (I was suffocating!) It was when Willa started modelling the girdles, like on that

commercial, to the people coming in that we were arrested and thrown by the police into Lake Waco!

We didn't make the papers the next day, but Anita sure did, darn that bitch! Why don't I ever make news? She's a lucky dog.

And it turned out that she said she's getting tired of plaguing gay people and will now be pushing for the return of prayer to public schools (one of our forgotten divine rights) and setting up hope centers for the "sexually afflicted." I guess she has plenty of time to do stuff like this now that she's out of the OJ biz — and show biz, too, but honey, she was never much of a show anyway. To hear her tell it, though, you would think she was divine!

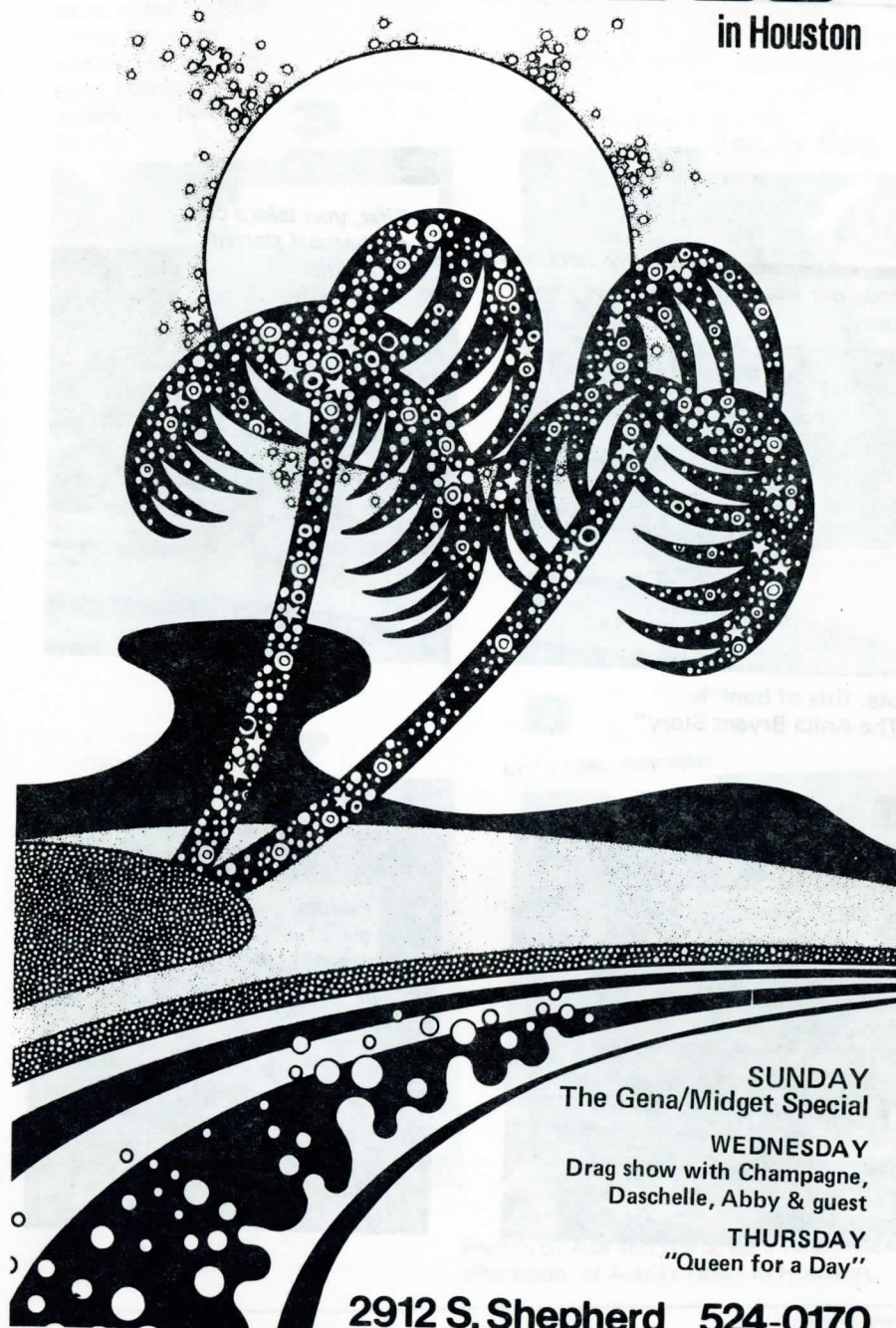
Disco Waco

You just don't know how bizarre a backwoods bar can be until you've been there, and The Other End in Waco is definitely the hottest bar in town. Yes, you guessed it — it is also the only one in town. But what can you say about a disco that changes the inside look every other month? I know the Old Plantation in Houston does it, too, but in Waco they just rearrange the tables and chairs and it's the new you, honey!

The most exciting thing that ever happened there on a Saturday night to me and Willa was when Cheree the Disco Queen walked in with two suitcases and wardrobe bag — it turned out that she was in the Sunday night show! She had hitchhiked from Houston. We missed the show, but that entrance sure spiced up the Saturday Night Fever Blisters at The Other End.

COVE DISCO

in Houston



SUNDAY
The Gena/Midget Special

WEDNESDAY
Drag show with Champagne,
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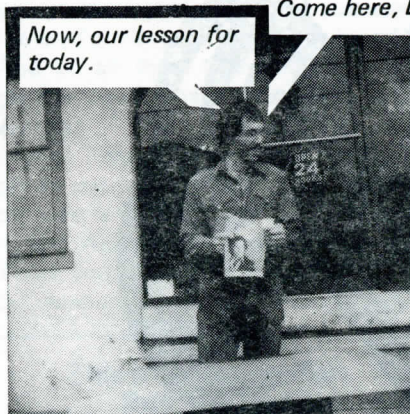
THURSDAY
"Queen for a Day"

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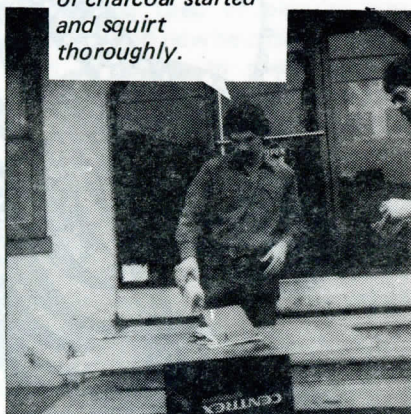


Now, our lesson for today.

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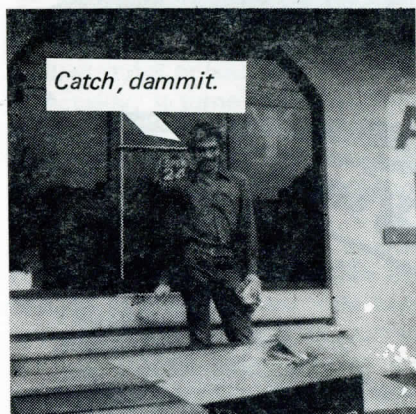
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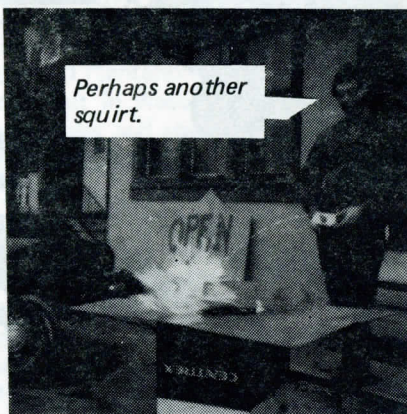
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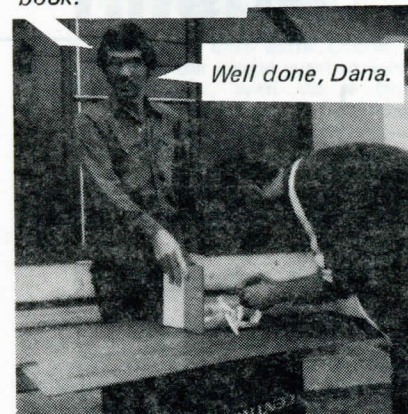
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Perhaps another squirt.

Next, using matches stolen from the nearest gay bar, have your assistant attempt to light the book.

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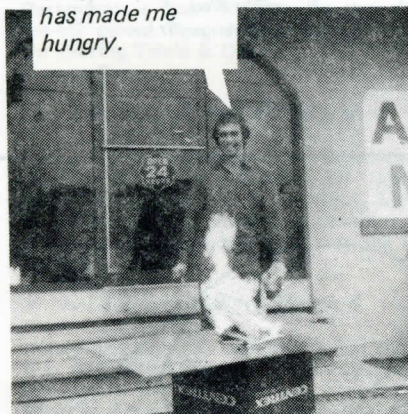
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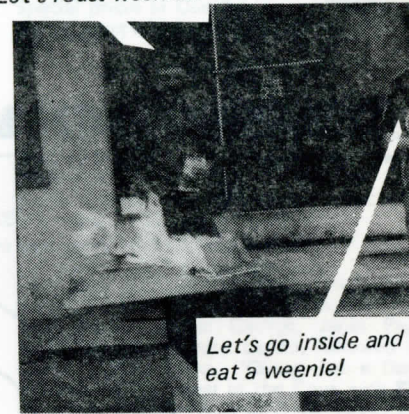
Gee, all this work has made me hungry.

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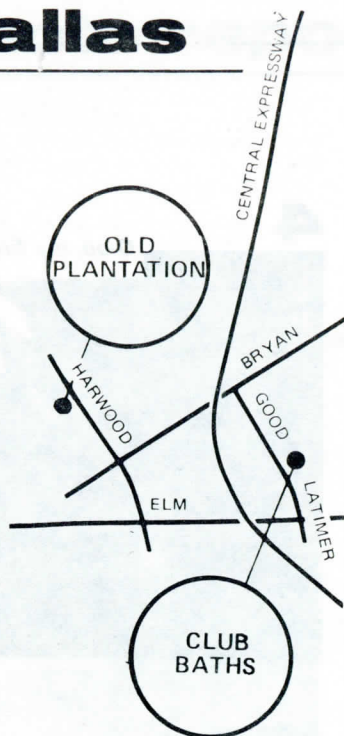
Let's roast weenies!



Let's go inside and eat a weenie!

Photos of Asa and Dana, on a recent Sunday afternoon, at Adultz News in Houston.

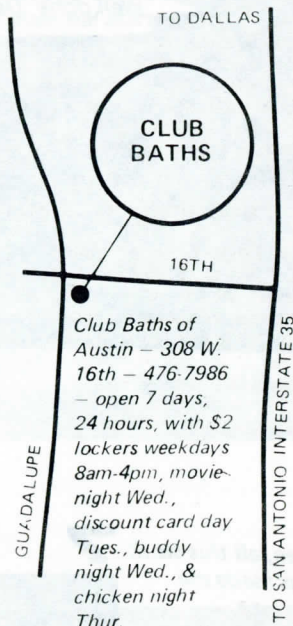
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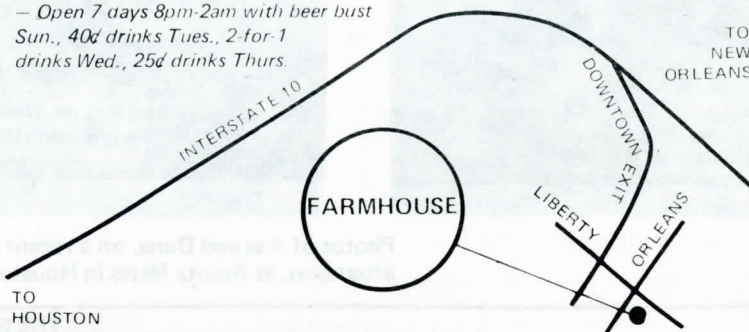
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Club Baths of Austin — 308 W. 16th — 476-7986 — open 7 days, 24 hours, with \$2 lockers weekdays 8am-4pm, movie-night Wed., discount card day Tues., buddy night Wed., & chicken night Thur.

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WHAT'S GOIN' ON

(Texas law allows clubs to sell liquor 7am-2am Mon.-Sat., noon-2am Sun. All major discos have \$1 cover nightly and other bars have no cover, unless stated differently.)

Thursday Night, March 2

Free-movie night at Club Baths. Cheree, the Disco Queen, is the special guest tonight at Cuddle's, 10:30pm, with We 4 (that's Jennifer George, Janet Page, Kandi Delight, Jessica Landa), followed by 50¢ drinks. "Queen for a Day" amateur drag contest at the Cove with \$50 in prizes. T-shirt night at After Dark. 55¢ drinks all night at the Old Plantation. Dinner served at Chapultepec till midnight.

Friday Afternoon, March 3

"Hard Luck Number" plus "Brothers & Lovers" starts at the French Quarter. Lunch is served all afternoon at Chapultepec & Somewhere restaurants. Happy hour 4-7pm at the Old Surf's Up & the Barn. \$3 lockers at Club Baths to 4pm. Sunworshippers & bodybuilders special to 8pm at Midtowne Spa. "Jokers Wild" & "Games Without Rules" showing all weekend at the Mini-Park.

Friday Night, March 3

After-hours disco to 4am at Cuddle's & the Old Plantation. Chapultepec Mexican Restaurant is open to 3am for the after-the-bar crowd. Drag show at the Old Surf's Up starring Trixie & Dee Dee. After Dark is open to 6am.

Saturday Afternoon, March 4

Brunch starts at 11am at Chapultepec Mexican Restaurant. Special on Bloody Marys & screwdrivers at the Barn. Lunch is served at Somewhere Restaurant all afternoon. Happy hour 3-7pm at the Old Surf's Up.

Saturday Night, March 4

After-hours disco to 4am at the Old Plantation & Cuddle's. Drag show with Bobby & the girls at the Old Surf's Up. Chapultepec Mexican Restaurant serves until 3am. After Dark is open to 6am.

Sunday Afternoon, March 5

Brunch starts 11am at Chapultepec Mexican

Restaurant. Free noon buffet at the Barn with specials on Bloody Marys & screwdrivers. Happy hour 3-7pm at the Old Surf's Up. T-Dance with no cover & 50¢ drinks 4-8pm at Cuddle's.

Sunday Night, March 5

Special drag show at the Cove with Gena & Midget, plus special guests. Ernestine, Hot Chocolate, Naomi Simms, Carmelita star in the OP Follies, 10:30pm, at the Old Plantation. Disco & 50¢ drinks all night at Cuddle's.

Monday thru Friday, March 6-10

Sunworshippers & bodybuilders special at Midtowne Spa 8am-8pm. Happy hours 4-7pm at the Barn & Old Surf's Up. \$3 lockers at Club Baths 8am-4pm. Lunch & dinner served at Somewhere Restaurant 10am-10pm, breakfast 24 hours. Mexican breakfast served at Chapultepec starting 6am, dinner served till midnight.

Monday Night, March 6

Discount prices at the Old Plantation & Cuddle's. T-shirt night at Club Baths.

Tuesday Afternoon, March 7

It's discount card day at the Club Baths.

Tuesday Night, March 7

Special prices at Cuddle's & the Old Plantation. T-shirt night at After Dark.

Wednesday Night, March 8

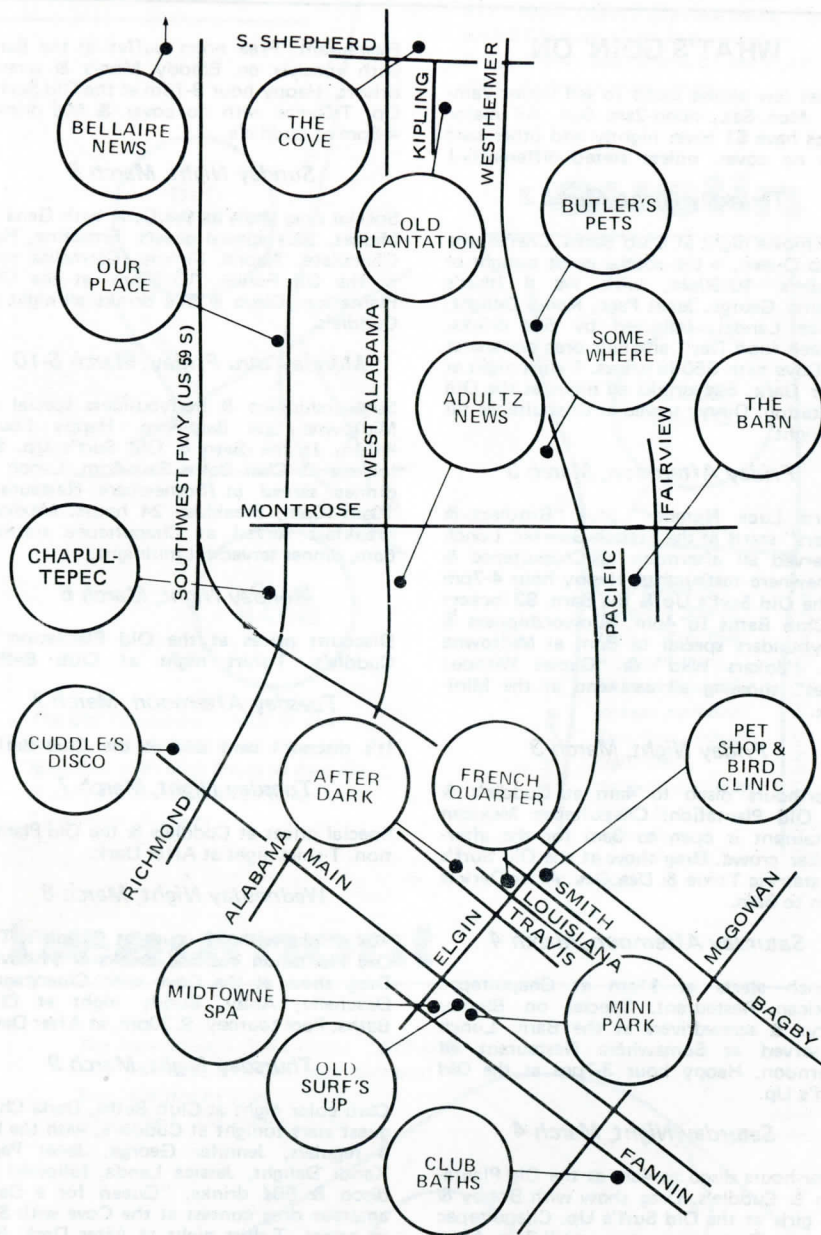
10¢ drinks with \$2 cover at Cuddle's. The Old Plantation has 55¢ drinks & \$1 cover. Drag show at the Cove with Champagne, Daschelle, Abby. Buddy night at Club Baths. Pool tourney, 9:30pm, at After Dark.

Thursday Night, March 9

Club color night at Club Baths. Darla Child guest stars tonight at Cuddle's, with the We 4 regulars, Jennifer George, Janet Page, Kandi Delight, Jessica Landa, followed by disco & 50¢ drinks. "Queen for a Day" amateur drag contest at the Cove with \$50 in prizes. T-shirt night at After Dark. 55¢ drinks all night at the Old Plantation.

Coming Up Later

Mama's Boys at Cuddle's, March 12, 13, 14.



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