



HPEP Newsletter

August 2009



Houston's largest pan-sexual BDSM/Fetish organization. We are a social club support group open to anyone interested in BDSM and fetish-related and activities. <http://www.hpep.org/>

The HPEP Newsletter welcomes the contributions of all individuals and organizations within the Texas BDSM Community!

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Be an HPEP Volunteer!

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Official_HPEP_Volunteers/

It has been a productive year for the HPEP 2008-2009 Board Of Directors. This was a year we can all be proud of... There was hard work.. and great accomplishments.

A group of 7 very different individuals all bonded together.. along the way our different personalities united to become goals and expectations for the HPEP membership and future... There were some great HPEP house parties, thanks to the support of SAF... Thank You Miss Lori, and Spring Adult Fun.. You began our journey for more parties with ass beating good times!!!

NLA-H (National Leather Association- Houston) Spring Iniquity provided Houston with the first Leather Conference in Houston in 10 yrs. HPEP was honored to be asked to provide the play party for the Houston Kink Community. This began a journey of hard work and dedication of not only the board members but the HPEP membership. We all came together to build out the Ballroom at the Meridian. The Reward was the evening of the Black and Blue Party!.. Big Red in all its Glory standing front and center!! Crosses, A Whip area... Breath Taking scenes! Good Food, and Friendship... You HPEP.... made the difference!!! The true success of the 2008-2009 Board was You!

A Great Thanks To The 2008-2009 Board.. Randy.. Chairman of the Board, Miss Rose.. Treasure, Rachel.. Secretary, Mo aka Red, Yo Yo, Miss Gwen, and kaycee

8:00 PM, at Fuddrucker's, the 2008-2009 HPEP Board officially stepped down. The floor came open for nominations. Sir Robert Helms, NLA-H officiated the election of the new HPEP Board.

Thank You to Grace, Rachel, Gwen and Sir Robert for tallying the ballots.

It is a great Privilege To Announce Your HPEP 2009-2010 Board Of Directors.

Master Rich Chairman
Sir Wingz Vice Chairman
Miss Rose Treasure
kaycee Secretary
Alexis
Bubbles
Mo.. aka Red

Congratulations!



Announcements

HPEP General Meeting: New Time and place!

Just wanted to let E/everyone know there have been some changes made for the HPEP SIGS.

The 1st Saturday of each month will now be the HPEP General Meeting. Your HPEP Board is searching for a venue/restaurant for the meetings that will better meet the memberships needs. If you have any ideas or suggestions please contact one of the HPEP Board members.

The 3rd Saturday of each month will now be the NewComers Meeting. We are also looking for a better place to hold NewComers that is more private. Also we would like to Thank Patrick for His years of service as the NewComers SIG Leader. Patrick will be turning over the NewComers Meetings to Sir Brian and lady lisa.

Know that Your HPEP Board here to work for you!

General Meeting Saturday Aug 1st to be held at the MCC Building

401 Branard st, Houston, TX 77006-5015

Room 111

8pm till 11pm

The Parking lot at this location is huge and very well lighted. Very easy to get to, there will be signs posted to let everyone know where to go.
Hope to see everyone there!

kaycee

**HPEP's General Meeting
to be held at the Montrose Community
Center
401 Branard
(59 and Richmond area, close to downtown)
Room 111**

August 1st, 2009
8:00pm till 11ish
doors open at 7:30

Also we're having a Demo!
No matter how tall, No matter how short,
No matter how big or how small,
there's "Bondage For Everyone"
A hands on, audience participation
presentation
by Ms Elizabeth.

formally a leader of HPEP's Bondage sig

Parking lot is well lighted, with plenty of
spaces!

Feel free to come in your fetish clothing.
Hope to see everyone there!

Newcomer Meetings - new time!

Time: THIR D Saturday of the month, 7:30 p.m.

Newcomer meetings are a great way to find out more about the group in a relaxed, no pressure atmosphere.

Come and meet a few of the HPEP members, ask some questions, and get some answers about the nature of the group and how it works.

Whether you are new to the scene or a seasoned vet, all are welcome. You must be over 18 (21 preferred) years of age to attend. The location of this meeting for this month remains TBA!

HPEP Volunteers

This group has been inactive for a very long time due to the lack of interest with the group. HPEP is making an effort to improve its status in the community.

HPEP has always been volunteer based, we need your help with upcoming parties and events, setup crews and teardown, helping with events for example!

I want to introduce a new Moderator to the group, Lisa! She will be in charge of the volunteers , she has experience with this in her daily job as well.

With her guidance I am hoping the volunteer core that is created is something we can be proud of!

Master Rich
Chairmen of HPEP
2009-10

August Calendar

Date	Event	Time	Contact
August 1 st	HPEP General Meeting	NEW LOCATION - see previous post: 8 p.m. - 11 p.m.	Newcomers' Committee.
August 2 nd	Photography SIG	1 st Sunday of the month 3:30 p.m.	info@taboophotoart.com.
August 7 th	Subversity	7:30 p.m.	alenakay@yahoo.com)
August 7 th	Dominion	7:30 p.m.	sirjohn@scottishdom.net
August 8 th	Ageplay SIG		www.ageplay.bdsm-texas.com
August 8 th	Switch SIG	?????	switch@hpep.org
August 14 th	HELL SIG	7:00 p.m. 2 nd Friday of the month "Story of O"	mwvixen@swbell.net
August 14 th	Poly SIG		
August 15 th	Newcomer's Meeting Board Meeting	Location - TBA - watch HPEP announcements for details	
August 16 th	The ToyMakers SIG	3 rd Sunday of the month 4:30 p.m. - Check with SIG leader -	ToyMakers SIG
August 28 th	Edge Play SIG	7:30 p.m.	pleased_2b_me@yahoo.com
August 29 th	D/S SIG		ds@hpep.org

SIG Leaders

Switch SIG	Kathy
D/s SIG	John (sirjohn@scottishdom.net)
Dominion	John (sirjohn@scottishdom.net)
Subversity	Kaycee (alenakay@yahoo.com)
HELL	MWvixen (mwvixen@swbell.net)
Age Play SIG	Scottie (painslut_mr@yahoo.com) & Nicole breutanan@gmail.com
Toymakers SIG	Patrick
PolySIG	Ryan (dragonman3@houston.rr.com)
Photo SIG	Pixie (info@taboophotoart.com)
Edge Play SIG	Randy (Master Draconis)

SIG NEWS

Photo SIG - New Leader!

Meets 3:30 1st Sunday of the month.

General Info:

PhotoSIG is a great way for photographers to learn more about fetish photography and how to more fully use their cameras.

It's also a great place for models, aspiring models, or scene people who just like dressing up (or down) to meet some of Houston's great photographers and get great shots of their shiny outfits.

The meetings consist of a photography topic discussion, a quick computer editing topic how-to/demo, and then time to apply what you've learned with varied (generally fetish-themed) shooting locations.

All photography will be agreed upon between models and photographers prior to any pictures being taken, except for occasions where the SIG provides a model. In those cases, it is understood that everyone at the SIG is welcome to participate and take pictures.

Directions can be acquired by emailing the group leader at info@taboophotoart.com.

The yahoo group is here:
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/PhotoSIG/>

I am pleased to announce that Pixie, aka: WendyMechelle, has accepted the position of Photo SIG Leader and is now a moderator of the Yahoo Group as well.

Pixie is a wonderful erotic photographer. You can find information on her studio and some examples of her work at <http://taboophotoart.com>.

I am sure she will be making postings soon regarding future meetings and projects for the Photography SIG members.

I hope you all join me in thanking Pixie for taking on this responsibility and I hope you're as enthused as I am that the Photography SIG will soon be active again.

Thank you,

Randy - Master Draconis
HPEP Board Chairman 2008 - 2009

The HPEP Poly SIG

Dragon's lady, Poly SIG Leader:

The HPEP Poly SIG is a wonderful discussion group for those who are in poly relationships, or are interested in the subject of Poly. It's usually an open topic forum where things have been discussed from coming out to family/children/parents, to what is your ideal poly family structure. You do not have to be poly yourself, or be in a Poly relationship to attend a meeting; just an interest in the topic of being Poly. As a side note we are not a swingers group, nor an orgy. You can visit us on our Yahoo Group at:

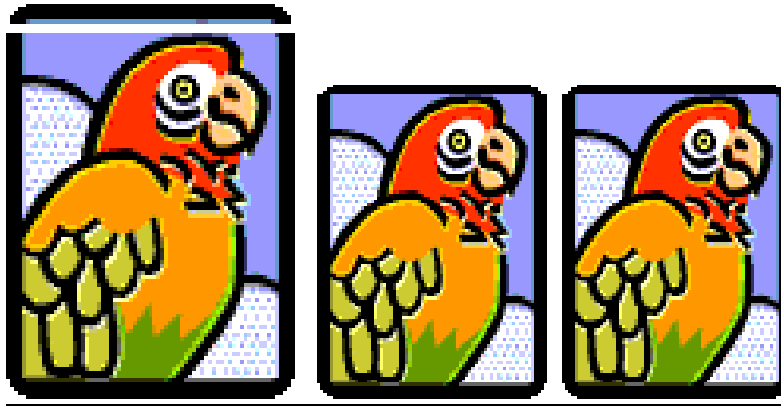
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HPEP_PolySIG

For any questions you can contact the SIG Leader at Poly@hpep.org

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HPEP_PolySIG.

For any question you can contact the SIG leader at Poly@hpep.org. Hey everyone!

If you have any questions please email me :-)
dragonslady@yahoo.com



(Poly Sig, get it? Hee hee)

The HPEP Age-Play SIG

The Age-play Sig usually held on the THIRD SATURDAY of the month. Contact Scottie (painslut_mr@yahoo.com) . or Nicole at breutanan@hotmail.com

The group has been very active with its meetings and discussions. In the up coming months there will be a pool party night, theme nights, movie nights, discussions and weekend outings. The meetings are being kept non-age specific so that everyone of age-play can come, enjoy themselves, and learn.

Age-play does not and will not involve real children/minors of any kind. But what it does do is involve us adults that act like and pretend to be children! Even if you're not into age-play but would like to find out what it is about, you are welcome to attend. So if you're a 'lil boy or girl, toddlers, teenagers, Mommies or Daddies, Aunties or Uncles, or just a bratty young one, you're all welcome to attend.

Hope to see you there and join in the fun and activities! ~ Scottie

DOMinion

Houston and surrounding area Doms and Dommies have a meeting on the Friday before the Newcomers' meeting, at (7:30 pm) .The purpose of the Dom/Domme meeting is several fold. The meetings serve as a time of social interaction and a good time of exchanging ideas. There are also scheduled educational presentations by members of the group. Frequently, Doms from around the state come and lead our discussions, so we get views a bit different than those of our local friends that we meet with all the time. So, find a comfortable chair, prop up your feet, and talk the talk of beautiful submissive females, doting slavish men, and the pleasures they bring us. Need directions or information: e-mail the [DOMinion](#)

Subversity

Sub-Versity Meetings are held on the first Friday of the month @ 7:30PM. A wide variety of topics are discussed, including guest speakers and demonstrations. The group is a safe haven if one wishes to discuss private personal issues receiving non judgmental, confidential feed back.

Everyone is asked to bring a small snack or dish to the meetings.

FYI ...HPEP's Dominion is near by and many of the Dom's drop off their Subs and comeback for them later.

NO Doms/Tops/Masters or Topy Behavior is allowed.

ALL Submissives/Slaves/Bottoms/Switches in bottom mode that are....

collared or un-collared, attached or not, (Single, Married, involved, etc., etc.) male, female, undecided, or however you choose to identify yourself. Any Sexual orientation, New to the life style, Seasoned in the life style are Allowed, Welcome and Encouraged to come join our meetings and group.

If you have not been to a HPEP Newcomers meeting, I encourage you to please check it out. I am usually there myself, and would love to meet you. For information please go to www.HPEP.org

What happens at Subversity stays at Subversity. For an online discussion join our egroup at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HPEP_sub_versity/

Contact (alenakay@yahoo.com)

HPEP_sub_versity@yahoogroups.com
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HPEP_sub_versity/

Please remember in order to attend any SIG you must have attended a HPEP New Comers Meeting.

H.E.L.L.

(Houston Erotic Literature Lovers) Book & Movie SIG

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HELLbooksandmovies/>

HELL meets at 7:00 p.m. every 2nd Friday night !

Please contact me at mwvixen@swbell.net for directions. Please remember, these meetings are held in a private home so I will need to know who you are and we prefer you to have attended an HPEP Newcomer's Meeting prior to coming to the HELL meeting. Newcomer's meetings are held the first Saturday of the month and you can find the details at www.hpep.org.

We enthusiastically!!! Welcome suggestions for books and movies related to ANY aspect of BDSM, alternative sexuality, erotica, erotic thrillers, D/s relationships, fetish, or alternative lifestyles, etc. Feel free to e-mail me with **YOUR** recommendations!

HELL is a group where those interested in reading about and watching books and movies dealing with all aspects of BDSM, Erotica and alternative Lifestyles can meet in a casual, non-academic environment. A typical HELL evening involves a bit of book discussion (anything anyone is reading or the selected HELL book) and general conversation and socializing. We usually have snacks and beverages on hand, provided by the host and the attendees, to enhance the "movie experience" which starts about 8:00, so the meetings usually go from about 7:00 - 10:00 or 11:00, depending on how much discussion ensues after the movie. You are encouraged to come to HELL if you have an interest in reading more about BDSM, both fiction and non-fiction, and/or viewing a variety of sexually-oriented movies: you do not have to read a book to enjoy HELL, (although the Mistress of HELL would strongly encourage you to do so. I and other members can be usually persuaded to lend out books for those who purchasing them is a problem...) Join the HELL mailing list by going to the HELL Yahoo group (address above) and keep up with the books and movies currently happening. We have a lot of fun and it is a good forum for getting to know other folks in the Community and engage in spirited conversation with your fellow perverts. So now, when someone tells you to "Go to HELL", it does not have to be a bad thing! ☺

HPEP's HELL: BDSM/Erotica books and movies SIG - this is the address for the Yahoo Group: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HELLbooksandmovies/>

The H*E*L*L Reading/Movie group, a special interest group with Houston PEP, now offers an Yahoo List option for those interested in keeping up-to-date and discussing alternative-lifestyle, Erotic, Fetish & D/s-related books and movies. I am also occasionally including some information/links on Erotic artwork. Even if you cannot attend our meetings, we want your input and opinions, and would like to share our explorations of literary and cinematic Erotica with you. The range of discussion, and the nature of our club, however, leaves plenty of room for off-topic & humor posts. Movie and book recommendations are always welcome

Edge Play SIG

The Edge Play SIG is for anyone interested in learning or teaching techniques in specific forms of sadomasochistic play. This SIG will offer monthly gatherings where demonstrations of and instruction in these techniques and the safety measures needed in their use will be presented.

If you are interested in passing on your knowledge and expertise, learning new ways to inflict pain and pleasure, hone your own play techniques or you're just curious and want to watch something new and exciting then this is the SIG for you.

The Edge Play SIG will meet on the last Friday of each month. Meetings will take place in a private residence. The location will be disclosed to those that express an interest in attending prior to each gathering.

HPEP is a pansexual organization and so are our SIGs so no matter what your orientation or favorite kink, you are welcome here.

Please email me directly at pleased_2b_me@yahoo.com to RSVP. Attendance will be limited to 40. If it fills up I will put anyone that did not RSVP in time on a waiting list. As always, first come first served.

Randy – Master Draconis – pleased_2b_me@yahoo.com
832-244-1464



Houston-BondageSIG - important news!

After thinking about this for a long time, I have decided to cancel all future regularly scheduled Houston Bondage SIG play parties.

The attendance at our Houston Bondage SIG play parties has been poor. Only the January play party was well attended. Houston is fortunate to have a very active BDSM community with parties or events regularly scheduled every weekend. While we have a handful of folks who regularly attend our bondage events, it seems most people with an interest in bondage would prefer to attend weekend night parties, socialize and ask for hands on advice there rather than attend a Sunday afternoon bondage party. The lack of support for these parties indicates our Houston community does not need or want a Sunday afternoon bondage play party.

Here is the dilemma I tried to solve with these bondage play parties. I took over as Leader of the Houston Bondage SIG in January 2005 and began holding monthly tutorial meetings. They were very successful. Over time, some of us, who attended regularly, learned a lot and developed nice friendships. I had recycled the tutorials a couple of times. By 2007, if I, or others, presented bondage 101 type tutorials, the more experienced people didn't benefit. If I, or others, presented more advanced tutorials, the newbies didn't benefit. In the middle of 2008, I decided to change the structure of our meetings to bondage play parties instead of tutorial meetings. I hoped that regularly scheduled bondage play parties would solve my dilemma by allowing more experienced people to tutor newbies with actual hands-on advice while enjoying rope play themselves. I hoped many people would attend, enjoy playing with each other, and share their expertise. But, it has not worked as I hoped it would.

Like others, I too have both kinky and vanilla demands on my time. When I consider the time required by me and our venue hosts to organize and sponsor a regularly scheduled Bondage SIG play party and the lack of community support for these parties, I have decided not to organize them any more.

We have been fortunate to have had first class venues hosted by wonderful people for the three Bondage SIG play parties we have held. And, I am humbled by the additional offers of first class venues by wonderful hosts in this community. Without any new potential hosts coming forward, I could have arranged regular bondage play parties in different houses well into next year. Happily, arranging venues has not been a problem.

I must thank Travis and Melody again for hosting our regular bondage tutorial meetings from January 2005 to the middle of 2008. Travis' support was a major factor in the success of our Houston Bondage SIG over that time period.

The small group of regulars who have attended our bondage events can and do get together at bondage parties from time to time. I expect these bondage enthusiasts will continue to do so and will continue to satisfy their kink.

So, again, I extend my deepest appreciation to the wonderful people who have hosted and to those who

have offered to host our Bondage SIG tutorial meetings and play parties. They have removed one of the major problems typically associated with hosting community events, namely finding suitable venues.

And, I thank those of you who have actively supported our Bondage SIG activities. I know you will continue to get together in one way or another and share your expertise and the fun of rope play.

Perhaps, if there is enough interest for a bondage workshop from time to time, I, or someone else, might organize occasional bondage workshop type events in the future. Or perhaps someone else will organize regular bondage play parties/events/meetings.

For me, I plan on spending more time having fun with pretty models in private shibari and other interesting theme photo shoots. And, I look forward to seeing you around at one party/event or another.

Thank you for all your previous support.

Gary

<http://fetlife.com/users/29050>

HPEP Toy SIG!!!

Hi to Everyone in the SIG.

I am Lady Marie and I believe I will be taking over the moderation of this SIG hopefully to the best interest of the members.

I am currently in contact with Patrick (from the meeting last night) and Rene, to try and organize a gathering for the Third Saturday of this month. This will correspond with the Craft Sig so those that wish to do crafts can be offset by the other half which may be more interested in something kink oriented.

Two gentlemen have offered their locations to host us, and I will be inspecting both locations shortly. A semi-private public location has the advantage that the location is not in someone's home, however it also means we have to rely on someone's generosity in providing it.

For this month, I am considering a trip to the Tandy Leather Factory in Missouri City to examine leather types and discuss which types are good for which purpose, somewhat of an educational trip. I must first go down there and make the arrangements. Should this not pan out, I'm sure I can come up with something of interest.

So for the introduction:

Personally, I have been constructing my own leather goods for over 10 years. I have been a member of the Houston community since 1997.

I plan to focus mostly on flogs and other simple toys to start. Furniture items will definitely be part of our purpose, but only on occasion, as most projects should be accomplished in one meeting.

I strongly suggest that those who discover they have the talent, gather their own tools, as the cost is nominal. You may also find that having the tools ready to hand, you may just get an urge, after you are trained in the basics, to toss together something one afternoon.

I do not concentrate on "pretty" toys. My Toys are functional and provide for long wear and hard use. However that being said I do not have an aversion to pretty, and would look forward to suggestions that provide aesthetic value without losing function.

Yours in Leather Pride,
Lady Marie

COMMUNITY NEWS

August 2009

Courtesy of Mistress More

Aug 6-9	Kinky Festival, Montreal, Quebec, CN
Aug 6-9	Leather-Levi Weekend, Saratoga Springs, CA
Aug 7-9	Internext Summer, Hollywood, FL
Aug 9	Int'l Mr. and Ms Olympus Leather, Los Angeles Hilton LAX
Aug 13-16	FetishCon, Tampa, FL
Aug 13-16	Black BEAT, Baltimore, MD
Aug 14-16	Leather Camp, WOOLF, Wichita, KS
Aug 21-23	Great Lakes Leather Weekend, Indianapolis, IN
Aug 21-23	The Floating World, No NJ
Aug 28-30	Mr. Southeast Rubber, Atlanta, GA
Aug 28-30	Ottawa Leather Fest, GNAWS, Ottawa, CN
Aug 28-30	Qwebec Expo, Montreal, Quebec, CN

Training Camp (bTC08) set for Dallas

boys Training Camp Number 8 (bTC08) is scheduled for August 28-30,2009 in Dallas, Texas. The educational camps are designed for those who identify in a submissive role regardless of age, gender or sexual orientation.

During boys Training Camp the participants interact with experienced faculty as well as the other attendees who are of like mind and heart with varying degrees of experience. Previous camp attendees included slaves, boys, bois, girls, and puppies, all learning from each other and enjoying the energy generated by the participants.

The Camp begins on Friday evening with Registration and a series of discussions that set the tone for the weekend. There is also a reception with a Keynote Speaker. The 2009 Keynote Speaker is Justin Tanis.

Saturday continues with facilitated discussions in both large and small groups. There are also hands-on skill workshops and demonstrations. The finale and highlight of Saturday is the opportunity for the attendees to participate in and/or observe some dungeon play during "Stations of the Cross". This activity allows all the participants the opportunity to experience different BDSM play at whatever level of involvement they feel comfortable with, in a safe and secure environment.

The final day on Sunday begins with a brunch and more facilitated discussion in both large and small groups. A very popular part of the weekend is the "boy/boi rap session" that concludes with a Q&A involving the faculty. Closing ceremonies that evening include awards and recognition.

The number of attendees at boys Training Camp is limited so be sure to register early. Information/Registration for bTC08 can be found on the following website

www.tribalproductions.org

or by contacting the HeadMaster at
TXMasterZ@sbcglobal.net

Mistress Morê's Scene News Report

IN MEMORIAM: Mistress Sabrina Belladonna!!!

"Los Angeles, CA"

Sabrina Belladonna is a professional dominatrix featured on prime time shows such as NBC's Law Firm. Out of the office, she is not just a lady, but a very dominating mistress you do not want to disobey. She will have you tied up, whipped, among many other S&M tactics that you will not feel comfortable or be in too much pleasure but you will love it.

Everyone loves the power that she brought out.

She died Sunday, June 07, 2009, by her own hand, as her cancer had returned. We are suggesting that donations should be made in her name to Bowling for Boobies, the cause she founded to help women recover from cancer.

www.bowlingforboobies.com

LISTS!!!GROUPS!!!CLUBS!!! OH,MY!!!

(BDSM Community Resources and Happenings)



Come Visit **EROS** (**Erotic Rose Society**) and find out about one of the most fun and welcoming BDSM groups in town!! (They meet every Saturday At Rudyard's Pub on Waugh at 12 :30- 2:00 and then usually "do Lunch" (Rudyard's is now open at 11 and serving food) and have two Play Parties a month...) many Saturdays we have spent with EROS in the morning and lunch and attended an EROS party(when there was one - usually 2nd and 4th Saturdays) or another group or private function later, Jean and Clay, of course. Brett and Artena, SOB/Bob,

Serial Killer James, boyNick, leslie and Stephen are the Board members for Eros.

<http://houston-eros.com>

EROS Yahoo Group <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Houston-EROS>

Discussion of whatever from the EROS group folks - lighthearted fun! At **EROS**, we meet locally every Saturday for group discussions on some aspect of D/s or perhaps a demonstration on Japanese bondage, fire play, electric toys...but whatever we're doing, you can bet we're having a good time. EROS holds play parties twice each month for its members and sponsored guests. We welcome people who are new to the lifestyle as well as experienced players. If you're looking for a great group of friendly people, you've come to the right place!!



<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SCANDAL/>
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SCANDAL/join>

Violet Society

An alternative lifestyle group for people of all colors exploring the many flavors of BD/SM, D/s and M/s.

Formed in November 2004, **Violet Society** was established to allow individuals in Houston and the surrounding area, a forum for discussion, fellowship, friendship and risk aware consensual experiences. We invite members of all ethnicities, nationalities and cultures to join us in exploring the many varied flavors of lifestyle, including BD/SM, D/s, M/s, leather, fetishism and kink. The name **Violet Society** represents our belief that people of all colors and cultures deserve a place where their alternative expressions of lifestyle can be respected and celebrated.

Violet Society Mission:

- To provide a safe, discreet inclusive environment for people of all colors and cultures to participate in mature and healthy educational, social, and sensory experiences within the context of alternative lifestyle.
- To reach out to members of minority cultures providing a gateway into the BD/SM, D/s and M/s communities for education and support.
- To help raise the level of consciousness of the greater alternative communities regarding special concerns of minorities involved in alternative lifestyle expressions.
- To support other lifestyle groups and individuals which encourage the expression of alternative sexual orientation, lifestyle choice, belief and practices.

Join us.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/violet_society/join

Subscribe: violet_society-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

Post message: violet_society@yahoogroups.com

List owner: violet_society-owner@yahoogroups.com

The Violet Society list is owned by michael's.

The group was co-founded by michael's and DaddyJ. 11/04



The Safari Club

For information I, (Safari42s), will be the contact. Safari42S@aol.com

thesafariclub-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

The Safari Club is an alternative lifestyle group dedicated to playing and having fun with as little politics as possible. We believe in enjoying ourselves to the fullest extent possible while maintaining respect for everyone's personal protocols and preferences. The Safari Club welcomes people who are new to the lifestyle as well as the experienced. We put principles before personalities. Members must be 21 years of age or older and have an active yahoo profile listing their age.

Regular play parties are held the first Saturday of the month at a member's home. Parties are by invitation only or by a member of the Safari Club.

Spanking Group!!!!

Hello,

I wanted to let you know about a new Spanking Group for members wanting to MEET FOR REAL TIME SPANKING!

This is a small group but it is growing fast. We are looking for Sincere Members ONLY! NO BS, NO GAMES, NO HUSTLES, NO HASTLES!

If you are for real and want to join a group designed for real time meetings then please check us out!

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HoustonAdultSpanking/>

Many thanks, Jonathan

Gulf Coast Power Exchange Group (PEG)

In the light of the demise of the TNC Group, I decided to start another group, independent of everyone else. This is strictly an online E-group that is designed to be an outlet for all things related to BDSM in the Houston area and all over this Southeastern section of the state of Texas.

I am fondly (or sadistically) referred to as Ironass because I've been in the Lifestyle for many years and like to be played very heavy, as many can attest. I belong to Pink Dragon Lady (Trellen Russey), who is also a veteran of the Lifestyle. Herself and the late Art Russey (the Toy Maker) used to have the Gulf Coast Power Exchange Group, the original PEG, in Pasadena, Texas for several years until his death.

If you have a BDSM group you are invited to post your activities here. However, this is not a place for SPAM. We are not here to sell anything - there are other groups for that - but to share our experiences with one another as it relates to the BDSM lifestyle.

This group will be moderated by me and will not answer to the demands of any other group. We will honor everyone and are here to pass judgment upon no one. However, there are a few rules:

1. First and foremost, NO SPAMMING! Anyone who tries to spam on this list will be blocked as soon as I discover it, no questions asked and no appeals. By SPAMMING, I mean commercials of any kind for any product or service and asking for money.

If someone is in need or in the hospital, please feel free to post a request. If you wish to announce a play party or an event of your BDSM group, please feel free to do so. If you have a website you wish to share with us relating to the Lifestyle, please feel free to post.

2. I will not tolerate any flaming on this list. Arguing about things is one thing and can be done civilly, but we are not here to pass judgment on anyone or to run anyone down. If I see that on this list I will deal with it in whatever manner seems fair. It is OK, however, to talk about Travis (LOL).

I have found the BDSM community to be one of the most caring and giving communities in the city, but we can be quite vicious at times. I simply ask that we all show some respect for one another and remember that we do not know what anyone is going through at any given moment. It is better to err on the side of humanness than to rip one another's throat out!

3. As to the posting of pictures, please be discreet. We have to be careful of showing private body parts on a public forum such as this. As a member, the pictures you put in a post for this group are at your discretion, but lets try not to make Yahoo nervous - well, more nervous - than it already is.

At the moment, that's the rules, other than to honor the Yahoo guidelines for groups. Post, talk, announce, have fun.

Your Moderator,
Ironass

When you join this group please remember that Yahoo requires you to have your age posted in your profile or they can bump the whole group. They want to know that everyone is over the age of 18. PLEASE REMEMBER THIS!

Links
PEG
Yahoo Group

If you have a BDSM group you are invited to post your activities here. However, this is not a place for SPAM. We are not here to sell anything - there are other groups for that - but to share our experiences with one another as it relates to the BDSM lifestyle.

To Subscribe:
GulfCoastPowerExchange-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

Gulf Coast-Touch of Leather

A new group is forming on the south east side of town and is having a munch this evening at 7 PM at Noahs Ark Grill in Baycliff. I am forwarding the following with their permission since we have a number of folks who may be interested:

Gulf Coast-Touch of Leather is happy to invite you to our inaugural munch. We'll be getting together at Noah's Ark (located on the water at 4438 Boulevard St, Bacliff). Look for a white stuffed dog on the table and you will know you have found us. Noah's Ark is famous for their burgers and friendly staff. They are really looking forward to having us for our first munch, and hoping we'll become regulars. If you need directions or more information visit www.noahsarkgrill.com

Meeting time is 7:00. Weather permitting, we've asked to be grouped on the side porch, outside. If it's rainy just keep an eye out for the white plush pup on the table. We encourage you to dress comfy. Jeans and T's are fine. The bar has pub food for us to munch on and drink to help beat the heat. (Anytime we can beat something, it's bound to be a good time.) At this munch we just plan to get to know each other and try to find out what some of the folks from the Coastal region of TX would like to see happening in our Community.

Gulf Coast Touch of Leather is an Alternative Choice gateway organization. The club is hoping to meet some of the needs of the south Houston-to-Galveston corridor residents (though anyone is welcome to attend). As things get rolling we're planning on regular munches, educational forums and demos, and local parties and a yearly weekend retreat. We welcome folks who walk the different paths of our diverse lifestyle, and hope that by being given the chance to share in our diversity we'll become a stronger and more aware Community. The e-list for Gulf Coast Touch of Leather can be found at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Gulf_Coast_TOL/ And information for our annual camping retreat can be found at <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/WyldFyre> We hope that you'll surf by and stay a while.

Gulf Coast TOL very happy to be holding this munch and taking these first steps of growth. We hope that you'll join us at the munch and give us your input so that we can get the club charted on a steady course for education, awareness, and fun, among the like-minded of our Gulf Coast Community.

See you there,

Stan

Gulf_Coast_TOL@comcast.net

BDSM Women's Group: Just Us/WIK

Max Rulz has started a new group for ALL females in the community regardless of orientation, that will meet once a month on Sunday afternoons for a demo, or presentation, discussion and potluck meal.

JustUsWIK (women in kink) Women's group is going to be an informal meet, greet and eat so to speak. It will be a relaxed gathering of the women in the Houston BDSM community. There will be No play just discussion and support. There will be no Top or bottom hats worn though we will discuss issues relating to both. **JustUs WIK** will be an environment where we can share our experiences and educate in hopes to keep our minds stimulated and our asses safe! There will be workshops. In addition to tapping into the wealth of

experience many of the Women have here, I plan on bringing in women I have had the opportunity to meet and learn from over the years. For information please contact; memistress@themistressrulz.com
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/justuswik/?yguid=10279865>

Yahoo Groups, Websites, Etc.

Greetings All, just a note to let everyone know that there is a **new kitty group**.....did some looking around and could find no groups for human kitty play for my sister subbie so i started one LOL so please come and check it out if you are into this type of play :-) hope to see you there. (susan)

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/KittyPlayKorner/>

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Subscribe: BD_SM_how2-subscribe@yahooogroups.com Ever wondered how to make that certain toy? How hot a certain colored candle is? How to tie that special knot? How to remove blood from a cane? Or any one of a million other little things that come with a lifetime of experience? Then this is the group for you.

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Is there a connection between BD/SM and Magick? This is a group for pansexual adults to discuss this unique lifestyle, including the emotional, spiritual and metaphysical aspects encountered through altered states of consciousness.

FemaleSubmissiveSupport

FemaleSubmissiveSupport-subscribe@yahooogroups.com Female only group. Open to switches (only while in bottom mode), bottoms and of course submissives. All interested in being submissive on any level. No experts here, just other caring women. Focus on positive aspects and ways to enhance the experience of submission in a D/s relationship ,and let us help you through the more difficult aspects.

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MAST

Masters And slaves Together - Houston (MAST - H) is a MAST chapter based in Houston, Texas for people wishing to explore consensual and responsible Master/slave relationships. The goal of MAST Houston is to provide a social and support group for individuals involved in, or interested in, the Master/slave lifestyle. It is an opportunity and forum for like-minded individuals to come together for discussion of issues that concern Masters and slaves, to share ideas and gain knowledge of the Master/slave lifestyle.

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/MAST-H/?yguid=141312483>

Travis's Houston BDSM & Fetish Page * New URL!

www.houstonbdsm.net

It is the purpose of this Web Site to document this growth, and to be a simple page for Houston fans of fetish to find out what's happening in and around the Houston area in the world of BDSM/FETISH. Check here often to find out about your favorite organization, and to check on upcoming events. So I threw together a website that I will be trying to keep updated as regular as time allows. If you have any details on any events, parties, and groups around Texas please feel free to add them to the site. Travis

Abilene Kinksters

Hi Guys, due to the fact that i get many people asking me questions about the **Abilene area** and if there are any BDSM groups up there (which there are none) I decided to start one for them.

I hope at some point in the future they will be able to start having munches and hopefully even play parties. So if you travel to the area or know anyone in the area and would like to join yourself go to

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/AbileneKinksters/>

Texas Fetish and Swing

I just started a group for fetish and swing people in San Antonio, Austin and surrounding areas. This is a MODERATED group, with spammers getting banned immediately. If you're as tired of spam as I am, I invite you to join!!!

TexasFetishAndSwing-subscribe@yahogroups.com

DFW_powerexchange.

The link is http://groups.yahoo.com/group/dfw_powerexchange/

Our mission statement:

DFW_powerexchange is for A/anyone in the Dallas-Fort Worth area who is into the D/s lifestyle, or interested in learning more about it.

Our purpose is to be:

1) A place to grow and learn in our Dominance and submission.

2) A connecting point for Masters, Mistresses, Dominants, switches, slaves and submissives to meet and make friends with others who share our interests through social events, both vanilla and lifestyle oriented.

3) A forum for the exchange of information, thoughts, ideas and experiences on the dynamics involved in D/s or M/s relationships and play--not only through dialog on the message board, but also through real-life personal interaction among members via discussion groups, parties, group outings to other organizations' events and more.

4) A link to other organizations, events, craftsmen, merchants, artists and others who cater to those in the D/s lifestyle. Thank you for your consideration, cravin

Huntsville Area D/s

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Huntsville_Area_D-S

here is there blurb: Huntsville TX and surrounding areas newest group for the continued growth of the D/S community. All lifestyles welcome respect all and all shall respect you. Parties coming soon as things start to build. servicing mostly Trinity, Livingston, Huntsville, OnAlaska, Nacogdoches, Lufkin, Crockett, Bryan, etc.

The Houston Portal

Plus Michael and Rachael have an egroup for new people in the community.

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/THPBDSM/> Here is the blurb:

This group has been set up to help new people, or people curious about B.D.S.M. It is geared mainly for Houston area people, however anyone can join. The bridge from Vanilla can be a difficult one to travel alone, we offer support, advice, and a hand to hold on the way. Feel free to ask any questions, no question will be stupid, this is to help get you ready for the more advanced boards, as well as real life play and or parties.

ADS

Hello Lovelies,

If you haven't heard by now, "I Will Submit to You, Master" is out now fro Renaissance E-books! Here's the blurb for my latest Male Dom BDSM story:

It Takes a True Master to Turn a Strong Mistress into an Eager Sub! Collin was the man for the job and Jackie was the dominant woman who needed taming, Spirited into a dungeon, Mistress Jackie soon finds herself in a battle of wills with Master Collin, and she soon realizes it will be a losing battle for her. Not only is his will stronger, but Collin will soon introduce her to a series of sexual devices designed to teach her submission, devices no woman could resist. From the celebrated Top, and author of Gift of Her Submission.

Buy it now: <http://shop.renebooks.com/ProductDetails.asp?ProductCode=ILLYVICH%2D11>

In other news, New blog post up at Hitting the Hot Spot: <http://totalebound.blogspot.com> regarding Cybernet and the Adult Industry as it relates to Erotic Romance

I promise, I'm redesigning my website but if you're looking for free stories you can go to <http://www.saschaillyvich.com> and click on the wolf face, then on free stories! I have like, seven or so up right now.

Don't forget to stop by the [Midnight Seductions Authors](#) Blog, we have a post a day to entertain, inform, and arouse you.

Are you all listening to Radio Dentata? Coming up this week we'll have Brenna Lyons on the UnNamed Romance Show, discussing a myriad of things, including her latest work, how she manages to write so much and what's up with EPI C.

Next week, we'll have the DragonCon panel authors on. That's Jolie DuPre, Kayelle Allen, Kiernan Kelly, Ally Blue and myself.

Tune in on Mondays at 1 PM PST, www.radiodentata.com/sascha.html

Closing Remarks

The HPEP Newsletter can only be as good as what you put in it - so send in your stuff!!!! It is now on line so whether you write Erotic/BDSM poetry or prose, have some humor you'd like to share, would like to report on an event, want to sell that old whip, need a job or are looking for help, or would like to announce your club's special events, you will reach a larger audience. Please send in your "submissions" ASAP for inclusion in the next 2009 Newsletter. I really want those Birthdays now, so everybody gets their fair share of spankings!!!!

Send to mwvixen@swbell.net

Suggestions on how to improve the Newsletter or what you would like to see in it are welcome. I will do my best to fulfill any reasonable requests. I am new to this format, the Newsletter previously being available in hard-copy only, so please bear with me (or bare with me?) as I learn and improve and enhance this publication my education is an ongoing process!

Thanks to all the contributors (and to those from whose emails/posts I "borrowed") (esp. Mistress More, Randy, Kaycee, Gary, the HPEP Board and many more) and other folks (i.e. Masterwhip) who assisted in getting out yet another issue of the HPEP Newsletter!!! (And thanks to Alexis our new Webmaster for posting the Newsletter to the HPEP website)

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Happy Hurricane Season – Be Prepared!