COMING OUT AND SUPPORT NIOT WEEK 11/14-11/21: SEE ALL INFORMATION BELOW

Not In Our Town Meetings for 2015-2016

** NEXT NIOT MEETING IS ON 12/10/15 from 3-5 pm at the Bowling Green State University Student Union, room 315

Not In Our Town Meetings for 2015-2016 (all meetings 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.)

December 10, 2015
BTSU Room 315

January 14, 2016
BG City Chambers

February 11, 2016
BTSU Room 315

March 3, 2016
BG City Chambers

April 7, 2016
BTSU Room 315

May 12, 2016
BG City Chambers

June 9, 2016
UPCOMING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

NIOT volunteers and supporters are encouraged to show their support by wearing their NIOT t-shirts and buttons to BGSU and Bowling Green city events.

The 2015 Bowling Green Community Holiday Parade is Saturday, November 21 at 10:00 a.m., with the theme of “Beach Holiday Too”. Not In Our Town will be walking in the parade with the City of Bowling Green Human Relations Commission. We are in need of volunteers to walk in the parade (wear your t-shirts and buttons) and for candy donations (we will also have flyers to pass out). This is a very popular and well-attended parade that lasts approximately 2 hours, so it is great way to share the message of Not In Our Town. Candy donations can be dropped off on-campus to Mary Beth Zachary in the Jerome Library or to the City of Bowling Green (Planning Department) at 304 N. Church Street. Please contact Heather Sayler, hsayler@bgohio.org if you are able to march in the parade.
NIOT BG T-Shirts

The NIOT BG T-Shirts are now available at the BGSU Bookstore for $9.99 + tax. The Bookstore is working on an online order process (once the link is available, it will be shared) and also having the shirts sold in different community locations as well. More details to come on these community locations.

NIOT BG ON FACEBOOK

NIOT BG is on Facebook. Follow us (by liking the page) at Not In Our Town Bowling Green for photos, latest news, and updates. Here is the direct link: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Not-In-Our-Town-Bowling-Green/411179839042009 LOTS OF NEW PICTURES! COME LIKE THE PAGE AND LEARN MORE ABOUT NOT IN OUT TOWN BG!

GIVING TO NIOT BG

NIOT BG can now accept tax-deductible donations and contributions. We have been able to open a formal account through the BGSU Foundation. This will allow individuals and others to donate and contribute funds specifically for NIOT BG initiatives. We also understand that some members of the community may feel uncomfortable in donating funds to a BGSU account. We are working on finalizing an account with the BG Community Foundation and hope to have those details available this summer.

Information about Giving to NIOT BG is now available on the website: www.bgsu.edu/notinourtown. Please consider making a gift today.

VIDEO LIBRARY

BGSU and BG now have a video library of NIOT films. A full listing can be found here: http://www.bgsu.edu/not-in-our-town/video-library.html These DVDs are available for check out and can be reserved by emailing niot@bgsu.edu.

NOT IN OUR TOWN NEWS & EVENTS

- Not In Our Town Week
  - November 20th BGSU Ice Hockey game at the Ice Arena, 7 p.m. There will be a special puck drop with It’s On Us and Not In Our Town.
NIOT WEEK: November 12 –
November 21

Thursday, November 12th

- NIOT: Not In Our Tailgate 5:30 p.m. at The Oaks

Sunday, November 15th

- NIOT Women's Basketball Game 2:00 p.m. Stroh Center
- NIOT KICKOFF BTSU 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Theater (206)
  - The Kickoff is the introduction for students, faculty and the community as a whole to NIOT. We will discuss the history of Not In Our Town (NIOT) on campus as well as nationally. The Not In Our Town Bowling Green movie will be shown and a panel discussion will immediately follow.

Monday, November 16th

- Screening of Kinky boots 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. in the BTSU Theater (206) *Gender Awareness Week
  - Inspired by true events, KINKY BOOTS tells the story of Charlie Price.

Tuesday, November 17th

- BG4Unity 4:00 p.m. - 5:15p.m BTSU union tables
  - A student and faculty led initiative that provides opportunity to those who wish to express their views on stereotypes and micro-aggressions
- NIOT Football BGSU VS. Toledo, Battled of 175 6:40 p.m. at Doyt L. Perry Stadium
- TAG is hosting a Trans* Support Group 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at Grounds for Thought

Wednesday, November 18th

- Trans* in the Classrooms informational panel 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the Center for Faculty Excellence
  - A panel catering to faculty to talk about ways to make their classroom more inclusive and affirming to trans* students.
- NIOT Men's basketball 7:00 p.m. Stroh Center
- INCLUDING ALL VOICES 5:30pm-7:00pm BTSU 315
  - This session will explore the topic of consensus building and including a variety of opinions is crucial to being a student leader on campus.

Wed. November 18th continued

- Tunnel of Oppression 10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. BTSU Skybank 201
  - It is intended to be thought-provoking and consciousness-raising, giving members of the Bowling Green community the opportunity to understand the realities of oppression in an experiential manner.

Thursday, November 19th

- Tunnel of Oppression BTSU 10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. BTSU Skybank 201
- Touch the Earth Through Native Words 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. BTSU 318
- BG4B Service Learning 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. University Hall 300
- Talk to Me Thursday 7:30 p.m. BTSU 308
  - The Black Student Union will host their My Blackness & Me (W.O.K.E) Working On Knowledge Expansion
- iStand Advocacy Training 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Education Building room 363
  - The iSTAND Advocacy Training program was created by the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Center for Leadership to help teach participants practical skills for addressing micro-aggressions in our society and to stand up and advocate for others.

Friday, November 20th

- iStand Advocacy Training 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Olscamp 221
- NIOT Mens Hockey Game 7:00 p.m. BGSU Ice Arena
  - There will be a special puck drop
- Ms. Black and Gold 7:00 p.m. Olscamp 101
  - Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., celebrate the academic excellence and talent of women.
- Trans* Day of Remembrance 8:00 p.m. Education Building 114

Saturday, November 21st

- Community Parade 10:00 a.m.
- Not so Straight Skate 9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. BGSU's Ice Arena

Union Tables Monday- Friday from 10am-4pm!
*BTSU – Bowen Thompson Student Union

A very special thank you to Athletics, the Center for Leadership, Office of Service Learning, Office of Equity and Diversity, Multicultural Affairs, Disability Services and the Undergraduate Student Government.
Note: BTSU = The Bowen Thompson Student Union

A BGSU Campus map can be viewed at http://map.bgsu.edu/map/?id=652

Submissions for the Weekly Digest

Do you have content that you want to send to the NIOT-BG community? Your submission must be related to the mission of NIOT and support both the BGSU and BG communities. Submissions for the Weekly Digest must be made no later than 5pm, Thursday. All submissions will be reviewed. This is not a guarantee that your submission will be published in the Digest. Here are a few ways to send your submission.

Email NIOT@bgsu.edu the following information:

- a URL of your event or website to be included in the Digest
- a PDF to be included in the Digest
- a JPEG to be included in the Digest

http://www.bgsu.edu/not-in-our-town.html