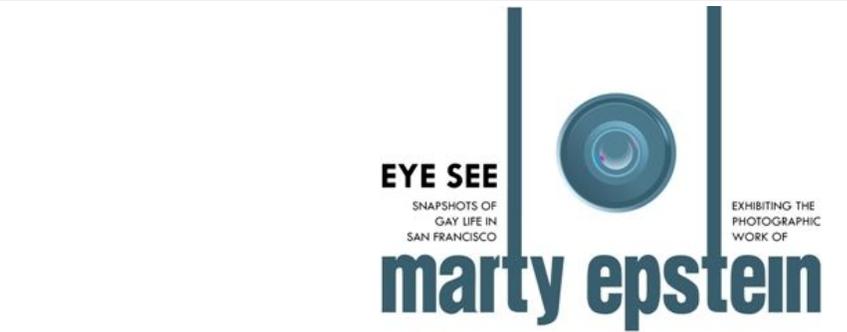




June 2011 News & Events

EYE SEE - opening reception Friday June 10



showing through July 31st

friday June 10th @ 5pm
castro country club

part of proceeds will go to "keep the steps in the castro"



Click pic to RSVP on Facebook!

Got Pride?

For nearly three decades, sober travelers to San Francisco from throughout the globe have stopped by the famous Castro Country Club, a touchstone for LGBT people in recovery and a place to find fellowship, a good cup of coffee, and a meeting.

It's Pride Month, and we've got big plans to welcome throngs of revelers to the new Sober Stage 2011 at the LGBT Pride Festival on June 26, and to the Castro neighborhood all month long.

So yes, we've got pride! In fact, against all odds, we're proud that we're still here! The building that has served as a

Mad Hatter Tea - June 12



A benefit for CMA's Finding Fellowship Retreat

Joey B's Turning One - Saturday, June 18



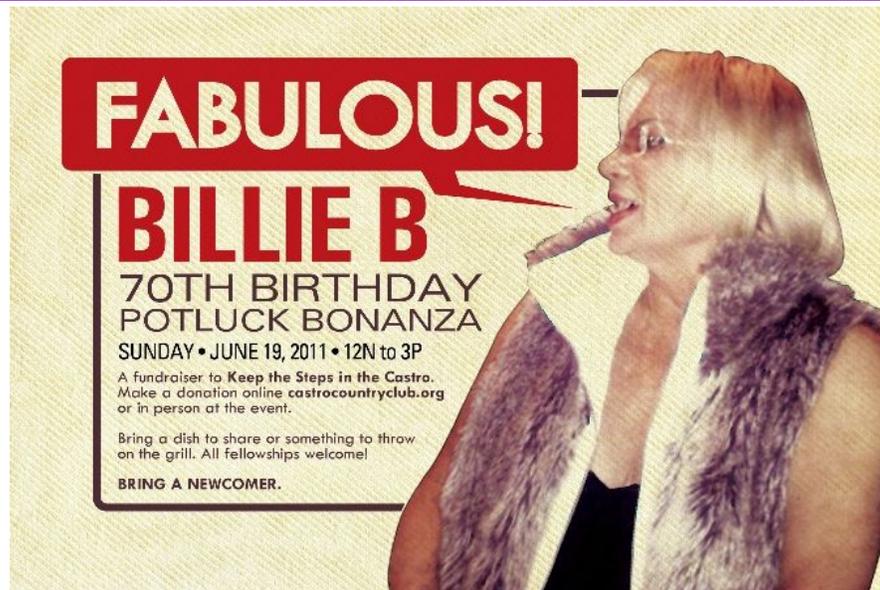
Celebrate Joey with a newcomer!

spiritual refuge for generations of people in recovery has been listed for sale for a year. The Trust that represents the new owners of the building - St. Anthony's Foundation, SPCA, and the Salvation Army - has rebuffed all of our offers to lease or purchase the building.

Just in the last month, a club supporter made a \$1 million cash offer, which was turned down. Then we offered \$1.2 million with 10% down, if the Trust that represents the new owners would carry the financing for three years. And this offer was also turned down.

Independent estimates reveal that the 1901 Victorian requires at least \$300,000 in seismic retrofit, roofing and other work. Any new owner will face not only these expenses,

And Billy B's Turning 70! - Sunday, June 19



FABULOUS!

BILLIE B

**70TH BIRTHDAY
POTLUCK BONANZA**

SUNDAY • JUNE 19, 2011 • 12N to 3P

A fundraiser to **Keep the Steps in the Castro**.
Make a donation online castrocountryclub.org
or in person at the event.

Bring a dish to share or something to throw
on the grill. All fellowships welcome!

BRING A NEWCOMER.

It's her natal, babies. Click pic to RSVP!

Queens Are Not Made... Thursday, June 23

THE **A SOBER JUNE BITCHFEST BONANZA**

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but a plethora of permitting problems. Maybe that's why the building hasn't sold, despite the Trust having dropped the asking price four times in less than 12 months - from \$1.7 million down to the current \$1.2 million.

Nevertheless, we're proud that our Keep the Steps in the Castro campaign has raised enough funds in memberships and small donations to offer a 10% downpayment on the building, plus change. And while we are saddened that this offer has been refused, we will continue building this fund to ensure that the Castro Country Club will serve as a beacon of hope for future generations of people seeking recovery from alcoholism and addiction, even if we end up using these funds to lease and build-out a

Take-a-Cake - Saturday, June 25

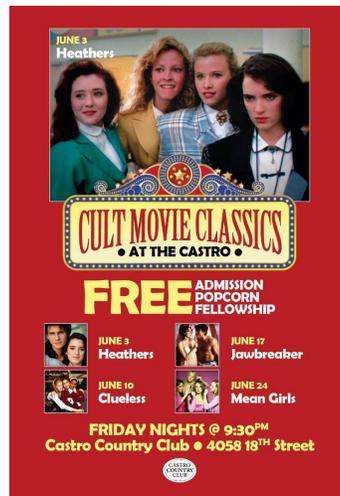


A meeting during Pink Saturday??

new location.

We're also proud of our volunteers who keep the club open and operating smoothly, from early morning to late at night, 365 days a year, hosting hundreds of people at 35 recovery meetings every week.

Bad Girl Cult Classics - Fridays in June



Free Admission, Free Popcorn, Free Fellowship!

Have you got pride, too? Be a part of the solution! Stop by the CCC and sign-up to help out at Pink Saturday or Pride.

Your efforts will help make these events fun and safe for our sisters and fellows in recovery, and will also help Keep the Steps in the Castro!

Don't forget to stop by the club to sign-up to volunteer for Pink Saturday, Pride, Up Your Alley, Folsom Street Fair and the Castro Street Fair!

For more information, please visit www.castrocountryclub.org.