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Outflicks Letter to Psychologists and Guidance Staff

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To the School Psychologist and/or Guidance Staff:

I am writing to inform you of an opportunity of which you or members of the faculty and/or student body may want to take advantage. On Thursday, 7:00pm, the University of Rhode Island Lesbian and Gay Film and Speaker Series (OUTFLICKS) is presenting an evening about issues affecting gay youth.

The evening will begin with the movie *Homoteens*, which is described in the enclosed flyer. Additionally, Wendy Becker, facilitator of the Way Out, a support group for gay, lesbian and questioning youth in Providence, will be the featured speaker. It is expected that members of her group will accompany her to answer questions.

You are cordially invited to attend this potentially informative evening. The film is being shown in Room 113, White Hall Auditorium, at URI (White Hall is the building across from Chafee Building) Take 95 South to Route 4, then route 4 to Route 1. Follow Route 1 South to Route 138, take a right (there is a restaurant and Mobil station at that intersection) Follow Route 138 to the entrance of URI (Upper College Road, the second stop light you will come to) Turn right, go to the end of the road, and turn left onto Flagg Road. You will pass a tennis court on the left, then a one story building, and the next place you can, turn left. This is the Chafee Parking lot. White Hall is the building on your right.

Thank you

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OUTFLICKS

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Thursday, November 17, 1994
White Hall Auditorium (Room 113), URI
7:00 PM

Homoteens

Five gay and lesbian young adults in New York City have produced their own vivid autobiographical portraits with the help of video maker Joan Jubela. Each portrait is unique, and each of these homoteens has a style all their own. Monique talks about her girlfriends and about being a Latina dyke in NYC. Peter tapes the story of his long-distance relationship with his closeted athlete boyfriend, Richard. An anonymous 15-year-old talks about being hassled in school and shows off his scrapbooks of gay and African American history. 17-year-old community organizer Henry Diaz offers a look at the organization that helped him come out, Youth Force. And Nicky, a 19-year-old Afro-Caribbean American lesbian, tells us about her girlfriend, growing up as a Jehovah’s Witness, and being institutionalized for being a lesbian. This video was the winner for best video at the 1993 San Francisco International Lesbian and Gay Film Festival.

We are pleased to have Wendy Becker, facilitator of The Way Out, a Providence-based support group for lesbian, gay and questioning youth, as our speaker for this evening. She will facilitate discussion about the film and about issues important in the lives of lesbian and gay youth.

This event is free and open to the public. The auditorium is accessible. For individuals needing special assistance, call 792-2442.
CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING

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SHOW DATE: 09/29/94
RUNNING TIME: 087 MIN.

DO NOT HOLD THIS PROGRAM.
PLEASE SHIP IT BACK THE DAY AFTER YOUR SHOW DATE.

Gay Leade Brown Room
I/O Student Center
Memorial Union
Kingston RI 02881