



## About Us

The purpose of the Resource Center is not only to provide a welcoming communal space to the large LGBTQ population of Gulfport and Pinellas County, but also to establish a sense of awareness and advocacy for a segment of the Gulfport community that is ingrained in the very fabric of the community; its history, unique sensibility, and accepting creative spirit. The LGBTQ Resource Center is a project of the non-profit Circle of Friends of the Gulfport Public Library.

### Contact Us

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Web: [mygulfport.us/lgbtq-resources](http://mygulfport.us/lgbtq-resources)

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# ShoutOut

Newsletter of the LGBTQ Resource Center

## Summer 2018

A quarterly newsletter keeping you informed about what's happening at the Gulfport Library's LGBTQ Resource Center.



### *From our Chair...*

*Daniel Hodge*

We are coming off another very active Pride Month in which the LGBTQ Resource Center has presented a variety of programs from entertaining, to educational, to artistic and in each one, inspirational. We are creating a tradition of a full month of Pride programs each year and growing stronger. Heading into summer, we look forward to continuing our monthly free film series as well as welcoming a Florida teacher and children's book author in July who has recently published the first children's picture book on the LGBTQ Pride Flag. Join us as we create new traditions and nurture new ones! We also have a new email address: [LGBTQGulfport@gmail.com](mailto:LGBTQGulfport@gmail.com).

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Contact us at this address if you'd like to reach out for any reason or if you would be willing to volunteer to help with our events and activities. Also send us an email if you'd like to be added to our email list to receive updates on events and other Resource Center news. Thanks for reading and thanks for supporting your LGBTQ Resource Center.



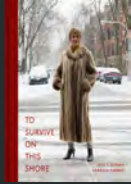


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**Feb 15-17, 2019 will be the 2nd annual ReadOut** event and this year promises to be even more exciting than 2018. Our keynote speaker will be award-winning and ground-breaking author, Lesléa Newman and in addition to fiction and non-fiction authors who write for lesbians, we'll also have a special afternoon of LGBTQ books for children and teens. Keep an eye out for our Call for Submissions, or better yet join our email list so you can receive updated announcements. For more information email: [GulfportReadOut@gmail.com](mailto:GulfportReadOut@gmail.com).

**NonFiction**

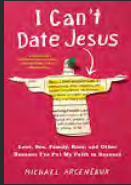
*The Weight of the Earth: The Tape Journals of David Wojnarowicz* by David Wojnarowicz, et. al.



*To Survive on This Shore: Photographs and Interviews with Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Older Adults* By Jess T. Dugan, et. al.

*She Called Me Woman: Nigeria's Queer Women* By Azeenarh Mohammed, et. Al.

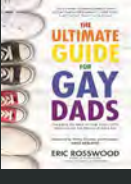
*Boys Keep Swinging: A Memoir* By Bryan Borland



*Hiding Out: A Memoir of Drugs, Deception, and Double Lives* By Tina Alexis Allen

*I Can't Date Jesus: Love, Sex, Family, Race, and Other Reasons I've Put My Faith in Beyoncé* By Michael Arceneaux

*Havana: A Subtropical Delirium* By Mark Kurlansky



*Feminist Weed Farmer: Growing Mindful Medicine in your Own Backyard* By Madrone Stewart

*The Ultimate Guide for Gay Dads: Everything You Need to Know About LGBTQ Parenting But Are (Mostly) Afraid to Ask* By Eric Rosswood



**Singer, songwriter, guitarist and Gatorbone recording artist Lauren Heintz** will be appearing in concert at the Gulfport Public Library on Thursday evening, October 11 at 7 p.m. This will be a great way to help celebrate National Coming Out Day! Lauren is forthcoming as a transgendered woman. In addition to performing, she will also openly discuss her life and career as well as take questions from the audience. Save the date for this special evening. Admission is free, but we will accept donations for Lauren in appreciation for her appearance. Find out more about Lauren at [www.LaurenHeintz.com](http://www.LaurenHeintz.com).

**Fiction**

*Darius the Great Is Not Okay* By Adib Khorram



*Running with Lions* By Julian Winters

*Girl Made of Stars* By Ashley Herring Blake

*History of Violence: A Novel*



By Édouard Louis

*If I Was Your Girl*

By Meredith Russo

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