



Our Programs

Peer Support Group: This is a time for LGBTQ+ youth to discuss their experiences, successes and struggles. Participants provide support to each other, learn from each other, and build community. Group is facilitated by youth and adult staff/volunteer mentors. *Along with our weekly peer support group, we host other groups such as a support group for Queer and Trans People of Color.*

Drop-in hours: At drop-ins, youth hang out, check in with each other, make friends, and relax. Activities include art projects, games, movies, field trips, Youth Council, a filmmaking club, and workshops on a wide range of topics like zine-making, safer sex, queer history, self-care, and community organizing. Drop-ins happen three days each week, for a total of 10 hours per week.

Mentorship and Referrals: We provide the support that youth may need to identify and address the obstacles and opportunities they may face at home, in school, at work, and in their community.

Glitter Camp: This annual 3-day youth-led retreat takes place at a camp in a rural area. Youth, staff, and volunteers join together for collaborative organizational planning activities focused on the short- and long-term work of Stonewall.

Speaker's Bureau Collective: Youth present workshops at schools, community organizations, social service and law enforcement agencies, as well as public events. They receive stipends for their work.

Art Programs, Shows, and Performances: We have several 10-week expressive arts workshops for youth each year in a variety of mediums such as poetry, spoken word, visual arts, and theater. Soon, we'll start our music programming!

Safe & Sober Social Events: We have three annual dances (Queer Prom, Homo-Coming, and Pride Dance), and several other activities. We're in the process of expanding our offerings to six dances/open mics each year.

Youth Leadership and Activism: Stonewall Youth is committed to building the capacity for youth organizing and leadership by providing the training, resources, and support necessary for youth to maximize their leadership and power within Stonewall Youth and to be effective activists and community organizers for issues of importance to them. We do these by ensuring that youth are in positions of power and are at the center of all decision-making. Two of our four Co-directors are youth, as are about half of our Board members. We've provided internships to over 50 college students (primarily youth) in the last 25 years, and now have Fellowships for high-school age youth.

Stonewall Activism Saturday School (SASS): SASS is a quarterly workshop for youth organized by the Speakers Bureau Collective that supports LGBTQ+ youth and allies to exchange skills to become more effective activists and stand in solidarity with the movements that surround us.