MEWSLETTER

OUTREACH, EDUCATION, AND ORGANIZING:

Paint the Town (La) Red:

SAVE THE DATE! Celebrate survival and resistance at our annual fundraiser, Paint the Town (La) Red on April 19, 2018, at the China Pearl Restaurant (9 Tyler Street, Boston,

MA, 02111). Join us for delicious food, captivating performances, and community building.

Survival and Resistance: Power with Survivors, Power for Communities:

Survival and Resistance: Power with Survivors, Power for Communities is a series of actions and events that center the stories, work, creativity, and lived experiences of survivors of partner abuse and oppressive systems. For many survivors, our identities and experiences shape how we exist and live in our communities. This campaign draws the connection between partner abuse and oppression. To support survivors, we must see them as the experts and work in partnership to eradicate all forms of violence.

Our campaign is about working towards liberation as a community so to kick off the second year of *Survival and Resistance*, we have collaborated with local videographer, Jennifer Recinos, movement artist, Fabiola Torralba, and survivors all around Boston to produce a video that uplifts survivors' stories and draws the connection between partner abuse and oppression. Look for our video launch on social media in April!

Get Involved:

Are you passionate about ending partner abuse?

Looking for concrete ways to support survivors from LGBQ/T, poly, and SM communities? Want to

build community working to end all forms of oppression? Join the Network/La Red as a volunteer! Table at community events, support folks on hotline, help plan our annual grassroots fundraiser, and bring conversations around partner abuse and oppression into community. Join us for a volunteer drop-in session to meet current volunteers and staff!

Visit tnlr.org or call 617-695-0877 X107 for more information about our volunteer program and for volunteer drop-in dates/times.

DIRECT SERVICE:

Hotline:

TNLR's hotline is now toll-free!
(800-832-1901.) Survivors can call this
number 24 hours a day, in addition to our
local voice (617-742-4911) and TTY (617-227-4911)

hotline numbers. Since July 1st, we have taken over 2,400 hotline calls, providing emotional support to survivors and their friends and families, connecting folks to information and resources, and working with survivors to build safety plans.

Housing Pathways Program:

The lack of affordable housing creates and reinforces barriers to safety for survivors of partner abuse. We launched our new

two-phase Housing Pathways Program to provide up to two years of rental assistance for up to 10 survivors, in addition to a wide range of support. Just as abuse and oppression are linked by control, abuse and oppression are also dissolved through a breaking of barriers and gaining access.

Support Group:

TNLR's phone-based support group allows people to call in from all over the country and provides a space for survivors in LGBQ/T, SM, and polyamorous communities to connect with others

about the intersections of partner abuse and our identities. One cycle of support group typically runs for 8 weeks with 6 survivors. We'll be recruiting for and facilitating the next support group cycle in the late winter. Call our hotline to learn more!

CONTACT US!

Call our 24-Hour hotline: Voice: 617-742-4911 | TTY: 617-227-4911 Toll-Free: 800-832-1901

Visit our website at tnlr.org and follow us on social media: @thenetworklared









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