

Our Legacy and Our Future

A Community Forum for LGBT Elders and Allies

Sunday Feb. 7, 2016 • 1:00-5:00 PM

This is a free event and held at The Jewish Community Center, 3800 E. River Rd.

THE SOUTHWEST PREMIERE OF A FEATURE LENGTH DOCUMENTARY FILM:

Reel in the Closet

A collection of home movies tracing decades of Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual and Transgender lives. Generations of LGBT people quietly lived their lives, when to be open about identity risked loss of jobs, families, as well as arrests and violence. Stu Maddox reveals this hidden history by unearthing rare home movies – some dating to the 1930s – that have long languished in people's closets. Projecting the viewer back in time, these private moments open a fascinating window into the vibrancy of unheralded LGBT lives.

Reel in the Closet filmmaker Stu Maddox will speak at the screening and respond to questions. Mr. Maddox also produced Gen Silent in 2011.

**A Village Voice review in November of New York's documentary festival says:
No film here moved me as much as Stu Maddox's Reel in the Closet.**



Holiday party - 1949



Christine Jorgensen - 1951



1972 New York City Gay Pride Parade

Joseph Howell will share oral history clips from the Arizona Queer Archives and give a 'how-to-session' on organizing your records at home and donating your archival collection.

Serena Worthington, Director of National Field Initiatives for SAGE (Services and Advocacy for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Elders) will discuss crucial issues and advocacy for LGBT Elders.



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Organizations serving LGBT seniors will have information tables.

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