

PFLAG BUFFALO/NIAGARA

October Sharing Meeting

1:00-2:30

Sunday, October 17th

Via Zoom

Meeting Number 555 112 0003

Pass Code 700



In addition, outside of our virtual group sharing/support meetings, New Parent Virtual Meetings can be scheduled for those in need of support and information between monthly meetings. Call our Helpline to request a meeting. Please reach out. We are here for you.

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We meet because we have learned someone close to us is gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender. We try to help one another deal with this information in a positive manner. Although we do not always agree, we try to be understanding. We offer help to those who seek it, but do not force ourselves on others. We strive to maintain anonymity while sharing on a level that is comfortable.

RESOURCES AVAILABLE AT YOUR FINGERTIPS



Last year, we shared some assignments in this newsletter to help readers become acquainted with the website of our parent organization, PFLAG National or PFLAG. Currently, the website's homepage features resources and information that help respond to the question, "What to do when a loved one comes out?"

As this is main mission of PFLAG and all of its chapters, we thought it a good time to ask readers to visit our www.pflag.org again and follow the question on the "front page." Readers will find articles, resources, and a video of PFLAG Academy where that question was addressed. PFLAG Academy offers classes and presents topics for discussion; viewers can log in as "class" is in progress or can view a the recording afterward.

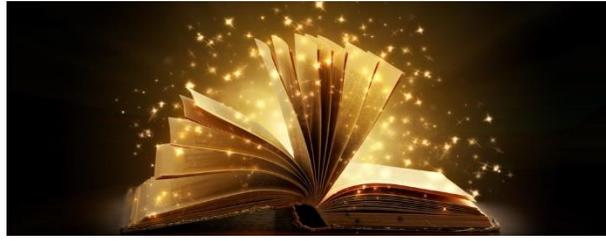
We encourage all readers to visit www.pflag.org often, and of course, don't forget about PFLAG Buffalo/Niagara's site as well, www.pflagbuffalo.org.

LOOKING FOR CONTRIBUTIONS FROM READERS



Would you like to share your PFLAG story? Would you like to tell us about a loved one who is LGBTQ+ and makes you smile? Do you have an original poem or essay that you would like to share? Please send your contribution to info@pflagbuffalo.org. We hope to hear from you!

BOOK CORNER



This month's recommendation is not a book but a film available on Amazon Prime. "Everybody's Talking about Jamie" is a film version of the stage musical of the same name (which was adapted from the book, "Jamie: Drag Queen at 16"). "Jamie" became available on September 17th and PFLAG National held a watch party to celebrate its opening.

It is a gem of a story and quite an inspiring film that is based on the story of Jamie and his mother Margaret. However, the intro says, the film's events are true, but the music and dancing were added. Please enjoy this touching and uplifting film.

Grab some popcorn, a Kleenex, and make sure to watch through the credits. Please cut and paste the link below to watch the trailer.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CpOeZw7xdf>



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