



The Ball Street Journal

issue 1


Hey GIRL Heyyyyyy!

Welcome to the Boston Strikers first official newsletter!

Don't swipe right just yet! We hope you take some time and read through our first publication of The Ball Street Journal. Below you'll find the latest hot gossip for your favorite gay soccer club. Be sure to read through and check out all the happenings - this is one tea we hope you will spill!



Bonjour 2018 Gay Games!

The 2018 Gay Games are being held in the city of love: Paris, France! 

We are proud to be sending our Boston Strikers out on the pitch for the Gay Games 10 being held August 4th - 12th this year.

With 5+ players already registered, we're looking for more of you to rendezvous in Paris for what is sure to be a fun and memorable experience.

A special committee has been set up to help organize all of the logistics required to send a team. If you are interested in playing or just looking for more information, reach out to Chris Laranjeira (claranje@gmail.com). You can also check out the event page on our Strikers facebook page.

Registration Link:

<https://parisgaygames.fusesport.com/registration/395/>

Registration Codes:

For D2 11v11 Team: **BosSoc11D2**

For D2 7v7 Team: **BosSoc7D2**

How do I sign up?

With over 36 sports and 15,000 participants, the Gay Games bring together people from all over the world for a sporting event founded on diversity, respect, equality, and inclusion. For more information on the tournament, you can visit the official site at paris2018.com

Jouer à Paris!

...in this edition



Gay Games



Tournaments



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Tournaments



The Albany Empire's Blizzard Cup: Feb 17th

It's that time again... The 5th annual Blizzard Cup hosted by our sisters from another mister, the Albany Empire. The question is - can the two teams bring back some hardware again after taking 2nd and 3rd place in last year's tournament?

Registration is closed for the two Boston Strikers teams but we are always looking for fangirls and drinking buddies for the weekend. Guests passes and more information can be found at the registration site: <http://www.albanyempire.com/blizzard-cup-2018/>

Weekend Schedule

Friday, February 16, 2018:

11:00am – 8:00pm: Free [Ice Skating at the Plaza](#)

9:00pm: Opening party at [Rocks Bar](#) (77 Central Ave. Albany, NY)

Saturday, February 17, 2017:

11:00am: Onsite registration begins

12:00pm – 6:00pm: Tournament at [Afrims Sports](#) (450 Wemple Rd. Glenmont, NY)

8:00pm – 11:00pm: Post-tournament dinner & banquet at LAX on Lark (205 Lark St. Albany, NY)

11:00pm: Post-tournament party & dancing at Waterworks Pub (76 Central Ave. Albany, NY)

Sunday, February 18, 2017

11:00am: Brunch at [Wolff's Biergarten](#) (895 Broadway, Albany, NY 12207)

The 22nd Annual Whitmore Indoor Classic: Apr 14th

...and the first anniversary of the Strikers taking home the 1st place trophy! The NYC tournament is one of the more competitive tournaments we play in and features teams from all over the United States (WeHo, Chicago, DC...) as well as a few international surprises sometimes! This year will be at a new location in [yasssss] Queens. The format is 4v4 with a keeper and as in years past, we'll be sending 2 teams.



So start hittin' the treadmills and working on your game. Teams are picked by an independent selection committee based on skill, participation, seniority, and positions... You can register on our Strikers website now or reach out to any of the board members for additional information! [Click here for registration](#)



Mark Your Calendars

EVENTS



Onesie Bar Crawl

Saturday @ 8:00pm

February 24

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The Eagle

Club Cafe

Solas

Trophy Room

Clery's

Cathedral Station



Board Notes



- Saturday Soccer Reminders
- RSVP to your captains on the team page
 - Wear your shin guards
 - It's just a game, Focker!

Get your Strikers SWAGGGG!

Check out our team store:
<https://www.teepublic.com/user/bostonstrikers>

Thank you for reading the first edition of the Ball Street Journal. With each future publication, we hope to better inform you of all things Boston Strikers related. If you have any comments, feedback, or ideas for future newsletters, please contact:

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