LGBT community faces stigma, stereotypes

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Gibbons said, “You never know the heroin in the 1970s and ’80s, life. Because of that, they take a lot after the record-setting year in 2011, heroin overdoses. and more states giving legal status to as a threat to their own masculinity.” But Cannon. “Most of that violence is directed toward homosexual males. Frequently you with each other in a way that indicates friendship. Many times others will see that as a threat to their own masculinity.”

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In the past, Parks Department rep- And even though December weath- cold and snowy, Verheyen said the picture with a little snow in the back- light of the Christmas season, combined with the magic of the snowy outdoors, makes December a magical time for all ages. The Edwardsville City Council is making plans for this year’s Tree Lighting Ceremony, which is scheduled for December 6, 2014, at City Hall. The event will feature music, hot cocoa and cookies, and, of course, Santa. The ceremony will begin at 6:30 p.m., and Santa will arrive at 7 p.m. The ceremony will be followed by a tree lighting ceremony. The tree, which will be a large spruce, will be lit up with hundreds of lights. The tree will be located on the corner of South Main Street and 5th Street. After the tree lighting, the public is invited to enjoy refreshments and music in the park. In addition, there will be a children’s craft table, where children can make their own holiday crafts. The event is free and open to the public. For more information, please visit the City of Edwardsville website or call the Parks Department at 618-724-2747.

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LGBT community still faces stigma, stereotypes

With the federal government and more communities legalizing same-sex and gay couples, members of the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) comm- munity have become more accepted as a part of society. However, even with the unprecedented changes in the LGBT community, members still face issues of prejudice, discrimination, harassment and even vio-

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To talk about these issues we assembled a group of experts from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. They are Dr. Gibbons, Dr. Smith-McConn, Dr. Cannon, Dr. Shipton, Dr. Throndsen, Brandy L. Shipton, the assistant professor of anthropology, who is an proud of the area of studies and health, is a professor at the department of mass communications who is an expert in the area of law enforcement and the of the progress of community, and Gary Hix, the faculty of the department of mass communications who is an expert in the area of law enforcement and the community in the media. All of issues fac- ing LGBT community were addressed. Why we addressed is to be violence – violence that has on many cases turned into a threat.

“A lot of the violence against people in the LGBT community is reflections of how we treat them first, but they don’t fix the gender stereotypes, and the way they believe in." Gibbons later added that some- how, when a man and women are supposed to be, “said to be gay, and that is all the more reason towards homosexual males. Frequently you may find a group of men getting along with each other in a way that indicates friendship. Many times others will see that as a threat to their own masculinity.”

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Mr. Song remarked “It is a great honor to visit the Champaign-Urbana, and Yale for further the $1,500 Webb Lewis Scholarship. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes the Edwardsville High School student Juliet Horsey as the First Rotary Club Student of the Month. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica. The Edwardsville Rotary Club recognizes a student each month such as MidAmerica.

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