

Conference Information

Location:

Education Centre,
Toronto Board of Education
155 College Street, Toronto
(one block west of the Queen's Park
Subway station). The building is wheel-
chair accessible.

Childcare:

Childcare will be available, but must be
reserved in advance. To book childcare,
please contact Jack Tran or Adam
Kennedy at 397-3078

Interpretation:

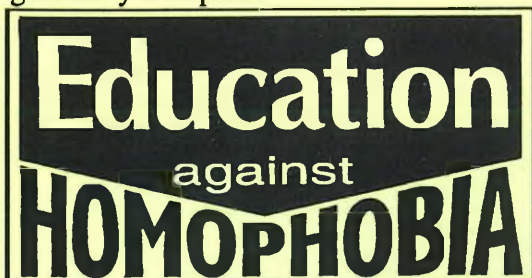
The plenary session and some work-
shops will be signed for the hearing
impaired.

Translation:

Translation in Cantonese, French,
Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Spanish, and
Vietnamese will be available for the ple-
nary session and some workshops.

Admission:

Admission is free, but donations are
gratefully accepted.



Why this Conference?

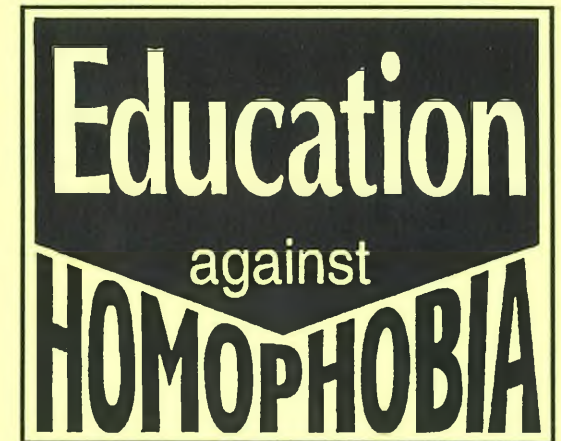
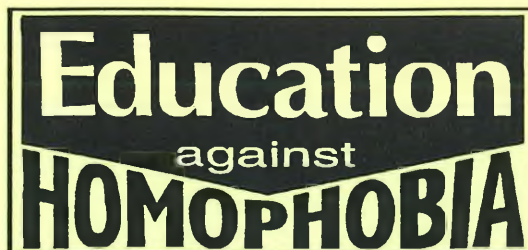
*The purpose of this event is to help parents,
educators, students, and community
members to:*

- *understand why the education system
needs to deal with homophobia*
- *find out what initiatives are actually
taking place in the Toronto Board of
Education to challenge homophobia and
support lesbian and gay students, staff,
and parents*
- *dispel the myths, lies, and stereotypes
perpetrated by those who oppose these
initiatives.*

*This conference is sponsored by
"Education Against Homophobia," a
group of educators, parents, students, social
service professionals and community
members who share a concern about the
hurt and damage done to students and staff
(both homosexual and heterosexual) by
homophobia and heterosexism in our school
system.*

For more information, contact:

- *Carroll Jewitt (Parents and Friends of
Lesbians and Gays) 322-0600*
- *John Campey (Trustee) 397-3077*
- *Greg Pavelich (Teacher) 977-1955*
- *Patty Barclay (Teacher) 530-4743*
- *Kathleen Wynne (Parent) 486-1086*
- *Nicki Scott (Student) 967-0486*



CONFERENCE
September 29, 1993 6:00 - 9:30 p.m.
Education Centre, 155 College St.,
Toronto