

BAM 2019 Winter/Spring Season

BAM announces lineup for its annual Pride Month celebration, *Everybooty*, to be held on June 29

Talent includes Andre J., Switch n' Play, Flower Tortilla, Lady Quesa'Dilla, Viva Vidalia, Theydy Bedbug, the House of LaBeija, Zoe Ziegfeld, Marc Oleszko, Salty Brine, Jo Lampert, Erin Markey, Tasha Michelle, Papi Juice, J Clef, Melo Davis, and Kings & Queens

"An arty-queer-nightlife all-star team...descends upon Brooklyn cultural beacon BAM..."
—*Time Out New York*

BAM presents
Everybooty

BAM Fisher (321 Ashland Pl)
Jun 29, 9pm—2am
Tickets: \$30 (On sale May 14)

May 14, 2019/Brooklyn, NY—*Everybooty*, BAM's celebration of New York City Pride Month, returns to BAM Fisher on June 29. This all-inclusive, all-gender celebration of queer nightlife features musicians, dancers, comedians, visual artists, a dedicated piano bar, and dancing in the entire BAM Fisher building. With this event, BAM joins the city-wide commemoration of Stonewall 50.

Now in its seventh year, *Everybooty* has become Brooklyn's preeminent Pride party, celebrating a wide swath of queer nightlife. Past favorites join new talents this year, including trend-setter **Andre J.** (curated and co-produced by 651Arts); the Brooklyn drag collective **Switch n' Play**; drag queens **Flower Tortilla, Lady Quesa'Dilla, Viva Vidalia, Theydy Bedbug**; and the legendary **House of LaBeija**. The Hillman Studio is transformed into a piano bar with **Marc Oleszko**. Expect special guest appearances by song stylists **Salty Brine, Jo Lampert, Erin Markey, Tasha Michelle**, and others. For dance lovers, DJs **Papi Juice** will be spinning music on the Rooftop Terrace while **J Clef** keeps everyone moving in the Fishman Space. **Melo Davis**, a graduate of the BAMFellowship in Stagecraft and Production, designs the astrology-themed décor. The visual art exhibition in the Fisher Lower Lobby features the dazzling photo series **Kings & Queens** (by Dutch photographer Léon Hendrickx and Micha Schneijderberg). Each photograph is a technically flawless juxtaposition of one individual as two separate entities—an intimate portrayal of real drag artists interacting with their everyday selves. Global queer media network *Slay TV*—elevating narratives of queer and trans people of color through curating and creating compelling cultured content—will also be represented.

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Inspired by the boundary-busting Pride festivities of San Francisco, *Everybooty* is a yearly Pride event that focuses not only on featuring local artists and performers but bringing together the too often fractured queer communities of New York City. The first *Everybooty* was held in 2011 at Public Assembly in Williamsburg, Brooklyn and drew a crowd of over 2,000. In 2012 an all-day party was held at the former outdoor DeKalb Market in Downtown Brooklyn. The 2013 installment, the first at the BAM Fisher, transformed the building into the ultimate party venue, with multiple events on four floors.

For all ticket information, call BAM Ticket Services at 718.636.4100, or visit BAM.org.

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General Information

BAM Howard Gilman Opera House, BAM Rose Cinemas, and BAMcafé are located in the Peter Jay Sharp building at 30 Lafayette Avenue (between St Felix Street and Ashland Place) in the Fort Greene neighborhood of Brooklyn. BAM Harvey Theater is located two blocks from the main building at 651 Fulton Street (between Ashland and Rockwell Places). Both locations house Greenlight Bookstore at BAM kiosks. BAM Fisher, located at 321 Ashland Place (between Lafayette Ave and Hanson Place), houses the Judith and Alan Fishman Space and Rita K. Hillman Studio. BAM Rose Cinemas features first-run independent and foreign film and repertory programming.

Subway: 2, 3, 4, 5, Q, B to Atlantic Avenue – Barclays Center (2, 3, 4, 5 to Nevins St for Harvey Theater) D, N, R to Pacific Street; G to Fulton Street; C to Lafayette Avenue

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