It's week three! We are hitting the ground running this semester, with Rainbow Reception and our welcome activities under way. Check out photos from Rainbow Reception here!

Our September newsletter includes information about Safe Zone Ally dates, a new educational initiative from DIS called No Class Cancelled, sign ups for Queer Peer Mentoring, a new LGBTQ+ Christian support group, and some awesome LGBTQ+ art events sponsored by the UNI Art Department and Gallery of Art.

Looking for more involvement? Check out the Lower Cabinet Director for LGBT Affairs with Northern Iowa Student Government! Applications are due tonight at 5 PM. These positions can be utilized for internship credit, too.

As always, please don't hesitate to connect if you need any support, have questions, or would like to get involved with our work.

Thank you for your support!

Are you an ally? Take our training to develop your skills! To be certified as a Safe Zone Ally at UNI, you should complete both Phase 1 and 2, but you can mix-and-match dates that work best for you. Allies should renew their training every two years. To register, visit lgbt.uni.edu/safe-zone-ally.

September 18
Phase 1 at 9:30 AM, P2 at 11:30 AM

October 26
Phase 1 at 11 AM, P2 at 1 PM
November 13
Phase 1 at 9 AM, P2 at 11 AM
December 2
Phase 1 at 1 PM, P2 at 3 PM

Click [here](#) to request a mentor!

Click [here](#) to request a program, including Safe Zone!
For more information about the Gallery exhibit, contact Darrell Taylor.
For more information about the Jonathan D. Katz lecture, contact Jeffery Byrd.

LGBTQ+ Affirming Christian Group

Seeking support as an LGBTQ+ person of faith? Past Apologetics is a new group sponsored by Threehouse and Lutheran Student Center. Their first meeting will be September 10 at 6 PM at Threehouse. Food will be provided!

The group seeks to support LGBTQ+ people of faith. While the group is focused on Christianity, people of all faith and non-faith backgrounds, as well as allies to the LGBTQ+ community, are welcome to attend. Attendees are asked
to respect the nature of this meeting as an affirming support group and respect the confidentiality of other participants. For questions contact alnicol@uni.edu.

E-mail proud@uni.edu to sign up as a volunteer or to request a panel.

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