



## Time to Winter Party

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**The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force invites you to join more than 10,000 guests from around the world for the 2009 Winter Party Festival, now through March 2. Nightly dance parties, cocktail receptions, art exhibits, an outdoor fashion show, a hot and happening pool party - these are just some of the highlights of this fabulous annual celebration in Miami Beach, Miami and Fort Lauderdale.**

And it all climaxes on the sands of South Beach at the 16th Annual Winter Party Beach Party. All proceeds from the Festival will benefit the LGBT community on the national, state and local levels. Winter Party Festival: It's MORE than just a day at the beach! Below find a listing of some of the major events. For more information go to: [winterparty.org](http://winterparty.org)

Thursday, February 26 & Friday, February 27  
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### PRETTY IN PINK

8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

The Whitelaw Hotel

808 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach

Kick off your night in the spirit of the 80's at the Whitelaw's barbarella-esque bar and lounge with complimentary hot pink shots, pink feather boas and top 80's music.

### BLAST OFF!

10:00 PM - 5:00 AM

Score

727 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach

DJ Brett Henrichsen joins Score's resident favorite DJ Pride in the first of the Festival's 11 magical dance events.

Friday, February 27

### DIESEL SHOPPING SPREE

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Diesel

933 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach

Visit the NEW Diesel store and enjoy complimentary cocktails, a live DJ and some of the hottest summer swimwear. 20% percent of all purchases from the event will be donated to Winter Party Festival.

### HALO'S WINTER PARTY HAPPY HOUR

6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Halo

1625 Michigan Ave, Miami Beach

Halo hosts a special happy hour, the perfect place to meet up with your friends and get revved up

for a weekend of fun!

#### KIEHL'S GIVES 20/20

8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Kiehl's Since 1851

832 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach

Kiehl's Since 1851 opens its doors with free cocktails and a 20% discount on its hair and skincare products for Winter Party Festival guests. This event includes complimentary consultations, samples and chances to win complete skincare regimens appropriate for you. Kiehl's will donate 20% of all sales during the event to Winter Party Festival..

#### FIVE-RING CIRCUIT

Presented by Johnny Chisholm and JustCircuit

9:00 PM - 6:00 AM

Discotekka @ Area 51

950 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami

Winter Party Festival partners with circuit impresario Johnny Chisholm and the JustCircuit strongmen to present Five-Ring Circuit, a musical explosion featuring 11 DJ's in 5 rooms. Don't miss Manny Lehman, Eddie Baez, Joe Gauthreaux, Warren Gluck, Wendy Hunt, Lydia Prim and five more amazing DJs in this extravaganza. VIPs enjoy complimentary drinks from 9 to 2.

#### UNITY

Presented by Winter Party Festival & Miami Beach Bruthaz

10:00 PM - 4:00 AM

Living Room Nightclub

300 SW 1st Avenue, Fort Lauderdale

The men behind Miami Beach Bruthaz, the annual summer gathering for same-gender-loving men and women, take their act on the road for a night of dancing to the music of Oren Nizri and Maximus 3000 at Fort Lauderdale's newest hotspot. Free drinks from 10 to midnight.

#### INDUSTRY

Presented by Pandora Events

10:00 PM - 4:00 AM

Pearl Restaurant & Ultra Lounge

1 Ocean Drive, Miami Beach

The fourth installment of Pandora's popular dance party for women moves to Nikki Beach's Pearl Restaurant & Ultra Lounge, with a hopping dance floor and a breathtaking ocean view. DJs Irene Pardo and Alex H. provide the music.

Saturday, February 28

#### ASCENSION'S UNDER ONE SUN

##### POOL PARTY

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Doubletree Surfcomber Hotel

1717 Collins Ave, Miami Beach

Join over 2500 swimsuit-clad hotties as DJ Roland Belmares spins at one of our most popular events, the Under One Sun Pool Party at our fabulous host hotel, presented by Ascension.

#### VIP COCKTAIL RECEPTION

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Spa at Icon Brickell

475 Brickell Avenue, Miami

Judge David young hosts the most upscale event on the Festival schedule, which provides the perfect opportunity to welcome our guests from across the country and around the world while also raising vital funds for the Task Force and the local LGBT community. Meet Task Force Executive Director Rea Carey while enjoying cocktails and hors d'oeuvres amidst stunning

Philippe Starck design at The Spa at ICON Brickell.

#### WHIP: A LEATHER FANTASY

10:00 PM - 3:00 AM

Jackhammer

1951 NW 9th Ave (Powerline Rd), Fort Lauderdale

Chicago's DJ Ted Eiel spins at this dance event where leather and fetish gear are the preferred attire.

#### THE COPA

Presented By Icandee Events

10:00 PM - 4:00 AM

The Fifth

1045 Fifth Street, Miami Beach

Prepare to fall in love at this sexy venue as gorgeous dancers move their hips to pulsating rhythms provided by DJs Dezrock & Miss Flava at the first Winter Party Latin dance event for women.

#### MERCURY RISING

10:00 PM - 6:00 AM

parkwestnightclub,

30 NE 11th Street, Miami

DJs Alyson Calagna and Eddie X turn up the heat at this Saturday night dance event.

Sunday, March 1 & Monday, March 2

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#### WINTER PARTY BEACH PARTY

Noon - 6:00 PM

12th Street Beach

12th Street and the Atlantic Ocean, Miami Beach

Superstar DJ Tracy Young brings Winter Party Festival to its climax on the world's most spectacular dance floor - the sands of South Beach overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. This is the one event you can't miss!

#### SUNSET MADNESS PREPARING TO ORBIT

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The Palace

1200 Ocean Drive, Miami Beach

Spend the two hours in between The Beach Party and Orbit sipping a cocktail, snacking on appetizers and watching the hot bodies parade down Ocean Drive.

#### ORBIT

8:00 PM - 5:00 AM

Cameo

1445 Washington Avenue, Miami Beach

South Beach's most fabulous nightclub fills up with the bold and beautiful as DJs Tony Moran, Chus & Ceballos and Kidd Madonny provide the musical backdrop for this always-packed Sunday night dance event. Our guests enjoy an open bar from 8 PM to 10 PM, and a large outdoor lounge area will be available to cool off when the temperature gets red hot. Elaine Lancaster hosts, along with Chyna Girl, Hunni Dijon, Kitty Meow and Mizz Cori. Wilson Cruz will be on hand to welcome guests from 8 to 10.

Monday, March 2

RED EYE

5:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Nocturnal

50 NE 11th Street, Miami

Not ready for the party to end? DJ Abel takes the die-hard dancers on one last musical journey.

TOUCHDOWN THE CLOSING LOUNGE EVENT

7:00 PM - 3:00 AM

Halo, 1625 Michigan Ave, Miami Beach

Halo hosts one last opportunity to share drinks with your Winter Party Festival friends, including a "Closing Party Special Martini". Don't miss your chance to say "good-bye" until next year.