

Clear Lake

ACCOMMODATIONS

Blue Fish Cove Resort 10573 E Hwy 20, Clearlake Oaks 707/998-1769 • gay-friendly • lakeside resort cottages • kitchens • kids ok • pets ok by arrangement • boat launch facilities & rentals • \$45-110

Edgewater Resort 6420 Soda Bay Rd (at Hohape Rd), Kelseyville 707/279-0208, 800/396-6224 • gay-owned, straight-friendly • cabin • camping & RV hookups • lake access & pool • theme wknds • boat facilities • smoking outside • kids/pets ok • lesbian-owned/ run • \$28-400

Lake Vacation Rentals 1855 S Main St, Lakeport 707/263-7188 • gay-friendly • rental homes on the lake • gay-owned/ run • \$185-400

Sea Breeze Resort 9595 Harbor Dr, Glenhaven 707/998-3327 • gay/ straight • cottages • swimming • smokefree • wheelchair access • gay-owned/ run • \$80-125 • 2-night minimum stay

RESTAURANTS

Kathy's Inn 14677 Lake Shore Dr, Clearlake 707/994-9933 • lunch Wed-Fri, open from 4pm wknds, clsd Mon-Tue • full bar • wheelchair access

Cloverdale

see also Healdsburg

ACCOMMODATIONS

Asti Ranch 25750 River Rd 707/894-5960 • women only • cottage near lake & river in Wine Country • tennis court • smokefree • wheelchair access • \$500-750 weekly, \$250-350 wknds

Vintage Towers B&B 302 N Main St (at 3rd) 707/894-4535, 888/886-9377 • gay-friendly • Queen Anne mansion • full brkfst • smokefree • \$95-180

Columbia

ENTERTAINMENT & RECREATION

Zephyr Whitewater Expedition near Yosemite & Lake Tahoe 209/533-1401, 800/431-3636 • women-only, co-ed & charter rafting

Concord

INFO LINES & SERVICES

AA Gay/Lesbian 2118 Willow Pass Rd 925/939-4155 (AA#) • 7:30pm Tue

Megaphone Concord 800/289-1489 • Call for the local # nearest you! Meet Women in your area! FREE to Browse & Respond to voice ads. Use code 3075. Also try MEGAMATES.COM

Rainbow Community Center of Contra Costa County 2118 Willow Pass Rd #500 (btwn Mt Diablo & Grant) 925/692-0090 • 10am-5pm Mon-Fri • evening/ wknd support groups • library • social events • referral line

EROTICA

Lingerie Etc 2294 Monument Blvd (at Buskirk) 925/676-2962

Costa Mesa

BARs

Tin Lizzie Saloon 752 St Clair (at Bristol) 714/966-2029 • 11am-2am • mostly gay men • neighborhood bar • wheelchair access

NIGHTCLUBS

Lion's Den 719 W 19th St (at Pomona) 949/645-3830 • 9pm-2am, clsd Mon-Tue • lesbians/ gay men • gay Th-Fri & Sun only • dancing/DJ • karaoke • drag shows Fr • Latino Fri • young crowd

Cupertino

BARs

Dar's Hideaway 10095 Saich Wy (at Stevens Creek Blvd) 408/255-7474 • 5pm-2am • lesbians/ gay men • neighborhood bar • DJ every other Sat • live shows

Davis

see also Sacramento

INFO LINES & SERVICES

LGBT Resource Center University House Annex 530/752-2452 • 10am-5pm, clsd wknds • info • referrals • meetings • library • wheelchair access

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CAFES

Cafe Roma 231 'E' St (btwn 2nd & 3rd) 530/756-1615 • 6am-10pm, 6:30am-9pm wknds • popular • coffee & pastries • student hangout

East Bay

includes Berkeley & Oakland, see also Concord, Danville, Fremont, Lafayette, Hayward, Pleasant Hill, San Lorenzo, Walnut Creek

INFO LINES & SERVICES

La Peña 3105 Shattuck Ave, Berkeley 510/849-2568 • 10am-5pm Tue-Fri, box office open 1pm-6pm Wed-Sat • also cafe 5:30pm-9:30pm Wed-Sun • multicultural center • hosts meetings, events, performance art • multiracial clientele

East Bay

WHERE THE GIRLS ARE:

Though there's no lesbian ghetto, you'll find more of us in North Oakland (Rockridge) and North Berkeley, Lake Merritt, around Grand Lake & Piedmont, the Solano/Albany area, or at a cafe along 4th St in Berkeley.

ANNUAL EVENTS:

June - Gay Prom / Project Eden (for lgbt youth) 510/247-8200.
October - Community Celebration for the Days of the Dead 510/238-2200, web: www.museumca.org.

CITY INFO:

Oakland Convention & Visitors Bureau 510/839-9000, web: www.oaklandcvb.com.
Berkeley Visitor Info Center 800/847-4823, web: www.visitberkeley.com.

ATTRACTIONS:

The Claremont Hotel & Restaurant, Berkeley 510/843-3000, web: www.claremontresort.com.
Emeryville Marina Public Market. Jack London Square, Oakland. Oakland Museum of California 510/238-2200, web: www.museumca.org.
The Paramount Theater, Oakland 510/465-6400, web: www.paramounttheatre.com.
UC Berkeley.

Pacific Center 2712 Telegraph Ave (at Derby), Berkeley 510/548-8283 • 10am-10pm, noon-3pm & 7pm-10pm Sat, 6pm-9pm Sun

ACCOMMODATIONS

Bates House B&B 399 Bellevue Ave (at Van Buren), Oakland 510/893-3881 • gay/straight • B&B-inn • smokefree • gay-owned/ run • \$95-175

Washington Inn 495 10th St (at Broadway), Oakland 510/452-1776 • gay/straight • historic boutique hotel • full brkfst • smokefree • wheelchair access • \$89-178

BEST VIEW:

Claremont Hotel, Tilden Park, various locations in the Berkeley and Oakland Hills. Or from the top of Sather Tower on the UC Berkeley campus.

WEATHER:

While San Francisco is fogged in during the summers, the East Bay remains sunny and warm. Some areas even get hot (90°s-100°s). As for the winter, the temperature drops along with rain (upper 30°s-40°s in the winter). Spring is the time to come – the usually brown hills explode with the colors of green grass and wildflowers.

TRANSIT:

Yellow Cab (Berkeley) 510/527-8294.
Veteran's Cab (Oakland) 510/533-1900.
Bayporter Express 510/864-4000.
AC Transit 510/817-1717, web: www.actransit.org.
BART (subway) 510/465-2278, web: www.bart.gov.
Ferry 510/749-5837, web: www.eastbayferry.com.