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DID YOU KNOW?

Pride Month is celebrated in June to commemorate the Stonewall Riots, which began on June 28, 1969. These riots were a series of spontaneous demonstrations by members of the LGBTQ+ community against a police raid at the Stonewall Inn in Greenwich Village, New York City.



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The first Pride March, known as the Christopher Street Liberation Day March, took place on June 28, 1970, exactly one year after the Stonewall Riots. It was held in New York City to commemorate the anniversary of the uprising and to continue advocating for LGBTQ+ rights.

This march set the precedent for annual Pride events and parades around the world.



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The rainbow flag, designed by artist Gilbert Baker in 1978, is a prominent symbol of LGBTQ+ pride. Each color in the flag represents a different aspect of the community: red for life, orange for healing, yellow for sunlight, green for nature, blue for harmony, and violet for spirit.

Various other pride flags represent different identities within the LGBTQ+ community, such as the bisexual pride flag, transgender pride flag, and asexual pride flag.



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