



**QUEER PRIDE PARADE AND FESTIVAL IN TÁBOR, CZECH REPUBLIC
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Last week our organizing meeting took place at the comfortable Klub 21 in Prague. Along with the QPPFT Organizing committee, representatives from Prague's eLnadruhou (presenters of this year's 15th NOT ONLY lesbian cultural festival) and Brno's Queer Parade team (presenters of this year's 1st Teplé jaro - Warm Spring) attended. All the activities of these organizations aim to assist in opening and diversifying Czech society and respecting the rights of minority communities. Organizers shared information about which phase preparations for their activities is in and formulated concrete ideas about mutual support and cooperation.

Recently the Queer Pride Parade and Festival in Tábor secured the web portal Colour Planet and the Tábor local daily newspaper Táborský deník as the next media partners, now in addition to the national radio station Český rozhlas.

QPPFT also secured auspices from Dr. Džamila Stehlíková, and the chairperson of Gay iniciativa, Mgr. Jiří Hromada, who had this to say about this year's Queer Pride Parade in Tábor: "I have been following the preparations closely, and I believe together we will experience more important moments in our collective journey towards according equal rights in this country. I am certain that we will succeed in eliminating the hatred of the sprinkling of neonazi drunks who complicated last year's Queer Parade in Brno, and there will indeed be a creative celebration in Tábor as is now capable with distinction."

You can always find out more about our planned events on our website www.queerprideparadetabor.cz.

Looking forward to our celebration

Queer Pride Parade and Festival in Tábor operates under the auspices of MUDr. Džamila Stehlíková and Mgr. Jiří Hromada.

