

the disability collective

Crip Café

ACCESS GUIDE



Welcome!

We are so excited for you to join us at Glad Day Bookshop for Crip Café! Below is some helpful information about the show and the venue to help prepare you for your visit.

ARRIVING



This is what Glad Day looks like if you are traveling south on Church Street from Wellesley Street East.



This is what Glad Day looks like if you are traveling north on Church Street from Carlton Street.

ENTERING

There is one entrance to Glad Day Bookshop directly on Church Street. This is a step-free entrance and there is a push-to-open button; however, it is currently out of service, and if it remains so, we will have a staff member at the door to assist patrons.



ENTERING THE VENUE

This venue is a bookshop and café/bar! Upon entering, a box office table will be set up directly in front of you where you will check in. Further into the venue, there will be chairs and a few tables set up for the audience, leading to the stage in the back left corner. To the right is the bar where you can order snacks and drinks that can be consumed at any point during the evening.



THE VENUE

This is the space from the opposite end! For more information on access details about the venue, check out our Crip Café Venue Guide!



THE SHOW

Crip Café is a space for disabled and queer folks to gather and connect after the hustle and bustle of the holiday season. This cozy and relaxed variety show will feature 12 queer and disabled artists showcasing their music, poetry, spoken word, and more.

TIPS!

- We encourage you to laugh and cheer throughout the evening, but it is not required.
- This is a cozy, intimate space. Our artists may interact with you or address you. Feel free to engage as you wish.
- Heckling will not be tolerated at our event! For more information, please see our Safe Spaces & Anti-Harrasment Policy at thedisabilitycollective.com/safespaces.
- This is a café and bar! Feel free to grab a snack or a drink to enjoy throughout the show.

CONTENT WARNINGS

- Ableism
- Trauma
- Pain
- Illness
- Medical Trauma
- "Cures"
- Sexual Content
- Racism
- Nazis + WW2
- Colonization
- Body image
- Racial Violence
- Discrimination
- Mature language
- Religion
- Audism
- Homophobia
- Sexism
- Death
- Pregnancy
- Childhood Trauma
- Drug + Alcohol use
- Grief
- Use of the N-Word

MEET OUR ARTISTS:

Here!

MASKS

Masks are required but can be removed for eating/drinking. Exemptions are always made for access or medical reasons.



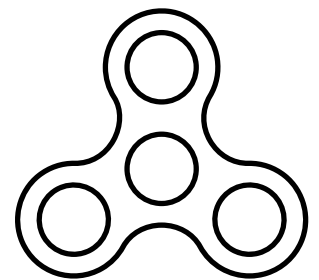
ASL INTERPRETATION



For our d/Deaf & Hard of Hearing community, we will have ASL and Deaf Interpretation of the entire show, as well as ASL volunteers available throughout the evening

RELAXED ENVIROMENT

This is not a relaxed performance; however, the environment will be extremely relaxed. You can come and go throughout the show, the house lights will be partially on, and there will be fidget toys and earplugs available.



VOLUNTEERS

Our volunteers will be at the entrance of the venue, as well as roaming around, and will be more than happy to assist you or answer any questions that you may have. We will have English-speaking and ASL volunteers. They will be wearing a lanyard that looks like this:



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We can't wait for you to join us!

If you have any questions, please don't
hesitate to reach out to our team at

The Disability Collective:

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