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Amsterdam Pride

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Love month is finally here... January's out the way, you're paying off the credit cards :) and now it's time to look for something to do on Valentine's on 14 February for that special person, whether you live with them or not. As we're still in lockdown in several countries, including the UK, maybe surprise them with a delivery of something they like. Also, if you live with them, may be followed by... well, we will stop there" :) On a wider note, we hope to have our pride festivals back this year, and we also hope that we can return to normal living and standing up for what we believe in... "Love is Love" and no-one can take our shine from us. Happy Valentines month to all our readers and businesses. Spread love not Covid... **Love and Pink respect from Dave and the team xxx**

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Pride festival focus

Student Pride (UK) 2021

National Student Pride 2021 aims to take place from 19 April to 25 April 2021. You don't need to be a student to buy a ticket - it's open to everyone.



performances and the Pride career graduate recruitment fair.

Students from all over the world travel to the event

It's the 16th pride festival and will feature live streamed panels,

making it the biggest gathering of LGBTQ+ students. [National Student Pride](#)

London's Royal Vauxhall Tavern



The much loved Royal Vauxhall Tavern is an iconic London (RVT) landmark. In normal times it was an award-winning cabaret, performance and club night destination. The RVT won the accolade of London's Best Cabaret Venue in 2018 and 2019.

The RVT seems a successful independent company which strives to provide consistently good cabaret and performance shows with both national artists and the best local artists showcasing their work. We can't wait for [the RVT](#) to reopen after the lockdown!

Contact us at pinkuk.com

Featured accommodation:

Topaz Guest House Blackpool, England

The Topaz Guest House is probably the closest gay-owned guest house to Blackpool's Pride festival.

The Topaz has ten themed ensuite rooms and is also near the Blackpool Tower.

Contact: [Topaz Guest House](#)



For [LGBTQ+ Prides in 2021](#) PinkUK has now 74 pride festivals and events in the UK listed, with 249 prides and

events in 33 countries. [In 2022](#) we now have one pride festival listed in the UK (Brighton and Hove) with three pride festivals in three other countries.

If you have a venue or a pride/event why not [add it to PinkUK?](#)

Grindr reveals which countries have the most 'tops' and 'bottoms'



Gay dating app Grindr has counted all its users who identify in their profile as a 'top' or 'bottom' and

extrapolated this across most countries in the world. The countries which have the highest proportion of 'tops' include Morocco, India, Nigeria, Chile and Israel. Vietnam, Sweden, Thailand, Peru and South Africa have the highest share of those who identify as 'bottom'. [Grindr blog](#)