SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

On Sunday, June 4th, people from all walks of life will gather on Boston Common and begin a 10+ kilometer pledge walk to raise money for AIDS care and research.

Come with us and follow a path down Commonwealth Avenue, through Brookline into Cambridge, and down Memorial Drive to Liederman Field on the Esplanade (across from Mass. General Hospital), where the walk will end with a gala music concert in celebration of life!

This fourth annual pledge walk is the largest fundraising event for AIDS services held in New England.

8:00 AM	**Join us for breakfast on the Common. A special meal provided at low cost to all participants**
8:30 AM	**Registration begins**
9:00 AM	**Aerobic stretch warmup for all walkers**
9:30 AM	**Opening ceremonies**
10:00 AM	**Walk starts**
1:00 PM - 3:30 PM	**Complimentary picnic lunch for all registered walkers**
2:36 PM	**RADIO SIMULCAST - "That's What Friends Are For" - broadcast live from Leiderman Field to thousands of listeners across Massachusetts**

ABOUT AIDS

AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome) is caused by the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV). The syndrome damages the body's immune system, leaving it defenseless against infections and some cancers. To date, nearly 90,000 cases have been reported in the United States. Over half of these people have died. You cannot be infected with the virus by casual contact. This illness is caused by the exchange of infected blood and blood products, or by unsafe sexual activity.

For now, our only answer is education. By learning about the true factors and practices that cause this syndrome, we can stop the progress of this life-threatening illness, and also the fear and stigma surrounding it.

OUR GOAL IN '89 is one and a half million dollars!

The AIDS ACTION Committee believes that we must all work in partnership to meet this health epidemic. To demonstrate this community-building commitment, the net proceeds of the walk will be shared with the following AIDS-service organizations.

AIDS ACTION Committee
AIDS Action Council, Washington, DC
AIDS Law Clinic, Legal Services Center, Jamaica Plain
AIDS Project Worcester
Asian American Resource Workshop, Boston
Boston Alliance of Gay and Lesbian Youth, Inc.
Cambridge Cares about AIDS
Cape Cod AIDS Council, Hyannis
Cercle D'Interaction Familiale, Mattapan
Community Research Initiative
Dimock Community Health Center, Roxbury
Dorchester Youth Collaborative
Fenway Community Health Center
Gandara Mental Health Center, Springfield
Gay and Lesbian Health Services
Gay and Lesbian Advocates and Defenders
Greater Lawrence Family Health Center
Haitian Multi Service Center
Hospice at Mission Hill, Hospice West
Latino Health Network
Living with AIDS Theatre Project, Club Cabaret
National Association of People with AIDS
National AIDS Network
New England Hemophilia Association
New England School of Acupuncture, Watertown
Noddle's Island Multi Service Center, E. Boston
Outer Cape Health Services, Inc., Provincetown
Positive Directions, Boston
Project Care/AIDS Advocacy Center, New Bedford
Provincetown Positive PWA Coalition
Roxbury Comprehensive Community Health Center
Somerville Portuguese American League
Victory House
Visiting Nurse Association Boston Foundation
Women, Incorporated, Dorchester

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

- Register right away by sending in the attached registration card
- Take your pledge sheet and begin asking your friends, relatives, neighbors, and others to "sponsor you" and make a financial commitment for every kilometer you intend to walk
- **COLLECT THE MONEY IN ADVANCE!**
- Bring your pledge sheet, the money you've collected, and your good spirits to Boston Common on Sunday morning, June 4th

FOR MORE INFORMATION,
Contact Liz Page or Richard Giglio,
AIDS ACTION, (617) 437-6200, ext. 214 or 251

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- Commemorative walk buttons for all people who register to walk
- Special gifts for those who **on the day of the walk** turn in the following amounts of collected money

$250 -	Complimentary walk T-shirt
$500 -	Special Edition Walk Shirt,
$1,000 -	New Balance walking shoes and E.G. Smith socks
$2,500 -	Leather "Bomber" Jacket courtesy of Snyder's, Boston

- GRAND PRIZE - to the person who, **on the day of the walk, turns in the highest amount of collected money**

Spectacular 16-day **TOUR OF CHINA** for two, including round trip airfare, all hotels, most meals, stop-offs in San Francisco and Hong Kong. Departure date is October 31, 1989. This trip generously donated by China Educational Tours (CET) and Northwest Airlines. For more information call Rick Cirillo, Tour Guide at CET, (617) 296-0270.

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YES! I want to support FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE '89.

☐ Please count me in as a registered walker, and I'll see you on Sunday, June 4th.

☐ Please list my name or the name of my organization in the Walk Program Book as a "PACESETTER" - a public supporter of this event. Enclosed is the $10.00 fee.

☐ Sorry, I'm unable to join you in FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE '89 but want to support this project. Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution of $_____ towards your goal. Good Luck!

_____ Check Enclosed _____ AMEX
_____ VISA _____ Mastercard
Card Number _____
Exp. Date _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

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TELEPHONE (DAY) (EVENINGS)