



# SERVICE REPORT

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# ABOUT US

MoPride's mission is to serve, empower, and advocate on behalf of the thriving LGBTQIA+ community in our region.

Since 2014, it has been MoPride's honor to host Modesto's annual Pride celebration. MoPride Center opened in 2016 to provide direct services, support, and a safe space.

Current MoPride Board of Directors  
President: Johnathan Grammatico, LCSW  
Vice President: June Sparrow  
Treasurer: Britni Lloyd

## MoPride Center Services

Serve 19.3 people on an average day at the MoPride Center.



Opened five days a week, MoPride Center is a no barrier drop in center with several services and supports throughout the month. Direct services include Marsha's Closet, the People's Pantry, and our Mini Library.

Marsha's Closet is a free clothing closet that offers a safe space for folks to explore their style and self expression. In recent months we have seen an influx in families utilizing Marsha's Closet and expanded to serve youths and extended sizes.



Picture MoPride in the Park 2022

The People's Pantry receives bread from Panera every Wednesday and Friday. With food donations from various community members, we are often able to offer additional canned goods, cheese, and produce. We hope to continue growing our People's Pantry to provide great variety in healthy food every day.

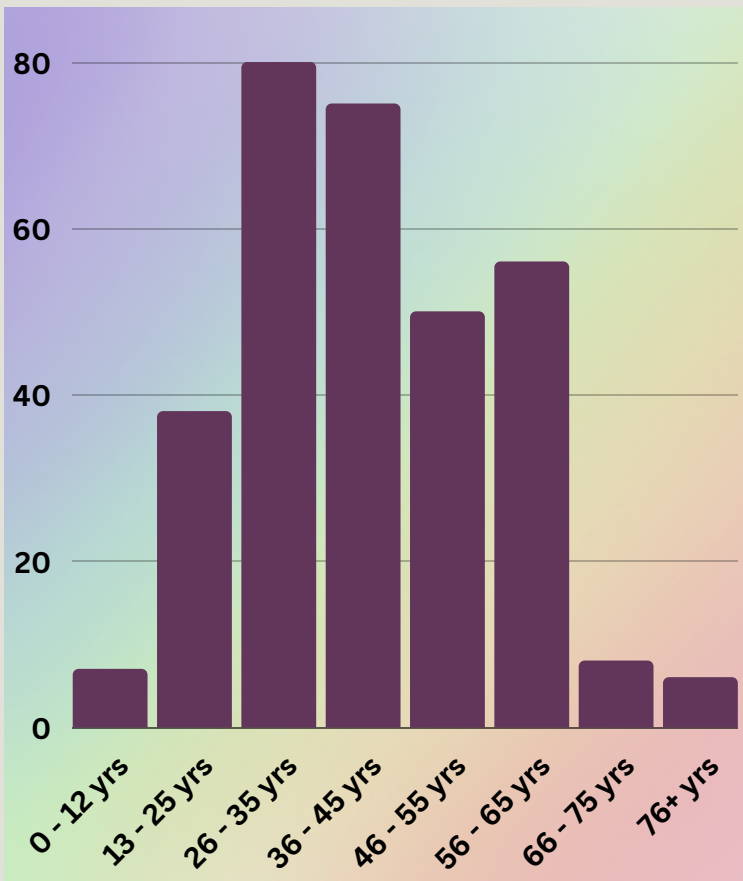


Pride Hive is our youth and family programs which includes our Mini Library which is filled with books for all ages and reading levels. We are thankful to the Stanislaus County Public Libraries for working with us to expand our Mini Library and supporting our young adult LGBTQ+ book club.



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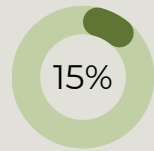


## MOPRIDE CENTER DATA

### Youth Trends: 0-25 yrs



Visiting MoPride Center to have a **safe space**.



Reported being currently **unhoused**.



Youths visiting MoPride Center for **food and/or clothing**.

### Senior Trends : 55+ yrs



Visiting MoPride Center for **food**.



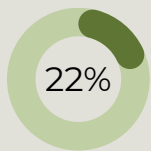
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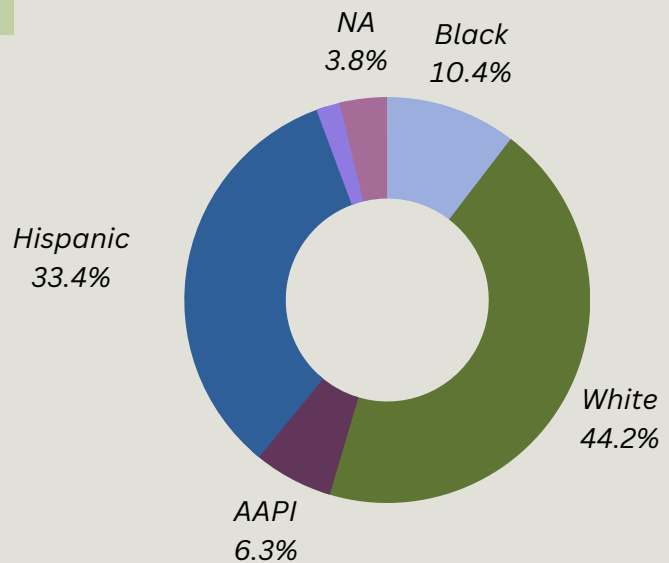
181 visitors report currently being **unhoused**.



210 visitors received **multiple direct services**.



80 visitors stated that they needed a **safe space**.



Being a no barrier drop in center allows MoPride to better serve those who may have difficulties providing identification such as youths, seniors, and unhoused individuals. We take pride in providing simple services that improve people's quality of life.

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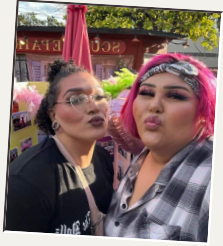


# TRANSGENDER DAY OF VISIBILITY

We celebrated Transgender Day Of Visibility with an open mic event at Queen Bean Coffee House. The community came out in force to share stories, poems, and music.

It was a beautiful day filled with inspiring stories. We featured artists from our local transgender community including Eli Sachse, Alex with Alternative Chains, and Marisa Cortez.

Shout out to Pink Poochies, Free Mom Hugs, and Black Sheeps Inc for tabling the event.



# SPRING FLING DANCE

We hit the dance floor to celebrate spring. Any excuse to shake off the gloom from this wet and windy winter. It was an amazing night with raffle prizes, strong drinks, and lots of dancing.

Featuring Sasha Devaroe, Julian Moonlightt, and Jaunita!



# COMING UP

- **Rainbow Prom**, June 3rd at St. Pauls Episcopal
- **Pride Picnic**, June 10th at Graceada Park
- **Stonewall Social**, June 28th at MoPride Center
- **Drop By MoPride**, July 1st Open house at MoPride Center
- **Dan Clay Q&A**, July 28th
- **MoPride in the Park**, Sept. 16 at Graceada Park