

CAST
Number the characters from 1 to 19.

- Ben Schnetzer as Mark Ashton ___
- Joe Gilgun as Michael (Mike) Jackson ___
- Faye Marsay as Stephanie (Steph) Chambers ___
- Dominic West as Jonathan Blake ___
- Andrew Scott as Gethin Roberts ___
- Freddie Fox as Jeff Cole ___
- Chris Overton as Reggie Blennerhassett ___
- Joshua Hill as Ray Aller ___
- George MacKay as Joe "Bromley" Cooper ___
- Imelda Staunton as Hefina Headon ___
- Jessica Gunning as Siân James ___
- Liz White as Margaret Donovan ___
- Menna Trussler as Gwen ___
- Nia Gwynne as Gail Pritchard ___
- Bill Nighy as Cliff Barry ___
- Lisa Palfrey as Maureen Barry ___
- Paddy Considine as David (Dai) Donovan ___
- Karina Fernandez as Stella ___
- Jessie Cave as Zoe ___

1. a fictional LGSM member, his ife with the LGSM group is a secret and he hides the clippings in a book in his room. 

2. a leader of the men's union and member of the strike committee. He is sent to London to meet the members of LGSM. He first thought L stood for London 

3. a leader of the men's union, he is secretly gay. 

4. a member of the strike committee and wife of Alan. She kisses Steph in London.  

5. a member of the strike committee and wife of Dai.

6. a member of the strike committee, in favour of the LGSM support. She encourages the miners to talk to the members of LGSM. 

7. a member of the strike committee, in favour of the LGSM support. She has the strikers taken out of jail. Jonathan says she has a first class mind. 

8. a widow and sister-in-law of Cliff who is against LGSM support. 



9. an effeminate man popular with the Onllwyn children.

10. an elderly member, and widow of William, who was a miner. She develops a close relationship with the two lesbians Stella and Zoe. 

11. an LGSM member who broke off to form an all-female group Lesbians Against Pit Closures. 

12. founder of LGSM. 

13. Gethin's partner and the second person diagnosed with HIV in the UK. He has not developed AIDS and remains alive. 

14. Jonathan's partner and a Welshman who left his village when he came out sixteen years prior. 

15. Mark's best friend 

16. Ray's partner. 

17. Reggie's partner. 

18. Stella's girlfriend. 

19. the sole lesbian among the LGSM founders. 

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Summary: Number the paragraphs in the order the events happen in the film.	
Back in London, Mark declares that they will turn the article to their advantage and organizes an enormous concert at the Electric Ballroom with Bronski Beat. A number of the women from the village attend. Mark is badly shaken when he encounters a former lover who implies that he is terminal with AIDS.	
Dai Donovan, spokesperson for the miners in Onllwyn, comes to London to meet their new allies. Though he is startled by the revelation of what "L" and "G" stand for in their name, he expresses his gratitude in a short, eloquent speech at a gay bar, and the cause takes off.	
Disillusioned and haunted, Mark abandons LGSM. Gethin tries to campaign alone and is violently assaulted and hospitalised. Joe is outed when his parents find photos from Onllwyn and he is kept away from the group.	
Finding herself on the outside, Maureen contacts a tabloid about the situation in Onllwyn.	
In March 1985, the Miners' Strike is over. The miners of Onllwyn go back to the mines.	
In Onllwyn, the Women's Support group disagree about inviting LGSM to the village to thank them; Hefina, and her supporters want to invite them but Maureen and her supporters don't. When LGSM arrives in Onllwyn, they are met with a frosty reception.	
Joe sees the news and goes to Onllwyn to show solidarity, where he encounters Mark.	
Joe takes the train into London for his birthday, which happens to coincide with Gay Pride Parade.	
LGSM faces opposition from the mining community who do not wish to associate with them. Frustrated by the lack of response, the activists instead decide to take their donations directly to a small mining village named Onllwyn in Wales.	
Mark spontaneously arranges a bucket collection for the miners during the Parade. Encouraged by the success, Mark founds "Lesbians and Gays Support the Miners".	
On the morning of the 1985 Gay Pride Parade, Mark returns to the group and apologises for abandoning the cause. Mark leads LGSM to the Parade, where they are joined by hundreds of miners in a show of solidarity.	
Siân takes Joe to the hospital to visit Gethin and learns Jonathan is one of the first people diagnosed with HIV. Then she drives Joe home in the LGSM donated van, humiliating his conservative family, and Joe decides to leave home.	
The closing scenes reveal that the Labour Party incorporated rights for gays and lesbians in their party programme under pressure from the National Union of Mineworkers, that Siân was later elected to Parliament and that Mark Ashton died of AIDS two years later.	
The festival "Pits and Perverts" raises thousands of pounds for Onllwyn, but the Union vote moves forward three hours without notice, and without Dai or Hefina, Maureen's camp succeeds in voting to refuse further help from LGSM.	
The next day, Jonathan tells Siân about harassment laws and abuse of police power and she marches down to the police station to demand the release of illegally-detained miners; Miners are grateful for LGSM's role in their release and the two communities quickly become close.	
There, he meets activist Mark and his group of friends, who are marching in the parade.	
They publish a story entitled "pits and Perverts" that humiliates The National Union of Miners, who call a vote on whether to accept LGSM's support.	
Upon watching the news about the miners' strike, gay activist Mark Ashton realises that the police have stopped harassing the gay community because they are harassing the miners.	

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