



GLASGOW NORTH

16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER VIOLENCE EVENTS

Thursday 19th, 26th November, 3rd December, 2.00pm to 4.00pm
Home is where the Heart is

Interior design project in partnership with Impact Art's FabPad project for women to design decorative pieces to help create a sense of home and belonging.

Venue - Maryhill Integration Network, 35 Avenuepark Street, Glasgow, G20 8TS
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by: Maryhill Integration Network. For further information contact Remzije Sherifi, 0141 946 9106

Monday 23rd, 30th November, Monday 7th December, 5.00pm to 7.00pm
Long Walk to Freedom

Creative writing workshops exploring women's struggle to overcome all kinds of violence and traumas.

Venue - Maryhill Integration Network, 35 Avenuepark Street, Glasgow, G20 8TS
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
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Wednesday 25th November to Thursday 10th December
Images

Drama and dance workshop with 30 young people between the ages on 11 – 25yrs from across North Glasgow to create a Flash Mob performance exploring representations of women to be performed at the Finale Event.

Venue - Community groups across the North Glasgow area.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by Toonspeak Young Peoples Theatre, Darnica Gillard, danica@toonspeak.co.uk, 0141 552 0234

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Radiance

Candle art workshops and discussions raising awareness of the campaign to create a group piece of art work in response to the issues of violence against women with adult and youth groups across North Glasgow.

Venue - Community groups across the North Glasgow area.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Depot Arts, St Matthews Centre, 200 Balmore Rd, Glasgow G22 6LJ, 0141 336 5808, info@depotarts.co.uk

Wednesday 25th November to Thursday 10th December
Banner Making Workshops

Six workshops with young refugees to create a banner for the 16 Days campaign to be exhibited at the Finale event.

Venue - Various.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Project Ability, 0141 552 2822, create@project-ability.co.uk

Wednesday 25th November to Thursday 10th December
Drama and Face Painting

The International Women's Group presents a series of awareness raising drama workshops exploring violence against women issues experienced by women from across the globe.

Venue - Sighthill Community One Stop Shop (SCOSS), 40 Huntingdon Square, Sighthill Glasgow, G21 1RT.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - For details and further info contact International Women's Group, Lamees Tiyyam, 0141 558 1226 / 2233

Thursday 26th November, Thursday 3rd and 10th December, 2.00pm to 4.00pm
A Bag for You

The Oasis Women's Group, and guests, design and decorate bags as fundraising for Min Women's Welfare Fund.

Venue - Maryhill Integration Network, 35 Avenuepark Street, Glasgow, G20 8TS.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by: Maryhill Integration Network. For further information contact Remzije Sherifi, 0141 946 9106.

Thursday 26th November, 5.00pm to 9.00pm
Sharing Experiences and Thoughts

The Oasis Women's Group, and guests, design and decorate bags as fundraising for Min Women's Welfare Fund.

Venue - Maryhill Integration Network, 35 Avenuepark Street, Glasgow, G20 8TS.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by: Maryhill Integration Network. For further information contact Remzije Sherifi, 0141 946 9106.

Wednesday 2nd, December 10th, December 12th, 1.00pm to 3.00pm
The Red Road Family Centre

Are holding a day of arts and exhibitions kicking off with mask making in the morning and hosting the TARA Arts exhibition in the afternoon which explores issues surrounding trafficking.

Venue - Red Road Family Centre, 94, Red Rd, Glasgow, Lanarkshire G21 4PH.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by Red Road Family Centre. Contact June Aird, 0141 557 5571.

Wednesday 9th December
Home is Where the Heart is Exhibition

Exhibition of work produced through interior design project in partnership with Impact Arts, Maryhill Integration Network and Central and West Integration Network.

Venue - FabPad Showroom, Red Road Flats, Red Road, Glasgow.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - For further information contact Impact Arts, The Factory, 319 Craigpark Drive, Dennistoun, Glasgow, G31 2TB, 0141 575 3001.

Wednesday 9th December, 6.00pm to 7.30pm
Finale

A night of celebration, theatre, dance, art exhibitions and special guest speakers with food and drink from around the world.

Venue - St Mungo Museum of Religious Life & Art, 2 Castle St, Glasgow G4 0RH.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - North Glasgow 16 Days Planning Group, Cara Wright, Cara.Wright@gcpl.org.uk

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Thursday 10th December

Domestic Abuse and Disability

The Achievers Women's Group presents a community drama event exploring domestic abuse issues experienced by disabled women.

Venue - The Disability Community, 74 Closeburn Street, Glasgow, G22 5ST.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - For details & further info: Susan McGinlay C/O conFAB, admin@confab.org.uk

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Tuesdays 10th, 17th and 24th November, 7.00pm to 9.00pm
Dance Therapy Workshops

A choreography exploring the issues that affect women in our communities – looking at mothers, memories and myths. The workshops aim to overcome violence and isolation and build confidence through workshops exploring the benefits of movement and self-expression.

Venue - Whiteinch Community Centre, 1 Northinch Court, G14 0UG.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Clan Macondo – Rhythms Dance Whiteinch, Organised jointly by West & Central and Maryhill Integration Networks. For further details contact West & Central Integration Network on 0141 946 9106.

Throughout the 16 Days Campaign - Wednesday 25th Nov to Thursday 10th Dec
A Moments Peace Theatre Company presents Testing

This interactive piece of forum theatre has been created to compliment the Action Against Abuse Curriculum Pack and will look at challenging behavioural issues for young people, giving them an opportunity to discuss their concerns and explore solutions to these personally difficult situations.

Venue - Secondary schools in the West Glasgow area.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised by Education Services in partnership with Violence Against Women Implementation Groups throughout the city. Funded by the Fairer Scotland Fund and CHCP's. For further information contact Mary Hendry, Social Inclusion Officer at Glasgow City Council Education Improvement Services. 0141 287 4137 or mary.hendry@education.glasgow.gov.uk

Thursday 26th November, 12.00pm to 3.00pm
Home is Where the Heart is

Interior design project for women to design decorative pieces to help create a sense of home and belonging.

Venue - Garnethill Multicultural Centre, Rose St.
Cost - Free - Crèche available – please contact to book places.
Organised by - Organised by Central & West Integration Network in Partnership with Impact Art's FabPad Project. For further details contact Central & West Integration Network on 0141 946 9106.

Thursday 26th November, 7.00pm to 10.00pm
'Sharing Experiences and Thoughts' Family Event

An evening of poetry, music, dance, food and photography, marking the beginning of 16 Days of Action to Eliminate Violence Against Women.

Venue - Woodside Halls, Glenfarg St.
Cost - Free - Crèche available – please contact to book places.
Organised by - Organised by Central & West Integration Network, contact 0141 946 9106.

Friday 27th Nov, 10.00am to 12.00pm
Personal Safety and Self Defence Workshop

A taster session of Personal Safety Techniques that are accessible to women of all fitness levels, abilities and ages. If you enjoy the workshop, there will be an opportunity to sign up for a free 10 week course starting in January in the West area.

Venue - Whiteinch Community Centre, 1 Northinch Court, G14 0UG.
Cost - Free - Crèche available – please contact to book places.
Organised by - Organised by West Violence Against Women Operations Group in partnership with Wise Women. To book places contact Kingsway Health & Wellbeing Centre. Tel 0141 959 0129.

Thursday 3rd December 12.00noon to 3.00pm
A Bag for You

Design and decorate bags as part of the fundraising for Central & West Integration Network's Women's Welfare Fund.

Venue - Garnethill Multicultural Centre, Rose Street.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - The Albanian / Across the World Women's Group and International Women's Group. For further information contact liriea@gmail.com or call Central & West Integration Network on 0141 946 9106

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Friday 4th December, 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Personal Safety and Self Defence Workshop

Delivered by Wise Women. A taster session of Personal Safety Techniques that are not only physical but also emotional and verbal and are accessible to women of all fitness levels, abilities and ages. Women will have the opportunity to watch or try out some of the basic and simple first forms of defence that can be used to help identify, avoid and escape potentially dangerous situations. Women attending these workshops find them to be really positive in focussing on what women can do as opposed to what they can't. If you enjoy the workshop, there will be an opportunity to sign up for a free 10 week Personal Safety & Self Defence course starting on January in the West area. Come along and try it out for yourself!

Venue - Drumchapel Community Centre, Kinfauns Dr.
Cost - Free - Crèche available but MUST be booked in advance.
Organised by - Organised by West Violence Against Women Operations Group in partnership with Wise Women. To book places contact Kingsway Health & Wellbeing Centre. Tel 0141 959 0129.

Wednesday 9th December, 11.00am

Exhibition of 'Home is Where the Heart is' Project

Joint exhibition of work produced through interior design project in partnership with Impact Arts, Maryhill Integration Network and Central & West Integration Network.

Venue - Fab Pad Showroom, Red Road Flats.
Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.
Organised by - Organised jointly by West & Central and Maryhill Integration Network. For further details contact West & Central Integration Network on 0141 946 9106.

Wednesday 9th December, 12.30pm to 2.30pm

Personal Safety and Self Defence Workshop

Delivered by Wise Women. A taster session of Personal Safety Techniques that are not only physical but also emotional and verbal and are accessible to women of all fitness levels, abilities and ages. For full details, see above.

Venue - YWCA 3 Newton Terrace G37PJ.
Cost - Free - Crèche available but MUST be booked in advance.
Organised by - Organised by West Violence Against Women Operations Group in partnership with Wise Women. To book places contact Kingsway Health & Wellbeing Centre. Tel 0141 959 0129.

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Glasgow's **sixteendays**
of Action to Eliminate Violence Against Women

events
PROGRAMME

25th November to 10th December

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25th November, 9.30am to 3.30pm

In the Aftermath

A multi-agency seminar to launch 16 days of Action. Will explore what happens to people affected by abuse after they leave the abusive situation. It is often assumed that leaving the abuse spells the end of danger, fear, distress and trauma for affected individuals, however for many this is not the case. The long-term implications for those affected by abuse can be significant; for example the presumption of contact for children where there has been domestic abuse can be extremely problematic and unsafe, while many survivors of traumatic events continue to experience significant difficulties in their lives that are often unrecognized or misunderstood by agencies trying to offer support. With a mix of professional speakers and the words of service users (adults, children and young people), this vital and powerful event will challenge knowledge, attitudes and practice, while identifying and celebrating best practice.

Venue - The Bridge, 1000 Westerhouse Road, Glasgow, G34 9JW.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by Glasgow East Women's Aid. For further details contact GEWA on 0141 781 0230 or email collective@gewa.org.uk

Tuesday 1st December, 11.00am to 3.00pm

Open Day At Glasgow East Women's Aid - with a buffet lunch.

The day is open to agency workers and members of the public. There will be holistic therapies on offer and there will also be a focus on working with complex needs. Specialist workers in the areas of addiction, mental health and working with survivors of child sexual abuse will be available to share practice and/or offer advice and information, while children's workers will also be available to outline our service and offer advice and support.

Venue - Glasgow East Women's Aid, 758 Westerhouse Rd, Easterhouse.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by Glasgow East Women's Aid. For further details contact GEWA on 0141 781 0230 or email: collective@gewa.org.uk

Venue to be confirmed. For info please call 0141 781 023

Multi-agency training day on Working with Psychological Trauma

This day is of particular use to those working with children or young people, or survivors of childhood abuse. This training event is designed for professionals from a variety of agencies who work directly with survivors of abuse and/or neglect. It will explore the impact of traumatic events on the individual, including the long-term impact of childhood trauma on adult survivors. Attachment trauma will also be explored as will the long-term adaptations to living with inescapable stress and distress.

Venue - For info please contact GEWA on 0141 781 023.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by Glasgow East Women's Aid (GEWA). Anyone interested in attending should contact GEWA on 0141 781 023. Email: collective@gewa.org.uk

GLASGOW SOUTH WEST

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Various Dates October - November

Tartan Frock Outreach Workshops

South Area Youths from Govan will get the opportunity to work with Confab Theatre to take part in 6 weeks of music workshops to create the Sound Track for My Fabulous Tartan Frock. The show which brings local women together from all over the City, explores issues of domestic violence and will be running at the Arches in December 2009.

Venue - Various.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Clare Robertson, Culture and Sport Glasgow. Tel: Mon-Wed 0141 276 8770 Email: clare.robertson@csglasgow.org

25th & 27th November

A Moments Peace

A full day workshop for students at Govan High School, looking at gender roles and aiming to challenge attitudes of apathy or acceptance of violence within relationships.

Venue - Govan High School.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by A Moments Peace in Partnership with Education Services and Culture & Sport Glasgow. For further information contact Culture & Sport Glasgow South West Area Team on 0141 276 8770.

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Wednesday 2nd of December, 11.00am to 3.00pm

Join us to unite in support of the Elimination Of Violence Against Women

A day of reflection and celebration of the achievements and works of women in the South East of Glasgow. Join us for •She Settles in Shields Exhibition •Hijab Exhibition •World Influential Women's Display •Wise Women Workshops •Henna artist and Threading •Massage and Manicure's •Information Stalls •Lunch and refreshments. Details of further workshops and activities will be provided in the event programme. Please call the Domestic Abuse Project for further details.

Venue - Govanhill Neighbourhood Centre, 6 Daisy Street, Govanhill, Glasgow, G42 8JL.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - South East Gender Based Violence Network Contact: Mariam Ahmed, Domestic Abuse Project. Tel:0141 634 4053 or email: mariam.ahmed@domesticviolencescotland.org.

25th November to 10th December, Launch Event:

Wednesday 25th November, 1.30pm to 3.30pm

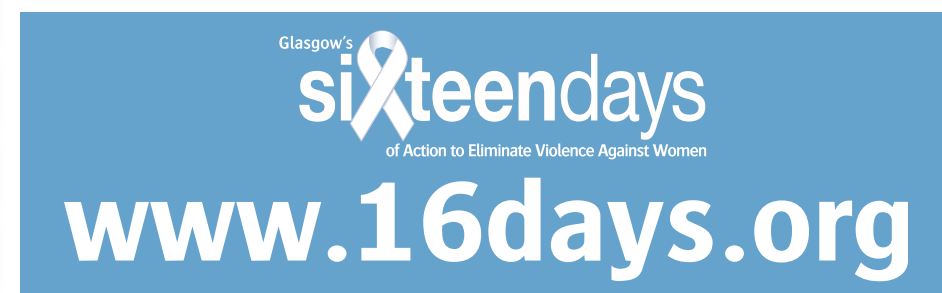
W.A.V.E.S (Women Against Violent Environments)

Launch of an exhibition of objects and artwork related to women's experience of domestic abuse and their journey of recovery.

Venue - Castlemilk Community Centre, 121 Castlemilk Drive, Castlemilk, Glasgow, G45 9UG.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - WAVES and Community Learning (Culture and Sport Glasgow). Tel: 0141 634 4053.



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Every Wednesday from 4th November to 2nd December, 12.45pm to 2.15pm

Picture It

A five week photography project exploring simple photographic methods and experimenting with mixed media culminating in a final exhibition at the 16 days of action event at the Pearce Institute on 9th December. Work will be based on the themes of freedom and liberation, exploring how it feels to escape from the ties of abuse. No photographic or art experience necessary, just a willingness to explore your creativity and have fun!

Venue - Govan New Church Hall, just across from Govan subway and bus station, above Unity Charity shop.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by South West 16 Days Planning Group. For further details contact Clare Robertson, Culture and Sport Glasgow, Mon - Wed, on 0141 276 8770 email: clare.robertson@csglasgow.org.

Tuesdays, Wednesday and Thursdays between 25th Nov to 10th December

Information Stalls

Staff from the organisations who can support women experiencing violence and abuse will be available at ante natal clinics during the 16 Days.

Venue - Rowan Park Ante Natal Clinic, Pollok Health Centre Ante Natal Clinic, Thornliebank Health Centre Ante Natal Clinic.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by the South West Violence Against Women Implementation Group. For further information contact Simone Khan from Glasgow Community Planning Partnership on 0141 276 9890 or Simone.Khan@glasgow.gov.uk

Wednesday 9th December 7.00pm to 9.00pm, Doors open 6.30pm

16 Days Tartan Frock Showcase

A culmination of local project work topped by a theatre extract from Confab theatre's Tartan Frock which has been written, devised and performed by and in partnership with local women from all over the city including 3 from Govan. There will also be an exhibition of photographs taken by local women expressing their feelings about violence against women, a presentation of work with local youths, stalls and nibbles to suit all tastes.

Venue - Pearce Institute, Govan Road.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by South West 16 Days Planning Group. For further details contact Clare Robertson, Culture and Sport Glasgow, Mon - Wed, on 0141 276 8770. email: clare.robertson@csglasgow.org

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GLASGOW CITY-WIDE

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25 November, From 6.30pm

Reclaim the Night

Back with a bang for the 3rd year running, Glasgow Rape Crisis are organising Reclaim the Night 3. The march as ever will be led with some big noises from Sheboom. March off from Botanic Gardens at Great Western Road at 6.30 then rally at the STUC Woodlands Road. Guest Speakers. **All are welcome.**

Venue - Assembly at Botanic Gardens, at the junction of Great Western Road and Queen Margaret Drive for 6.30pm then march off and rally at S.T.U.C., Woodlands Road, Glasgow.

Cost - Free - There is no crèche but children of all ages are welcome to take part in the march and the rally at S.T.U.C.

Organised by - Organised by Glasgow Rape Crisis and supported by Campaigns Working Group of the Glasgow Violence Against Women Partnership and funded by the Fairer Scotland Fund. For further information please contact - info@rapecrisiscentre-glasgow.co.uk. Details can also be found by visiting: www.rapecrisiscentre-glasgow.co.uk, www.rapecrisiscotland.org.uk, www.16Days.org.uk

Wednesday 25th November – Thursday 10th December 2009

Testing

Following the success of this project in schools last year a Moment's Peace Theatre Company is delighted to be returning to Glasgow schools with Testing as part of 2009's 16 Days of Action to Eliminate Violence Against Women campaign. This interactive piece of theatre explores challenging behavioural/gender issues with young people, giving them an opportunity to discuss their concerns and explore solutions to these difficult situations. Testing is a performance that examines the behaviour of teenage characters offering the audience an insight into a couple's relationship and how it develops. The performance explores how gender stereotypes and the characters' understanding of what is 'expected of them' influences their behaviour and the way in which they treat each other. Testing asks the questions "what is an unhealthy relationship and where do we go if we need help?"

Venue - This workshop is being offered to schools throughout Glasgow during the 16 Days campaign.

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Organised by Education Services in partnership with Violence Against Women Implementation Groups throughout the city. Funded by the Fairer Scotland Fund and CHCP's. For further information contact Mary Hendry, Social Inclusion Officer at Glasgow City Council Education Improvement Services. 0141 287 4137 or mary.hendry@education.glasgow.gov.uk

Tuesday 8th December 2009, 2pm to 7pm

My Fabulous Tartan Frock

Do you escape a violent lover wearing only the clothes on your back or are there belongings so integral to your identity you simply cannot leave them behind? Working with community actors and young people, assigned to create the soundtrack and visuals, conFAB's My Fabulous Tartan Frock brings domestic violence into the spotlight via a dramatic examination of self image exploring the remarkable collective journey of women who have experienced domestic abuse: one of fear, betrayal, isolation and ultimately of self-empowerment. Workshops to accompany the performance are available on request please and being delivered to schools in the North, South West and South East of Glasgow.

Venue - The Arches, 253 Argyle Street, Glasgow, G2 8DL

Cost - Free - Please call for Crèche info.

Organised by - Booking: 0141 565 1035 Organised by conFAB Further info: conFAB, Rachel Jury, admin@confab.org.uk, 07811 394 058

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My Fabulous Tartan Frock

See above for event description.

Venue - The Arches, 253 Argyle Street, Glasgow, G2 8DL

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Thursday 10th December 2009, 2pm to 7pm

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