EVENTS & ACTIONS:

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Photo: Israel demolished homes and businesses in Hebron, Palestine, after 2 Palestinians killed 2 Israeli soldiers. The Palestinian attackers were also killed.

Hello to all Members and Friends of Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation (WWFOR)

Note: there is so much going on, you may be seeing only part of this message; if so, links to the later parts may not work. Check for a "view entire message" link at the bottom.

ELECTIONS: *As an organization, we cannot support or oppose any candidate. But we are free to say that we support access to housing, food, medical care, and education for all. We are free to say that we support equal rights and oppose all kinds of hate speech and hate crimes. We oppose war and other violence, including the intentional starvation of people. We support free and fair elections and know that we have a lot of work to accomplish that goal.*

Thanks to activist/author/friend Paul Loeb for recommending the link https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DU-RuR-qO4Y to Leonard

Cohen's song Democracy [is coming to the U.S.A.], a song of hope. [See the Nov 23 event with Paul.]

ISSUES AND ACTIONS: A note: online petitions and letter writing sites are quick and easy. They will also get you on email lists (which you are free to unsubscribe from). It may be more effective to write your own letters. Contact info for Congresspeople and the President is below.

STOP & PREVENT U.S. WARS EVERYWHERE

- *CONGRESS NEEDS NEW LEADERS! the current leadership of both major parties have supported U.S. wars and it's **time to find leaders who will work for peace**. Sign petitions at https://c.org/4f5f5r4fDv to oppose Hakeem Jeffries becoming speaker of the house and at https://c.org/TqgR5VDnHm to oppose Chuck Schumer being the senate majority leader.*
- *IMPEACH "MAXIMUM LETHALITY" PETE HEGSETH. Thomas Massie announced that he will force a vote to impeach "Secretary of War" Pete Hegseth. If you prefer peace to war, read more and sign a petition at https://act.demandprogress.org/sign/impeach-pete-hegseth-massie/.*
- *OPPOSE INCREASED U.S.-ISRAEL MILITARY COOPERATION. The proposed National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) contains provisions for merging certain parts of U.S. and Israeli military activities, Section 219 in the House bill and Section 1217 in the Senate bill. Urge your Congresspeople to remove these sections! Read more and make phone calls via the Adalah site https://www.adalahjusticeproject.org/stopthedeadlymerger, or DIY (make the phone calls without using that site). ALSO, read more and sign a petition on this issue at https://act.winwithoutwar.org/act/ndaa-conference-219. And/or send letters from https://actionnetwork.org/letters/reject-expansion-of-us-israeli-military-cooperation-in-the-ndaa/. **We call for an end to U.S. complicity in genocide, not further cooperation!***

- *VOICES OF HOPE IN ISRAEL-PALESTINE. Go to https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A4AYltf7TCE to watch the recording of Combatants for Peace's 20-year anniversary event. CfP is an organization of people, as they say, formerly were willing to kill people they didn't know, and now work for a just peace, without occupation or prisons. As I watched the introductory remarks, I could only tell which of the 2 women was Palestinian, which was Israeli, by watching the subtitles. When the Palestinian spoke Arabic the video showed Hebrew subtitles, and the opposite for the Israeli. (Fortunately for me they also showed in English.) Later, 4 co-founders of CfP came to the stage and did a brief enactment of thet thought at their initial meetings: "That guy looks like a terrorist," said one. "That guy looks just like my interrogator," said another. Then each told about their **transition from warrior to peace activist**.*
- *AND OF COURSE! OPPOSE ALL WARS. Support War Powers Resolutions to prevent wars on Iran, Cuba, and everywhere. Stop selling weapons to warring nations. Support diplomacy. Let your Congresspeople know where you stand.*
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OPPOSING ICE AND BORDER PATROL VIOLENCE AND DENIAL OF RIGHTS: **First they came for the immigrants.**

- *INVESTIGATE AND ABOLISH ICE — end mass deportations now! Sign a petition at https://act.demandprogress.org/sign/abolish-ice-post-election/. Or better ye, send your own message to your Congresspeople, see contact info below.*
- *IMPEACH DHS SECRETARY MARKWAYNE MULLIN. Under his administration, DHS invaded the home of Rep Ilhan Omar for political purposes. Mullin has defended the violence by ICE. Read more and send messages via the letter writing site https://actionnetwork.org/letters/tell-congress-to-impeach-dhs-*

secretary-markwayne-mullin which is sponsored by 20 justice organizations. Or send your own message to your Congresspeople!

- *ICE ABUSE: ARBITRARY IMPRISONMENT AND DEPORTATION. The prison conditions are appalling; the deportations bring people to deadly situations they were fleeing from. Lawyers can help get people; sign a petition to expand access to immigration legal defense at https://civicshout.com/p/ice-abuse-demands-oversight.*
- *IMAGINE BEING KIDNAPPED AND ABANDONED HALFWAY AROUND THE WORLD! That's what ICE is doing. If you are horrified by this abuse, sign a petition at https://secure.avaaz.org/en/campaigns/3_1_third_country_flights/ to investigate the people profiting from the flights to "third countries" and to stop this practice.*
- *ICE IS ATTACKING PEOPLE WITH UNMARKED CARS. Read the article by Sophie Shepherd in The Intercept about this practice at https://theintercept.com/2026/11/02/ice-vehicles-cars-hit-weapon/.*
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CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS & DOMESTIC AFFAIRS. ***Next, they came for the transgender people.***

- *We are sad that Initiative 638 is passing. We were among the many endorsers of* ***NO HATE IN WASHINGTON STAT****E which opposed I-638. We wish more people had listened to the high school girls who also opposed I-638, feeling that access to team sports for all students was more important than the perceived unfair advantage of trans girls.*
- *DEATH PENALTY. We have long opposed the death penalty and were active in the Washington Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty until it was abolished. Now we are happy that California Gov. Newsom has* ***commuted the death sentences of all prisoners on CA death row****, saying, "Many Californians feel that those who commit brutal crimes deserve to die. But as Governor, I have concluded the state cannot morally kill them."*

- *PROTECT HEAD START. Read more about this valuable program and the Trump administration attacks on it, and write letters from https://actionnetwork.org/letters/tell-congress-protect-head-start-from-the-trump-administrations-attacks/ or write your own messages (see contact info for Congresspeople below). See also great information from the National Women's Law Center at https://nwlc.org/resource/the-trump-administrations-ongoing-attacks-on-child-care-working-women/.*
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ELECTED OFFICIALS CONTACT INFO. It's always a good time to let your Congresspeople and other Elected Officials know what you think!

- Senator Patty **Murray**, 154 Russell Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510; https://www.murray.senate.gov/write-to-patty/ or phone (202) 224-2621.
- Senator Maria **Cantwell**, 511 Hart Senate Office Building, Washington, DC 20510; https://www.cantwell.senate.gov/contact/email/form or (202) 224-3441.
- To phone **any Representative or Senator** you can start at (202) 224-3121, the U.S. House switchboard. For more info, use https://www.congress.gov/members/find-your-member or https://www.house.gov/representatives/find-your-representative
- **Contact the President** at 202-456-1414 or via https://www.whitehouse.gov/contact/
- **Lots more elected officials** and other useful information are listed in the League of Women Voters excellent publication "They Represent You". Go to https://www.lwvskc.org/content.aspx?page_id=22&club_id=711832&module_id=464637 where there is a link to the online version. Thanks LWV for this valuable resource!
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WWFOR organizational information such as how to contact us is at the end.

This email contains MANY justice and peace events: click for a **list of events with specific dates** or a **list of recurring events**.

EVEN MORE EVENTS! Other calendars

- https://www.mobilize.us/ (you can search by place & date)
- https://actionnetwork.org/event_campaigns/network-actions
- https://seattle-protests.org/ Seattle & beyond

Note: we try to include events that are consistent with FOR principles, but we do not always have full information about organizers and events. Please do your own research and let us know at wwfor@wwfor.org or wwfor1@gmail.com if any events are objectionable to you.

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- Nov 11, Veterans Reclaim Original Meaning of Nov 11, Seattle
- Nov 12-21, Play about Gaza by a Gazan Playwright, Seattle
- + Nov 12, NW Against Nuclear Weapons Meeting, Zoom
- Nov 12, Unrecognized Duwamish Film Screening, Seattle
- Nov 12, The State of Trans Rights 2026, online
- Nov 12, Battling AIDS: The Story of PEPFAR, Zoom
- Nov 13, Seven Indigenous Women & Environmental, San Juan Isl
- + Nov 14, Washington Fair Trade Coalition luncheon, Fife
- Nov 14, Film "The Welcome Table," Seattle
- Nov 14, Solidarity Day at Immigrant Prison, Tacoma
- Nov 14, NV & Struggle for Justice & Peace in Palestine, Zoom
- Nov 14, Amnesty International Activist Conference, Zoom
- Nov 14, Radio Gaza (an in-person event), Seattle
- Nov 15, Remembering Central American Martyrs, Zoom
- Nov 15, Unarmed Civilian Protection in Palestine Mtg, Zoom
- Nov 16, Tesla Takedown & Defund Musk present film, Seattle
- Nov 17, "The Housing Monologues" performance, online
- Nov 17, Environmental Justice Legislative Session, Zoom
- Nov 17, Film About Life, Death, & What Matters, Tacoma
- Nov 17, Inequality Media's Film "The Work in Progress" online
- Nov 18 & 19, Africa Regional Peace Conference, Zoom
- Nov 18, Leaders Jewish-Arab Grassroots Movement, Seattle
- Nov 19, Mahmoud Khalil: No Land to Stand On, Zoom
- Nov 19, Film: Psychedelics & Recovery from PTSD, Seattle
- Nov 19, Native American Heritage Month Program, Seattle
- Nov 20 & 22, Seattle Peace Chorus Concert, Seattle
- Nov 20, Our Children's Trust: Right to Livable Climate, online
- Nov 21, Conscientious Objection and the Draft, online
- Nov 22, Film "A Plastic Ocean," Tacoma
- Nov 23, Book Talk: Paul Loeb on Political Hope, Seattle
- Nov 29 & Dec 2 & 3, Film "NAZA" – Israeli War Crimes, Olympia

- Nov 30, Film 3 American Doctors in Gaza + Q&A, Olympia
- Dec 2, Earth Care Not Warfare Meeting, Zoom
- Dec 8, Washington Housing Alliance Meeting, Zoom
- Dec 9, Confronting Zionism: Decolonizing Palestine, Zoom
- Dec 10, Human Rights Day, everywhere
- Dec 10, ACLU of Washington Annual Celebration, Seattle
- **+** Dec 10, NW Against Nuclear Weapons Meeting, Zoom
- **+** Dec 12 & 13, Nonviolent Solutions Summit, Zoom
- Dec 13, Human Rights Day Community Event, Seattle
- Dec 14, Film "No Country for Mothers", North Bend

RECURRING & ONGOING EVENTS (specific date events above) Please send updates and corrections to us at wwfor1@gmail.com.
[**+** indicates FOR or FOR-cosponsored event].

- Weekdays, **Tukwila**, Volunteer at the Hospitality Table
- Mondays, **Seattle**, March to Support Journalists in Gaza
- Mondays, **Seattle**, Due Process - Bring Them Back
- Mondays, **Bellingham**, Indivisible Protest Party
- Tuesdays, **Seattle**, Demonstrate: No Cuts to VA Services
- Tuesdays, **Seattle**, Tesla Takedown Woodland Park Overpass
- Wednesdays **Bellingham** Banner Action for Palestine
- Wednesdays, **Tumwater**, Chevron BDS Campaign
- Thursdays, **Seattle & Kirkland**, Bannering for Democracy
- Thursdays, **West Seattle**, Bang the Pots for Gaza
- Thursdays, **Tukwila**, Tell DHS We Stand With Our Neighbors
- Fridays **Bellingham** Weekly Peace Vigil
- 1st & 3rd Fridays, **Mt Vernon** Abolish Nukes Bannering
- Fridays, **Seattle** Northgate demo to protect benefits
- **+** Fridays **Olympia** FOR Weekly Peace Vigils
- Fridays, downtown **Seattle** Protect Rights & Programs Rally
- Fridays, **Tukwila**, Stop the Deportations

- Fridays, **Ferndale**, 2 Vigils Protest ICE & Stand for Peace
- **+** Saturdays **Centralia** Fire Mt. FOR Weekly Peace Vigils
- Saturdays, **Whidbey,** Solidarity With Palestine
- Saturdays, **Lake Forest Park** Peace Vigil
- Saturdays, **Tacoma**, Ice Out! Justice for Ice Victims
- Saturdays, **Tacoma** Protest Israel's Genocide
- Saturdays, **Lynnwood, Seattle, & Renton**, Tesla Takedown
- Saturdays, **Seattle**, Ballard Defenders of Democracy demo
- 1st & 3rd Saturdays, **Tukwila**, Take Back America rally
- Sundays, **Olympia**, Kids for Palestine
- Sundays, **Bellevue** Banner Action for Palestine
- Sundays, **Bothell** Banner Action for Palestine
- Sundays, **West Seattle**, Resist: Weekly Sign Holding
- **Many times & places** Meaningful Movies, in person and online

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FILM: 3 AMERICAN DOCTORS IN GAZA

Nov 9, 10, & 12, at 4:50 pm each day, at Roxy Theatre, 270 4th Street, Bremerton, WA, 98337

The film "American Doctor" shows three American doctors—Palestinian, Jewish, and Zoroastrian, united by a shared oath to save lives. They worked in a besieged hospital in Gaza and returned to the United States to fight for the patients and colleagues they left behind.

Trailer at https://americandoctorfilm.com/trailer

Info and tickets https://www.roxybremerton.org/movie/american-doctor

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REPORT LAUNCH:
GUN TRAFFICKING FROM THE UNITED STATES TO MEXICO

Mon Nov 9, 9 am Pacific time, Zoom

Presentation by John Lindsay-Poland and Eugenio Weigand Vargas. Research showed how Maricopa County, Arizona, has become the epicenter of gun trafficking to Mexico. The data show where crime guns are coming from, not only across the border into Mexico, but within the United States. The data also reveal who is making weapons sought by criminal groups, the routes they traverse, at what speed, and where in Mexico and the United States these weapons end up. Presented by Global Exchange and Stop US Arms to Mexico.

There is much more you can do. Because Arizona is so critical to stopping the weapons feeding violence in Mexico and elsewhere, we urge you to contact Arizona members of Congress to ask them to co-sponsor the ARMAS Act and Stop Arming Cartels Act.

Registration
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_neJnm9rhTHyh6HhPowu-pQ

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WEBINAR - THE UKRAINE WAR NOW:
DIPLOMACY, POWER PLAYS, & DRIVING NEW NUCLEAR ARMS RACES

Mon Nov 9. 4 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Trump seems eager to end the Ukraine War on Putin's terms: full Russian control of Donbas. "Peace negotiations" between Russia and Ukraine are reportedly being planned. Putin has signaled that he is in no mood to make concessions. While Putin unleashes massive drone and missile attacks on Ukraine's energy infrastructure and people, Trump says that what Putin is doing in Ukraine is "fine." Zelensky is striking back, and Europe has yet to sign onto the "peace negotiations. The Ukraine War is driving a new conventional and nuclear arms race in Europe and East Asia.

Make sense of this madness with Anatol Lieven and George Bebe as we recalibrate for post-election advocacy to stop the killing and to end the war on as just a basis as possible. Initiated by the Campaign for Peace, Disarmament and Common Security Co-sponsored by Massachusetts Peace Action and by New Hampshire Peace Action

More info and registration
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_DmB90DlaQ9GYfJh59EdV7Q

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CODEPINK TAXPAYER UPRISING: NO MORE MONEY FOR WAR!

Nov 9, 5 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Join CODEPINK Congress, Medea, Marcy and special guests–Ben Freeman and Matthew Hoh– for an on-line program to kick off three days of antiwar activism, both in DC and local congressional districts. Together we will shout a resounding NO to the Pentagon's $1.5 trillion

war budget, a policy package riddled with horrors that fuse the US and Israeli militaries and escalate the nuclear arms race.

Congress is expected to vote on the runaway budget outline –aka The National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA)--after the midterms, but we can't wait until a floor vote in December to press our demands: NO MORE of our Money to Wars and Militarism!

Info and registration https://www.codepink.org/cpcnov926

Info grace@codepink.org

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FILM "EARTH'S GREATEST ENEMY" - U.S. MILITARY

Mon Nov 9, at 4 pm film & discussion Pacific time, followed by 6 pm Action Panel, online

Join us in challenging the war economy, connecting across movements, and imagining what becomes possible when we invest in life instead of a $1.5 trillion war budget. Featuring an intro by Abby Martin + community discussion following the screening!

Exempt from international climate agreements and rarely scrutinized in mainstream reporting, the Pentagon is revealed here as the world's single largest institutional polluter—spewing carbon, contaminating water, and scarring landscapes across the globe. Combining investigative journalism, striking visuals, and stories from impacted communities, the film challenges audiences to rethink the hidden costs of a global military empire and its planetary consequences.

Co-sponsored by: CODEPINK, Corporate Accountability, Dismantle the Military Industrial Complex, Grassroots Global Justice Alliance, National Priorities Project, Veterans For Peace, and Youth Climate Finance Alliance

Info and registration https://actionnetwork.org/events/earths-greatest-enemy-week-of-action-film-screening-and-action-panel/

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ENGAGING NONVIOLENCE III: APPLIED ACTION AND CHANGE

Tuesdays Nov 10 – Dec 15, 4–5:30 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Part of the three levels of our Engaging Nonviolence Certification Program; you do not need to have taken Part 1 & 2. Six-week course with Rivera Sun and Pace e Bene Trainers-in-Training

This course explores the creative and strategic power of nonviolent action to transform communities and societies. In this course, through powerful historical and contemporary examples, we'll examine concrete strategies used to advance democracy, human rights, fair wages, and care for people and planet. Alongside strategy and skills, the course reconnects us to the heart and purpose that sustain long-term change work. Whether you're new to activism or been at this for a lifetime, this course offers a wealth of knowledge to support you.

$95, scholarships available. Info and registration https://paceebene.org/events/2026/2/16/engaging-nonviolence-3

Scholarships: Email info@paceebene.org

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POST-ISRAELI/U.S. ELECTIONS WITH INSIDE-IRAN ANALYSIS

Tues Nov 10, 11 am Pacific time, Zoom

Bilingual live townhall Talk & Q/A Anti-War special, with our expert speaker: Mr. Naser Alijani, Seasoned Iranian peace, democracy, and "good governance" analyst; Inside-Iran Director, Peace-seeking Iranian Veterans. Topic: Post-Israeli/U.S. elections analysis, from Tehran, by our special speaker--focused also on unfolding Iran-war events & a brief progress report of the Minab School Memorial Monument for Peace (MISMMOP) initiative & our Minab Lullaby peace concerts, see https://piv-kas.blogspot.com/p/minab-memorial-for-peace-mimep.html

Zoom link:
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86879154879?pwd=5sa2hYROUyP2abKxpGlAbBj93pSNIg.1
Meeting ID: 868 7915 4879, Passcode: 062442
Phone--in US: +1 (719) 359-4580 or +1 (253) 215-8782**

Organized by Peace-seeking Iranian Veterans & National Peace and Democracy Coalition of Iran. info moji.agha@gmail.com

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LESSONS FROM 45 YEARS OF DRAFT REGISTRATION AND RESISTANCE

Tues Nov 10, at 9 am Pacific time, online

Online presentation for the Peace and Justice Studies Association, "Changes in Selective Service: Lessons from 45 years of draft registration and resistance for the next chapter in military conscription".

Presenter Edward Hasbrouck says “This won't be an activist talk on "what is to be done", but it will provide background for those who haven't been following the issue or aren't aware of the extent and success of resistance to draft registration since 1980. If your friends ask, "Why should I care about Selective Service, especially when there is no draft?", this talk may suggest some answers and reasons to get active.”

See https://comdsd.org/pdf/Joint_Statement_Opposing_Automatic_SSS_Registration.pdf for a statement by many organizations including Fellowship of Reconciliation-USA about opposing the automatic registration for the draft

Join presentation on Google Meet: https://meet.google.com/hjo-wsgb-kbj

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FAITH AND FEAR: AMERICA AT WAR,

Tues Nov 10, 1t 5:30 pm, at Seattle University, Bannan 244 (E) - Wyckoff Auditorium, Near 12th Ave & Columbia St, Seattle

As the vicious, destructive wars in Ukraine and the Middle East rage on—and US policymakers debate continuing military support in both regions—it is worth considering America’s own relationship with war in the twenty-first century. What has driven our connections to war, not

just from a policy perspective, but from a cultural one as well? Why do we assume war will deliver on its promise to solve nearly all our problems overseas? And why is it that the United States spends an inordinate amount of its resources on preparing for war, yet its citizens continue to fear what they deem a dangerous world? In a wide-ranging discussion, Texas A&M University professor and US Army retired colonel Gregory A. Daddis considers both our faith in war and our fear of war and how these tensions shape our very identity as Americans in the modern world.

Gregory A. Daddis is a professor of history at Texas A&M University

Sponsored by the College of Humanities, Education and Social Sciences and the Veteran and Military Student Center.

Free. Info and registration https://events.seattleu.edu/event/faith-and-fear-america-at-war

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ARMISTICE DAY

Weds Nov 11, everywhere

Armistice day marks the end of fighting in World War I, Nov 11, 1918. This was a celebration of the end of war and of peace. The day was renamed Veterans Day in the United States, and sometimes comes with glorification of war. Meaning no disrespect to veterans, we choose to celebrate the end of a war, and the hope to end all war.

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VETERANS RECLAIM ORIGINAL MEANING OF NOV 11 VETERANS DAY

Weds Nov 11, 10:30 am, in the South courtyard of St. James Cathedral, 804 9th Ave, Seattle

On November 11th, Veterans for Peace will honor the original name and intent of what started as Armistice Day, in 1919 to commemorate the end of World War I.

We will assemble at 10:30 and at 11 the church bells ring 11 times at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month marking the end of the war. Veterans For Peace calls on the US public to honor the resolution Congress passed in 1926 stating "it is fitting that the recurring anniversary of this date should be commemorated, with exercises designed to perpetuate peace through good will and mutual understanding between nations. . .". In 1938, Congress made November 11th a legal holiday, celebrating Armistice Day, dedicated to the cause of world peace and honoring veterans. But after World War Two, Congress decided to rename November 11th Veterans Day, which turned a day to perpetuate peace into a day of militaristic displays, patriotic jingoism, and discount meals for veterans. Veterans For Peace will join with others for a ceremony that will include a short statement on Armistice Day, the ringing of the bells, a moment of silence, some readings and songs celebrating the spirit of the day and will pass out white Peace Poppies honoring all victims of war.

Veterans For Peace is an international veteran's organization with 125 chapters nationally, and 6 chapters overseas. We are veterans who served, some went to war, came home and now work for peace. "In War Truth is the First Casualty" Aeschylus

Info Mike Dedrick, mikededrick@comcast.net or 206-226-2435

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PLAY ABOUT GAZA BY A GAZAN PLAYWRIGHT

Nov 12-21, Thursdays through Saturdays, 7:30 pm, at Cherry Street Village, 720 25th Ave, Seattle WA 98122

Gaza: The Silence Shouts, is a brilliant new play that delves into the hearts and minds of people in Gaza, each forging their own way through genocide. By Gazan playwright Khaled Alostath, with additional scenes by writers with families still in Gaza. Woven from poetry, family conversations, and the ordinary language of people living through genocide, the play holds grief next to desire, wry humor, and unfinished domestic life. A key survives its door. A needle stands in a piece of embroidery. Above the houses, drones watch; beyond Gaza, people watch, too. Throughout the play, grief persists, yet Gaza's voices always rise again.

Directed by Hanna Eady and arranged by Edward Mast, the play also includes contributions from two other writers from Gaza who have chosen to remain anonymous.

Tickets $12-80 at https://www.simpletix.com/e/gaza-the-silence-shouts-tickets-297023

Info dunyaproductionseattle@gmail.com

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NORTHWEST AGAINST NUCLEAR WEAPONS MONTHLY MEETING

Thurs Nov 12, 6 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Northwest Against Nuclear Weapons (NWANW) is a statewide coalition that aims to reduce and eliminate all components of the 2 trillion dollar rebuild of the US nuclear weapons arsenal. Our ultimate goal is to prevent nuclear war and abolish nuclear weapons worldwide.

Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation and several of our chapters are members of NWANW.

Registration
https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMlceyrqjooGNNPzPxUmDewUJiXWPGBjH88#/registration

Info https://nwanw.org/

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“UNRECOGNIZED THE DUWAMISH TRIBE” FILM SCREENING

Thurs Nov 12, 7-9 pm, at Faye G. Allen Grand Atrium, MOHAI 860 Terry Ave N, Seattle, WA 98109

Unrecognized: The Duwamish Tribe is a film about power, politics and culture. Drawing on historical records, lived experience, and behind-the-scenes decisions about public art, the half-hour film shows how the struggle for recognition is both political and cultural. Join filmmaker BJ Bullert and Duwamish Tribe Council Member Ken Workman for a screening and conversation about the local tribe that refuses to be erased.

The film will feature closed captions. In addition, a limited number of Assistive Listening Devices are available upon request. For more accessibility support, email programs@mohai.org.

Tickets sliding scale free to $50, at https://3365.blackbaudhosting.com/3365/page.aspx?pid=196&tab=2&txobjid=f320d4e1-75a2-4229-a752-25f003951afb

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THE STATE OF TRANS RIGHTS 2026

Thurs Nov 12, 10:30 am Pacific time, online

TRANSforming the Narrative: Lambda Legal's Annual Webinar on Trans and Nonbinary Rights

Topics will include:

- What the Supreme Court's decisions in Skrmetti and B.P.J. mean, and what's ahead this term
- Federal attacks on health care, HIV services, and identity documents
- Recent litigation wins and key pending cases
- State and local organizing, including youth-led action

Speakers:

- Sasha Buchert (she/her), Director, Nonbinary and Transgender Rights Project
- Alexandra Curd (she/they), Staff Policy Attorney
- A.D. Sean Lewis (he/him), Senior Attorney
- Whit Washington (they/them), Eileen A. Ryan Senior Attorney

- Lake Geslani, (he/him) moderator

Registration
https://support.lambdalegal.org/site/SSurvey?ACTION_REQUIRED=URI_ACTION_USER_REQUESTS&SURVEY_ID=16246

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BATTLING AIDS: LIFELINE: THE STORY OF PEPFAR, THE GREATEST HUMANITARIAN INITIATIVE OF OUR TIME

Thurs Nov 12, at 4:15 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Join PATH for a special Inside Global Health conversation featuring John Donnelly, author of the new book Lifeline, in discussion with Dr. Barbara Marston and Nomi Fuchs-Montgomery. Moderated by Kate Davidson, they'll reflect on the people, partnerships, and leadership behind President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR)'s success and explore what those lessons mean for the future of global health.

RSVP https://path.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_P35N-F89Qo68MP2UH_u00w#/registration

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SEVEN INDIGENOUS WOMEN ADDRESS INTERSECT OF BIODIVERSITY LOSS, CLIMATE DISRUPTION, AND ENVIRONMENTAL INJUSTICE.

Fri Nov 13, 6-8 pm, at Brickworks, Friday Harbor, 150 Nichols Street, San Juan Island, WA

Seven Sisters - Return of the Matriarchy. The Seven Sisters Campaign is a National, multi-site public engagement and leadership initiative led by Se'Si'Le in partnership with tribal, environmental, and faith-based organizations. This campaign will launch events designed to elevate the leadership of Seven Indigenous Women whose work addresses the intersecting crises of biodiversity loss, climate disruption, and environmental injustice.

Info https://se-si-le.org/campaigns/seven-sisters

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WASHINGTON FAIR TRADE COALITION LUNCHEON

Sat Nov 14, 1-3 pm, at Longshoremen's Union Local 23 Hall, 1306 Alexander Ave E, Fife, WA 98424

Join us to celebrate our many wins and recommit to international worker solidarity in the face of corporate power. The program will include a barbecue lunch and drinks, an exciting silent auction, and a wonderful afternoon of community building!

Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation is a member of this coalition.

Info https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=1516997767135154

Tickets from $35.
https://www.tickettailor.com/events/washingtonfairtradecoalitioneducationfund/2398767

Volunteer to help with this event at https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfg3PD7P3j1pU_YxlxTZ3BECqDiloiZ7uo7MojPh9AVi4iAeQ/viewform.

Free Solidarity Tickets available, reach out to julie@washingtonfairtrade.org or use the form at https://forms.gle/chrjDLf1YsysM4Jw8

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FILM "THE WELCOME TABLE"
CLIMATE REFUGEES ACROSS SIX CONTINENTS

Sat Nov 14, doors 6 pm, film 6:30 pm, at Rainier Beach Community Club, 6038 So. Pilgrim St. Seattle, WA

Meaningful Movies in Rainier Beach and Mt. Baker invite you to this screening of The Welcome Table. The documentary tells the story of climate refugees across six continents, celebrating the voices and experience of people living at the forefront of the climate crisis.
In The Welcome Table, Academy Award®-nominated filmmaker Josh Fox ("Gasland") travels to the shores of Lake Turkana, the Amazon in Peru, the favelas of Brazil, the Calabrian Coast of Italy, and the U.S. – Mexico border, meeting with people faced with the impossible task of fleeing their homes and everything they've known. By sitting with displaced people, Josh brings the audience on a journey that inspires bravery, mutual aid, and dignity. Featuring John Boutté, John Cameron Mitchell, and celebrated New Orleans musicians, the film weaves together stories of migration and resilience through music, performance, and the installation of a 1,000-foot table along the New Orleans levee, where communities gather in conversation, solidarity, and celebration.

The Meaningful Movies Project is a non-profit organization that assists neighborhoods, groups and individuals organize, educate and advocate using the power of documentary film and relevant conversation to build positive and meaningful community and a more just and peaceful world. Events are all-volunteer organized and run. They are always open to the public at no cost. Donations welcome

Special Guests: TBA. Sponsors: Rainier Beach Community Club.

Info https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/meaningful-movies-rainier-beach-presents-the-welcome-table/

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SOLIDARITY DAY AT IMMIGRANT PRISON

Sat Nov 14, 1-3 pm, at NWDC Immigrant Prison, 1623 East J St, Tacoma

Join and La Resistencia and the Seattle Democratic Socialists to show solidarity with imprisoned immigrants.

We invite everyone to come and support detainees and demand that the Northwest Detention Center be shut down, and that detentions and deportations stop. We will stand in solidarity here where our immigrant friends and neighbors are being terrorized by ICE.

Info (425) 891-9527 and info@laresistencianw.org

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NONVIOLENCE AND THE STRUGGLE FOR JUSTICE AND PEACE IN PALESTINE

Sat Nov 14, 9 - 10:30 am Pacific time, Zoom

Nonviolence and the Struggle for Justice and Peace in Palestine: Lutheran Peace Fellowship is hosting this conversation with Bishop Dr. Munib Younan, former President of the Lutheran World Federation and retired Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land.

Prepare for the conversation on November 14th by watching 5 short videos produced by ELCA Samud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mekDHNmdJwA. This is the launch of a series of webinars called "Blessed are the Peacemakers," on contemporary Lutheran efforts for peace and nonviolence.

Registration https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/3FNwOh79TSKscSbU3QnnOg

Info https://www.facebook.com/events/1730875568461749/

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AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL ACTIVIST CONFERENCE

Sat Nov 14, time 1-4 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Amnesty International Puget Sound is proud to announce the 2026 AIUSA Washington and Oregon Activist Conference. This is an excellent opportunity to connect with fellow activists, share knowledge with local

and student group members, and gain inspiration from the impactful actions of groups in the Pacific Northwest. Plus, you'll have a chance to win AIUSA swag! Whether you're a member of a WA or OR group or simply interested in learning more, all are welcome.

The agenda includes presentations on human rights violations committed by US Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and other federal agencies, the crackdown on students' rights to freedom of expression and protest in support of Palestinian rights, and the ongoing violence in the Occupied Palestinian Territories and Israel.

Registration https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/Y-vsjH2GQpufVjQBbsuUYg#/registration

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RADIO GAZA

Sat Nov 14, time 7 pm - 1 am, at Clockout Lounge, 4864 Beacon Ave S. Seattle, WA

Radio Gaza is an events series featuring a blend of local and international music, art, and poetry, with the aim of uplifting and celebrating Palestinian culture.

$25 advance, $30 at the door

Info and ticket link https://www.radiogaza.org/

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REMEMBERING CENTRAL AMERICAN MARTYRS

Sun Nov 15, at noon Pacific time, Zoom

November 16th marks 37 years since 6 Jesuit priests and two women were martyred at the University of Central America (UCA) in San Salvador by U.S.-backed forces, a history that gave rise to the School of the Americas Watch (SOAW) movement and continues to shape struggles across Central America today.

From Mexico, to El Salvador, to Honduras, communities continue to confront militarization, displacement, criminalization, and the ongoing fight for land, justice, and self-determination. This year, we'll gather to remember the martyrs - known and unknown, hear from movements on the frontlines, and strengthen our commitment to international solidarity from the belly of the beast.

Besides remembering the UCA martyrs jon us for a reportback on SOAWatch's recent work with the Border Patrol Victim's Network.

Registration
https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_qoOSRWXNS96_jv6Asegj0A

Info https://soaw.org/home

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SOLIDARITY NETWORKS MEETING FOR
UNARMED CIVILIAN PROTECTION IN PALESTINE

Sun Nov 15, 9 am Pacific time, Zoom

We are happy to still have a team providing protective presence in the West Bank. While conditions are worsening, global awareness is growing, and the need for solidarity is greater than ever. Palestinian community members have consistently told us that as they continue their struggle for basic rights, international solidarity gives them courage and hope.

We invite you to join us for a video call. This will be an opportunity to community members and UCPiP team members give updates on the situation in the South Jordan Valley near the ancient city of Jericho.

We will (pending last minute changes) specifically hear from community members in the Stih/Ein Diyook area, as well as practitioners who stand shoulder to shoulder with them. Violent settlers from the nearby Harmonot settlement are building outposts right by Palestinian homes, having already demolished many houses in the area and enacted violence against the local community. As the situation is rapidly escalating, we invite you to hear from local practitioners and community members.

Registration
https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/K2NrFBgCSEK0SsrR05hZ9w

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TESLA TAKEDOWN & DEFUND MUSK PRESENT FILM “MUSK”

Mon Nov 16, time 6-10:30 pm, at Majestic Bay Theatres, 2044 NW Market St, Seattle, WA 98107

Brought to you by Tesla Takedown and Defund Musk, this groundbreaking film is finally showing in Seattle, and you're invited. Elon tried to keep you from seeing it, so we're making it an event. Special thanks to the national Tesla Takedown organization for sponsoring this very special screening so we can offer it free of charge.

Show up at 6 pm and mingle. It's a long film, so we'll start at 6:30 pm with some brief remarks to celebrate our community and the path ahead. We're not done with Elon. Not by a long shot.

Free! Register at https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/1080017/

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“THE HOUSING MONOLOGUES" PERFORMANCE ART PIECE

Tues Nov 17, 6-7:30 pm Pacific time, online

Washington Physicians for Social Responsibility (WPSR)'s Economic Inequity & Health Task Force invites you to attend our Virtual Fall Housing Event: "The Housing Monologues." In this powerful performance art piece, community members with lived experiences of housing insecurity and homelessness, and health professionals on the frontlines, will work together to paint a picture of just how challenging it is to achieve and maintain health without stable housing,

Registration https://www.wpsr.org/thehousingmonologues

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ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Tues Nov 17, 10 am Pacific time, Zoom

Presented by JUUstice Washington, A Unitarian Universalist State Action Network. The 2026-2027 Legislative Session will begin January 11, 2027 and end April 25, 2027. Yes, it is a long session so we can focus on bills!

The date for pre-filing bills is December 7, 2026. JUUstice Washington will be going through that list to pick its priorities for the year which we'll publish about the 2nd week in January or whenever we get bill numbers. We'll also be looking to partner and ally priorities as well. If you have a bill that you'd like us to follow and promote, let us know at office@juustwa.org.

We'll be meeting with Rep. Beth Doglio and Rep. Alex Ramel, both from the WA House Committee on Environment & Energy and Sen. Liz Lovelett from the Senate Committee on Environment, Energy & Technology. We'll be talking about what's coming up in the legislature this year and hopefully receive some encouraging news about our struggle with the current federal administration's environment policies. All are welcome to attend.

Registration https://secure.everyaction.com/_9OnYwCcEU-kF7SFxOJvrQ2

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FILM ABOUT LIFE, DEATH, AND WHAT REALLY MATTERS

Tues Nov 17, at 5:15 pm, at Tacoma Public Library Main Branch: Cascade Board Room, 1102 Tacoma Ave S Tacoma, WA

Join us for our November screening and free pizza! Meaningful Movies Tacoma presents "Andre is an Idiot," , a funny, candid, and unexpectedly moving documentary about life, death, and what really matters.

After ignoring his doctor's advice to get a colonoscopy, André is diagnosed with Stage IV colorectal cancer. Rather than shy away from what comes next, he turns the camera on himself, documenting his experience with humor, honesty, and a refreshing lack of sentimentality. The result is a deeply personal film about facing mortality while continuing to find absurdity, connection, and joy in everyday life.

This screening is free but donations are encouraged to help support our mission

Info https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/meaningful-movies-tacoma-presents-andre-is-an-idiot/

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INEQUALITY MEDIA'S FILM "THE WORK IN PROGRESS"

Tues Nov 17, 5 pm Pacific time, online

Join Prof. Robert Reich, Heather Lofthouse, and thousands of people across the country and around the world for a special live online watchalong of Inequality Media's new documentary, The Work in Progress.

This is the community we need. At a time when Americans seem more divided than ever, this film brings people of different generations, backgrounds, and beliefs together to ask big questions, share their stories, and discover what we can learn from one another. The film is moving, funny, surprising, and ultimately hopeful.

Free! Registration https://actionnetwork.org/forms/work-in-progress-live

Trailer at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=puEONll9rDw&t=7s

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IMAGINE AFRICA BEYOND WAR: WORLD BEYOND WAR'S
FOURTH AFRICA REGIONAL PEACE CONFERENCE

Weds & Thurs Nov 18 & 19, 7-9 am both days, Zoom

This year's conference examines contemporary forms of domination of Africa, questions African responsibilities, and explores pathways toward greater sovereignty and lasting peace. More information on the background, the agenda and speakers plus a registration link can be found at https://worldbeyondwar.org/africa2026/.

Registration https://actionnetwork.org/events/world-beyond-wars-fourth-africa-peace-conference/

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AN EVENING WITH JEWISH AND PALESTINIAN LEADERS OF STANDING TOGETHER'S AMIN AMARA AND NADAV SHOFET

Weds Nov 18, 7 - 9 pm, at Rainer Arts Center, 3515 S. Alaska St, Seattle WA 98118

Please join us for a special evening with Nadav Shofet and Amin Amara – Jewish and Palestinian leaders of Standing Together, the largest Jewish-Arab grassroots movement and one of the most powerful progressive voices in Israel-Palestine. Coming on the heels of Israeli elections, this event is a rare opportunity to learn about ST's important work on the ground building Jewish-Palestinian solidarity and organizing for peace, equality, and social justice for all in the land. Mo Husseini, a Palestinian American writer and director, will moderate the discussion.

Free. RSVP https://www.eventbrite.com/e/an-evening-with-standing-togethers-amin-amara-and-nadav-shofet-tickets-2003118452213

Info friendsofstseattle25@gmail.com

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BOOK TALK - MAHMOUD KHALIL "NO LAND TO STAND ON: NOTES FROM DETENTION"

Thurs Nov 19, 4 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Join the Institute for Middle East Understanding for the IMEU Policy Project Book Club. We'll be joined by Mahmoud Khalil, author of No Land to Stand On: Notes from Detention. A revelatory and powerful testament of protest, courage, and imprisonment in America's deportation regime.

Registration https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Lkyd-ttwRnq5VzNnC6NqjQ#/registration

Go to https://www.imeupolicyproject.org/bookclub for link to purchase book

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FILM: PSYCHEDELICS & RECOVERY FROM PTSD

Thurs Nov 19, at 6 pm, at Center for Spiritual Living Ballard, 2007 NW 61st St., Seattle, WA

Ballard Meaningful Movies presents "In Waves and War."

Highly decorated Navy SEAL Marcus Capone returns from Afghanistan and attempts to readjust to civilian life. But years of unprecedented warfare have left Marcus with treatment-defiant PTSD, traumatic brain injuries, and severe depression beyond what current government treatment options can effectively address. Fearing for Marcus' life, his wife, Amber, finds hope in a groundbreaking therapy combining two powerful psychedelics unapproved for use in the U.S., but with seemingly limitless applications. Inspired by Marcus' remarkable recovery but still confronted with the alarming rate of veteran suicide in their community, Marcus and Amber embark on a new mission: providing access to this lifeline.

Film screenings are always followed by some form of discussion or audience engagement, where education and opportunities for involvement or advocacy are made available. In addition, we rely on, and benefit from one another's knowledge and experience in an environment that fosters a strong undercurrent of community building.

Events are all-volunteer organized and run. They are always open to the public at no cost, and rely on donations from attendees to remain sustainable.

Info https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/in-waves-and-war/

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NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH VIDEO SHOWING

Thurs Nov 19, at 7 pm, Light snacks available at 6:30pm for a donation, at New Freeway Hall, 5018 Rainier Ave. S., Seattle 98118; On the #7 bus line and near the Columbia City light rail station

The compelling documentary "Powerlands" by Navajo filmmaker Ivey Camille Manybeads Tso follows the displacement of Indigenous people and the environmental devastation caused by chemical companies. The 75-minute movie features Indigenous activists from the U.S., Colombia, Philippines, and Mexico where women and earth defenders are leading resistance movements against the exploitation of their land. Open discussion follows.

The meeting will also look at the highlights of the recent elections.

Sliding scale donation $3-10. Hosted by Radical Women. For info, childcare or work exchanges: 206-722-6057
rw.seattle@radicalwomen.org

Info https://radicalwomen.org, https://facebook.com/RWseattle, https://instagram.com/radicalwomenseattle

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SEATTLE PEACE CHORUS CONCERTS

Fri Nov 20, 7 pm, & Sun Nov 22, 3 pm, at First United Methodist Church, 180 Denny Way, Seattle, WA 98109

Searching for the Light: We Are the Future Healing the Past

For 250 years, Americans have searched for their place in this big experiment. The Seattle Peace Chorus will share the music of immigrants, refugees, wanderers, and the first peoples of this land. Come hear the music of much loved songwriters, forgotten poets, radical change-makers, and wayward dreamers. We sing of hope for a future of freedom and belonging.

Info and tickets
https://seattlepeacechorus.org/events/concerts/searching-for-the-light-we-are-the-future-healing-the-past/

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OUR CHILDREN'S TRUST: RIGHT TO LIVABLE CLIMATE

Fri Nov 20, noon Pacific time, online

Join Our Children's Trust's Year-in-Review Community Webinar. This organization is suing on behalf of children, including children activists, for the right to a livable climate.

This year, young people stood up in every kind of court. They argued before state supreme courts from Alaska to Utah, challenged federal rollbacks of the protections their lives depend on, and are taking the stand in Canada's first youth-led federal climate trial. Join the Our Children's Trust team and special guests for an inside look at this year's progress and the path forward. Hear about:

- Inside the courtroom: Updates from the La Rose v. His Majesty the King trial
- Federal precedent: Youth plaintiff Nicholas on why Venner v. EPA matters
- Across our docket: Progress in our state, federal, and international cases
- What's next: Where this work goes in 2027

Free. Registration
https://ourchildrenstrust.app.neoncrm.com/nx/portal/neonevents/events?path=%2Fportal%2Fevents%2F62934

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CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTION AND THE DRAFT

Sat Nov 21, details TBA, online

Watch for more information in future emails and at https://wwfor.org

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FILM "A PLASTIC OCEAN"

Sun Nov 22, at 11:15 am, at The Grand Cinema, 606 Fawcett Ave, Tacoma, WA

Meaningful Movies Project and Meaningful Movies Tacoma in partnership with Eastside Tacoma Community Leaders and Pierce Conservation District is excited to invite you to the in-person screening of A Plastic Ocean. This film documents the global effects of plastic pollution and highlights workable technologies and innovative solutions that everyone – from governments to individuals – can do, to create a cleaner and greener ocean.

A Plastic Ocean is an award-winning feature length documentary brought to you by a group of dedicated scientists, film-makers, social entrepreneurs, scholars, environmentalists and journalists, that explores the fragile state of our oceans and uncovers alarming truths about the consequences of our disposable lifestyle. This documentary has been selected for screenings at international conferences and festivals around the world

Stay afterwards for the post film discussion following the film and find out how you can actively play a role in bettering the community.

The event is free but we gladly accept donations. Your financial support will help ensure we continue to offer free screenings.

Info https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/a-plastic-ocean-11/

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BOOK TALK PAUL LOEB'S NEW BOOK ON POLITICAL HOPE

Mon Nov 23, 7:30 pm, at Town Hall Seattle, 1119 8th Ave, Seattle WA

Author Paul Loeb on his new book on political hope “The Impossible Will Take a Little While.”

In a world where each day can bring new reasons for outrage or despair, The Impossible Will Take a Little While offers stories of hope, inspiration, and raw courage from heroes of world-changing political movements. This comprehensively updated edition helps us keep acting for change whatever the odds.

Info and resources https://www.paulloeb.org/take-awhile/

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FILM “NAZA” – ISRAELI WAR CRIMES

Sun Nov 29 & Weds Dec 2, Thurs Dec 3, at 4 pm each day, at Capitol Theater, 206 5th Ave. S.E., Olympia, WA, 98501

Overview: In secret conversations on the rooftops of Tel Aviv at night, the systems behind Israel's calculated mass killing of Palestinian civilians in Gaza are revealed by the people who designed and operated them.

Info and tickets https://www.olympiafilmsociety.org/movie/naza/

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FILM: 3 AMERICAN DOCTORS IN GAZA + Q&A

Mon Nov 30, 7 pm, at Capitol Theater, 206 5th Ave. S.E., Olympia, WA, 98501

Olympia Film Society & The Rachel Corrie Foundation present the film "American Doctor" with Post-Film Panel Discussion.

United by a shared oath to save lives, three American doctors—Palestinian, Jewish, and Zoroastrian—work in a besieged hospital in Gaza and return to the United States to fight for the patients and colleagues they left behind.

Tickets are now available online and at the box office beginning 30 minutes before showtime. $17.25 nonmember & $11 OFS member. Info https://www.olympiafilmsociety.org/movie/rachel-corrie-foundation-presents-american-doctor-w-post-film-qa/

Trailer at https://americandoctorfilm.com/trailer

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EARTH CARE NOT WARFARE MEETING

Weds Dec 2, and subsequent first Wednesdays, noon Pacific time, on Zoom

Earth Care not Warfare's monthly meeting to connect the peace movement with the climate justice movement. Representatives of local peace and climate groups share their recent actions and plans so that we can support each other's actions. We discuss collective actions such as meeting with our elected representatives, joining marches and rallies, sponsoring meaningful movies and learning events.

Info: Beth, bebrunton@hotmail.com

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WASHINGTON HOUSING ALLIANCE ANNUAL MEETING

Tues Dec 8, 5-6 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Join the Housing Alliance community on for this virtual, statewide gathering. We'll celebrate the progress we've made together this year, hear from advocates and lawmakers, and review our 2027 legislative priorities. Join us to connect, celebrate, and continue building a stronger movement for housing justice.

All who care about affordable housing and ending homelessness in Washington are welcome!

Registration
https://secure.everyaction.com/LOSSrZCfq0axlAQ0VvRLuQ2

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BOOK TALK - CONFRONTING ZIONISM:
DECOLONIZING PALESTINE AND BUILDING THE WORLD ANEW

Weds Dec 9, 9 am Pacific time, Zoom

Join the Institute for Middle East Understanding for the IMEU Policy Project Book Club with authors Noura Erakat and John Reynolds drawing on the history of global anticolonial movements and a rich Palestinian intellectual tradition. These two leading legal scholars

demonstrate that justice in Palestine cannot be realized without confronting the problem of Zionism.

Registration https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1-woaU8hSJir28QedeBkBA#/registration

Go to https://www.imeupolicyproject.org/bookclub for link to purchase book

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HUMAN RIGHTS DAY

Thurs Dec 10, all day, everywhere

Human Rights Day commemorates the day in 1948 on which the United Nations General Assembly adopted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights

Info https://www.un.org/en/observances/human-rights-day

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ACLU OF WASHINGTON ANNUAL CELEBRATION
WEAVING FREEEDOM, UNRAVELING INJUSTICE

Thurs Dec 10, 5:45 pm, at Daybreak Star Indian Cultural Center, Discovery Park, 5011 Bernie Whitebear Way, Seattle, WA 98199 or virtual

Doors open 5:45 with drinks and hearty appetizers. 6:30 pm performances, conversation, and awards

Please join us for an evening of community and connection, as we honor our progress for civil rights and civil liberties across Washington. The night will include entertainment and a panel conversation among some of the regional leaders unraveling today's injustices – moderated by ACLU-WA Executive Director michele storms. We will also recognize the 2026 award recipients who have championed the civil liberties and civil rights of our communities.

Website says "A virtual viewing option will be available." But does not give details yet

Info https://www.aclu-wa.org/event/weaving-freedom-the-2026-aclu-wa-annual-celebration/ and events@aclu-wa.org.

Tickets, free or $25 and up, at https://action.aclu.org/event/2026-aclu-wa-annual-celebration

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NORTHWEST AGAINST NUCLEAR WEAPONS MONTHLY MEETING

Thurs Dec 10, 6 pm Pacific time, Zoom

Northwest Against Nuclear Weapons (NWANW) is a statewide coalition that aims to reduce and eliminate all components of the 2 trillion dollar rebuild of the US nuclear weapons arsenal. Our ultimate goal is to prevent nuclear war and abolish nuclear weapons worldwide.

Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation and several of our chapters are members of NWANW.

Registration
https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMlceyrqjooGNNPzPxUmDewUJiXWPGBjH88#/registration

Info https://nwanw.org/

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NONVIOLENT SOLUTIONS SUMMIT

Sat & Sun Dec 12 & 13, 8-11 am Pacific time, Zoom

There are hundreds of ways to stop, prevent, and end violence and systemic harm. Come learn directly from people making this happen. At the Nonviolent Solutions Summit you'll hear from community practitioners, policy experts, and movement organizers working on nonviolent solutions, like restorative justice, community safety initiatives, conflict resolution in schools, living wages, universal basic income, affordable housing, reparations, debt abolition, renewable energy, peacebuilding, nonviolent struggle, civilian-based defense, and much more.

"To name just a few of the 17+ speakers . . . Jorge Arteaga from Right To Be will speak about de-escalation and countering harassment. Jamila Raqib from the Albert Einstein Institution will speak about how nonviolent action is providing an alternative to armed struggle around the world. Bianca Castro from Roots will speak about the kinds of climate solutions global youth are campaigning to implement. Jennifer

Disla from One Fair Wage will speak about the Living Wage Campaign for workers across the United States."

Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation (WWFOR) is an endorser of this event!

Brought by Pace e Bene and Campaign Nonviolence. See the many Nonviolent Solutions Summit schedule, speakers, and ticket link at https://paceebene.org/nonviolent-solutions-summit/

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HUMAN RIGHTS DAY COMMUNITY EVENT
RECOGNIZING RESILIANT COMMUNITIES

Sun Dec 13,11 am – 3 pm, at Washington Hall, 153 14th Ave, Seattle 98122

Join us for Human Rights Day: Recognizing Resilient Communities hosted by the Seattle Human Rights Commission! We'll have panels, speakers, resource tables, and good food. The event is completely free and open to the public during the hours listed.

Registration info coming soon, info https://www.seattle.gov/human-rights/what-we-do/human-rights-day

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FILM SCREENING "NO COUNTRY FOR MOTHERS"

Mon Dec 14, time 5:30 – 7:45 pm, in North Bend WA, register for location

Many countries have generous paid leave and childcare assistance not available in the U.S. – leaving parents, especially mothers, in stress. See article about this film at https://www.pbs.org/newshour/show/documentary-explores-why-u-s-mothers-lack-support-systems-found-in-other-countries. Trailer at: https://youtu.be/fNTiJMxLJUc

A documentary about what motherhood really looks like in America today. This isn't just about watching a film; it's about being in a room where we can say things out loud that we've been carrying quietly, and realize we're not alone.

Info and registration
https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/1079249/

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WEEKLY AND RECURRING EVENTS

VOLUNTEER AT THE HOSPITALITY TABLE

Weekdays, 9 am – 4 pm, outside of DHS in Tukwila.

Make a difference in lives of impacted community members by joining a small group of volunteers at a hospitality table on the public sidewalk just outside of the Department of Homeland Security.

- How To Volunteer: 1) RSVP on this event. 2) Email southendindivisible@gmail.com to indicate what days and hours you can cover (FULL availability please) and we will follow up in under 72 hours.
- Vetting: To ensure the safety of all involved, vetting will be needed in many cases (if we do not know you already), consisting of a brief meeting with one of our organizers. Your RSVP is also your consent to being vetted.
- Our Mission: Build compassion, community & solidarity with our neighbors navigating an uncertain & often traumatic immigration system.
- What We Do: Provide hot coffee, water, snacks, resources & love to community members outside of DHS in Tukwila.
- Your Support Makes This Possible: 100% powered by volunteers & community donations, your support of the Hospitality Table is greatly appreciated & makes a difference in countless lives.

Info and sign-up https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/956713/

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MARCH TO HONOR AND SUPPORT THE JOURNALISTS IN GAZA

Mondays, 4:30-6:30 pm, Capital Hill Station North Entrance, 140 Broadway E, Seattle

Honor and support the journalists of Gaza. We would know nothing of our crimes in Gaza without their reports. Support journalists with donations of digital e-sim card so that Gaza journalists can continue to document the genocide.

As you remind our community that we are committing genocide you support our own constitutional right to free speech.

Info from https://seattleliberationcalendar.wordpress.com/

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DUE PROCESS - BRING THEM BACK RALLY

Mondays, noon – 1:30 pm, at Federal Office Building, 915 2nd Ave, Seattle, WA 98174

This a local Indivisible event! Demonstrate your opposition to Trump's illegal abduction and deportation of individuals who have been deprived of their Constitutional right of due process of law and to pressure the Salvadoran dictatorship to release those people who are being held at the brutal CECOT facility in El Salvador. (Every Monday until they are returned.)

Info https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/779911/

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INDIVISIBLE BELLINGHAM “HAPPY HOUR” PROTEST PARTY

Mondays, 4:30-5:30 pm, at the corner of Bakerview Road and Guide Meridian, Bellingham

The horrors of the GOP agenda are out in the open now, and we are gathering to name them, to tell the world that **we do not consent**. We have spare signs for you if you need one. Invite your friends!

Info https://werisewewin.org/organizer/indivisible-bellingham/

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DEMONSTRATE: NO CUTS TO VA SERVICES

Tuesdays 3-6 pm, at Veterans Hospital, Beacon Ave and S Columbian Way, Beacon Hill, Seattle

Join Veterans, Heath Care Workers, Union Members, and other supporters to say no cuts to staffing or services for Veterans!

Info https://www.troublemakerscommunity.org/events or https://www.facebook.com/events/724043216884298/

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TESLA TAKEDOWN TUESDAY: WOODLAND PARK OVERPASS

Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 pm, at Woodland Park N Pedestrian Bridge, 5192 Aurora Ave N, Seattle, WA 98103

Join us for Tesla Takedown Tuesday and help send a clear message to Musk and Trump: We're not backing down. We're going to defeat Trump and the billionaires who put this felon in the White House. Hosted by Seattle Indivisible

Info https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/807188/

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BANNER ACTION FOR PALESTINE

Wednesdays,time 3-4 pm **Note time change!** (resuming winter hours) , Railroad Trail Overpass over Alabama St, Recommended parking on Vining St., North of Alabama St. Bellingham. https://maps.app.goo.gl/TAhnhhzufxi7ur5f6 Rain or Shine, Free Free Palestine! (winter time for action through January)

Join the weekly banner drops for Palestinian Liberation. Contact the Whatcom Peace and Justice Center to take our new large banner reading: "Biden, We Charge You With Genocide", office@whatcompjc.org or 360-734-0217

[While protests are welcome it is illegal to hang anything off of the railing, so we have adjusted our banners to be held up with bamboo poles, rather than attached to the infrastructure.]

Note that other bannering dates and locations are planned; for the latest info, see https://docs.google.com/document/d/1-K4WZXXl31PK7c44oGOmb6dF6OgD2hX_pls-wu_oWLI/edit

Info courtney.leake@gmail.com

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CHEVRON BDS CAMPAIGN

Wednesdays, 5-6:30 pm, at 670 Trosper SW, Tumwater

Join Palestine Action of South Sound (PASS) for a rally and picket as we continue to take part in a local, national, and global campaign. Israel's settlements and outposts, military bases, and ongoing assault on Palestinians in Gaza rely on the power grid Chevron provides.

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BANNERING FOR DEMOCRACY – 3 locations

Thursdays, 8-9 am, 3 locations

- over I-5 at the North 50th Street and I-5 Overpass, Seattle
- at the Yesler & I-5 overpass, Seattle
- at NE 70th Street & I-405 Overpass, Kirkland

Join Backbone Campaign to protect democracy. Website has little specific info, but there are photos of banners reading "Immigrants Make America Great" and "Who Would Jesus Deport." Backbone will be creating additional banners with pro-democracy, humanizing messages.

Info, more locations & dates, confirmation, and RSVP sites
https://www.backbonecampaign.org/home_calendar

Info info@backbonecampaign.org

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SEATTLE BANG THE POTS FOR GAZA

Thursdays, 6-7 pm, at Alaska Junction, West Seattle

Join us to demand aid be let into Gaza. Bring your friends, your kids, your noisemakers, your signs, and your voices. Hosted by West Seattle Indivisible

Info https://www.westseattleindivisible.com/events-actions/bang-the-pots-for-gaza

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TELL DHS WE STAND WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

Thursdays 3:30 – 4:30 pm, at Department of Homeland Security, 12500 Tukwila International Blvd, Tukwila, WA 98168

Join a group of fired up but peaceful freedom fighters to greet the agents and staff pulling out of the DHS parking lot with signage, presence, and voices. These purveyors of so much suffering in our community will be wrapping up their day of separating families, forcing school lock downs, deporting women and children to dangerous countries they've never been, and terrorizing communities of color.

We will be doing so lawfully and peacefully (but not quietly) on the public sidewalk outside of the Department of Homeland Security in Tukwila. Hosted by Southend Indivisible

Info https://www.southendindivisible.org/

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BELLINGHAM WEEKLY PEACE VIGIL

Fridays, starting Nov 6, **back to winter hours 3-4 pm** (spring-summer-fall hours 4-5 pm)

Fridays, corner of Cornwall and Magnolia, Bellingham; Longest running **PEACE VIGIL** in the Nation! Join the weekly Bellingham-Whatcom Peace Vigil, ongoing since 1966

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MOUNT VERNON ABOLISH NUKES BANNERING

No More Bombs continues to protest nuclear weapons with our "NO NUKES" banner, flags, and signs.

Join us twice monthly, the **1st and 3rd Fridays** at 3 pm in downtown Mount Vernon across from the Skagit Valley Food Co-op, a busy intersection. Easy parking at the corner lot there.

Bring your own sign, use ours, or simply wave at motorists!

Info https://www.nomorebombs.com/ or Nomorebombs.skagit@gmail.com

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SEATTLE PROTECT OUR BENEFITS

Fridays, 3-4 pm, corner Northgate Way and 5th NE, Seattle

Seattle Northgate neighborhood demo to protect benefits, Let the government know that we won't stand for taking away any of our

earned benefits. We are a growing group of young and old, able-bodied and needing walkers. Demonstrate your support for Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, HUD

All are welcome

Wise Elders Take Action!

Note: No demonstration Friday July 4

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OLYMPIA FOR VIGILS

Fridays

Olympia Fellowship of Reconciliation Chapter Friday Vigils, 4:30 – 6 pm, south end of Percival Landing, south of 4th Ave, just west of Water Street, Olympia; Please join **Olympia FOR** in a friendly **PEACE VIGIL** all or part of the time. Olympia FOR's Friday Vigils have been occurring for decades and are now joined by other groups including The Rachel Corrie Foundation for Peace and Justice and peaceful individuals with current focus on ending the war in Gaza. Please join us for whatever length of time you can. We provide plenty of signs. Wear a facemask and stand at least 6 feet apart.

Info Bob Zeigler (360) 570-0848

FUTURE OLYMPIA FOR EVENTS will be posted at Olympia Fellowship of Reconciliation; Facebook [https://www.facebook.com/groups/OlympiaFOR]

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PROTECT RIGHTS, WORKERS & PROGRAMS RALLY

Every Friday, 11:30 am – 1 pm, at Jackson Federal Building, 915 2nd Ave (between Marion and Madison), downtown Seattle

Federal Building Friday! Gather to chant, sing and rally to protect our rights, Federal workers and programs, etc.! Let's call for a future we believe in. Saving our democracy is up to us. Bring your signs, banners, etc. Now involving more issues: no genocide in Gaza, no attack and occupation of Venezuela, no ICE attacks on our cities

There are often speakers and music!

This is a project sponsored by Seattle Troublemakers. Info seattletroublemakers@gmail.com

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THE DEPORTAIONS VIGILS TUKWILA

Fridays 9 – 10:30 am, at Department of Homeland Security (DHS), 12500 Tukwila International Blvd, Tukwila, WA, 98168

Join Southend Indivisible and our partners on the sidewalk outside of ICE HQ in Tukwila to demand Trump's Gestapo stop the kidnappings of our neighbors, separation of families, and terrorizing of our community.

A core tenet of Southend Indivisible is peaceful, non-violent resistance. Peaceful does not mean quiet. We will be loud as hell to hold these

traitors to the Constitution accountable for the kidnapping and disappearing of our people. Bring your eye-popping, powerful signs. Not required though - we will have extra signs and big bold markers in multiple colors. If you happen to have a bullhorn, bring that too to cause some extra good trouble.

Join us to peacefully and loudly tell Trump's goons hands off our community!

Info and RSVP https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/817446/ and https://www.findaprotest.info/event/tukwila/8edaff6b-2700-48c9-8237-d2e4bace3513

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FERNDALE: 2 WEEKLY PROTESTS

FERNDALE BRIDGE BRIGADE.

Fridays, 3 pm, Over the river, just east of downtown Ferndale on Main St., Ferndale, WA

Standing for peace and against ICE abuses.

ICE PROTEST

Fridays, 4-6 pm, at 5200 Pacific Highway, Ferndale, WA

Let ICE know we are watching them and they are not welcome in our community

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FIRE MOUNTAIN CENTRALIA VIGILS

Saturdays, Noon – 1 pm, on the edge of Washington Park at Locust & Pearl in downtown Centralia

Fire Mountain Fellowship of Reconciliation Chapter (Centralia-Chehalis area) Saturday Vigils. PEACE VIGIL is sponsored by Lewis County's "Fire Mountain" FOR chapter and Veterans for Peace. info: Larry Kerschner peacepoet@protonmail.com

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SOLIDARITY WITH PALESTINE WHIDBEY

Saturdays, 11 am – 1 pm, at Bayview Park & Ride, corner of SR525 & Bayview Rd, Whidbey Island

Solidarity for Palestine Rally! Bring banners, flags, and signs. Bring a mask, water, dress in layers. Bring family and friends, and keep the space safe and friendly.

Info https://whidbeyforpalestine.com/ or Instagram: @WhidbeyForPalestine

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LAKE FOREST PARK PEACE VIGIL

Saturdays 11 am to noon, at the corner of Bothell Way NE (SR 522) and Ballinger Way NE (SR 104) Lake Forest Park 98155

Standing for peace every week since December 2002 with signs including “Abolish Nuclear Weapons” and “Renounce Militarism.”

Info Glen Milner 206-979-8319 or gk_milner@comcast.net

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ICE OUT! JUSTICE FOR ICE VICTIMS

Saturdays, 10 am – noon, at Union Station - Federal Courthouse
1717 Pacific Ave, Tacoma, WA 98402

They want us silent. We're defiant. Keith Porter, Renee Good, Alex Pretti, and other victims of ICE deserve justice. Join our protest in solidarity with Minnesota and immigrant communities across the United States as we continue to oppose Trump and the billionaires who made this fascist regime possible. We need your voice. Let's make some noise!

Info https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/795854/

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PROTEST ISRAEL’S GENOCIDE & CALL FOR FREE PALESTINE

Saturdays, 2-3 pm, at South 38th and Steele Street, Tacoma

Jewish Voice for Peace Tacoma invites you to bring signs protesting Israel's genocide and calling for a Free Palestine to weekly bannering

Info https://www.instagram.com/jvptacoma/

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TESLA TAKEDOWN – STOP THE COUP

Every Saturday, at Tesla Dealerships,

- Renton, 10 am, Tesla Showroom
- 700 S Grady Way, Renton, WA 98057
- U-Village Seattle 10 am, University Village QFC Entrance on 45th, 2734 NE 45th St, Seattle, WA 98105
- Lynnwood, noon, 17731 Pacific Hwy, Lynnwood , WA 98037

Elon Musk is destroying democracy around the world, and he's using the fortune he built at Tesla to do it. We are taking action at Tesla to stop Musk's illegal coup.

Info, plus additional locations and events,
https://actionnetwork.org/event_campaigns/teslatakedown

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BALLARD DEFENDERS OF DEMOCRACY DEMONSTRATION

Every Saturday, [except **skipping** Nov 28, 2026] noon – 1 pm, at Bergen Place, Ballard, 5450 22nd Ave NW, Seattle, WA, 98107

Bring your sign, or some provided, topics include protesting ICE violence, opposing fascism, opposing war

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TAKE BACK AMERICA RALLY

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 2-4 pm, at Southcenter Pkwy & Minkler Blvd, next to Southcenter IHOP, Tukwila

Join Southend Indivisible to rally for democracy and freedom, and against ICE terror and the fascist, un-American Trump regime.

Info https://www.southendindivisible.org/

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KIDS FOR PALESTINE

Every Sunday, 1:30-3 pm, at Woodruff Park Picnic Shelter, 1500 Harrison Ave SW, West Olympia (**note changed time and location**)

Gather with other families to support Palestine through conversation and art in a kid-friendly event.

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BANNER ACTION FOR PALESTINE

Every Sunday,·11 am – 1 pm, Parking lot, 11400 Main St, Bellevue, WA 98004, Bellevue, WA 98004

Recurring weekly banner drop over the highway.

Anonymously organized

Info is from https://seattleliberationcalendar.wordpress.com/

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BANNERING FOR PALESTINE

Sundays, 11 am – 1 pm, Brickyard Road Park and Ride, 15530 Juanita Woodinville Way NE, Bothell, WA 98011

Every Sunday, same time. Bring your flags, signs, kuffiyehs and your voices. We meet at the Brickyard park and ride and then banner on the overpass/Bridge.

Accessibility notes: "After parking in the park n ride you have to walk up to the bridge we are standing on. It's a very easy walk to the overpass. We stand on a sidewalk and it's easy access for wheelchairs and people can bring a chair to sit if needed. People can call me at 425-499-1925 if they need help."

info Instagram @austita29 or email tapia.tabitha@yahoo.com

Info is from https://seattleliberationcalendar.wordpress.com/

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WEST SEATTLE RESIST: WEEKLY SIGN HOLDING

Sundays, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm, at the Junction , 4701 California Ave SW, Seattle, WA 98116

Bring your signs, noisemakers, and energy to peacefully express your resistance to the current government. Join us to make our voices heard, together.

Info https://www.mobilize.us/mobilize/event/783693/

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MEANINGFUL MOVIES PERSISTS!

Ongoing, various dates. Now online, in person, and hybrid events.

The Meaningful Movies Project started in 2003 as a project of Wallingford (Seattle) Neighbors for Peace and Justice, a neighborhood affiliate of SNOW (Sound Nonviolent Opponents of War) with free weekly showings of films with social meaning, followed by discussion. Other neighborhood groups all over Washington State and beyond joined in this project with film viewings in their neighborhoods. See a list of these groups https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/locations/

The pandemic motivated the project participants to convert to online formats which continue, along with a partial return to in-person events. See https://meaningfulmovies.org/events/ for scheduled films.

MMP films and discussions, in person or online, are free, but donations are needed and gratefully accepted at

https://meaningfulmovies.org/donate/ or at Meaningful Movies Project, P.O. Box 31005, Seattle, WA 98103

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Organization Information for Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation (WWFOR)

SUBMITTING EVENT INFORMATION: We are always happy to hear about additional events! On request we will consider posting events on our web calendar and in future WWFOR email messages. Please allow as much lead time as possible. We give priority to events by FOR Chapters and will consider all events consistent with FOR values. Submit events by email wwfor@wwfor.org or wwfor1@gmail.com , phone, or postal mail at the contact info below.

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HOW TO MAKE A DONATION:

We welcome checks at our postal address (see above), and online donations can be made through our website Donate - Western Washington Fellowship of Reconciliation (wwfor.org)
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