



***International  
Women's Day  
Week  
2022***

## What can you do as an ally?



- Donate to women and children's shelters this week in your neighbourhood or in rural areas
- Look at the gender equity & safety policies at your workplace or organization, do you have any?
- Learn about an organization or collective in Canada working to end violence against women and gender-diverse folks, volunteer!
- Watch or listen to a documentary or other storytelling about women's resistance and oppression globally and locally
- Read one of the books on our booklist here [www.dandelioninitiative.ca/books-stories](http://www.dandelioninitiative.ca/books-stories)
- Attend an event or workshop for IWD 2022
- Share a story of a woman/non-binary person who inspires you, is important to you, is beloved by you, is celebrated by you
- Learn about a woman or non-binary person in history that has or is fighting for gender equity and safety
- Have Hard Conversations with people you know about what gender-based violence looks like and how you can prevent it
- Thank a woman or non-binary person in your life



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## OFFERINGS FOR ALLIES AND COMMUNITY

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**Shelters in Rural Ontario to Donate to**  
(you can visit the link in our bio "IWD NEWSLETTER" to access hyperlinks)

**Marjorie House (Marathon, ON)**  
[www.marjoriehouse.ca/article/-144.asp](http://www.marjoriehouse.ca/article/-144.asp)

**First Step Women's Shelter (Sioux Lookout, ON)**  
[www.fsws.ca/article/donate-116.asp](http://www.fsws.ca/article/donate-116.asp)

**Women's Shelter, Saakaate House (Kenora, ON)**  
[www.wssh.ca](http://www.wssh.ca)

**Hoshizaki House (Dryden, Ontario)**  
[hoshizakihouse.ca/article/programs-121.asp](http://hoshizakihouse.ca/article/programs-121.asp)

**Beendigen (Fort William First Nation, Ontario)**  
[www.beendigen.com/donate](http://www.beendigen.com/donate)

**Lanark County Interval House (Carleton Place, ON)**  
[www.lcih.org](http://www.lcih.org)

**My Sister's Place (Alliston, ON)**  
[www.mysistersplace.ca](http://www.mysistersplace.ca)

**Find a Shelter in your neighbourhood and donate or volunteer**  
[www.sheltersafe.ca/ontario](http://www.sheltersafe.ca/ontario)



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**GBV & Gender-Equity Organizations to Support** (you can visit the link in our bio "IWD NEWSLETTER" to access hyperlinks)

**Shelter Movers**

[www.sheltermovers.com](http://www.sheltermovers.com)

**Women's Health in Women's Hands**

[www.whiwh.com](http://www.whiwh.com)

**Black Women in Motion**

[www.blackwomeninmotion.org](http://www.blackwomeninmotion.org)

**Native Women's Association of Canada**

[www.nwac.ca](http://www.nwac.ca)

**Ontario Native Women's Association**

[www.onwa.ca](http://www.onwa.ca)

**Ontario Association of Interval & Transition Houses**

[www.oiath.ca](http://www.oiath.ca)

**Cupid's Sting**

[www.cupidssting.org](http://www.cupidssting.org)

**Riverdale Immigrant Women's Services**

[www.riwc.ca](http://www.riwc.ca)

**South Asian Women's Centre**

[www.sawc.org/about-us](http://www.sawc.org/about-us)

**DAWN Canada**

[www.dawncanada.net](http://www.dawncanada.net)

**Find a Rape Crisis Centre in your neighbourhood and donate/support**  
[www.sexualassaultsupport.ca](http://www.sexualassaultsupport.ca)



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**International Women's Day Toronto 2022**

Streaming on Sat March 5 @ 1:00 p.m. ET

[www.iwdtoronto.ca](http://www.iwdtoronto.ca)

**Leslie Grove Gallery Toronto**

[www.eventbrite.ca/e/international-womens-day-show-tickets-273584327087](http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/international-womens-day-show-tickets-273584327087)

**Coalition of Muslim Women of Kitchener**

[www.eventbrite.ca/e/high-tea-and-ales-with-muslim-women-tickets-269067286497?aff=ebdssbdestsearch](http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/high-tea-and-ales-with-muslim-women-tickets-269067286497?aff=ebdssbdestsearch)

**Youth Rising Above's International Women's Day event**

[www.eventbrite.ca/e/2022-international-womens-day-event-tickets-269794220777?aff=ebdssbdestsearch](http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/2022-international-womens-day-event-tickets-269794220777?aff=ebdssbdestsearch)

**International Women's Day Online Discussion- Camaraderie Not Competition**

[www.ameliarising.ca/events](http://www.ameliarising.ca/events)



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**Tensions of 2SLGBTQIA+ Structural Inclusion Within the Gender-Based Violence Sector- An online discussion**

[www.vawlearningnetwork.ca/webinars/upcoming\\_resource\\_spotlights/index.html](http://www.vawlearningnetwork.ca/webinars/upcoming_resource_spotlights/index.html)

**The London Abused Women's Centre's Annual International Women's Day Breakfast and Auction**

[www.eventbrite.ca/e/22nd-annual-international-womens-day-breakfast-tickets-244411229567?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep\\_tld=1](http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/22nd-annual-international-womens-day-breakfast-tickets-244411229567?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep_tld=1)

**The United Nations Observance of International Women's Day**

[www.eventbrite.ca/e/united-nations-observance-of-international-womens-day-2022-registration-142760700097?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep\\_tld=1](http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/united-nations-observance-of-international-womens-day-2022-registration-142760700097?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep_tld=1)

**International Women's Day Advancing Gender Equality in Nogojiwanong/ Peterborough**

[www.kwic.info/international-womens-day-2022](http://www.kwic.info/international-womens-day-2022)

# As a woman or feminized person, what can you do this week?



- DO NOTHING, Rest and protect your moments of peace
- Take the time to engage with self/community care
- Have a video or phone calls with women and non-binary folks in your life that you feel fulfilled after connecting with
- Create something this week that honours you or other women and non-binary folks, share it or keep it private
- Listen, to the words, stories, songs, truths of other women, two-spirit and non-binary folks from all over the world or from your own life
- Honour and make time for rituals or space for mourning, grief, resistance, joy and solidarity this week
- Thank and celebrate one another in meaningful ways
- Thank yourself
- Challenge ourselves to reflect on our opportunities to grow through our values and actions in the community and with one another
- Attend a community event or workshop for IWD if you can
- Extend one act of kindness to another woman or feminized person in your life this week



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## Inspiring Creations and Talks

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**Poet Mel Duarte recites her poem "Intuição Feminina"**

[www.ted.com/talks/mel\\_duarte\\_intuicao\\_feminina?language=en](http://www.ted.com/talks/mel_duarte_intuicao_feminina?language=en)

**Tanya Tagaq Live at Massey Hall**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=8cFUPJmAGMI](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8cFUPJmAGMI)

**Amalgamation Choir - Ksenitia tou Erota**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=dm1MWr0ZNdI](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dm1MWr0ZNdI)

**Resistance Revival Chorus - Rich Man's House**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=GDU9Qj5De8o](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GDU9Qj5De8o)

**Nadia Murad: Nobel Peace Prize lecture 2018**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=CqB0cMvGnIk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CqB0cMvGnIk)

**Jessica Horn**

[www.stillsherises.com/talks-interviews](http://www.stillsherises.com/talks-interviews)

**Oksana Zabuzhko Poems (Ukrainian novelist, poet, essayist)**

[www.poemhunter.com/oksana-zabuzhko/poems/](http://www.poemhunter.com/oksana-zabuzhko/poems/)

**A Brief Timeline of the Philippine Feminist Movement**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibIuvJUvUk4](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibIuvJUvUk4)

**A Chilean protest song -Un Violador en Tu Camino - A Rapist in Your Path"**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=s5AAscy7qbl](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s5AAscy7qbl)

**Romani Feminism, Intersectionality and LGBT Roma movement by Dr. Angela Kocze**

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=DJYZp8aph1g](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DJYZp8aph1g)