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**AGENDA**



# NO PEACE WITHOUT WOMEN

LET'S CELEBRATE  
**INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY**

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

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

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# SCUNDERED SONGS AND SLAM:

*A Celebration of Women's Words*

Sunday 8th March  
Black Box,  
the Green Room  
2pm-6pm

Belfast Feminist Network hosts an afternoon in celebration of women and their words.

We are delighted to have performances from fantastic women artists: Poets Alice McCulloch and Nandi Jola and stand up performers Mags White and Teresa Livingstone.

Also on bill is the second installment of Scundered! Women will read out stories from teen diaries, confessions, and cringeworthy love letters. Join us if want to hear brilliant words about women's lives, be entertained and generally have a laugh!

**Free Event**

Danielle Roberts | Maria Dienna

[belfastfeministnetwork.com](http://belfastfeministnetwork.com)

[belfemnet@gmail.com](mailto:belfemnet@gmail.com)

07739259085

## FAMILY MOVIE MORNING

**Saturday**  
**28th Feb**  
**9.45am**  
**£3**

[www.ulsterhall.co.uk](http://www.ulsterhall.co.uk)  
[info@ulsterhall.co.uk](mailto:info@ulsterhall.co.uk)  
90 334455



A feisty role model for young men and women. Come before the film for kid friendly crafts, fun and games.

**Suitable for children aged 3 to 11.**  
**All children must be accompanied by an adult.**  
**Craft activities begin at 9:45am. Movie screening at 10.30**



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**SAT 7TH MARCH 2015**

WRITERS SQUARE@1PM, CITY HALL@2PM  
[www.internationalwomensday.com](http://www.internationalwomensday.com)

TWITTER #WD15NI



# THE MILITANT SUFFRAGETTE AS A MILITANT ARTIST

*Hester Reeve & Olivia Plender*

Date: 6 Mar 2015  
Time: 1pm  
Venue: Ulster Hall

Hester Reeve is Senior Lecturer in Fine Art at Sheffield Hallam University and has presented papers and performances at various international conferences. Her publications include "Art on Terror: the incendiary device of philosophy," and "The Mattering of Philosophy" - dialogues investigating the relationship between

philosophical reading and artistic agency. Hester collaborates with Olivia Plender under the umbrella of The Emily Davison Lodge and in this lecture they present Sylvia Pankhurst as the militant artist. During this totally engaging and fascinating talk you will uncover Sylvia Pankhurst and hear about her portfolio of work

BELFAST & DISTRICT TRADES UNION COUNCIL | RECLAIM THE AGENDA PRESENT

INTERNATIONAL  
WOMEN'S DAY  
CELEBRATION

GRACE  
PETRIE

THURSDAY 5TH MARCH 2015  
ADM £5

HUDSON BAR  
10-12 GRESHAM ST  
BELFAST BT1 1JN



# Events Programme

26 Feb	<b>War on women</b>	<i>Committee Room 2, 7pm</i>	michaelcollins1987@hotmail.com
26 Feb	<b>Challenges &amp; choices</b>	<i>Realta</i>	kellie@trademarkbelfast.com
28 Feb	<b>Family film morning</b>	<i>Ulster Hall, 9.45am</i>	www.ulsterhall.co.uk
2 Mar	<b>NO PEACE WITHOUT WOMEN Exploring Identities</b>	<i>Ulster Hall, 12.30 Ulster Hall, 2.30</i>	www.ulsterhall.co.uk hilary@johnhewittsociety.org
2 Mar	<b>Women in S.T.E.M</b>	<i>QUB Students Union, 1pm</i>	info@womenstec.org
2 Mar	<b>Reclaim that space</b>	<i>LSW</i>	07751286546
3 Mar	<b>Inez: A Challenging Woman</b>	<i>Footprints, 12.15pm</i>	karen@footprintswomenscentre.com
3 Mar	<b>A Women's Place is in her Union</b>	<i>Ulster Hall, 12.30</i>	helen@womensinfolni.com
4 Mar	<b>Rosettes &amp; sashes &amp; suffrage</b>	<i>WOMENSTEC, 10pm</i>	admin@womenstec.org
4 Mar	<b>IWD event not just for women</b>	<i>Riddle Hall, 10am-1pm</i>	go.qub.ac.uk/iwd2015
4 Mar	<b>Rosettes &amp; sashes &amp; suffrage</b>	<i>Warzone, 7pm</i>	warzonecollective.com
4 Mar	<b>Women and Irish language revival</b>	<i>An Droichead, 1pm</i>	An Droichead
5 Mar	<b>GRACE Petrie</b>	<i>Hudson Bar, 8pm</i>	helen@womensinfolni.com
5 Mar	<b>Women's Aid celebrate 25 Years Helpline</b>	<i>Ulster Hall, 12.30</i>	www.ulsterhall.co.uk
5 Mar	<b>Position of women in NI since Peace agreement</b>	<i>2.30 venue TBC</i>	blog.NIWEP.org
5 Mar	<b>Film Pray the devil back to hell</b>	<i>Warzone, 7pm</i>	warzonecollective.com
5 Mar	<b>NVTV "RTA TALK SHOW"</b>	<i>Digital 159</i>	NVTV.co.uk
5-6 Mar	<b>ICTU Women's Conference</b>	<i>Wellington Park Hotel</i>	clare.moore@ictuni.org
6 Mar	<b>The Militant Suffragette</b>	<i>Ulster Hall, 12.30</i>	www.ulsterhall.co.uk
6 Mar	<b>WOMAD coleraine culture of peace</b>	<i>Bann Gallery</i>	womadni@gmail.com
6 Mar	<b>Irish Women &amp; Children in First world war</b>	<i>Bagenal Castle</i>	robert.whan@newryandmourne.gov.uk
6 Mar	<b>East Belfast History Project</b>	<i>Greenway WC</i>	training@greenwaywomenscentre.org
6 Mar	<b>Inez a challenging woman</b>	<i>Footprints, 12.15</i>	karen@footprintswomenscentre.com
6 Mar	<b>Women and Power in our Society</b>	<i>Crumlin Rd Gaol, 10am</i>	susanmcewen@corrymella.org

6 Mar	<b>Feminist fairytales</b>	Realta 6pm -8pm	BFN, belfastfeministnetwork.com
6 Mar	<b>Derry Women of the Year Awards</b>	Derry City Hotel	www.derrycity.gov.uk
7 Mar	<b>De ja vuvu</b>	Black Box, 7pm	helen@womensinfoni.com
7 Mar	<b>RALLY MEET 1PM LEAVE 1.30 ARRIVE 2PM</b>	Writers Square - 1pm City Hall - 2.30	helen@womensinfoni.com
7 Mar	<b>Bjork: Interpretation &amp; Inspiration</b>	BURC, 8pm	www.ohyeahbelfast.com
7 Mar	<b>Up beat women</b>	Black Box 10am	Naomi@youthaction.org
7 Mar	<b>Equal Pay Day</b>	Writers Square, 1pm	Business and Professional Women
8 Mar	<b>Scundered, songs and slam</b>	Black box, 2pm-6pm	BFN, belfastfeministnetwork.com
8 Mar	<b>Vessels FILM</b>	QFT	www.queensfilmtheatre.com
8 Mar	<b>Film &amp; Fun</b>	Portrush Playhouse, 5pm	fracrick@hotmail.com
8 Mar	<b>Film &amp; talk Edith Cavell</b>	Bagenal Castle, 2pm – 4:30 pm	robert.whan@newryandmourne.gov.uk
10 Mar	<b>Register to vote</b>	Windsor Womens Centre	www.windsorwomenscentre.com
10 Mar	<b>Information day</b>	East Belfast TBC	helen@womensinfoni.com
11 Mar	<b>Revolutionary film night</b>	CPI premises	07751951785
11 Mar	<b>WTEC awards</b>	Duncairn Arts Centre, 10am	lynn.carvill@womenstec.org
13 Mar	<b>Dime Bag Disco</b>	Warzone, 9pm	warzonecollective.com
16 Mar	<b>Bread and roses songs that unite</b>	Black Box, 7pm	eileen@shankillwomenscentre.org
20 Mar	<b>All Female Cabaret</b>	Warzone, 9pm	warzonecollective.com
21 Mar	<b>Peace unveiled: Afghanistan</b>	McClay library, 10.30am	lboyce01@qub.ac.uk
23 Mar	<b>Film “Belle”</b>	Portrush Playhouse	Portrush Film Club
5 - 21 Mar	<b>After Hours exhibition</b>	Platform Arts, 6-9pm	platformbelfast@gmail.com
24 Feb 24 Mar	<b>Women inspire</b>	various city centre venues	rebekahsteele@googlemail.com
8 Mar	<b>Women, Religion and Spirituality</b>	Creative Exchange	bronagh@blawson.biz
12 Mar	<b>Alternative Ms Ulster</b>	Stormont, 6.30PM - 11PM	clare.bailey@greenpartyini.org
11 Mar	<b>MAKE IT HAPPEN</b>	various venues	louise@nirwin.org

# INEZ

## A CHALLENGING WOMAN

Friday 6th March 2015, 12.15pm

Footprints Women's Centre

84A Colmill Road, Dunmurry, Belfast BT17 0AR

Based on an interview she gave to her friend, writer Susan McKay, in October 2012 shortly after Inez learned she had inoperable cancer and had just weeks to live. The film won the Best Short Documentary Award at the prestigious Galway Film Fleadh. It also includes interviews with friends and

colleagues of Inez, including former US Secretary of State Hilary Clinton, President Michael D Higgins, former President of Ireland Mary Robinson, former president of the Irish Congress of Trade Unions (ICTU) Patricia McKeown and leading human rights lawyer Michael Farrell.



International Women's Day  
AT  
OH YEAH  
PRESENTS

# Her World

AN EVENING OF BJÖRK  
INTERPRETATION  
AND INSPIRATION

SATURDAY 7 MARCH 2015  
OH YEAH MUSIC CENTRE

• KATHARINE PHILIPPA •  
• GOLDIE FAWN •  
• R51 - SISTER GHOST •  
• JAI MCCONNELL • DJ SAGE •

FREE  
DOORS 8PM • LATE

WWW.OHYEAHBELFAST.COM

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Public Health  
Agency  
Artist

# A WOMAN'S PLACE IS IN HER UNION!

3 Mar 2015, 1pm, Ulster Hall  
Naomi Connor | Ellie Drake | Rebecca Hall



## BREAD AND ROSES SONGS THAT UNITE

*16th March 7pm Black Box*

An evening celebration of women with songs that unite, this event is the closing event for our project that carried out research into the women who made great contributions to society but didn't get the recognition.

[www.shankillwomenscentre.org](http://www.shankillwomenscentre.org)  
[eileen@shankillwomenscentre.org](mailto:eileen@shankillwomenscentre.org)



## WOMAD COLERAINE CULTURE OF PEACE

*Friday 6th March at  
7.00pm in the Bann Gallery  
Cloonavin, 66 Portstewart  
Road, Coleraine*

With special guests representing WOMAD, the world's most prestigious international arts festival.

Mandy Adams & Annie Menter from WOMAD Festivals & the WOMAD Foundation will be visiting Northern Ireland.

**The event will also feature some music, art & storytelling from international women.**

RSVP by 2nd March 2015 [zara.curry@colerainebc.gov.uk](mailto:zara.curry@colerainebc.gov.uk) or Tel: 028 7034 7032  
[www.womadni.com](http://www.womadni.com)



## FILM & FUN: BELLE

*23rd March  
Portrush Film Theatre  
Portrush Playhouse*

Everyone is welcome to the iconic Portrush Playhouse for a showing of Belle. Organized by the Portrush film club...

## NORTH COAST WOMEN'S GROUP

*8th March 5pm  
Portrush Playhouse*

Everyone is welcome to the iconic Portrush Playhouse for an evening of film and fun, our celebrity guest is under a blanket of security for their protection. We will have refreshments and light nibbles.



## IRISH WOMEN & CHILDREN IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR

*Friday 6 March 2015  
10 am - 4pm*

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

The morning will consist of a mini-conference with various speakers exploring aspects of the role of Irish women in the First World War and the impact the war had on the lives of children.

In the afternoon there will be a period fashion show which will showcase how women's fashion changed from the late nineteenth century through to the aftermath of the First World War.

**Free but booking essential**



## FILM SCREENING & TALK ON FIRST WORLD WAR NURSE, EDITH CAVELL

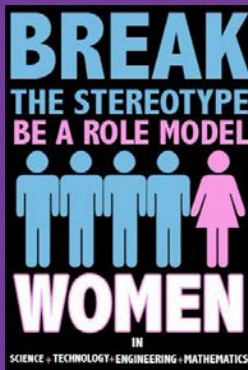
*8 March 2 pm*  
[www.bagenalscastle.com](http://www.bagenalscastle.com)

Screening of 1939 black and white film (PG) about Nurse Edith Cavell, who was executed for helping refugees and Prisoners of War escape from German-occupied Belgium during the First World War.

# RECLAIM<sup>the</sup> AGENDA

Reclaim the Agenda is a collective of women sector representatives, grassroots feminist activists, trade union activists and interested individuals who campaign on 6 key themes;

1. To live free from poverty
2. To live free from discrimination
3. To have healthcare services that meet our particular needs
4. To live our lives free from domestic and sexual violence and abuse
5. To live in a society where women are equally represented as decision maker
6. To have access to good, affordable and flexible childcare provision



## Let's Celebrate International Women's Day

With over 50 events to celebrate International Women's Day this year it will be the biggest celebration we have ever organised. This year's theme is No peace without Women. As the 100th anniversary of World War I is marked we are reminded that women were not only involved in this War effort but also the fight for suffrage.

Funded by the Joseph Rowntree Reform Trust

### Challenges and Choices: A Woman's Guide to the 21st Century

Do you feel angry or frustrated at the position of women in Northern Ireland?  
Do you feel that the challenges of being a woman increase while the choices that we have are decreasing?

Then this is the 6 week entertaining and enlightening programme for you!

Week 1 'Sometimes it's hard to be a woman' - Understanding what it is to be a woman in the 21st Century  
Week 2 'Eve and the Apple' - Women and the influence of religion  
Week 3 'The F Word' The dirty idea of Feminism  
Week 4 Northern Ireland; the exception and not the rule - Comparisons with other countries  
Week 5 'Motherhood and Apple Pie' - Reproductive Rights in Northern Ireland  
Week 6 'Moving Forward' - What we have learned - How to take it all forward

**For more info: [kellie@trademarkbelfast.com](mailto:kellie@trademarkbelfast.com)**

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