INFORMATION DAY ON WOMEN AND WORK



SUNDAY MARCH 5th '78 10 am to 5 pm
BRITANNIA HIGH SCHOOL
1661 Napier St. at Commercial
CHILDCARE PROVIDED FREE

NASHTER DHAHAN 255-9197 (9 liket borrow your movie)

10:30 Room

ORGANIZING THE UNORGANIZED WORKERS

How to organize your work place; how the new labour code affects organizing; the history of SORWUC as a democratic union for working women. Presented by Jackie Ainsworth, Susan Margaret, Ailsa Rands, Melody Rudd and Margot Holmes of SORWUC.

Room 208

FILMS

"Like the Trees" (Native Woman) & "Would I Ever Like to Work" (Woman on Welfare).

Room 210

THE LEGAL RIGHTS OF WOMEN WORKERS

Video from People's Law School followed by question period with Barb Findley, lawyer, and Val Embree, Human Rights Branch.

11:00

Room IMMIGRANT WOMEN

Taped interviews of immigrant women and their experiences 203 in Canada - Women's Research Centre.

Room 208

FILM

"My Country Occupied" (Woman in Guatemala and the struggle against the United Fruit Company).

Cafeteria - Singing by In Struggle

11:10

Room 203

JAPANESE CANADIAN WOMEN

Slide-tape show made and presented by Japanese Canadian women.

203

DOMESTIC & FARM WORKERS

Information and discussion for and about domestic and farm workers - Women's Research Centre.

Room

THE DOUBLE WORK-DAY

Women who work outside and home and also have children; the problems of daycare and social service cutbacks; childcare and the trade union movement. Sandra Currie.

LESBIANS AND EMPLOYMENT (WOMEN ONLY) Room 206

Discrimination in employment; coming out at work. Presentation and discussion by the BCFW Rights of Lesbians Sub-Com-

mittee.

Room FILM

"Buenas Dias Companeras" (Women in Cuba). 208

12:00

WOMEN IN THE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT Room 202 Panel discussion with union members:

Gloria Greenfield, BCGEU Sherry Hillman, ATU Cathy Walker, CAIMAW Frances Wasserlein, AUCE

Room RACISM

BC Teacher's Federation slide-tape show on racism. 203

Room 201

VIDEO

Women - The Native Experience.

:15 Room-**2**01

WOMEN IN PRISON

Presented by Sue Latell, Prisoners' Rights Group.

Room 203

will IMMIGRATION ACT

Information and discussion on the new immigration act.

12:30

WOMEN IN A WIN/LOSE ECONOMIC SYSTEM Room

Presentation and discussion on women and the economy by the 207 Federated Anti-Poverty Group and Women United for a Non-

Exploitive New Age.

Room FILMS

"Luckily I Need Little Sleep" (Greek immigrant nurse work-208 ing in Canada), "Our Dear Sisters" (woman who works for the National Film Board).

Room VIDEO

210 Liberation Media, a feminist history of Canada. 1:00

2:30 Room

207

Room ASSERTIVENESS ON THE WORKPLACE

This workshop is an introduction to how to act upon your personal rights on the job - Diane Waterman (limited to 25 women).

Room FILM

"Maria" - immigrant women in Toronto organizing a union in the garment factory.

Room VIDEO

The Paris Commune- Presented by Revolting Women, anarchafeminist study group.

1:30
Room ORGANIZING THE UNORGANIZED WORKERS

201 (See description under 10:30)

2:00

Room REVOLUTIONARY WOMEN IN THE PHILLIPINES

Slide-tape show and discussion presented by the International Association of Phillipino Patriots.

Room WOMEN AS MEDICAL WORKERS
206 Panel discussion with:

Zoe Friensen, Nurse Practitioner Linda Gould, Nursing Student Denise Olson, Hospital Kitchen Worker Adrianne Ross, Medical Student Georgia Travis, Physician

Room <u>VIDEO</u>
210 Grease (Mom's Garage)

HOW MEN CAN SUPPORT WOMEN'S LIBERATION (MEN ONLY)

How to fight sexism in unions, at the workplace, and within oneself. Why men, straight and gay, should support the women's movement. Lead by Alvin Collis, David Rand and Ned Dymytryshyn.

Room

WOMEN AND THE UNEMPLOYMENT CRISIS

208

Film - "On the Line", followed by talk by Judy McManus, federal NDP candidate.

Room

VIDEO

210

"Take Her, She's Mad", about a sane woman in a mental institution.

2:45

Room

IMMIGRANT WOMEN

203

(See description under 11:00)

3:00

Room

WOMEN IN THE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT

202

Panel discussion with union members:

Jackie Ainsworth, SORWUC

Nora Groves, BCTF Anne MacDonald, SSEU Phyllis Webb, CUPW

Room

JAPANESE CANADIAN WOMEN

203

(See description under 11:10)

Room

"Rule of Thumb" - video on battered women. 210

Cafeteria - Singing by In Struggle

3:20

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DOMESTIC AND FARM WORKERS

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Room

WOMEN IN CHILE

201

Film "To the Peoples of the World" (two women ex-political prisoners) presentation and singing by the Committee for the Defense of Human Rights in Chile.

Room

VIDEO

210

Video by and about the Women's Resource Centre

4:00 Room JAMAICAN WOMEN 203 Presentation by and about Jamaican women. THE DOUBLE WORK DAY Room (See description under 12:00) 206 Room VIDEO 210 By the Concerned Citizens for Choice in Abortion 4:20 Room RACISM (See description under 12:00) 203 4:30 IMMIGRATION ACT Room (See description under 12:15) 203 Room "It's Not Enough" 208

Be sure to visit Room 203, where the Women's Research Centre will have information about immigrant women throughout the day.

PARTICIPATING GROUPS

Amnesty International
AUCE
Ariel Books
BCFW
BC Teachers Federation Status of Women Committee
CCEC Credit Union
Committee for the Defense of Human Rights in Chile
Committee of the Unemployed
Concerned Citizens for Choice in Abortion
Co-op Radio Women's Committee
Downtown Eastside Women's Centre

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STARTING AT NOON AT BUTE AND GEORGIA, AND GOING THROUGH DOWNTOWN VANCOUVER.

