



16 Days Of Action 2018

Project Areas

Working Lunch

Tying in with this year's international theme, this working lunch is aimed at local businesses to raise awareness of the impact of domestic abuse on the workplace. Advice will be given for employers regarding the implementation of policies/position statements to support staff and the implementation of appropriate safety measures to support staff experiencing domestic abuse.

16 Days Dog Walk

The purpose of the Dog Walk will be to bring MAP partners, friends and families together with their dogs to raise awareness of the impact of domestic abuse and pets. Venue will be Rozelle park.

About Freedom <http://www.moretodogstrust.org.uk/about-freedom/about-freedom>

The Freedom Project is a free fostering service for dogs belonging to people fleeing from domestic abuse. The service operates in Greater London and the Home Counties, Yorkshire, Northumberland, County Durham, Tyne & Wear and the Central Belt of Scotland.

Throughout the UK, thousands of women suffer abuse at the hands of their partner. Research indicates a strong link between animal abuse and domestic abuse, with men who are violent to women often threatening or harming a pet in order to intimidate their partner.

Families fleeing domestic abuse are usually unable to take their pets with them into a refuge so in many cases they are reluctant to leave their home until they know there is somewhere safe for their pets. Dogs Trust, alongside other pets fostering services in the UK, offers a solution.

Reclaim The Night Walk

In partnership with Ayrshire Women's Hub a procession which will go down Ayr High Street and back to Ayrshire Women's Hub for refreshments and discussion event. Dalblair Arcade, 1st Floor, 42 Alloway St, Ayr, KA7 1SH. Telephone number 01292 848024 – Angie McPike.

Honour Based Violence Event – see details below.



South Ayrshire Women's Aid

Invites you to
An Evening with

Jasvinder Sanghera CBE

Jasvinder Sanghera was born and brought up in Derby. A survivor of a forced marriage, she is the founder of Karma Nirvana, a national award winning charity that supports both men and women affected by honour based abuse and forced marriages.

She is a highly acclaimed international speaker and an expert advisor to the courts in matters of child, civil and criminal proceedings and was instrumental in ensuring that all UK police forces are required to improve their understanding of honour based abuse and forced marriage by inspections conducted by Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary. Her work is recognised as being pivotal to the creation of a specific UK forced marriage criminal offence in 2014.

She was awarded Commander of the British Empire in 2013 in recognition of her outstanding contribution for the victims of forced marriage and honour based abuse and in 2014 was awarded Legal Campaigner of the Year.

Please register your interest for this event by emailing

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Award Winner 2009

Cosmopolitan Women of
the Year 2010

Location:

Kylestrome Hotel

11 Miller Road

Ayr

Thursday 6th December
2018

Time: 17:00—20:00

Buffet Included

Event is free however

Numbers are limited

