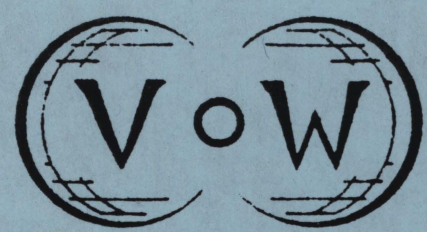


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October 1986 update on Victoria VOW

The year highlight has to be the BC/Yukon regional conference initiated by VOW and certainly nearly every Victoria VOW and many from other points participated and contributed to its success. It was wonderful to hear Ursula Franklin speak (and we have tapes of the whole conference available) and to have the active cooperation of other groups and women from all over the province. Many VOWs went on to Halifax and have been reporting on that to media and meetings.

During the summer we had visits with 3 women from Greenham Common and Susanne Ouni of New Caledonia, we were able to help them financially as well. We stitched a lovely blanket for Greenham's anniversary " Blanket the Base Action". We also made submissions on "Star Wars" to the Foreign Policy hearings and our MPS. in support of National VOW excellent brief.

This fall VOW was invited to facilitate workshops on peace at the Status of Women Action Group annual conference and 2 VOW gave a presentation on peace for SWAG on the theme of Remembrance Day.

We are continuing to support financially the Nanoose Conversion Campaign, many members have visited the peace camp and helped at the peace truck. Nov. 11 Nanoose Peace walk had a good VOW representation. On Nov.10 we presented a public meeting on the Nanoose Conversion Campaign.

NOV. 23 wartoy action at the Bay is another action we have helped organize and support. Our regular membership meetings happen monthly and we often have visitors and new members.

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Special Advance Notice On Jan. 16 Victoria VOW will sponsor a workshop with Rosalie Bertell and Barrie Zwicker. We will set up a committee to plan that event soon, please call Terry for information at 595-7519. And plan to attend the PEOPLE'S ENQUIRY in to the Nanoose Bay in Naniamo Jan.18 and 19. Many VOWs including Rosalie will be participating in this important event.

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*Next Monthly meeting Dec 17 - 2:00 PM
at Moira Walkers' 1523 York Pl 592-9352*

