

Dear Victoria VOW,

This has been a busy spring for us. Since our participation in a successful International Women's Day - we had a good crowd at our film show and discussion at the NFB studio and much interest in our dsplay at the IWD celebrations, we have had a display and a speaker at the UVIC World Concerns events in March.

In April we helped work on the Peace Petition Caravan and Campaign and the April 28 Walk for Peace. The Walk was a great event- a beautiful day and a friendly crowd of 7000 in attendence. Two VOW members were speakers and our colourful display with our new aprons "Another Cook for Peace" and our buttons and literature attracted many visitors.

Many thanks to all who contributed to our bazzaar. We made nearly \$200 to refill our depleted treasury.

Enclosed is our latest WARTOY leaflet. Please write some letters and encourage others to do so. Making and ordering of Christmas'84 toy stocks has already started.

THE SOVIET THREAT: REAL or HOAX

This promises to be an interesting day and as well our annual Mother's Day event. VOW members do not need to pay registration; but please call Terry 595-7519 if you are coming as VOW members are needed to help - chairing sessions, registration, refreshments etc. Pass the enclosed forms on to friends.

STOP BOMBING KAHO OLAWE!

PUBLIC MEETING MONDAY, MAY 28 at *8 pm UNITARIAN HALL

The people of this Hawaiian Island oppose the use of their island- declared a USA Historic Site- as a bombing range for the USA military and its allies, including Canada. Forces of the RIMPAC nations on bombing exercises there in June will include vessels from Esquimalt.

<u>VOW</u> has agreed to co-sponsor this meeting with speakers from the <u>PROTECT KAHO'OLAWE OHANA</u> group. Please spread the word and come and hear their story.

MAY MONTHLY VOW MEETING

Come and join us in the country. Our MAY 15 meeting at 1:30 pm will be held at Freda Knott's home, 4810 Sooke Road. This is a pleasant 20 min. drive from town. Just follow the signs to Sooke until you see her house number. For rides call Terry 595-7519 or Eileen 592-9548.

