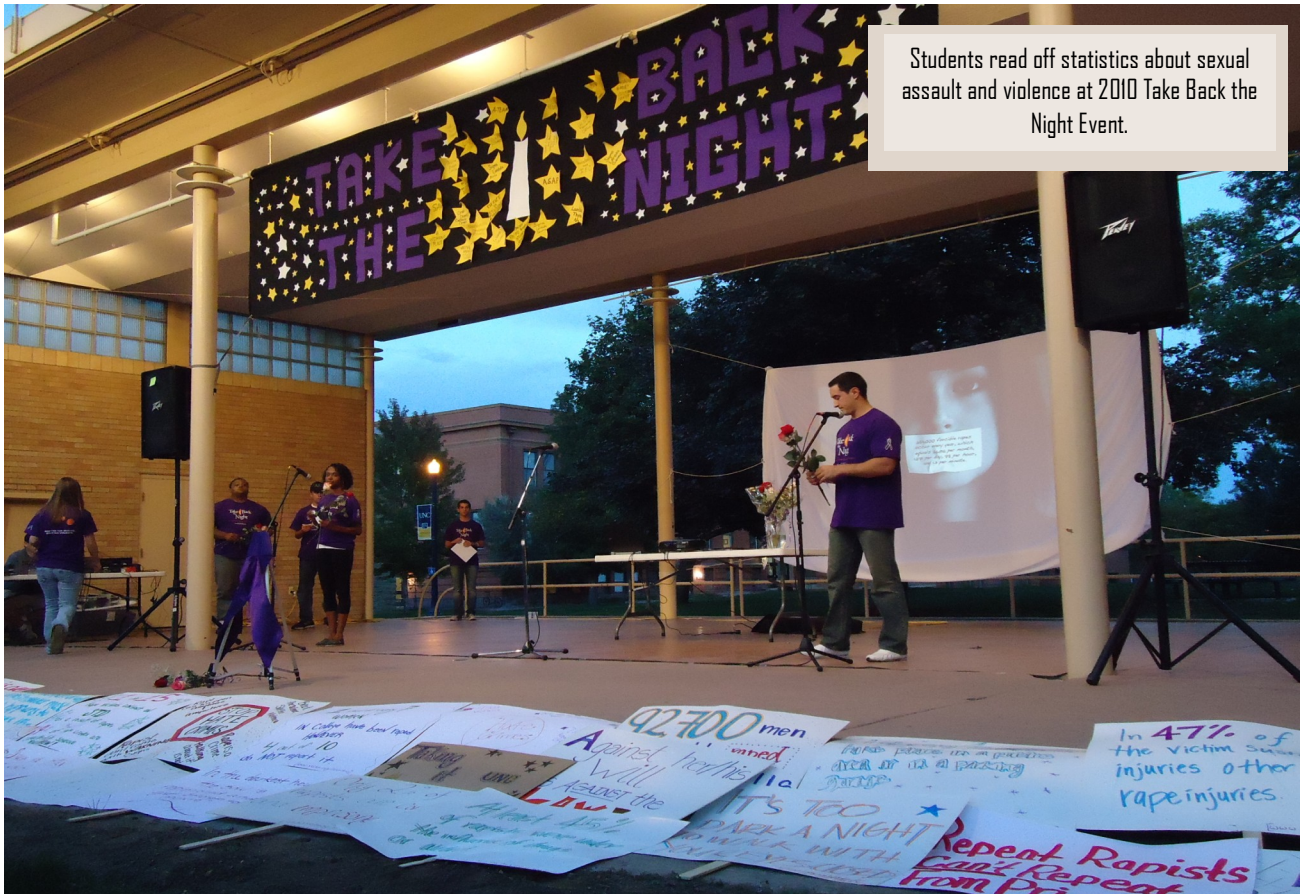


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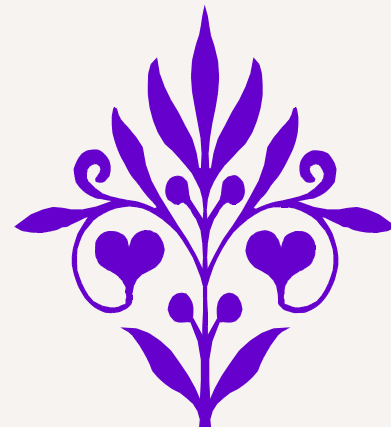
By. Jasmine Nicol

WELCOME to the second year of the W.I.T Monthly. Ever inspired by change, we are very excited here at the Women's Resource Center and Stryker Institute to bring you back W.I.T for another year. This newsletter will include our updates, general info, and other points of interest. Our goal for the newsletter is to keep each of our readers up to date on our happenings in a unique, relevant and inspiring way.

Here's to an exciting year!



Students enjoy food, fun and good times at the 2011 Women's Resource Center Open House.



Take Back the Night



A student performs a piece at 2010 Take Back the Night Open Mic

"WE HAVE TO
PROMOTE HUMAN
SOLIDARITY, AVOID
INDIFFERENCE,
AND PLAY A PART
WITH SOCIETY IN
THE SOLUTION OF
THE PROBLEM OF
VIOLENCE..."

~ SHAKIRA



Students take part in the candlelit march at last year's Take Back the Night

Take Back The Night

On October 6th, the WRC, in conjunction with ASAP and several other community organizations, will host the 18th annual Take Back the Night.

This event is held annually across the U.S. to unite students in a rally against all forms of violence.

We use this event to unite the Greeley and UNC community in protesting against the violence towards people of all genders, ethnicities, and sexual orientation.

We will join together at the Garden Theater to listen to inspirational stories from survivors of violence.

Event goers will also participate in a candlelit march, followed by an Open Mic at the Fireside Lounge in the UC.

Please Join us on Thursday OCT. 6th @ 6:30pm.



Take Back the Night Banner that displays all club participants.

If you have any questions or comments about this events, or would simply like more information, please do not hesitate to email Bernadette Cordova at

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Staff and Students pick out costumes for a photo-op at the 2011 WRC/SI Open House.

"THE THING THAT IS REALLY HARD, AND REALLY AMAZING, IS GIVING UP ON BEING PERFECT AND BEGINNING THE WORK OF BECOMING YOURSELF."

~ANNA QUINDLEN



Student participate in an egg toss at the 2nd annual Street Bash

Past Events

WRC/SI Open House

August 25th, the Women's Resource Center/Stryker Institute opened its doors and welcomed students and members of the UNC community to our facility. Students enjoyed games, giveaways and good times. .

Street Bash

The WRC/SI participated in the 2nd annual Street Bash at the Marcus Garvey Cultural Center / Davis House. The Bash was full of food, fun, and prizes



Homecoming 2011

The WRC, SI, and Non-Traditional Students Association created a float and participated in the Homecoming Parade on September 24. With our Paint the town Gold and Rosie the Riveter theme, we demonstrated that we are All bears!

Upcoming Events

Luna-Fest

Oct. 13, 2011

Michener Library 7pm

Join us at in the Lindou Auditorium in Michener Library for Luna Fest. Made up of eleven short films, Lunafest strives to examine what it means to be "woman" in today's airbrushed, image-driven world. Started by the makers of the Luna Bar, Lunafest's goals are to raise awareness about women filmmakers, women's bodies, and the

female condition while also functioning as a non-profit event. The Women's Resource Center is Proud to co-sponsor with UNC International Film Series. This Event is free for UNC students and \$3 for non students

Women's Conference

"Walking in Her Shoes: Interventions in Health, Safety and Wellness"
Nov. 16, 2011

The WRC/SI is hosting

it's Second Annual Women's Conference. The Women's Conference is an Opportunity for the UNC community to further explore women's issues, leadership, empowerment, and the significance of women's issues on a global scale. Registration and Call for proposals are now open. If interested, please visit www.unco.edu/womensconference for more details.

If you have any questions or comments about any of the above events, or would simply like more information, please do not hesitate to email the editor at

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Women's Resource Center



The Women's Resource Center provides programs, discussions, and materials about women's

initiatives and development. The WRC promotes leadership, celebrates the achievements of women, and raises awareness on the status of women.

There are many opportunities for involvement here at the Women's Resource Center, be it contributing your ideas to the Programming

Committee, being a part of Campus Outreach, or helping with specific events we would love to have you as a part of the Women's Resource Center team!

Mission Statement

- The Women's Resource Center promotes awareness of women's issues and initiatives and empowers students to achieve academically, grow personally and develop their leadership abilities.

"IF YOU OBEY
ALL THE
RULES, YOU
MISS ALL THE
FUN."

~KATHERINE
HEPBURN

An Invitation...

The Women's Resource Center serves as a facility for seminars, workshops, training sessions, meetings and dissertation defenses.

We offer a private conference room, lounge area, kitchen facility, and resource library. Students are invited to use the center for a quiet or group study space. Please call 970.351.1492 to reserve meeting times. We are eager to share our facility with you!



The WRC/SI
Introduces
the
Breastfeeding
Lactation
Station



Colorado law states:

*A mother may breastfeed in any
place she has a right to be.*

Colorado Revised Statutes 25-6-302

**Congratulations for nursing
your baby in public!**

**Breastfeeding is normal and healthy.
Breastfeeding in America is becoming the
norm and the credit goes to women like you!**



For more information please contact us!
Phone: 970.351.1492 or on the web www.unco.edu/wrc

Stryker Institute for Leadership Development

The Stryker Institute for leadership development was created in 2001 through the generous gift of Ronda E. Stryker and the William D. Johnston Foundation. Ronda Stryker, an alumna of the University of Northern Colorado, envisioned her contribution to enable and empower non-traditional aged women from under-represented groups who would benefit from additional opportunities and resources..

Mission Statement

The Stryker institute fosters and cultivates the emerging leadership capabilities and educational attainment of the traditionally underrepresented and non-traditional aged women.

About the Program

Program Requirements

- Admission to UNC and enrolled fulltime in a degree-seeking program
- FAFSA completion by March 1st.
- Completion of UNC's Universal Scholarship Application.
- A 2.75 GPA from high school, UNC or other University.
- A conveyed commitment to participate fully
- Receive an invitation to apply

Scholarships

In addition to our multiple services, Stryker is dedicated to helping students foster and cultivate their leadership capability and educational attainment by providing financial support in the form of undergraduate and graduate scholarships.

Stryker scholarships are available to female non-traditional students who want to contribute their talents to their community and make a difference.



Interested individuals and those who require additional information may contact the Stryker Institute.

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"MAKING A
DIFFERENCE
TODAY,
TRANSFORMING
THE WORLD
TOMORROW."



Rosie the Riveter: We Can Do It!



Top: The first model for Rosie
Bottom: The Feminist Rosie
the Riveter Poster

Though women in World War II were crucial to the war effort, Female workers rarely earned more than 50 percent of male wages.

~ historychannel.com



In the beginning of the U.S.'s involvement in WWII, a 17 year old girls photo was taken in an Ann Arbor manufacturing plant. Just one week later, Geraldine Hoff Doyle quit her job, but nearly 70 years later, her image is famous for the Rosie the Riveter campaign.

In 1942, the U.S was in WWII, and women were badly needed in the aviation industry. Rosie the Riveter was used as a propaganda campaign to

get women into the workforce. By 1943, over 310,000 women worked in the industry, making up 65 percent of the industries workers. By 1945 1 out of every 4 married women was working outside the home. In addition, over 350,000 women joined the Armed Services, serving at home and abroad.

By the 1980s, the image of Rosie with the polka dot bandana was used as a symbol for the Feminists Movement.

Non- traditional Students Association (NSA)

NSA strives to enrich the lives of nontraditional students on campus by providing students with the support and resources needed to successfully complete their educational and personal goals. For meeting times, please call Bernadette at 351-2941.



THE TEST FOR
WHETHER OR NOT
YOU CAN HOLD A
JOB SHOULD NOT BE
THE ARRANGEMENT
OF YOUR
CHROMOSOMES.

~ BELLA ABZUG:



Rosie the Riveter: We Can Do It!



Rosiethe Riveter.org

Rosie the Riveter

Lyrics by Redd Evans and John Jacob Loeb, 1942

*All the day long,
Whether rain or shine,
She's a part of the assembly line.
She's making history,
Working for victory,
Rosie the Riveter.
Keeps a sharp lookout for sabotage,
Sitting up there on the fuselage.
That little girl will do more than a male will do.
Rosie's got a boyfriend, Charlie.*

In the early 1940s, Redd Evans and John Jacob Loeb composed the song "Rosie the Riveter." The song's popularity helped inspire the government's campaign for women to join the workforce during WW11.

The May 29, 1943, edition of the Saturday Evening Post cover featured a Norman Rockwell illustration of a muscular, red-headed riveter with the name Rosie painted on her lunch pail.

From then on, many people began to associate the hardworking female factory employee with the name "Rosie," and so the title stuck to Miller's poster.



*Charlie, he's a Marine.
Rosie is protecting Charlie,
Working overtime on the riveting machine.
When they gave her a production "E,"
She was as proud as she could be.
There's something true about,
Red, white, and blue about,
Rosie the Riveter.*



Meet the WRC/SI Staff



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~ELEANOR
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Calendar of Events Highlights for:

October 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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		It's National Breast Cancer Awareness Month				
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		The Clothesline Project— UC 11am-3pm (10/3/2011-10/7/2011)				
		Flu Shot Clinic— Rec Center 12pm-2pm Alternative Spring Break Information Meeting— UC 6pm	Michener Library Film Series: Maid in America— Michener 12:15pm Bingo— UC 8pm	GLBTA History Month Display— UC 9am-3pm Take Back the Night March and Rally— Garden Theater 6:30pm		
9	10 Columbus Day Non-traditional Students Associa- tion meetings (NSA) - Scott- Willcoxon Hall (SWH) 5pm Every Monday	11 National GLBTA Coming Out Day Display— UC 9am-3pm Adult & Child CPR/AED & First Aid-Harrison Residence Hall 6pm	12	13 Application deadline for L.E.A.P Summit 2011 - Civic Commitment Women's Conference Committee Meetings UNC International Film Series: Lunafest- Michener 7pm	14 Deadline for withdraw- ing for individual classes Preview Day-UC 8am- 5pm	15
16	17	18	19 Bruce Duthu Presents: Broken Justice- Milin Auditorium @7:30pm	20 Women's Conference Committee Meeting	21	22
		Semana de los Muertos— Cesar Chavez Cultural Center/Patton House 10/24/2011-10/31/2011				
23	24 NSA Meeting—SWH 5pm	25 GLBTA History Month Display-UC 9am-3pm	26	27 Women's Conference Committee Meetings	28	29
		Semana de los Muertos— Cesar Chavez Cultural Center/Patton House 10/24/2011-10/31/2011				
30	31 Halloween					

For more WRC/SI Events and information visit www.unco.edu/wrc and www.unco.com/stryker

For more events details check out the University of Northern Colorado Event Calendar at www.unco.edu/calendar

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Right: WRC/SI Staff and
UNC Students partake in
"balloon shaving" and
many other fun games at
the 2011 Street Bash



We're on the Web!

www.unco.edu/wrc
&
www.unco.edu/stryker

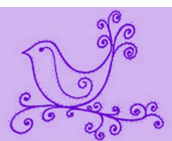


Left: Faculty and Staff
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SAME DAY."

~JANIS JOPLIN

Right: Students and
staff in the UNC
Homecoming Parade



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