

## How to get involved with International Women's Day 2020

Hello and thank you for your interest in getting involved with Brighton Women's Centre's annual International Women's Day celebrations at Brighton Dome and Brighton Museum on Saturday March 7<sup>th</sup> 2020.

There are a few ways you can get involved...

### 1. Join the organising committee

The IWD organising committee meet every month at the Brighton Women's Centre offices in the run up to our event on March 7<sup>th</sup>. The committee is responsible for making decisions about the event and members often take on specific roles such as organising the raffle, or designing posters (depending on their skill set), while more general duties include distributing fliers, sharing information on social media or taking minutes.

**TAKE ACTION:** Come along to a committee meeting. The next one will be on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2020 from 5.30pm to 7pm at 22 Richmond Place, Brighton, BN2 9NA. Future dates to be confirmed. Let us know if you're coming. Email [events@womenscentre.org.uk](mailto:events@womenscentre.org.uk).

### 2. Host a fundraiser

We are always keen for people to host their own mini IWD celebrations in the run up to our event, to help spread the word about IWD and raise funds for Brighton Women's Centre. This could be anything from a cake and craft sale, making and selling your own feminist zine, hosting a band night or doing a sponsored... well, a sponsored anything really, you can be as creative as you like!

**TAKE ACTION:** Start planning your IWD fundraiser now! Get in touch with us to see how we can support you. We are happy to come along and speak at events, provide collection boxes and BWC fliers and sometimes we can lend out things like t-shirts too to get you started.

### 3. Volunteer on March 7th

From bucket shakers to raffle ticket sellers to programme hander-outers, our team of dedicated volunteers is what makes the event a success and we need loads of fabulous and enthusiastic women to help us run our IWD event at Brighton Dome. We typically ask for a commitment of 2 hours on the day (so you still have time to go off and enjoy the event!) and there are lots of roles to choose from. We usually have a volunteer recruitment evening in February, so contact us to find out more.

**For more information about getting involved with IWD2020 or to sign up for any of the things mentioned above, get in touch with Ali at [events@womenscentre.org.uk](mailto:events@womenscentre.org.uk)**