

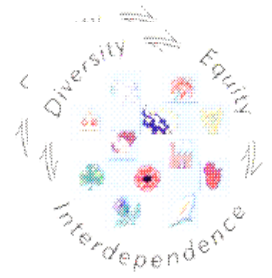


## OMAGH SUPPORT AND SELF HELP GROUP

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#### **Halloween Trip to Ulster American Folk Park**

We would like to remind people participating in the Halloween trip to the Ulster American Folk Park on Saturday 30th October, that if for any reason you are unable to attend, please contact us on **048/028 8225 9877** in order that we can allocate the tickets to someone on the waiting list.



We had to pay for the tickets and if you do not cancel in time, we will have to charge you for them. Your co-operation is appreciated.

#### **Fashion Show**

We are holding a Fashion Show on **Friday 12th November 2010, at 7.30 pm** in the British Legion, Campsie Road, Omagh. Tea, Coffee and sandwiches will be provided, and we will be selling raffle tickets on the night.

Tickets cost £3.00 each and are available from the Charity Shop or at the door on the night.

Any donations are welcome. If you are able to help out on the night, in any capacity, please contact **Jacqui on 048/028 8225 9877**



#### **Peace III Storytelling**

An overnight residential in Portrush, with families from Omagh and Claudy, will be held on **26th November 2010** as part of the Peace III story telling project. Only **one member** per family can participate, and must be prepared to tell their story of the troubles, which will be recorded. Anyone wishing contribute to this story telling project should contact **Fionna on 048/028 8225 9877**.

## Training for Volunteers

Recently, the Assistant Shop Manager, Jacqui Woulfe, along with several volunteers participated in a seminar on Sexual Orientation Awareness, in Strabane. This was organised by the LGBT Group in conjunction with the Rainbow Project.

After Christmas, in conjunction with South West College, we will hold a Passport to Computers, ECDL computer course, which will cover spreadsheets, power point and a variety of other applications on the computer. This will be held in our offices over a period of 20 weeks. We will advise details at a later stage, but in the meantime if you are interested please contact **Jacqui or Fiona on 048/ 028 8225 9877**

## Meet and Greet

This will be held on Friday 19th November 2010 in the Silverbirch Hotel, Omagh, from 7.00 pm to 9.00 pm. All members welcome. Come along and meet the Management Committee, Volunteers, other members and potential new members of the Group. Snacks will be provided. Bring along a friend. Please contact **Jacqui/Fionna** in the office to confirm your attendance.

## Welfare Advice

Currently we have the services of a Welfare Advice Worker, who is available in our offices on a Friday or by appointment. The service can provide Benefit Checks and Advice; Money/ Debt Advice and help with form filling.

## Charity Shop

We require clothes, books, bric a brac, etc for our charity shop. If you are interested in working in the shop as a volunteer to staff the shop, please contact Jacqui for an Application form.



## Northern Ireland Memorial Fund



Several months ago NIMF met with victims groups, to discuss possible changes to the operation of the Fund, which is subject to Government approval. A response has now been received from Government and NIMF would like to update groups on how the changes will impact on Groups.

Caroline Mada will our office on **Thursday 28th October at 11.15**. Please contact **Jacqui or Michael**, in the office to confirm your attendance

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