

Women's Federation For World Peace USA

# Upcoming 2017 **International Day of Peace Events** Angelika Selle September 20, 2017

### Washington D.C.

**Our WFWP USA President Angelika Selle will be the Keynote Speaker** at the Global Prosperity and Peace Initiative Peace Summit on September 21, 2017.

Also present will be Washington, DC performance artists and musicians, along with the award winning band "Copper, Rose and Bone."

Sylvia Soumah, Founder and Director of Coyaba Dance Theater, will be presenting her Youth ensemble; leading you on a journey of West African Culture through drumming, song, poetry and dance.

There will be speakers, vendors, prizes, and more!

CONTACT: Abena Disroe PHONE: 202-528-6884 EMAIL: <u>Disroe@ gmail.com</u> COST: Free, and open to the public DATE: Thursday September 21, 2017, TIME: 6:30pm to 8:30pm LOCATION: Westminster Presbyterian, 400 I Street, SW, Washington, DC



# Ohio

The WFWP Ohio chapter will be facilitating a Bridge of Peace, followed by a luncheon to celebrate the International Day of Peace.

The luncheon program will be co-sponsored by Universal Peace Federation of Ohio.

Location: Nationwide Hotel, 100 Green Meadows Dr South, Lewis Center, OH 43035 Date: September 23, 2017 Time: 10am to 1:30pm Cost: \$20 Email: wfwpohiousa@gmail.com

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### BRIDGE OF PEACE ACROSS COLUMBUS



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Sponsored by Women's Federation for World Peace Obio and Universal Peace Federation Ohio.

### Oregon

The Women's Federation for World Peace Oregon Chapter has been co-sponsoring an **International Month of Peace** events, from Sept 2 through Sept 24 at Portland Family Peace Fellowship, 2620 Hughes Dr West Linn, OR 97068.

September 2, Peace Road bike ride from 10am, starting at Mt. Tabor and ending at Peace Park on the Waterfront.

September 3, Gary Spanovich, Founder of the Wholistic Peace Institute, will speak at 10am with the topic "Peace Is Holy."

September 3, at 11:15 to noon there will be an update on the Bering Strait World Undersea Tunnel.

September 10, Dances of Universal Peace.

September 17, Session with Ed Kawasaki, a Hiroshima Atom Bomb Survivor. He went on to become a successful businessman with numerous awards for community service. Ed also has a framed award from the emperor of Japan for contributing to the good relationships between Japan and America. He speaks for Peace and Forgiveness.

September 23, Native American Drumming for Fall equinox.

September 24, Stephen Nakana, PhD "Through the eyes of a Peace Fellow: Rotary's Peace Building Journey, from 1917 onwards."

Co-sponsors: Women's Federation for World Peace, Portland Family Peace Fellowship, Wholistic Peace Institute

For more details and to register for remaining events, click the link below.

Click here to register

### Washington

For the UN International Day of Peace on September 21, Women's Federation for World Peace Washington is having a joint event with Universal Peace Federation of Washington. Participants will be sharing a peace meal together.

Speakers:

- Sarah Nishioka, Chairwoman of WFWP-WA, will speak on "The Meaning of Peace."
- Linda Haakon Israel will speak on her work and the UN Day of Peace. She works to
- support the health of women and children in Africa and the Middle East.
- Ray McCready of UPF-WA will give a presentation on the importance of WFWP, UPF, and the Peace UN"

Discussion: Peace-building in Puget-Sound

When: Thursday, Sept. 21st, from 6:30pm to 8:30pm Where: 6601 N. E. Windermere Rd., Seattle, WA 98115 Dinner will be served. Please RSVP to: <u>AFPAWS@ gmail.com</u>

### **New Jersey**

On September 21 on the International Day of Peace, the Women's Federation for World Peace New Jersey chapter will be hosting a Candle Light Prayer for Peace. It will take place from 7pm to 9pm, at 78 Demott Ave., Clifton, NJ. All are invited and refreshments will be served.

# **More Information**

Did not find what you were looking for? See the official Peace Day event map for events happening around the globe!

This year's theme is "Together for Peace: Respect, Safety and Dignity for All" which will focus on engaging and mobilizing people throughout the world to show support for refugees and migrants.

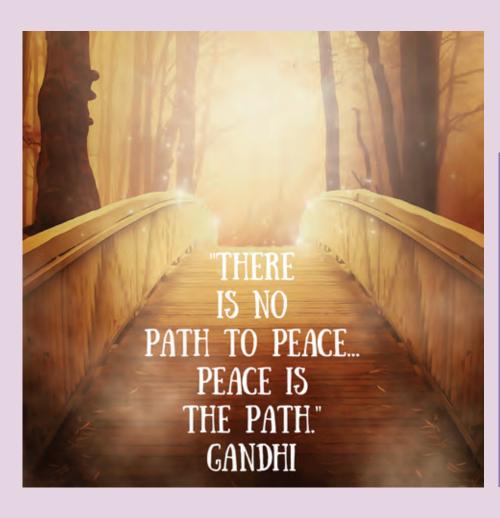
Background: The International Day of Peace is observed around the world each year on September 21st. Established in 1981 by unanimous United Nations resolution, Peace Day provides a globally shared date for all humanity to commit to peace above all differences, and to contribute to building a culture of peace.

To find out more about this year's International Day of Peace, see the links below: <u>internationaldayofpeace,org/</u> <u>www,un,org/en/events/peaceday/</u> <u>together.un,org/</u>

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# PEACE SUMMIT SEPTEMBER 21, 2017

### OUR MISSION IS "TO INCREASE THE LEVEL OF LOVE, PROSPERITY, AND PEACE ON EARTH."



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On International Peace Day, September 21, 2017, we will present Peace Summits in 196 nations. Our in-country National Peace Ambassadors are collaborating with many others to present annual Summits to educate, celebrate progress, and set new goals.

Our Master Action Plan (Peace MAP) will be implemented worldwide. The MAP has, as its foundation, curriculum to help people in every are of their lives, titled "Total Life Excellence." The Peace MAP includes Prosperity and Peace Training courses, modules, and materials to be taught live and online in collaboration with individuals, local leaders, organizations, businesses, schools, and parents.

The Peace MAP will also include self-development courses, value lessons, and peace building activities for families, curriculum to help reduce conflict in workplaces, courses on how to start and grow businesses, uplifting literature, art, music from each culture, etc. All content will be accessible on mobile devices.

### **EVENT DETAILS**

DATE: Peace Day - September 21, 2017

TIME: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

WHERE: Westminster Presbyterian Church 400 I Street SW Washington, DC 20024

WHO THIS EVENT IS FOR: Everyone is invited! Would you like to enjoy more peace in your heart, your home, your community, and nation? If so, you will love this event, and we would love having you there!



Contact Abena Disroe at 202-528-6884 for more information

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### Free

### DESCRIPTION

International Month of Peace events at 2620 Hughes Ave, West Linn, OR: From Sept 2 through Sept 24, we will host a month of Peace events: Peace road bike ride, talk on the peace tunnel, Bridge of Peace ceremony and much more. Stay tuned for more detailsSaturday, September 2nd at 10:00 AM, starting at Mt. Tabor and ending at Peace Park on the Waterfront. Contact ericsylte@gmail.com to sign up!

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Sept 17 Ed Kawasaki, Hiroshima Atom bomb Survivor. Ed Kawasaki, born and raised in Hawaii, was visiting Hiroshima in 1945 when the U.S. military exploded the atomic bomb 2,000 feet overhead. It immediately destroyed five square miles of the city. Kawasaki, one of the hibakusha, or atomic bomb survivors, returned to the U.S. after the war and became a successful businessman with numerous awards for community service. Ed also has a framed award from the emperor of

#### DATE AND TIME

Sun, Sep 17, 2017, 10:00 AM -

Sun, Sep 24, 2017, 1:00 PM PDT

### LOCATION

Portland Family Peace Fellowship 2620 Hughes Dr West Linn, OR 97068-2618 View Map International Month of Peace Tickets, Sun, Sep 17, 2017 at 10:00 AM | Eventbrite

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Sept. 24 - Stephen Nakana, PhD "Through the eyes of a Peace Fellow: Rotary's Peace Building Journey, from 1917 onwards" In my presentation, I will trace the roots of Rotary's peace building journey. I will link this peacebuilding journey struggles for peace and how my native country, South Africa benefited from such initiatives, as well as how Rotary, through its peace building fellowship helped me to pursue a degree in the Peace building field, and how Rotarians and peace fellows are working collaboratively to advance peace in the world. Steven, is the Port of Portland's new Social Equity Program Manager, a position has occupied for about 11 months. Prior to joining the Port, he worked for Mercy Corps, an international Humanitarian Organization as Peacebuilding advisor, as well as a curriculum advisor. He is a 2005 to 2007 Rotary Foundation World Peace Fellow. His Rotary fellowship was made possible through the generosity of the late PDG Paul Elder and his wife Jean of Somerset, PA. He holds a PhD Degree in International Studies from the Graduate Institute for International and Development Studies in Geneva, Switzerland, which obtained Summa Cum Laude recognition. He also holds two masters degrees in Sociology and a twoyear professional certificate in Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding from the University of California, Berkeley. He also obtained another masters' degree in international studies from the University of Cape Town in South Africa, as well as numerous traineeships in conflict management and negotiation from numerous universities and organizations including the Harvard University-based Program on Negotiation. Steven has spoken to over 100 Rotary clubs in South Africa and the US, and several district conferences and symposia in the US, Canada, and Thailand. He is also serving his third and final an advisor to the Rotary Foundation's Peace Centers Committee. Steven and his spouse, Rosalee Francis, an environmental law attorney at Bonneville Power Authority, who also was a 2008 Rotary ambassadorial scholar to South Africa, have a 3-year old daughter, called Thandiwe Irene Nakana, whose name means the beloved "goddess of peace".

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