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Celebrating Women's History Month with Art as Healing



Schuylkill Women in Crisis presents:

Art as Healing, March 5-12

free at the Pottsville Public Library



Around the world, the art of women inspires thought and provokes action.

The art pieces displayed around the library (as seen above) are used as a means of empowerment through the healing process and are created by women and children working with SWiC. We encourage women and children to express themselves artistically, as well as **inspire thought**. The display will be up until March 12, so be sure to stop by!

YOU'RE INVITED!

to the

23rd Annual SWiC Spring Challenge golf tournament



When: April 27, 2018

Where: Schuylkill Country Club

877 W. Market St.

Orwigsburg, PA 17961

Time: 11:30 AM - Lunch

1:00 PM - Flighted Shotgun

6:00 PM - Reception

Join us for prizes, contests, food, and a HOLE lot of fun!

Proceeds benefit SWiC's shelter services for victims of domestic and sexual abuse.

Visit www.s-wic.org/golf to register and for more information,
or call our office at 570-622-3991

*The official registration and financial information for Schuylkill Women in Crisis may be obtained at the PA Department
of State by calling toll-free within PA 1.800.732.0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.*

Volunteer Connection

We love and appreciate our volunteers here at SWiC! Get to know some of our committed advocates who dedicate their free time to instilling hope and promoting change in our community.

Volunteer: Kathy Jones

How long have you been a volunteer for SWiC? “2 years”

Why did you choose to volunteer at SWiC? “I feel it’s a worthy cause. It’s feels good to give back to the women.”

What is your favorite thing about volunteering at SWiC? “I volunteer at the courthouse, and I like that I can see these women smile. I enjoy seeing these women smile even after they experienced something so traumatic. It really makes me feel good at the end of the day.”

Join our team of volunteers to have your voice be heard while having some fun! There are a variety of volunteer opportunities available, and we are open to suggestions of how you'd like to use your skills to better our community.

For more information, contact Tori Schroding at 570-622-3991
and visit www.s-wic.org/volunteering.

The Impact of International Women's Day

International Women's Day (March 8) is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. On



this day, we call for action in accelerating gender parity. The first National Women's Day was observed across the US on February 28. In 1913, the day was transferred to March 8 and has remained the global date for International Women's Day ever since.

The world has witnessed a significant change and attitudinal shift in both women's and society's thoughts about women's equality and emancipation. With more women in the boardroom, greater equality in legislative rights, and an increased critical mass of women's visibility as impressive role models in every aspect of life, one could think that women have gained true equality. The unfortunate fact is that women are still not paid equally to that of their male counterparts, women still are not present in equal numbers in business or politics, and globally women's education, health and the violence against them is worse than that of men. However, great improvements have been made. And so each year, the world inspires women and celebrates their achievements."

Source: www.internationalwomensday.com



Part-Time Maintenance Worker Job Opportunity

Hours/Pay: 20 hours a week - \$15 per hour

Responsible for: minor repairs, plumbing issues, painting, yard work, snow

removal, assisting with donation collection, etc.

If you or someone you know is interested, please submit a resume
to swicagency@comcast.net

SWiC is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Supporter Spotlight



SWiC is fortunate to have so many passionate and dedicated donors and supporters. At this time, we extend our sincere gratitude to the Schuylkill Haven Youth Summit and Hurricane Heroes clubs as well as Schuylkill Haven faculty. They joined together to collect items and monetary donations for SWiC. On behalf of all of us here at SWiC - thank you!!



Schuylkill Valley Sports'

Pre-St. Patty's Day Party



Sat., March 10, 2018

8:00pm - 1:00am

**YORKVILLE HOSE CO.
POTTSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA**

\$5.00 COVER CHARGE

**Benefits Schuylkill Women in Crisis
& Amy Lewis Williams' children**

- Black garbage bags
- Baby wipes
- Kitchen garbage cans
- Pj bottoms (women and children)
- Underwear (women and children)
- Socks (women and children)
- Wash cloths
- Towels



WISHLIST

April is also...

- National Child Abuse Prevention Month;
- Sexual Assault Awareness Month; and
- National Victim's Rights Week is April 8 to 14

To learn more about these issues, you can follow us on social media where we share facts, tips, and photos related to issues that impact abuse. Click the buttons below to visit our social media and website!



*SWiC is a partner agency of the Schuylkill United Way.
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