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School Schmool was created in Tioh'tiá:ke ("Montreal"), unceded Indigenous Kanien'kehá:ka (Mohawk) territory, which has historically been a meeting and living space for Haudenosaunee, Abenaki, and Algonquin People. We also recognize the continued presence of many other distinct Indigenous groups and peoples on this land. It is our intention to keep this in the minds of our readers in order to encourage more discussion, reflection, and research on their relationship and responsibility to those indigenous to Turtle Island ("North America") who continue to be harmed by settler colonialism.

We recognize the fact that this document may not be accessible to everyone in its current form. If you would like any of these articles or resources in a larger font or with any other accessibility modifications, feel free to contact us at:

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before November and we will do our best to meet your needs. You can find the web version on our website:

schoolschmool.com

Content warning: In the calendar section of this agenda, there are brief descriptions of historical events, some of which reference instances of police violence or sexual harassment. If you need these to be blacked out, send us an email.











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ABOUT THIS ISSUE

School Schmool is your radical guide to your often unradical school. In 1994, the first editors wrote, "When we say 'school schmool' we don't mean to be dismissive. What we mean is that there are a lot of things going on at university, and school is only one of them." Though it began as a bi-annual publication that brought together group profiles, articles, and practical resources for social justice, School Schmool is now an ad-free, corporatefree, agenda-with-an-agenda, connecting the McGill, Concordia, and greater Tioh'tiá:ke communities. We hope to bridge (and break) the gap between academia and issues outside the classroom by providing a guidebook where students can find information on resources and initiatives taking place in their communities. We strive to feature content that presents radical, anti-oppressive, and intersectional perspectives on current issues, especially works by Queer and/or Trans people, Black and/or Indigenous people, and other people of colour.

This year's theme is LIMIT(LESS). As people trying to transform the world, we try to be limitless in what we imagine it could become, but we are also well aware of the barriers that limit the change we dream of. To make those dreams come true, we are constantly learning and re-learning how to remove these barriers and how we continue to contribute to their existence, specifically on the unceded territory of Tiohtiá:ke and Turtle Island. Destroying these limits need to be about more than giving ourselves the label "activist". For us, our limit is page count, but we hope to give you the tools to go beyond the contents of this agenda and engage with the ongoing struggles happening in Tiohtiá:ke. We encourage you to reach out to the QPIRGs and to other organizations that interest and inspire you! Also, thanks to the limitlessness of the internet you can find PDFs of this edition and previous editions of School Schmool on our website, schoolschmool.com.



ABOUT OPIRG CONCORDIA

The Québec Public Interest Research Group at Concordia is a resource centre for student and community research and organizing. We strive to raise awareness and support grassroots activism around diverse social and environmental issues.

Our work is rooted in an anti-oppression analysis and practice. We seek to make campus-community links and inspire social change through engaging, inclusive, and non-hierarchical approaches. Our core projects include the Study In Action undergraduate and community research conference; the Disorientation alternative orientation; the Community-University Research Exchange (CURE); and our Alternative Library.

We also produce various publications including Convergence, a journal of undergraduate and community research, and the School Schmool radical agenda which you're holding in your hands right now!

Importantly, we support close to thirty working groups that organize on a wide variety of social justice issues. We maintain an active schedule of events throughout the year, including book launches, films, skillshares, and teach-ins.

In essence, QPIRG Concordia is a campus-community link for social change. Both students and community members are welcome to make use of our space and resources, and participate in our projects.

We believe in the power of collective organizing to achieve social justice!









The Québec Public Interest Research Group at McGill (QPIRG-McGill) is a non-profit, student-run organization that supports action, research, and education on a wide array of social and environmental justice issues. Here's a quick guide to our projects, resources, and events.

Our working groups are the heart of our organization. Touching on issues as varied as independent media, urban gardening, Indigenous sovereignty, workers' rights, prisoner support, anti-racism, migrant justice, and solidarity with the so-called "Middle East," our working groups are engaged in making creative, direct, and grassroots social change.

We think that research should be community-based and useful to those striving for social change! In this vein, the Community University Research Exchange allows students to fulfill their course, internship, or thesis requirements while doing research that is needed by community organizations around Montréal. The Convergence journal showcases engaged and community-based undergraduate research and action projects.

Throughout the year, QPIRG-McGill puts on workshops, panels, films, and discussion groups. Whether as part of Culture Shock!, which touches on the myths surrounding immigrant, Indigenous, and communities of colour; Social Justice Days, which provides a space for students to learn about social and environmental issues; or the Radical Skills series, which helps you learn how to fight for social change, our popular education projects provide opportunities for critical reflection and thoughtful activism.

QPIRG-McGill is by and for students. Whether by joining a working group, planning an event, joining the Board of Directors, or helping organize a conference, QPIRG-McGill would love to have you.













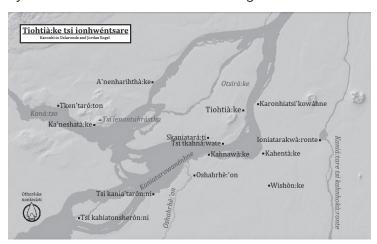


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TIOHTIÀ:KE AND SURROUNDING AREAS IN THE KANIEN'KEHA:KA LANGUAGE

By Karonhí:io Delaronde & Jordan Engel



Excerpt from Montreal in Mohawk

This map of Tiohtià:ke tsi ionhwéntsare was made by Karonhí:io Delaronde, a Kanien'kéha speaker from Kanièn:ke, and Jordan Engel, a map-maker from Ka'skonhtsherá:kon (Rochester). The following list of toponyms contains the Kanien'kéha place name, its translation, and the English place name.

A'nenharihthà:ke (place where the grapes are cooked) – Saint-Eustache loniatarakwà:ronte (it has a bulge in the lake/river) – Chambly Ka'nehsatà:ke (where the fine snow-crust is [named so because when going there when it is really sunny the sands of the foothill sparkle like the snow-crust]), or Kanehsatà:ke (on the foothill) – Oka Kahentà:ke (on the prairie) or Ken'tà:ke – La Prairie

Kahnawà:ke (on/at the rapids) – Kahnawake

Kanà:tso (pail in the water, pail boiling) – The Ottawa River

Kania.tso (pair in the water, pair bolling) - The Ottawa River

Kaniá: tare Tsi Kahnhokà: ronte - the richelieu river Kaniatarowan'ehhne (place of the all the richelieu river Kaniatarowan'ehhne)

big river) or Kahrhionhwa'kó:wa (the great sized river) – The St. Lawrence River

Karonhiatsi'kowáhne (where the sky is noticeably great) – Longueuil

Oshahrhè:'on (most likely to do with Osháhrhe [cattail]) - Chateauguay

 ${\bf Oshahrhe: 'on} \ {\bf or} \ {\bf Shahrhe: 'on} - {\bf The} \ {\bf Chateauguay} \ {\bf River}$

Otsirà:ke (on the fire) or O'seronnì:ke (place of where the axes are

made) or Tiotià:kon/Tiótiah'ke (broken in two [the St. Lawrence

River breaks into two around the island]) – Montreal Island

Skaniatará:ti (across the river) – Lachine

Tiohtià:ke (from Tiotià:kon/Tiótia'ke [broken in two]) – Montreal

 $\textbf{Tken'tar\'o:ton} \ (\text{many chimneys are standing there}) - \textbf{Saint-Placide}$

Tsi lenontahrástha (place to march up a mountain) – Calvary Mountain

Tsi Kahiatonsherón:ni (where the papers are made) – Salaberry-De-Valleyfield

Tsi Kania'tarón:ni (where the cloths are made) – Beauharnois

Tsi Tkahná:wate (where the rapid is) – Lasalle

Wishon:ke (place of the plums) - Saint-Philippe

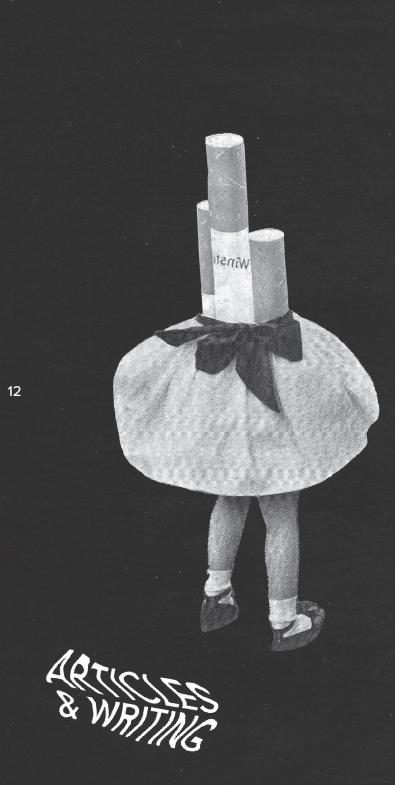
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SOMEONE NOT WANTING TO RESOLVE CONFLICT WITH YOU DOESN'T MEAN:

- -YOU CAN'T LEARN FROM THE EXPERIENCE
- -YOU CAN'T BE ACCOUNTABLE
- -YOU CAN'T FIND ALTERNATIVE SUPPORT(S)/GUIDANCE
- -YOU CAN'T BE FORGIVEN
- -YOU CAN'T FORGIVE YOURSELF
- -THAT THE CONFLICT WILL NEVER BE RESOLVED
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An Introduction to Astrology

By Cosmique Tea

We live in a VERY abundant universe full of tons of galaxies! The Milky Way Galaxy has BILLIONS of stars, our focal point will be on the sun (known in Latin as sol) the brightest star in this galaxy. The Sun has its own solar system with 9 orbiting planets. The nine planets are Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune and Pluto. Amid billions of galaxies are billions of stars! Stars are broken down into groups referred to as constellations. Quick fact: there are 88 constellations in our solar system (that we know of). I'll be discussing the zodiac which focuses on the 12 major star constellations.

In order from spring to winter, the 12 zodiacs are: Aries "The Ram" (March 21-April 19), Taurus "The Bull" (April 20-May 20), Gemini "The Twins" (May 21-June 20), Cancer "The Crab" (June 21-July 22), Leo "The Lion" (July 23-August 22), Virgo "The Virgin" (August 23-September 22), Libra "The Scale" (September 23-October 22), Scorpio "The Scorpion" (October 23-November 21), Sagittarius "The Archer/The Centaur" (November 22-December 21), Capricorn "The Sea goat" (December 22-January 19), Aquarius "The Water-Bearer" (January 20-February 18), and Pisces "The Fish" (February 19-March 20).

Astrology is an ancient language that facilitates a discussion between celestial bodies, stars, planets and other components that make up your birth chart aka your cosmic signature. You can view your birth chart as a map that illustrates where planets are positioned and what sign(s) they transit. The birth chart can provide very detailed information about your personality, relationships, insecurities, past life and destiny. We will focus on three main components in the birth chart: the sun, moon and rising.

Sun sign: Most people are familiar with their sun signs. Keep in mind that the sun sign only reveals the TIP of the iceberg of your cosmic identity! The sun sign can be characterized as your individuality, ego and will power. Sun signs are associated with your passions, potential and uniqueness, they highlight where you were born to SHINE. These signs also showcase your determination to accomplish what you incarnated in this universe to do. Last but not least, sun sign has a lot to do with your creative expression and quest for self-realization.









Moon sign: The moon sign reveals your emotional needs; what you need to feel nurtured, loved and safe. The moon exposes how you feel about yourself, the way you handle relationships, and how you emotionally respond to experiences. Lunar energy often illustrates how you reflect the sun's light, in other words, you turn to your moon sign for protection in order to feel a sense of security and safety. The moon sign can be characterized as your intuitive instincts and imagination.

Rising/Ascendant sign: Your rising sign is the first impression (or facade) that you often show the world, it can also be considered as your business face; your brand. Your rising is indicative of your attitudes towards life and the world at large. In Vedic astrology, the rising is known as the first contact your soul make with the third dimension.

Elements, Signs (ruling planet/star or satellite):

Air: Aquarius (Uranus and Saturn), Gemini (Mercury), Libra (Venus)

 Intellectual, inventive, needs freedom, communicative, humanitarian

Fire: Aries (Mars), Leo (Sun), Sagittarius (Jupiter)

Leaders, courageous, confident, fun, magnetic/charming, fiery

Earth: Taurus (Venus), Virgo (Mercury), Capricorn (Saturn)

Hardworking, responsible, practical, materialistic, conservative

Water: Cancer (Moon), Pisces (Neptune), Scorpio (Pluto)

Moody, sensitive, highly intuitive, emotional, psychic

Cosmic Slices

Imagine we are making a cosmic pizza! The first step is to slice the pizzas into 12 equal tasty slices. 12 slices of pizza = 12 zodiac signs. Now there are 4 seasonal options: Summer, Winter, Fall and Spring. The pizza can also be divided into Summer Solstice, Winter Solstice, Fall equinox and Spring equinox.







Seasons and Signs:

Beginning/Cardinal: Aries, Cancer, Libra, Capricorn

- Cardinal signs mark the beginning of each season starting with the Spring/Fall Equinox or the Summer/ Winter Solstice
- These signs are known for being initiators of change, they are known to be disruptive causing newness to emerge from the end of cycles.

Middle/Fixed: Taurus, Leo, Scorpio, Aquarius

- Fixed signs mark the point that is smack dead in the middle of a season. For instance, Taurus is in the middle of Spring, Leo is in the middle of Summer, Scorpio Fall and Aquarius Winter.
- Fixed signs can be viewed as both the most consistent and most stubborn. On the other hand, they can also represent stability.

16 End/Mutable: Gemini, Virgo, Sagittarius, Pisces

- Mutable signs are at the end of each season finishing with Spring/Fall equinox or Summer/Winter Solstice
- Mutable signs are characterized as the most adaptable to change. They are also known strongly for being indecisive, inconsistent "go with the flow" type.

Common Questions:

Why is Astrology important?

Astrology can help you develop a deeper awareness of self, your environment and how life above mirrors life below. Astrology can be used as a sacred integral resource to help support your own spiritual development and self-care ritual(s).

What does a planet in retrograde mean?

When planets move slower they appear to be moving backwards. Many people fear retrogrades, but in all honesty, retrogrades are periods of immense growth and change.

There are many ways to work in alignment with these transits instead of against them to reap the most benefits.







Where can I calculate my birth chart?

You can find MANY free online birth chart calculators.

I recommend Astro Charts: https://astro-charts.com/ and Cafe Astrology: https://astro.cafeastrology.com/natal.php

Guessing Game: Sun/Moon/Rising

Famous People: Oprah Winfrey, Miss Cleo, Beyoncé Knowles, Will Smith, Nina Simone

Find and **match** the appropriate celebrity with their top three birth chart components.

Celebrity name:

Sun: Pisces (highly intuitive, emotionally vulnerable, spaced out)

Moon: Capricorn (values trust in order to express emotions freely, ambitious, private)

Rising: Aquarius (eccentric, futuristic, unique appearance,)

Celebrity name:

Sun: Virgo (self-improving, perfectionist, devoted)

Moon: Scorpio (sensitive, secretive, erotic presence)

Rising: Libra (stylish, diplomatic, soft features, luxurious adorned appearance)

Celebrity name:

Sun: Leo (center of attention, opinionated, always chasing/in pursuit of something)

Moon: Capricorn (business and career focused, status seeking, private)

Rising: Aquarius (eccentric, very detached from reality, unique looking

I host moon circles, provide oracle readings and facilitate come-unity one-on-one/group healing sessions.

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NO TO A NEW PRISON FOR MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES IN LAVAL

By Solidarity Across Borders' Anti-Detention Committee

We are joining the struggle to stop the construction of a new prison for migrants in Laval, scheduled to open in 2021.

In 2016, the Canadian government announced the construction of two new prisons for migrants - one near Vancouver and one near Montreal - and more money for "alternatives to detention." The announcement was made in response to broad public outrage against Canada's imprisonment of refugees and migrants, sparked by hunger strikes by migrant detainees protesting their indefinite detention.

The Liberal government presents this project as a more humane way to detain migrants. In our view, the plan represents an additional investment (\$138 million) into a violent system which should be abolished, one whose overriding goal is to uphold colonial borders and the unjustifiable global division of wealth and power. Detention serves to forcibly deport people to situations of violence, poverty, and extreme exploitation - which Canada is often directly involved in creating, for example, through Canadian mining companies. Fear of detention also helps keep undocumented workers within Canada compliant - often under highly exploitative conditions - and undocumented women in situations of abuse. We want a world without prisons or colonial borders; a world in which people can decide where to move and where to stay; a world based on mutual aid, not fear, precarity and exploitation.

The Montreal-based Lemay architecture firm, designing the new Laval migrant prison, is aiming for a "homey" feel and plans to "aesthetically" conceal the fences and bars. We ask: does a person who is detained indefinitely, who is facing forced expulsion, care about the colour of the prison walls? What is the purpose of aesthetic foliage but to conceal the reality of Canadian state and society?

We do not even believe that conditions would be better in the new prison. The Canadian Border Services Agency is an intrinsically violent organization; no institution under its control will ever be humane. We haven't forgotten Lucia Vega Jimenez, Bolanle Idowu Alo, Lucy Francineth Granados and the many others injured or killed in CBSA custody.

The government promised that it would stop imprisoning migrant children. But plans for the new Laval migrant prison include a family room and a playground for children. We are









not surprised: as long as the state continues imprisoning migrant parents, it will continue imprisoning migrant kids.

We also reject "alternatives to detention," including the GPS/ voice recognition systems already being piloted in Montreal. We believe they will only intensify and expand the state's control and surveillance of individuals and our communities.

We refuse to allow the state to build a new prison to detain our family members, neighbours and friends and treat them with a violence that has such devastating and lasting effects on their mental and physical health and on our communities. We refuse to participate in the global theft of resources, land and labour which this project serves. We will work in our own ways to stop it.





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This is an ongoing struggle! - for more information or to get involved, don't hesitate to send us an email at solidaritesansfrontieres@gmail.com / or phone us at 514-809-0773



The Imperial Violence of Canadian Mining Companies: An Introduction

By: Aidan Gilchrist-Blackwood

CWs: colonialism/imperialism/violence/sexual assault

"Canada" likes to sell itself as a force for good in the world. This fucked-up branding actively obscures its role in violently dispossessing communities (primarily indigenous communities) both within and outside its colonial borders. Mining companies have played a particularly large role in carrying out imperial violence, often collaborating with the military and using deception and coercion to set up and maintain operations that don't have community consent. These companies are in turn materially supported by the Canadian State, a nexus of capitalist interests against which many impacted communities are mobilizing.

The Canadian mining industry: some key facts

- Between 50 and 75% of the world's mining companies are based in Canada.¹
- Resource extraction projects tend to be set up in territories that are "devalued" by capital (reducing the costs of land and labour and attempting to limit the likelihood of community resistance finding outside support). Because of systemic racism, "devalued" territories are usually those where people of colour and indigenous people live.²
- In Latin America alone, Canadian mining companies were directly linked to at least 44 deaths, including 30 targeted killings of anti-mining activists and community leaders, between 2000 and 2015.³
- Canadian mining projects are linked to a wide range of environmental harms in the communities in which they operate, including the poisoning of drinking water with lead and sulphuric acid. According to a report by Ecojustice, 2 million tonnes of pollutants were released by mines in Canada between 2006 and 2009 alone.⁴
- The Canadian State has a history of intervening in support of its mining companies:
 - In the early 2000s, CIDA (now Global Affairs Canada, Canada's "international development" bureau) spent over \$10 million lobbying Colombia and Peru's







governments to rewrite their mining codes, making it easier for Canadian companies to set up operations in each country.⁵

- In 2011, the government changed its laws to allow CIDA to spend money financing "corporate social responsibility" projects (like building infrastructure) to help mining companies drum up more support in the communities in which they operate. John Baird, who was Minister of Foreign Affairs at the time and oversaw the change, stepped down from his post two years later to sit on the board of Barrick Gold, Canada's largest mining company.⁶
- Canadian consulates and embassies in Mexico and Guatemala (among other countries) have been publicly accused of intervening in local communities to drum up support for the operations of Canadian mining companies, despite local resistance. For example, the Canadian Embassy actively lobbied the Mexican State in support of a mining company, Excellon Resources, that collaborated with the police and military to violently suppress anti-mining protests in the community in which they were operating. Documents uncovered by an Access to Information Request also reveal that the Embassy gathered information on local land defenders and shared that information with the company (without community consent) and that the Embassy expressed its approval of the company using violence against land defenders.8
- Rates of sexual violence and workplace harassment tend to be elevated in communities nearby resource extraction projects, in part because these projects create "man camps" of largely transient and predominantly white, male workers. Racism and misogyny clearly intersect here, as indigenous women and two-spirit people are especially likely to face violence and harassment in these communities.⁹

These multiple dimensions of imperial violence are clear in the operations of the Marlin Mine, in San Miguel Ixtahuacan,









Guatemala, one of the most well-known cases of community resistance to a Canadian mining project. Here, Vancouver-based Goldcorp Resources began operations in 2004 despite not obtaining the free, prior, and informed consent of local communities, who are predominantly Maya Quiche and Maya Sipakapa. Community-members who sold their land say that they were told the company planned to plant flowers, not construct a mega-mine. The community held a referendum in 2007 where the vast majority of residents voted against the mine, and land defenders organized massive demonstrations against the project, but its operations continued regardless.

Several indigenous land defenders have been murdered by private security forces linked to Goldcorp, including one land defender (whose family seeks to keep his identity anonymous) who was set on fire by two men who broke into his home in the middle of the night. The mine's operations have also polluted local water supplies with heavy metals and cyanide, according to a study conducted by the Pastoral Commission for Peace and Ecology.

Meanwhile, Canadian government officials have played an "active" role in supporting Goldcorp. 14 They have repeatedly met with company and government representatives, have published op-eds in local papers supporting the mine, and have failed to respond to community demands that mining companies be held accountable. 15 Moreover, the Canadian State has previously thrown its weight behind so-called "structural adjustment programs" that forced this country (as well as many others in the Global South) to spend less on social services and devote more money to paying back Global North lenders, an imperial dynamic that "structurally adjusts people into poverty [while] its corporations to sweep in to profit". 16

The mining industry has a clear and major role in Canada's ongoing imperialism within and outside its colonial borders.

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Limiting (Re)Agents

By: n.i.

This article was written on the unceded and stolen land of the Kanien'kehá:ka people with gratitude to and respect for the traditional keepers this land. This article was also written with deep gratitude to the wisdom and work of disabled ancestors, elders, and peers, including AJ Withers, Amythest Schraber, Audre Lorde, Dori Midnight, Eli Clare, Laura Hershey, Lauren Tuchman, Leah Lakshmi Piepzna-Samarasinha, Leroy Moore, Loree Erickson, Lydia X.Z. Brown, Mia Mingus, Naomi Ortiz, Ruti Regan, the Accessibilize Montréal Crip Crew, and so many others.

We are limited by the stories we tell ourselves. We are limited by the stories others tell us about us, stories we then in turn retell to ourselves – often so loudly as to drown out the stories we once knew about who we are and who we might be. This is true for everyone, albeit in different ways depending on a wide range of factors which can be difficult to identify and understand.

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Sometimes the stories we retell confine us, convince us that we are less than we really are, warp our inner senses and skew our perspectives. These stories are most commonly some variation on "you are not enough" and/or "you are too much." Sometimes the stories we retell liberate us, reminding us that we, like everyone and everything, have boundaries – spaces and times where we start and end, giving us operating parameters and a sense of containment in the vastness of the universe. These stories are usually something closer to "you are you." Storied limits – like with most things – depend so much on how the story is told and who is doing the storytelling.

For those of us who move through the world with bodies and brains that do unexpected things in unexpected ways, the stories we retell ourselves are at particular risk of being unduly influenced by the perceptions of others. The underlying assumptions are that we won't know any better, can't tell one story from another, and that we're incapable of telling a story anyways. Those of us who are disabled by the ways in which the physical, emotional, sensory, and social are set up and held up around us have our stories taken and twisted and told back to us in narratives become completely unrecognizable. When





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we question how these twisted tales came to be, we're usually told we don't know enough to know because if we did we wouldn't be asking such questions. This taking, this twisting, is not only part of disabled experience by any means, and disabled experience is of course complicated by other facets of experience.

In so many ways, disabled experience is about becoming practiced in shifting stories. Sometimes we practice on purpose. More often, we practice just by being. We shift the stories told about how bodies work and what bodies do. We shift the stories about how the exchange of information and emotions works and the forms those exchanges take. We shift stories about the mundane and we shift stories about the miraculous. We shift stories about pretty much everything, often without even realizing it, because most of us learn from a very young age to stop recognizing that potential.

We're told that disabled folks – with a few exceptions – don't shift stories, can't shift stories, won't shift stories. Soon we forget that we can and do and will. There are so many ways in which the worlds around us – physical, social, and otherwise – profit off of stories which confine us, stories that limit us to one of a few stock roles. It's less scary for people to tell themselves that disability only happens to other people, so they tell stories that say we're broken, that we must have done something to turn out like this, that no one would be this way if they could choose to be otherwise. We learn to retell these stories until the limits of truth and myth are so blurred that we no longer know what we can or cannot do. We retell these stories until we are convinced that there can be no others.

It can be hard not to lose stories, hard to hold on to trusting yourself, hard to live disabled experience as anything but limited and limiting. It can be liberating to fight what seeks to restrain us and the stories we can tell. It can also be liberating to remind ourselves that people are going to tell stories no





matter what, and that we get to choose which stories we retell.

The following is a very incomplete list of tricks and tips for disabled storytellers:

- Remember that your body is your own. You may have lots of experience that tells you otherwise, and it's okay to need support in reclaiming one's body.
- There are no wrong kinds of bodies. There are no wrong kinds of brains.
- Ability is not a static thing. All humans have things they
 can do some days and not others. For disabled folks, this
 is often true to greater extents, but you don't have to
 believe the stories that tell you that if you can do something one day, you must be able to do it every day and
 vice versa.
 - vice versa.
- It's okay not to be able to do something. "Can't" is not a
 bad word. Often "can't" is contextual maybe you can't
 do something with the tools you've been given, or in the
 amount of time that has be allotted, or in the ways that
 you've been told to do it. Sometimes "can't" is just "can't."
- There is a long history and present of keeping disabled folks isolated. This is done through all kinds of different structures and stories. It can be incredibly liberating to find other folks who share similar disabled experiences and different disabled experiences. Community holds stories in ways that individuals can't.
- No one is independent. Independence is a capitalist bedtime story that weighs extra heavily on folks who need support in doing what gets called "basic" like feeding



oneself or going to the bathroom. We all need help sometimes and interdependence is awesome.

- You never have to apologize for access needs. This is often one of the hardest stories to believe so here it is again: You never have to apologize for access needs.
- A lot of the skills disabled folks are taught especially in "special education" but also more generally – are antiskills disguised as "social skills." We're taught things that are supposed to help us "function" and "fit in" and then punished when we question whose purposes these skills actually serve.
- It's okay to be angry about being disabled. If you can, try
 to learn how to tell when the anger is about the stories
 you've been told and what those stories are supposed to
 mean because it can be all too easy to turn those stories
 back on yourself.
- You don't have to call yourself disabled. Or a person with a disability. Or any words in particular if you don't want to.
 Part of (re)learning to tell our own stories is (re)learning how to use our own words.
- Not everyone tells stories with their mouth. Or their hands.
 Or in other ways that might be immediately obvious.
- Sometimes limits are liberating. It can be a relief to know that we can't do everything. It can make a lot more things a lot more possible.







"Re: Shouts Into the void"

By: Andrew Sawyer

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I'm coming out as nonbinary. Or genderqueer if you're feeling flirty.

What this means, to me, is that I reject the classifications of man and woman as the only way to live a chill life. I want to exist in between and also be able to live - travel freely, work freely, and mind my own business - freely.

Claiming 'they/them' pronouns felt, for a long time, too big for me because it felt like an assertion of who I am and I needed to be 100% sure and how do I know what nonbinary feels like and what if people reject me, what if I don't know enough, oh my god what if I misrepresent the community? But I am trying to remember that:

- 1. There is no self hahahaha.
- 2. We are defined by our actions.

Coming out as nonbinary is just another act in a long chain of them, the thread of my life.

It is my way of holding myself accountable for the belief that patriarchy is crushing us, killing us, eroding our capacity to breathe. Separating us from our families at a border when all we are looking for is a home. It forces me to have the conversation: "Oh, I believe gender is a social construct. Maleness and femaleness are just definitions - categories - and I want to explore the spaces between words...What about my penis? I'm uncomfortable with you asking about my genitalia but what a truly great convo thank you for chatting - if you have questions there is Google. Nope! Nothing to do with my sexuality! Bye!"

Don't get me wrong, categories are useful ways of bringing definition to the world. But men and women? They've been defined! Why not expand the definition? Or rather, include new definitions. That is, new definitions of old ideas. Because gender-non-conforming people have existed as long as humans have been around. In fact, they were often looked to as spiritual leaders. Indigenous nations have long spoken of two-spirited





individuals, people whose internal energy oscillates back and forth between masculine and feminine, like a seesaw. The hijras in India are GNC folks who are thought to be blessed with powers of song and dance, but must also flee their families for fear of abuse, living with chosen families in communities overcome with poverty. In this case as in all cases, poverty not as a sign of lack of will on the case of the individual, not as the result of laziness or an inability to "just get a job" - but of a system that lets people fall through the cracks if they don't follow the rules. If they don't dress the part.

What does it mean to fall through the cracks?

Maybe it's helpful to make a distinction between borders and boundaries. Borders as walls built by oppressors and colonizers defined by rules designed to exert power and control over marginalized communities under the guise of protection. Boundaries as limits we as individuals place on our own bodies and minds based on our universal rights as human beings and defined by our own ability to decide what is and is not safe for us.

In coming out as genderqueer, I'm expanding my boundaries of expression, giving myself more space to discover who I am. It is the first step in an active process - it is not an ending. Unfortunately, I will come up against many attempts to classify me as I try to explore this part of myself. People who will try to end this process, this growth, by dressing me up in heteronormativity. I'll hear that it's the only option, that there aren't enough resources for anything else, that men and women can't use the same bathroom, what do you think this is, literally every private home space??? That "we don't have it in that size," that "this is for women" and that if I don't accept what I'm given I'll fall through the cracks. I guess I'm choosing to fall between the cracks. To go to the places that have been neglected, unseen, unloved. And to make a lot of noise until somebody pays attention. Because what do borders protect us from if our own people are already crying for help?







It's all disappointing, and sad. But worst of all, it's unsustainable. Because when there is no possibility for growth - for something other than what has already been - there is no future.

Quiz: What is the most renewable resource? Answer: The self. Gotcha! Humans are capable of endless expansion, endless beauty. But this expansion happens inside of us. We must invest in ourselves - in the belief that every one of us is capable, important, vibrant - if we want to build a better future. Sustainability begins with the belief that we already have everything we need, we simply need to learn to cultivate it. Teach that things come back around. Fill in the cracks or, rather, break the foundation so that people can come back at all. Expand the definition. Create the vocabulary. Begin with the idea that learning your boundaries is an act of resistance.

All of this to say I know a twelve year old nonbinary kid and oh my god am I already old, is it too late for me to claim these things, do I just sound dumb why am I writing this?

All of this to say I'm using they/them pronouns now, but I'll also respond to he or she. Or my name. It takes longer to say, but respect and efficiency are at odds with one another so make your choice. I've made mine.

All of this to say I don't have a plan for my new NB life. Really throwing myself to the wolves here. (Also, acknowledging that I have mountains of privilege as a male-presenting [for now!] person that will keep me relatively safe during this process). Or maybe it won't. That's the scary thing about choosing a path with no map that you've never walked before. You don't know how hard it's going to be until you do it. But the more wool I pull off my eyes the more I see people ahead of me, leading the way...behind me, learning from my mistakes. And I feel okay.







When I'm in times of transition I write myself affirmations:

Close your eyes. Take a breath. In, out. Turn away from who you've been, and the plans for your life. Breathe. In... loosen your grip... release yourself into the possibility that there isn't an answer... that we're all falling into the future..through the cracks... out. In... listen to the wind rushing by your ears... feel it brushing your skin... out... in... out... do you feel that pit... in your stomach?

in

can I hold your hand?

out

... open your eyes. Here we are.

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out.







PARFOIS

By: Hoda Adra

Parfois c'est haut, Parfois c'est bas Parfois c'est mieux ici. d'autres fois là-bas Parfois c'est l'ennui, Parfois la surprise Parfois y'a personne, Parfois y'a que moi Parfois c'est des statues, Parfois des humains Parfois ils disent bonjour, et parfois ils disent rien Parfois je cherche leurs yeux mais ils regardent pas Parfois c'est tout le temps et parfois c'est parfois Mais parfois c'est intense! Parfois j'en ai marre Parfois ils sont normaux et parfois ils sont bizarres! Parfois c'est le café, Parfois c'est le thé Parfois c'est le tracteur et parfois c'est la poupée Mais parfois c'est pas vrai! Parfois c'est « Wallah j'te jure » Parfois c'est le téléphone, Parfois c'est l'internet Parfois c'est la télé. Parfois c'est l'internet Parfois c'est l'internet, Parfois c'est l'internet... Parfois ça va trop vite, Parfois ça prend du temps Parfois des Arabes c'est pas des Musulmans! Parfois j'ai le temps, Parfois c'est lui qui m'a





Parfois j'ai le temps, Parfois c'est iui qui m'a
Parfois j'ai mal, Parfois j'ai l'âme
Parfois c'est rien du tout et parfois tout garni
Parfois c'est payé ensemble et parfois séparé
Parfois c'est plusieurs, parfois c'est ta moitié
Parfois tu as des dents, et parfois pas assez!
Parfois tu es piéton, parfois tu es voiture
Parfois t'habilles la tête pour que l'âme ait une toiture
Parfois tu jouis, Parfois tu réjouis

Parfois tu dors même si tu es debout

Parfois tu y crois même si ce n'est qu'un rêve

Parfois elle te fait chier, Parfois vous divorcez

Parfois c'est la job mais parfois c'est le métier!

Parfois c'est sorry d'autres fois c'est scusez

Mais parfois c'est Franglais!

Parfois c'est majorité visible, Parfois c'est minorité silencieuse

Parfois tu le lâches, Parfois il te hante, Parfois il t'emprisonne

Parfois c'est le Hummus, mais en vrai c'est le Hommos!

Parfois c'est eux-autres, Parfois c'est exotique

Parfois c'est culturel mais parfois c'est authentique

Parfois c'est les poubelles, Parfois le recyclage,





Bientôt le compost!

Bientôt les confettis pour boucher les fossés!

Bientôt les bourrelets pour remplir les bikinis!

Bientôt l'entre-deux, bientôt les nuances,

Bientôt les 4 heures et les 24 saisons

Bientôt la liberté, fini l'esclavage!

Bientôt comme avant l'invention des rouages

Bientôt la famille, Bientôt les amis

Bientôt la fin d'semaine, bientôt mercredi!

Bientôt sans frontière, Bientôt la soupe

Bientôt la fin du navire ou la chaloupe

Bientôt le regard des autres se dissoudra en un clin d'oeil!

Bientôt la politique descendra de son fauteuil!

Bientôt les marionnettes auront des nez de Pinocchio!

Bientôt les taupes porteront des lunettes

Bientôt tu me croirais, mais c'est pas pour tout de suite

Parce que souvent t'es en avance,

mais t'es jamais en bonheur

Parfois t'es bipolaire et tu sais pas pourquoi

Souvent c'est pas grave, parce que tu as ta soeur

Parfois c'est le milieu mais c'est jamais l'équilibre

Parce que parfois c'est le diamètre

sous ses différents calibres

Parfois c'est la vie, croquée à pleines dents

Et parfois, c'est la fuite éternelle du moment

Parfois c'est l'émotion, comme les montagnes Russes

Parfois c'est bien caché, comme les poupées Russe

Parfois l'auberge Espagnole, Parfois les lapins posés

Parfois rien ne sert de courir, surtout quand

le fromage est déjà dans ton bec

Parfois je suis orientée, Parfois j'ai perdu mon Québec

Parfois on est de souche, Parfois on est d'origine

Et parfois on est vierge, Parfois on est décousu

Et parfois le milieu de vie interfère dans le milieu de travail

Et parfois y'a trop de lieux, pour faire juste un milieu

Parfois c'est comme-ci, Parfois c'est comme-ca

Parfois je suis en haut, et parfois je suis en bas.











"Sometimes you cover the head so the soul may have a roof"

Hoda Adra @hodaadra H-o-d-a.bandcamp.com









Carter Fredericks de Araujo @rats.png









Religious Holidays

We recognize that it would be impossible to list all the holidays and dates held dear to all the people in our various communities, but we equally recognize that spirituality and faith traditions are too often left out of our social justice movements, and we seek to change that. Here is our sincere and imperfect attempt. Listed below are important religious dates from major faiths. We encourage you to consult it, as well as one another, when planning and organizing events.

^{*} Holy days usually begin at sundown the day before this date. ** Local or regional customs may use a variation of this date.

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Religious year begins - Orthodox Christian Hijra - New Year * - Islam

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Paryushana Parva * - Jain

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Nativity of Virgin Mary - Christian

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Ashura * - Islam

14

Elevation of the Life Giving Cross (Holy Cross) - Christian

23

Equinox Mabon* – Wicca/Pagan northern hemisphere Ostata *– Wicca/Pagan

southern hemisphere

27

Meskel - Ethiopian Orthodox Christian

29

Michael and All Angels - Christian

30-October 1

Rosh Hashanah * - Jewish

OCTOBER 2019

4

St Francis Day - Catholic Christian Blessing of the Animals - Christian

8

Dasara ** - Hindu

9

Yom Kippur * - Jewish

44

Sukkot * - Jewish

14

Thanksgiving - Canada - Interfaith

18

St. Luke, Apostle & Evangelist - Christian

20

Birth of the Báb * - Baha'i Installation of Scriptures as Guru Granth - Sikh

21

Shemini Atzeret * - Jewish

22

Simchat Torah * - Jewish

27

Christ the King - Christian Diwali - Sikh - Hindu - Jain

28

Milvian Bridge Day - Christian Jain New Year - Jain





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Reformation Day - Protestant Christian

All Hallows Eve - Christian Reformation Day - Protestant Christian

NOVEMBER 2019

All Saints Day - Christian Samhain - Beltane * - Wicca/Pagan Northern and Southern hemispheres

All Souls Day - Catholic Christian

Mawlid an Nabi * - Islam

Birth of Baha'u'llah * - Baha'i Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib - Sikh

Nativity Fast begins - ends Dec. 24 - Orthodox Christian

Thanksgiving - U.S. - Interfaith

24

Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahdur - Sikh

26

Christ the King - Christian Day of the Covenant * - Baha'i

28

Ascension of 'Abdu'l-Baha * - Baha'i Thanksgiving - Interfaith USA

30

St. Andrew's Day - Christian

DECEMBER 2019

1-24

Advent - Christian

Saint Nicholas Day - Christian

Bodhi Day (Rohatsu) - Buddhism mmaculate Conception of Mary - Catholic Christian

Feast day - Our Lady of Guadalupe - Catholic Christian

16-25

Posadas Navidenas - Hispanic Christian

21

Solstice Yule - Christian

Yule - Litha * - Wicca/Pagan Northern and Southern hemispheres

23-30

Hanukkah - Jewish

Christmas Eve - Christian

Christmas * - Christian Feast of the Nativity ** -Orthodox Christian

Zarathosht Diso (Death of Prophet Zarathushtra) ** - Zoroastrian St Stephen's Day - Christian

Saint John - Apostle and Evangelist - Christian

Holy Innocents - Christian

Holy Family - Catholic Christian

Watch Night - Christian

JANUARY 2020

Mary, Mother of God - Catholic Christian Feast Day of St Basil - Orthodox Christian Gantan-sai (New Years) - Shinto Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus - Orthodox Christian









Religious Holidays (continued)

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Vasant Panchami ** - Hindu

5

Twelfth Night - Christian Guru Gobindh Singh birthday - Sikh

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Epiphany - Christian
Feast of the Epiphany (Theophany)
- Orthodox Christian
Dia de los Reyes (Three
Kings Day) - Christian

Nativity of Christ - Armenian Orthodox

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Feast of the Nativity ** - Orthodox Christian

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Feast of the Holy Family - Catholic Christian

10-12

Mahayana New Year ** - Buddhist

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Baptism of the Lord Jesus - Christian

13

Maghi - Sikh

17

Blessing of the Animals -Hispanic Catholic Christian

18-25

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity - Christian

19

World Religion Day * - Baha'i

20

Timkat - Ethiopian Orthodox Christian

25

Conversion of St. Paul - Christian

28

Tu BiShavat * - Jewish

FEBRUARY 2020

2

Candlemas - Presentation of Christ in the Temple - Christian Imbolc - Lughassad * - Wicca/Pagan -Northern and Southern hemispheres Saint Brighid of Kildare - Celtic Christian Four Chaplains Sunday - Interfaith

3

St. Blaze Day - Christian Setsebun-sai (beginning of spring) - Shinto

5

Chinese New Year - Confucian, Daoist, Buddhist

8

Nirvana Day - Buddhism

9

Triodion begins - Orthodox Christian

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Triodion - Orthodox Christian

14

St. Valentine's Day - Christian

15

Nirvana Day ** - Buddhist - Jain

22

Maha Shivaratri ** - Hindu

23

Meatfare Sunday - Orthodox Christian Transfiguration Sunday - Christian

25

Shrove Tuesday - Christian

26

Intercalary Days begin - Baha'i Ash Wednesday - Lent begins - Christian

MARCH 2020

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St. David of Wales - Christian Intercalary Days end - Baha'i Cheesefare Sunday - Orthodox Christian







2 Clean Monday - Great Lent begins - Orthodox Christian	APRIL 2020		
2 - 20 Nineteen Day Fast * - Baha'i	_ Ramanavami ** - Hindu		
3	3 Laylat al Miraj * - Islam		
Hindi New Year ** - Hindu	5 Palm Sunday - Christian		
8 Orthodox Sunday - Orthodox Christian	8 Hanuman Jayanti ** - Hindu		
9 Magha Puja Day ** - Buddhist	9-11 Theravadin New Year ** - Buddhist		
10 Holi ** - Hindu Purim * - Jewish Hola Mohalla - Sikh	9-15 Pesach * - Jewish		
13 Birthday of L. Ron Hubbard - Scientology	9 Mahavir Jayanti ** - Jain Maundy Thursday - Christian		
17 St. Patrick's Day - Christian	10 Good Friday - Christian		
19 St. Joseph's Day - Christian Lord's Evening Meal - Jehovah's Witness Christian	12 Easter - Christian Palm Sunday - Orthodox Christian Lag B'Omer - Jewish		
20 Equinox Ostara - Mabon * - Wicca/Pagan	14 Baisakhi (Vaisakhi) - Sikh		
Northern and Southern hemispheres	17 Holy Friday - Orthodox Christian		
21 Norooz (New Year) - Persian/Zoroastrian Naw-Rúz (New Year) * - Baha'i	11 Lazarus Saturday - Orthodox Christian		
25 Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Christian	19 Pascha - Easter - Orthodox Christian		
25 - Apr 2 Ramayana ** - Hindu	21 Yom HaShoah - Jewish First Day of Ridvan * - Baha'i Lailat al Bara'ah * - Islam Palm Sunday - Orthodox Christian		
28 Khordad Sal (Birth of Prophet Zarathushtra) ** - Zoroastrian			







23 St. George's Day - Christian



Religious Holidays (continued)

24

Ramadan begins * - Islam

Mahavir Jayanti ** - Jain

Ninth Day of Ridvan - Baha'i Feast Day of Saints Peter and Paul - Christian Yom Ha'Atzmaut * - Jewish

St. James the Great Day -Orthodox Christian

MAY 2020

Beltane - Samhain * - Wicca/Pagan Northern and Southern hemispheres

Last day of Ridvan * - Baha'i

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Saints Philip & James - Christian

Visakha Puja - Buddha Day ** - Buddhist National Day of Prayer USA - Interfaith

Ascension of Jesus - Christian

23

Declaration of the Bab * - Baha'i

Ascension of Baha'u'llah * - Baha'i Ascension of Jesus - Orthodox Christian

29-30

Shavuot * - Jewish

Pentecost - Christian

JUNE 2020

Laylat al Kadr * - Islam

Eid al Fitr * - Islam

Pentecost - Orthodox Christian Trinity Sunday - Christian

St. Columba of Iona - Celtic Christian

Corpus Christi - Catholic Christian

All Saints - Orthodox Christian

Saint Vladimir Day - Christian

16

Guru Arjan martyrdom - Sikh

Sacred Heart of Jesus - Catholic Christian New Church Day -

Swedenborgian Christian

21

Litha - Yule * - Wicca/Pagan Northern

and Southern hemispheres

22

First Nations Day - Canadian Native People

29

Feast Day of Saints Peter and Paul - Christian

JULY 2020

Asalha Puja Day ** - Buddhist

Martyrdom of the Bab * - Baha'i







St Benedict Day - Catholic Christian

St. Vladimir the Great Day - Orthodox Christian

Crowning of Haile Selasse I - Rastafarian

Pioneer Day- Mormon Christian

25

St. James the Great Day - Christian

30

Tish'a B'av - Jewish

31 - Aug 3

Eid al Adha * - Islam

AUGUST 2020

Lammas - Christian Lughnassad - Imbolc * - Wicca/Pagan Northern and Southern hemispheres Fast in Honor of Holy Mother of Jesus - Orthodox Christian

Raksha Bandhan ** - Hindu

Transfiguration of the Lord - Orthodox Christian

Waqf al Arafa * Islam

Krishna Janmashtami ** - Hindu

13-15

Obon (Ulambana) ** - Buddhist/Shinto

Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary - Catholic Christian Dormition of the Theotokos

- Orthodox Christian

20

Hijra - New Year * - Islam

22

Ganesh Chaturthi ** - Hindu

Beheading of St. John the

Baptist - Christian Ashura * - Islam

SEPTEMBER 2020

Ecclesiastical year begins - Orthodox Christian

Nativity of Virgin Mary - Christian

Elevation of the Life Giving Cross

(Holy Cross) - Christian

Rosh Hashanah * - Jewish

Paryushana Parva * - Jain Equinox

Mabon - Ostara * - Wicca/Pagan

Northern and Southern hemispheres

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Meskel - Ethiopian Orthodox Christian

Yom Kippur * - Jewish

Michael and All Angels - Christian









Anishinaabek Medicine Wheel

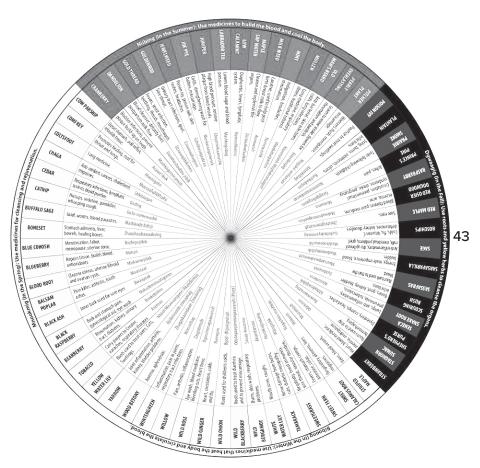
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SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBRE

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Labour day

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Classes begin (McGill/Concordia)

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBRE

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QPIRG Concordia DisOrientation starts

TUESDAY/MARDI

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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QPIRG Concordia DisOrientation ends Sept 13, 2006: Dawson College shooting

SATURDAY/SAMEDI

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SUNDAY/DIMANCHE





SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBRE

MONDAY/LUNDI

16

Last day to add fall-term and two-term courses

Deadline for withdrawal with tuition refund from
fall-term and two-term courses (Concordia)

TUESDAY/MARDI

17

Add/drop deadline (McGill)

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBRE

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TUESDAY/MARDI

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Course or university withdrawal with refund deadline (McGill)

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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THURSDAY/JEUDI

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LGBTQ2I+ History Month events begin (McGill) Sept 26, 1990: Oka crisis in 1990 ends after 78-day siege in Kanehsatake







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QPIRG Concordia annual general meeting

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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Oct 11, 1869: Red River Rebellion in present-day Manitoba

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OCTOBER OCTOBRE

MONDAY/LUNDI

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Thanksgiving

TUESDAY/MARDI

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Oct 15, 2017: Celebrities tweet #metoo, which prompts a viral movement of social media posts denouncing sexual harassment. The Me Too movement was originally started in 2006 by Tarana Burk as a way to unite women of colour who had experienced sexual violence.

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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SUNDAY/DIMANCHE



OCTOBER OCTOBRE

MONDAY/LUNDI

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TUESDAY/MARDI

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Oct 22, 1977: Montréal cops raid gay bar Truxx. 146 men arrested and administered compulsory STI tests

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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SUNDAY/DIMANCHE





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Course or university withdrawal with no refund deadline (McGill)

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Last day for academic withdrawal from fall-term courses (Concordia)

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WEDNESDAY/MERCREDI

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THURSDAY/JEUDI





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SATURDAY/SAMEDI

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Nov 10, 2011: 100 riot cops enter McGill campus & tear gas demonstrators during first major student demonstration leading up to the 2012 strikes

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NOVEMBER NOVEMBRE

MONDAY/LUNDI

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Nov 11, 1987: Black youth Anthony Griffin shot in the head by Montréal police in NDG

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Nov 12, 2007: Students across Quebec begin a three-day strike against the unfreezing of tuition rates $\frac{1}{2}$

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Dec 1, 2006: After leaving his morning prayer, Mohamed Anas Bennis is killed by Montréal Police







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Classes end (Concordia)

Dec 2nd, 1978: After 3rd general student strike, Québec education minister announces important changes to the financial aid program

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Make-up day for classes scheduled on Monday, October 14 (Concordia)

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Dec 4, 1997: Anti-poverty comite-des-sans-emploi raid a fancy buffet at the Queen Elisabeth Motel and share the food among more than 300 supporters

THURSDAY/JEUDI

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Classes end (McGill) Exams begin (Concordia)





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Exams begin (McGill)
Dec 6, 1989: 14 female engineering students at the École
Polytéchnique shot and killed by anti-feminist terrorist

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Classes begin (McGill/Concordia)

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Last day to add winter-term courses

Deadline for withdrawal with tuition refund
from winter-term courses (Concordia)

TUESDAY/MARDI

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Add/drop deadline (McGill) Jan 21st, 2005: first load of gorilla compost is taken from downtown Montréal to a farm

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Course or university withdrawal with refund deadline (McGill)

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Jan 29, 1969: The computer riots begin as over 200 students occupy Concordia's computer centre to protest racism at the university

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Feb 13, 2012: First wave of student strike against tuition hikes begin





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FEBRUARY FEVRIER

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Mid-term break begins (Concordia)

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Feb 25, 2010: 500 Montréal artists sign a declaration against Israeli apartheid

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Feb 26, 1942: Canadian government begins internment of 21 000 Japanese-Canadians

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Study break ends (McGill)

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Course or university withdrawal with no refund deadline (McGill)

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Last day for academic withdrawal from two-term and winter-term courses (Concordia)

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Classes end (Concordia)





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Easter Monday

Apr 13, 2018: Lucy Granados is deported despite days of protests outside the Laval Detention Centre

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Make-up day for classes scheduled on April 10 and 11 (Concordia) Classes end (McGill)

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Exams begins (Concordia)





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May 18, 2005: Stella's Forum XXX, a sex worker's rights conference, opens

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May 24, 1917: Montréalers demonstrate in large numbers against impending forced conscription into the war







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Jun 7, 2012: Despite police raids and arrests in the morning, students and anti-capitalists protest the Grand-Prix







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Jun 21, 1734: Marie-Joseph Angélique, a black slave, is tried and hanged for setting fire to her "owner's" home and burning down much of old Montréal









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Jul 1, 1933: Canadian parliament suspends all Chinese immigration





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Jul 5, 2003: CLAC-Logement and other housing activists set up tent city in Parc Lafontaine







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Jul 11, 1990: Oka crisis begins as SQ police attack Kanien'keha:ka people defending their land in Kanehsatake



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Jul 16, 1990: Police raid the Sex Garage loft party in Old Montréal with over 400 queers in attendance





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Aug 5, 2007: Pervers/Cité is launched as a queer summer festival in contrast to Divers/Cité's white-washed, corporatized gay agenda

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Aug 9, 2008: Fredy Villanueva is killed by Montréal Police





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Aug 21, 2018: Nicholas Gibbs is killed by Montréal Police

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GROUPS & ESOURCES

For more information on accessibility and inclusiveness, please contact the resource or group listed. We have done our best to compile QTBIPOC friendly, bilingual, and accessible resources.

These groups and services are located on Tioh'tiá:ke ("Montreal"), unceded Indigenous Kanien'kehá:ka (Mohawk) territory. It has also historically been a meeting and living space for Haudenosaunee, Abénaki and Algonquin people. We also recognize the continued presence of many other distinct Indigenous groups and peoples on this land.

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ACCESSIBILITY

Access Centre for Students with Disabilities

Concordia students with a variety of disability conditions can use the ACSD. Some examples are: vision, mobility, hearing, chronic medical conditions, learning disabilities, attention deficit disorder, mental health conditions, Autism Spectrum Disorder and other Neurodevelopmental Disorders. The centre can also provide services and accommodations to students with temporary disability conditions that are generally the result of illness or injury.

1550 De Maisonneuve Blvd West, Room GM 300.00 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 3525 concordia.ca/students/accessibility acsdinfo@concordia.ca English and French

Accessibilize Montreal!

Accessibilize Montreal! aims to make Montréal a more accessible place in every way: from the mindsets and interactions between Montrealers to the infrastructure that surrounds us. By holding workshops and providing trainings, we seek to challenge mainstream perceptions of disability, and through advocacy and direct action we protest transit and systemic discrimination. Join us in our movement beyond ableism and respect of diversity!

facebook.com/access4mtl montrealaccessible.wordpress.com access4mtl@gmail.com

Action Centre

Multicultural activity centre for those with physical or cognitive disabilities that aims to empower, support and include. Provides educational, recreational and social activities, public outreach activities and peer support.

2214 Dollard Avenue, LaSalle (514) 366-6868 centreaction.org info@centreaction.org English and French

DisAbled Women's Network/ Réseau d'Action des Femmes Handicapées

Established In 1985, the DisAbled Women's Network of Canada (DAWN) is a national, feminist, cross-disability organization that has provided opportunities for self-determination and leadership development for women with disabilities for 30 years. Our mission is to end the poverty, isolation, discrimination and violence experienced by Canadian women with disabilities and Deaf women. Staying true to our grassroots, we keep women with disabilities at the center of our work. We amplify their voice by ensuring that they are represented at decision-making tables. Confidential services, contact via website.

Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (1-866) 396-0074 dawncanada.net English and French









McGill Office for Students with Disabilities

Students can register with the OSD if they are experiencing academic or physical barriers and have a documented disability, mental health disorder, chronic illness, or other impairment. It may be temporary, permanent, or episodic. The OSD can also support students in identifying barriers they are experiencing and provide them with support through accommodations if appropriate.

1010 Sherbrooke Street West, Suite 410 Entrance is accessible from Sherbrooke Street.

Mon-Fri 9am-5 pm (by appointment) Drop in hours for registered
OSD students only
(514) 398-6009
mcgill.ca/osd
disabilities.students@mcgill.ca
English and French

Radical Access Mapping Project

Disability Justice focused accessibility auditing is about collectively creating useful, accurate and broad-based accessibility information about the physical environment so we can make informed choices about what events and spaces we participate in and support.

radicalaccessiblecommunities. wordpress.com English

ARTS

Collectives

Step-Free Montréal

A Facebook group by and for temporarily or permanently physically disabled people, people who use mobility aids, people who cannot/ have difficulty climbing stairs.

facebook.com/groups/584563378361407/ English

Atelier Céladon

Atelier Céladon is a nonprofit art organization that prioritizes the voices and labour of Indigenous and People of Colour engaged with shifting ideas of diasporic living. We have no physical home, but have been housed in various locations. All members are accepted and no experience is required.

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atelierceladon.com info@atelierceladon.com

Game Curious Montreal

The Game Curious Montreal Collective organizes community events that explore digital and non-digital games from a radical, anti-capitalist, and anti-oppressive perspective. We aim to create a space specifically for people who are new to games, or who feel marginalized or excluded by the dominant culture.

gamecuriousmtl.mrgs.ca gamecuriousmtl@mrgs.ca







HOWL! Arts Collective

Howl! arts collective is a Montréalbased collective of cultural workers, artists, and activists working for social justice via artistic expression.

howlarts.net info@howlarts.net

Sidetracks Screenprinting Collective

Sidetracks is a collective whose mandate is to make screenprinting accessible to projects and organizations working for social change, especially those that work around self-representation, self-expression, anti-racism, and gueer liberation.

(514) 632-4792 facebook.com/sidetrackscollective sidetrackscollective.xyz info@sidetrackscollective.xyz

Songs for Betty

A music collective which aims to showcase Montreal black musicians.

facebook.com/SongsForBetty

Events

Art Matters

Art Matters is a student-run festival that celebrates the vitality of Concordia University's multidisciplinary artistic community. The festival promotes the emerging talent of Concordia by developing working relationships with creative

institutions, galleries, and artist-run centres throughout Montréal.
Since its inception in 2000, the annual March festival has proudly exhibited art produced by Concordia students in the fields of visual art, design, cinema, dance, music, spoken word, and theatre.

VA-038, 1395 René Lévesque Blvd. W. (514) 848-2424 x 5011 artmattersfestival.org info@artmattersfestival.org

Hoodstock

Hoodstock est un événement annuel visant à mobiliser les forces des communautés culturelles avec des ateliers, des spectacles et des moments d'échange par, avec et pour les membres des communautés noires et racisées. Hoodstock se déroulera à Montréal-Nord, constitué d'une population de plus de 60% de citoyen.ne.s des communautés racisées.

Parc Henri-Bourassa 12004 Boulevard Rolland, La Maison Culturelle Communautaire de Montréal-Nord hoodstock.ca English and French Physically accessible

Rap Battles for Social Justice

Rap battles uniting hip-hop heads and activists, showcasing the wide range of talent in the MTL scene while educating the masses, backed by Urban Science!

facebook.com/RapBattlesForSocialJustice rapbattlesforsocialjustice@gmail.com







SistersInMotion MTL

Based in Tio'tia:ke. SIM exists to help BIPOC sisters of all genders connect to their inner selves and to one another through nature. creativity and community. We do this in three ways: every two weeks we host Poetry Nite at Chez Morrígan (an open mic that welcomes all); on a semi-monthly basis we host workshops led by BIPOC artistfacilitators: finally every Fall our SistersInMotion annual showcase takes place at Jardins Cra-Terre where we celebrate the voices and vulnerability of BIPOC sisters. Our goal is to set the standard for accessibility and inclusivity and we can't do it without you.

sistersinmotionmtl.com sistersinmotionmtl@gmail.com

Montreal Non-Dudes Who Play Instruments

A google spreadsheet - self explanatory.

goo.gl/bMttBb





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Resources for Booking Shows

Équipe Sonore / Soundteam

Équipe Sonore / Soundteam provides sound services for Montréal area community groups that cannot afford to pay professional rates. We build, maintain and operate P.A. systems for community events, rallies, conferences and performances. We also strive to distribute and share the technical knowledge of audio production systems. Our purpose is to support people's grassroots initiatives and act in the interests of communities and their struggles for economic and political justice.

equipesonore.wordpress.com equipesonore@riseup.net





BIPOC SPECIFIC

BIPOC Employment and Skill Share Zone

A moderated Facebook group for jobs / employment / skill exchange by and for BIPOC in tionni'tiotiah:ke, so-called Montreal, Kanien'kehá:ka territory. This group was created recognizing the systemic barriers BIPOC face in accessing (stable) employment and income. Intentional space for circulating job opportunity postings toward other BIPOC, prioritizing hiring and paying other BIPOC for work / services, and sharing skills with each other.

English and French

Black Community Resource Centre

organization that strengthens community capacity by providing professional support to organizations and individuals in need. The Centre is committed to helping visible minority youth rekindle their dreams, and achieve their full potential.

6767 Côte-des-Neiges Rd (514) 342-2247 info@bcrcmontreal.com

Black Indigenous Harm Reduction Coalition (BIHRA)

BIHRA is a community-based harm reduction service and resource coordination initiative, by and for the Indigenous and/or Black communities. The alliance provides reflexive harm reduction options with empathy and care, while developing resources, materials,

and research on self-determined HIV/AIDS service, care, and support for our communities.

facebook.com/blackindigenousharmredux blackindigenousharmredux.org bi.harmredux@gmail.com

Black Lives Matter Montreal

BLM Montreal is an action group that aims to form connections and to work in solidarity with black communities, black-centric networks, solidarity movements, and allies in order to dismantle oppression, violence, and brutality committed against black populations in Montréal.

facebook.com/blmmontreal blacklivesmatter.montreal@gmail.com English and French

Black Students Network

Founded in 1970, we are a SSMU service, available to the entire McGill and Montreal Community. We are dedicated to addressing the interests of Black students at McGill, however, all interested students, irrespective of race, culture or creed, are encouraged to participate in our numerous events. Our Mandate is to sensitize the McGill community to issues concerning Black peoples, and to work towards making the McGill campus safe and accessible for black students in order to support their academic success as well as mental and physical well-being. Let us know how we can help by reaching out to us via email or social media.

facebook.com/ BlackStudentsNetworkOfMcGill bsn.ssmu.ca bsnmcqill@gmail.com







DESTA Black Youth Network

As a community-based organization serving marginalized youth, aged 18 to 35 in the Greater Montreal area, our mission is to provide support in the areas of education, health and personal development, justice, and employment.

destabyn.org

GARAM MASALA (Montreal Alliance of South Asian Leftists and Allies)

We are a Montreal-based group called "GARAM MASALA" (an acronym for "Groupe d'Action Révolutionnaire sud-Asiatique de Montréal / Montreal Alliance of South Asian Leftists and Allies") who share progressive politics: anti-caste, anti-colonial, feminist, in support of Indigenous and adivasi self-determination, against all forms of oppression including sexism, homophobia ableism, and racism, including Islamophobia and anti-Semitism; support for progressive secular social justice movements on the subcontinent. and here in North America. We also confront and challenge all forms of oppression that exist within South Asian diasporic communities.

facebook.com/GaramMasalaMontreal garammasalamontreal@gmail.com

Tout Le Hood En Parle

Tout Le Hood En Parle puts forward the testimonies, histories and cultures of people of colour through online video interviews, as well as other multimedia.

facebook.com/toutlehoodenparle

Third Eye Collective

The Third Eye Collective is an intergenerational grassroots collective led by female-identified people of Black/African origins dedicated to healing from and organizing against intimate partner violence, state violence, and institutional violence against us. facebook.com/thirdeyemontreal

thirdeyecollective.wordpress.com thirdeyecollective514@gmail.com

Montréal Noir

Montréal Noir est un collectif de citoyens Montréalais inquiets par les dérapages policiers envers les communautés noires et le racisme anti-Noir.

facebook.com/MontrealNoir English and French

MTL Sans Profilage

Une recherche action participative sur les relations des jeunes et de la police dans un quartier de Montréal.

facebook.com/mtlsansprofilage French

All Black Everything Montréal

Working document about resources available within Montréal's Black communities.

goo.gl/9RiiA6 shaniceyarde@live.ca (for suggestions or concerns) English









Indigenous Specific

Concordia Aboriginal Student Resource Centre

Support and programs for First Nations, Métis and Inuit students. Physically accessible.

1455 de Maisonneuve West, room H-641 (514) 848-2424 x 7327 concordia.ca/students/aboriginal English and French

Indigenous Student Alliance

The ISA is a network of Indigenous and non-Indigenous students at McGill. It is primarily focused on creating an inclusive space for students interested in getting involved in the Indigenous community in McGill and the Montreal-Area at large. This includes a variety of different activities, from organizing events that showcase Indigenous culture, to less-involved activities like group outings to support Indigenous artists. We meet at the First Peoples House on a weekly basis, and are open to any students interested in learning more.

isa@ssmu.ca

leiénthos Akotióhkwa Planting Group

A community resource that we hope will help Kahnawakehró:non help each other to respect our traditional responsibilities, share seeds, tools, experiences, workshops and time together. We plant healthy gardens, preserve and share food, recipes and local resources.

(450) 635-4374 ieienthos.akotiohkwa@gmail.com

McGill First Peoples' House

We strive to provide a 'home away from home' for First Nations, Inuit and Métis students at McGill University. Playing many roles, including those of residence, gathering place and resource centre, the First Peoples' House is first and foremost a community. We provide a space where students can find academic support and stay connected to Indigenous culture. Physically accessible.

3505 Peel Street Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 398-3217 mcgill.ca/fph English and French

Native Friendship Centre

The Native Friendship Centre of Montréal is a non-profit, non-sectarian, autonomous community development agency whose principal mission is to promote, develop, and enhance the quality of life in the urban indigenous community of Montréal.

2001 Boul. Saint Laurent (1-855) 499-1854 nfcm.org info@nfcm.org English and French

Reclaim Turtle Island

A cross-border grassroots project that works to develop resources for Indigenous sovereigntist and anti-colonial struggles on Turtle Island ("North America"). An all Indigenous collective supporting self-determination through self-representation, RTI fights resource extraction, reservation









apartheid, and colonial capitalism by providing media support, video collaborations, social media, workshops, and skillshares within communities and movements.

reclaimturtleisland.com

Settlement Reparations Facebook Groups

Resource for peoples Indigenous to so-called Canada (Inuit, Metis, First Nations) to receive support from settlers living on our stolen lands. A place for indigenous folks to voice their wants and needs and to be heard and supported by non-indigenous residents in a real and immediate way.

Settlement Reparations for Indigenous People Montreal and Surrounding Area Settlement Reparations for Indigenous People of Canada

CRIMINAL (IN)JUSTICE

Certain Days

The Certain Days Political Prisoner Calendar collective works to support, educate, and fundraise for political prisoners through the production of a yearly calendar. The calendar is a project produced by organizers in Montreal, Hamilton, Baltimore and New York City, with the support of three political prisoners in the United States. We work from an anti-imperialist, anti-racist, feminist, queer- and trans-liberationist perspective to help free our movement's political prisoners.

(514) 848-7585 certaindays.org info@certaindays.org

The Collective Opposed to Police Brutality (COBP) / Collectif Opposé à la Brutalité Policière

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COBP is an autonomous group that brings together victims, witnesses and anyone concerned about police brutality as well as any form of abuse perpetrated by the police. COBP not only denounces police harassment, violence, intimidation, arrests, and abuses of power, but also informs the public about their rights in regards to the police. We provide support to victims in helping them file complaints to the police ethics board and in facing abusive accusations.

(514) 395-9691 cobp.resist.ca cobp@riseup.net







Continuité-famille auprès des détenues (CFAD)

CFAD first and foremost addresses the needs of women with a criminal record who are undergoing social reintegration and often facing issues such as poverty, marginalization and isolation. CFAD aims to promote the social reintegration of these female inmates and ex-inmates notably by supporting their efforts to maintain and strengthen their bond with their children.

5128 Notre-Dame W (1-877) 229-9891 (toll free) (514) 989-9891 cfad.ca direction@cfad.ca English and French

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The Justice for the Victims of Police Killings Coalition currently involves the family members and friends of those who died as a direct result of police actions and interventions. We continue to reach out to family and friends of other victims of police killings.

22octobre.net 22oct.mtl@gmail.com

Open Door Books

The Open Door Books (ODB) collective is part of an informal network of Books to Prisoners programs throughout North America. ODB seeks to support and work in solidarity with imprisoned people through the provision of books and informational resources. We believe that prisons and the (in) justice system act as institutions of

social control and oppression that further target marginalized people. If you would like to get involved or donate books, contact us.

(514) 848-7585 facebook.com/odbmontreal opendoorbooks.wordpress.com bookstoprisoners@gmail.com

Prisoner Correspondence Project

The Prisoner Correspondence Project is a collectively-run initiative based out of Montréal, Quebec. It coordinates a direct-correspondence program for gay, lesbian, transsexual, transgender, gendervariant, twospirit, intersex, bisexual & queer inmates in Canada and the United States, linking these inmates with people outside of prison. We are always looking for new non-incarcerated folks to become penpals and get involved with organizing the project! If you are interested, please email us. It also coordinates a resource library of information and aims to make prisoner justice and solidarity a priority within queer movements on the outside through events like film screenings, workshops, and panels which touch on the broader issues relating to criminalization and incarceration of queer and trans people.

prisonercorrespondenceproject.com info@prisonercorrespondenceproject.com

Re-Con

Re-Con is a prisoner initiated reintegration program created in 1999 that focuses on challenges facing individuals with a life sentence. The group is made up of currently incarcerated people,









formerly incarcerated people now serving their sentence on parole, and outside volunteers. It is Re-Con's main goal to establish links between prisoners and the community after a long period of incarceration and isolation. We aim to diminish the effects of institutionalization through personal development workshops and by sharing access to outside community resources that may help reintegration upon release from prison. To this end, we hold weekly meetings that take place both inside and outside the prison focus on exploring the various services, resources, and networks available outside the prison walls.

recon.ftc@gmail.com

Students Taking a New Direction (STAND) for Prison Justice

Students Taking a New Direction (STAND) for Prison Justice is an organization interested in critiquing the North American system of abuse and discrimination against marginalized communities, known as prison. We aim to facilitate discussions not regularly given space at McGill, and connect students to prison justice movements in Montreal and beyond.

facebook.com/standprisonjustice/ standforprisonjustice@gmail.com

EDUCATION

#BecauseWe'veRead Montreal

A radical, international reading club centered on challenging the way that we think about the world, and brings together leftist, intersectional feminist, anti-racist, and indigenous and POC groups from around the world as political allies to read, learn, and build together.

facebook.com/groups/1461377137317656/ joojooazad.com bwr.montreal@gmail.com

Building Community

Building Community is a citizens' education project of the Milton-Parc Citizens' Committee (CCMP). We seek to encourage community development through popular education and social action rooted in ecological and democratic principles. Throughout the year, we host workshops, guided tours, screenings, and lectures on climate change, cooperative housing, and more, and support campaigns on a variety of community issues including protecting green spaces and promoting increased social housing stock.

facebook.com/solidaritecommunautaire

Canadian Students for Sensible Drug Policy Concordia

Canadian Students for Sensible
Drug Policy (CSDP) is a nation-wide
student network of chapter-schools
working to reform broken and
harmful drug policies and ineffective drug education. Our mission is
to provide education, services, and
promote policy reform on a grassroots and national level so that these
avenues reflect evidence-based.









sensible solutions for harms related to drug use. We promote decriminalization of drugs, as we understand substance use disorder as a matter of public health, not a criminal justice issue. We also promote harm reduction education and initiatives for people who use drugs. At CSSDP Concordia, our focus is to bring harm reduction training to high risk situations, such as FROSH.

facebook.com/CSSDPConcordia cssdp.org concordia@cssdp.org

CURE

The Community-University Research Exchange (CURE) facilitates collaborations between grassroots community groups and university students. Community groups can make research or project requests, and students can undertake those projects, often for class credit. CURE is rooted in a communitydriven social justice research model, based on the idea of research as a tool for social transformation. Students: get in touch about how to link your classroom experience with local community organizations and their research requests. There are multiple projects in the CURE database for students to consider.

curemontreal.org info@cureconcordia.org (Concordia) contact@curemontreal.org (McGill)

Éducation Populaire

Le comité Éducation populaire organise des « teach-in's » (journée d'ateliers, conférences et discussions) et une banque d'ateliers anticapitalistes pour rassembler et renforcer les différents groupes et mouvement anticapitalistes de Montréal, dans une perspective d'éducation populaire. Le comité éducation populaire est un comité du GRIP-UQAM.

educationpopulaire@clac-montreal.net

STASIS

Comme son nom l'indique, Stasis est un groupe d'enquête qui s'affaire à interroger les phénomènes qui forment la signature du temps présent. Nous organisons des journées d'étude, des conférences, des laboratoires informatiques et militants, ainsi que des « enquêtes de terrain » afin de trouver de nouvelles armes pour résister et lutter. Nous faisons également paraître chaque année une revue dans laquelle sont explorés divers thèmes d'étude.

groupestasis.com collectif.stasis@gmail.com







FAT ACCEPTANCE

FAT (bodies are) MAGIC

An informal group organizing to fight weight stigma and fatphobia by educating and building community. We organize a monthly fat community hangout and workshops and events meant to provide safer, empowering spaces for fat folks in Montreal. Come be a bad fattie with us!

fatmagicmtl@riseup.net

FEMINIST RESOURCES

The Institute for Gender, Sexuality, and Feminist Studies (IGSF)

Supports cutting-edge research, teaching and outreach activities in gender, sexuality and feminist studies. We aim to produce knowledge that is accessible to the public and in dialogue with our local communities. Through community and university partnerships, we host public events, support student internships in gender, sexuality and feminist studies, fund student awards on community service and academic excellence, host visiting professors from around the world, and organize public events and workshops on a number of issues, from current struggles for justice to emergent research methodologies and advocacy in the field.

3487 Peel St, 2nd Floor Mon-Fri 9am-4pm (514) 398-3911 mcgill.ca/igsf English

La Riposte Féministe

La Riposte Féministe, collectif de luttes pour les autonomies corporelles, vise à se baser sur le vécu des personnes et des communautés dans sa lutte contre les multiples formes d'oppression afin de créer des solidarités permettant l'auto-détermination et le développement d'un pouvoir d'agir individuel et collectif.

facebook.com/riposteauxantichoix ripostefeministeresponse@gmail.com







+ ASSISTÁNCE

The Simone de Beauvoir Institute

Established in 1978 as a site for action and the production of knowledge about women's lives, SdBl has the oldest Women's Studies program in Canada and is recognized as one of the most innovative places in Quebec and Canada to study feminisms and develop initiatives that promote equality and social justice for all. Not physically accessible.

2170 Bishop (514) 848-2424 x 2370 concordia.ca/artsci/sdbi English

Women of Diverse Origins

The Women of Diverse Origins/
Femmes des divers origins is a

network of individuals and organizations of women from different
backgrounds. We are united against
imperialism and the belief that our
resistance locally must be linked
with those of our sisters globally. Our
activities centre around the celebration of International Women's Day,
which underscores the struggle of
the toiling masses, when we organize
an annual conference and a rally.

wdofdo.wordpress.com

Aliments d'ici

Aliments d'ici est un comité de recherche et de mise en pratique d'alternatives pour se nourrir de manière locale, saine et abordable. Nos activités visent le partage de connaissances, la sensibilisation, l'action collective et la solidarité ville-campagne.

facebook.com/alimentsdici infolettre.alimentsdici.info

CÉTACÉ

Collectif étudiant en transformation alimentaire communautaire et écologique saine, solidaire et juste. Le CÉTACÉ a pour mission de favoriser une alimentation locale et écologique saine, solidaire et juste.

FOOD (IN)JUSTICE

facebook.com/CetaceUQAM

Concordia Food Coalition

The CFC is a campus fee-levy organization interested in creating campus and local food systems that are socially, environmentally, and economically just. We advocate for the transformation of our food services by working with the University to withdraw the contract from multinationals and work with local food providers instead. Through popular education events and funding opportunities for alternative agriculture and educational projects, we work to bring together students, faculty, and staff to promote and facilitate a transition to a community-centered sustainable food system at Concordia and beyond.

facebook.com/ concordiafoodcoalitionpage concordiafoodcoalition.com General questions/starting a working group: concordiafoodcoalition@gmail

Volunteer opportunities, community outreach, and events: externalconcordiafoodcoalition@ amail.com

Concordia's Multi–faith and Spirituality Centre

Concordia Students in immediate financial need may be able to receive aft cards that can be used at Provigo









or Maxi. Also serves weekly vegan meals Tuesdays from 18h00 to 20h00 for \$2 with Mother Hubbard's Cupboard. Concordia students only.

2090 Mackay St. (514) 848-2424 x 3593 concordia.ca/students/spirituality mfsc@concordia.ca mother.hubbards@concordia.ca

Food Against Fascism

Food Against Fascism prepares and distributes a free hot meal in a non-exclusionary manner to folks on the corner of de Maisonneuve and Mackay every Saturday at 2 p.m. One of the goals of the project is to try to engage and familiarize people of various backgrounds with anti-fascist organizing, in an ongoing effort to raise consciousness about the rise of the far-right both locally and abroad.

facebook.com/bouffecontrelefascisme foodagainstfascism@gmail.com

The Hive Cafe

A cooperatively-run café offering locally & ethically sourced, healthy, affordable, and delicious food options on both campuses. The mission of the Hive Cafe Co-op is to be a model food system at Concordia University that provides food through sustainable practices and empowers the student community. Become a Member for \$10! Being a member gets you a 10% discount, plus a vote at all our general assemblies. We also provide a Free Vegan Meal (Loyola only) - Monday to Friday between 12:30pm & 1:30pm. Please note the Lovola location is not wheelchair accessible, if you need help accessing the Hive

Free Lunch please contact us directly to make arrangements.

1455 De Maisonneuve Blvd. W. H-290 (SGW campus) 7141 Sherbrooke Street W. SC-200* (Loyola campus) *Not wheelchair accessible (514) 664-0000 hivecafe.ca cafe.hivecafecoop@gmail.com hivefreelunch@gmail.com

Midnight Kitchen

During the school year Midnight Kitchen serves by-donation, bring-your-own-dish, vegan and nut-free lunches. We also cook for campus and community-based events that align with our antioppression and political mandate. Beyond cooking, we organize popular education events, have a summer food bank and garden, offer discretionary funding, and support direct action and grassroots organizing. We're always looking for new volunteers and collective members! Bring your own container and cutlery. For updates on where we will be serving, check out our Facebook page. Note that our office is up two flights of stairs.

3471 Rue Peel, Room 202 midnightkitchen.org midnightkitchencollective@gmail.com

The People's Potato

Initiated in 1999 to address student poverty, the People's Potato is an autonomous, non-profit, vegan community kitchen. We serve four-course vegan lunches and work with community groups on broader goals of social justice, environmental sustainability, and food security issues.









Meals are offered on a by-donation basis. No one is turned away! We strive to create an accessible and anti-oppressive space for collective members, volunteers, and everyone who enjoys our meals. This project would not be possible without our amazing volunteers! On their website you can find Montreal's Food Assistance Guide, a database of food resources by neighbourhood and a directory of Food Resources for Low Income People of Greater Montreal. By-donation. Wheelchair accessible with accessible bathrooms. Bring your own container and cutlery.

1455 de Maisonneuve W, 7th floor
Lunch: Mon-Fri 12:30pm-2pm, during
the fall & winter semesters only
(514) 848-2424 x 7590
facebook.com/peoplespotato

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peoplespotato.com
peoplespotato@gmail.com
English and French

Ras-le-bol

Le Ras-le-bol est un groupe d'action alimentaire radical par et pour les étudiantes et les étudiants, et qui revendique un espace de cuisine et un espace de distribution dans l'enceinte de l'UQAM. Le Ras-le-bol souhaite distribuer gratuitement des repas végétaliens chaque jour aux membres de la communauté universitaire et à ses visiteur-e-s. Il cherche à promouvoir l'autonomie alimentaire des personnes et des groupes par l'implication en cuisine et l'acquisition de nouvelles compétences. Il vise également l'éducation

populaire sur des problématiques liées à l'alimentation telles que la justice et l'autonomie alimentaire.

(514) 987-3000 x 2427 facebook.com/Ras.le.bol.uqam ras.le.bol.communication@gmail.com

Rad Groceries

Le Frigo Vert

Le Frigo Vert is an anti-capitalist alternative health and community space. After undergoing some major changes during the 2018/2019 school year, Le Frigo Vert now offers a waste free bulk store, as well as a space that seeks to offer alternative health services. and education under the mandate of anti-capitalism, anti-colonialism and anti-oppression. We offer by donation vegan meals every monday evening and thursday afternoons. As a Concordia student you are a member of the organization which entitles you to discounts and cheap prices at our waste free bulk grocery store. As a member, all of our programming and services are made free to you. Some of the annual services we provide are:

Community Optician to get glasses

Queer and Trans massage

Traditional Chinese Medicine

STI Clinic

Cooking on a budget classes

Harm reduction resources

Study Lounge (amenities: kitchen sink, microwaves, gender neutral washrooms, plugs, wifi, good lighting,









well ventilated, access ramps)

Free/ by donation meals for students

Food donations to student groups and events

1440 rue Mackay near Guy Concordia metro Mon 12pm-5pm, Tues 12pm-6pm, Wed 12pm-7pm, Thurs (PWYC cafe) 12pm-5pm lefrigovert.org

McGill Farmer's Market

The McGill Farmers' Market is a weekly market and a gathering spot for students, faculty, and community members to discover healthy, local, and sustainably produced foods. The Farmers' Market sells season CSA baskets in the summer and fall via their website and also serves as a venue for local vendors to sell a variety of tasty products. The market runs from July to October, on the path on campus by the Redpath Museum.

Thurs 12pm-5pm mcgillfarmersmarket.com info@mcgillfarmersmarket.com

Farming and Urbain Agriculture

City Farm School

The City Farm School is an initiative to develop partnerships and expertise in urban agriculture on the island of Montréal. Our aim is to promote a cultural shift towards more resilient communities able to meet the challenges posed by climate change and a collapsing global food system by focusing on local food autonomy. The

City Farm School (CFS) offers seminars, discussions, internship placements, volunteer opportunities, and popular education style teach-ins on permaculture, organic crop planning, producing seedlings, mushroom cultivation, composting, pest management, organic plant nutrition, rain water harvesting, and other topics of public interest, promoting a strong focus on experiential learning and the cultivation of a can-do spirit.

cityfarmschool.com cityfarmschool.mg@gmail.com

Concordia Greenhouse Project

The Concordia Greenhouse Project is a collectively run, consensus-based, non-profit organization. It uses the Henry H. Hall Building rooftop greenhouse as an all-organic space geared towards community, education, and sustainable horticulture. The Greenhouse is a green space that hosts workshops, projects and events that raise awareness around food issues and alternatives to mainstream consumerism from September to April. We aspire to strengthen the urban agriculture movement at Concordia University and in Montréal by growing local produce using ecological practices, providing experiential learning opportunities through volunteering, internships, and jobs, and networking with other likeminded individuals and organizations.

Plant sales every fall, winter, and spring!

1455 de Maisonneuve W, 13th floor Mon-Fri 11am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 5134 concordiagreenhouse.com









CRAPAUD

Collectif de recherche en aménagement paysager et agriculture durable. Le CRAPAUD a comme mission de développer et promouvoir une agriculture urbaine plurielle, accessible, créative et viable par l'expérimentation, la pratique, l'autogestion, la recherche, la diffusion et l'activité politique.

lecrapaud.org info@lecrapaud.org

La Grange

like to play in the dirt. Working on, restoring, and maintaining a piece
202 of land located near Terrebonne in Laval (accessible via STM), the group aims to create a space where people can come together to share DIY farming skills and the joys of organic, local food.

La Grange Farm Collective is a group

of Montréal and Laval residents who

(438) 926-3536 facebook.com/ferme.la.grange lagrangefarmcollective@gmail.com

Off-Campus Food Assistance

Head & Hands

Available to youth 12-25 twice a month, and to adults with dependents or children in that age range. The food pantry provides one week's worth of food. No ID of proof of address required. Call to learn more. Physically accessible. For more services, see Health & Wellness section.

3465 Benny Ave Mon 10am-5pm, Tues-Thurs 10am-10pm, Fri 10am-5pm (514) 481–0277 headandhands.ca info@headandhands.ca English and French

Montreal Food Assistance Guide

Resource Guide by The People's Potato

peoplespotato.com/montreal-foodassistance

NDG Food Depot

Twice-weekly emergency food baskets provide healthy groceries for residents of the following postal codes: H4A, H4B, H4V, H4W, H4X, H3X, H3Z, H8R, H3W. Appointments are mandatory for the first visit. The Depot also offers collective gardening and community kitchen services.

6450 Somerled Avenue Tues 2 pm-7pm, Fri 10am-2 pm (514) 483-4680 depotndg.org info@depotmtl.org

Québec Collective Kitchen Group

L'action du RCCQ vise le développement de l'autonomie alimentaire par les personnes, les familles et les communautés, au moyen de l'éducation populaire et du renforcement du pouvoir d'agir individuel et collectif pour une société plus juste et solidaire.

rccq.org info@rccq.org English and French







Québec food banks

Site that allows you to search all food banks in Quebec.

banquesalimentaires.org info@banquesalimentaires.org **English and French**

Cooperatively run cafes in your neighbourhood:

Le Touski (Centre-Sud)

2375 rue Sainte-Catherine Est Mon-Sat 9am-9pm, Sun 9am-4pm touski.org

La Place Commune (Parc Extension)

7669 Avenue Querbes laplacecommune.com

The Hive

See Food (In)Justice + Assistance Section hivecafe.ca

Le Milieu (The Village)

Free/by donation access to art supplies! 1251 Rue Robin lemilieu.ca Rond-Point (Hochelaga)

3213 Ontario St E facebook.com/rondpointautogere

Le Cagibi (Little Italy)

Vegetarian/vegan food. 6596 St Laurent Blvd facebook.com/le.cagibi

Coop Les Recoltes (Quartier Latin - near UQAM)

More of a rad resto-bar than a cafe. 1681 rue Saint-Denis lesrecoltes.coop

Café Acquis de droit (Cote Des Neiges - UdM Campus)

Cafe of the Coop Law Bookstore at Université de Montréal. 3101. Chemin de la Tour A-2470 droit.coop/fr/nav/Cafe

Coop La Maison Verte (NDG)

Bulk groceries + cleaning products store and cafe. 5785 Rue Sherbrooke West cooplamaisonverte.com

Temps Libre (Mile End)

Not a cafe, but a cooperatively run coworking space with free coffee + popcorn. 5605 Avenue de Gaspé #106 tempslibre.coop









GET YOUR BIKE FIXED! HEALTH & WELLNESS

The Flat

The Flat is a collective that works to encourage cycling through the sharing of knowledge and tools. The Flat strives to be a welcoming, non-hierarchical, anti-oppressive space open to anyone wanting to work on their bike. We do not fix bikes, we teach people how to fix their own bike. We also offer workshops on specific aspects of bike mechanics.

2075 Robert-Bourassa Blvd, Basement facebook.com/TheFlatBikeCollective

Right to Move is a volunteer-run

Right to Move

community bike repair shop that aims to make bicycling more accessible by helping people to repair their own 204 bikes. We do so by providing tools, low-cost new and used parts, and the guidance of our volunteer mechanics during our drop-in hours. We aim to be a welcoming space to all cyclists regardless of race, gender, age, class, sexuality, immigration status, or previous bike repair experience. We charge a drop-in fee of \$2 per visit, or a yearly membership of \$20. We also welcome new volunteers throughout the year, regardless of bike repair experience!

Right to Move can be accessed through the parking lot behind Concordia's Hall building between Mackay and Bishop.

Mon-Tues 6pm-9pm, Thurs-Fri 6pm-9pm Closed shift for women, trans and femme folks Wed 6pm-9pm rtm-lvl.org righttomove@gmail.com

AIDS Community Care Montreal

Provides services for people living with HIV or hepatitis C. Specializes in peer support, practical assistance and treatment information programs. One-on-one counseling, weekly dinner & discussions on Monday evenings from 6 pm – 9 pm and private consultations for people living with HIV or hepatitis C. Access to phones, first aid, condoms and lube, wholesale price sex toys. computers and video/book lending libraries. Services such as zumba classes, income tax support, haircuts, low-cost monthly food and nutritional supplements, group support and sexual health education.

2075 Rue Plessis Mon-Thurs 10am-6pm (514) 527-0928 accmontreal.org info@accmontreal.org English and French Physically accessible

L'Anonyme

L'Anonyme aims to promote safe behaviours and egalitarian relationships as well as prevent the transmission of sexually transmitted and blood-borne infections (STBI). Our action is based on a humanistic approach, rooted in active listening and respect of individual rhythm. L'Anonyme offers sex education to young people and seniors. Visit our website to find out about other services we offer.

5600 Rue Hochelaga Suite 160 anonyme.ca administration@anonyme.ca







Anorexia and Bulimia Québec

ANEB is a non-profit organization that guarantees free, immediate and specialized help to people with an eating disorder and to their loved ones. Open and closed support groups as well as a help and references phone line.

5500 route Transcanadienne Mon-Sun 8am-3am (help and reference line) (1-800) 630-0907 (514) 630-0907 anebquebec.com English and French

Concordia Health Services

Urgent care walk-in, doctors, nurses, dentists, pap tests, STI tests, immunization, sick notes. For Concordia students. Physically accessible.

1550 De Maisonneuve W, Room GM-200 (SGW campus) Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 3565 7141 Sherbrooke Street W, Room AD-131 (Loyola campus) Mon-Fri 9am-11:30am & 1pm-4:30pm (514) 848-2424 x 3575 concordia.ca/students/health English and French

Info-santé + Info-social

Call 811 - Speak directly to a nurse or counselor, 24/7.

santemontreal.qc.ca English and French

McGill Student Wellness Hub

Urgent care walk-in, doctors, nurses, dentists, pap tests, STI tests, immunization, sick notes, for McGill students.

3600 McTavish, Brown Student Services Building (Downtown campus) Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm (514) 398-6017 21111 Lakeshore Road, Centennial Centre, Suite 124 (Macdonald campus) Mon-Thurs 9am-4:30pm (514) 398-7992 (Macdonald campus) mcgill.ca/wellness-hub English and French

The Pointe-St-Charles Community Clinic

Health card validation, doctors, nurses, social workers, psychologists, 205 nutritionists, speech therapists, blood tests, sexual health and vaccination services available.

Pre and post natal assistance for pregnant folks. Food aid, checkups for children, workshops and support groups are also available.

2 locations, physically accessible.

500 Ash Avenue Mon-Fri 8am-8pm (by appointment) Mon 12pm-4pm, Tue & thurs 8am-12pm (walk-in) 1955 Centre Street Mon-Tues 8am-12pm & 1pm-5pm, Wed 8am-12pm & 1pm-5pm (514) 937-9251 ccpsc.qc.ca English and French









Sexuality and U

An initiative of the Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of Canada. This site provides accurate, credible, and up-to-date information and education on topics related to sexual and reproductive health.

sexandu.ca English and French

Shag Shop

McGill's online safer sex & health boutique. Offers contraceptives, menstrual products, condoms, toys, etc.

(514) 398-2087 mcgill.ca/healthymcgill/shagshop health.promotion@mcgill.ca English

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Head & Hands

Walk-in clinic, STI testing, counselling, abortion referral, pregnancy tests, contraception, free condoms, hormone treatment program for trans-identified clients and more. Free services. Ages 12-25 only. Physically accessible.

3465 Benny Ave Mon 10am-5pm, Tues-Thurs 10am-10pm, Fri 10am-5pm (514) 481-0277 headandhands.ca info@headandhands.ca English and French

Politics & Care

Un espace pour tricotter les liens entre le bien-être collectif, le care et le politique. Nous organisons des cercles de discussion et proposons des ateliers. // A space to weave links between collective well being, selfcare and politics. We hold discussion circles and offer workshops.

politicsandcare.wordpress.com facebook.com/PoliticsAndCare

Tiger Lotus Coop

A healing and wellness coop, centred on the uterus We are made up of therapists, activists and researchers. We offer educational workshops on new and ancient healing techniques and health advocacy, and treatments centred on reproductive and abdominal health. Check out our free treatments here: tigerlotuscoop.com/community. Email us for a free 15-minute consultation or about other questions.

tigerlotuscoop.com info@tigerlotuscoop.com

Abortion + Pregnancy Support

Le Centre de Santé des Femmes de Montréal

Offers information sessions about abortion. They provide morning-after pills and abortion services, and have a supportive, non-judgemental approach.

3401 Avenue de Lorimier Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm (closed from 12pm-1pm) (514) 270-6110 csfmontreal.qc.ca info@csfmontreal.qc.ca English and French







Clinique Médicale Fémina

Abortion services, STI testing, family planning counselling, contraception including IUDs. Physically accessible.

1265 Berri, 4th floor Suite 430 Mon-Fri 8am-5pm (514) 843-7904 clinique-femina.com femina@clinique–femina.com English and French

CLSC des Faubourgs

Youth Clinic which provides counseling about pregnancy options and also provides abortion services. For youth 18 years and under. Near Berri–UQAM Metro.

66 rue Sainte-Catherine Street Est Mon-Fri 8am-5pm (514) 527-2361 English and French

Grossesse-Secours

Non-judgemental, anonymous and confidential phone line. You can also set up an appointment with a counselor to do a pregnancy test and talk about your options.

79 rue Beaubien Est Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 271-0554 grossesse-secours.org info@grossesse-secours.org English and French

Head & Hands

Pregnancy tests and abortion referrals. For ages 12-25. For more services, see Health & Wellness section.

3465 Benny Ave Mon 10am-5pm, Tues-Thurs 10am-10pm, Fri 10am-5pm (514) 481-0277 headandhands.ca info@headandhands.ca

Montreal Abortion Access Project

MAAP/PAR am helps people accessing abortion navigate the system in Montreal by providing non–directional support and accompaniment services. The support team is comprised of trained doulas and sexologists. Supports people of all genders, sexualities, racial and ethnic identities, ages, and abilities during and after procedures. Information and resources related to abortion are free

abortioninmontreal.ca info@maap-paam.ca English and French

Morgentaler Clinic

Abortion services, curettage (for miscarriages and stopped pregnancies) and contraception services. All—women team of doctors, nurses and assistants. Free with a valid Quebec Medicare card.

1259 Rue Berri, 9th floor Suite 900 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (1-888) 401-4844 (toll-free) (514) 844-4844 morgentalermontreal.ca infos@montrealmorgentaler.ca English, French, Spanish, Italian and Hindi









The Pointe-St-Charles Community Youth Clinic

You can meet a nurse at the Youth Clinic to get a free pregnancy test and discuss your options. Pre and post natal services for adults. For those 24 years old and younger. Near Charlevoix metro. For more services, see other listing in Health & Wellness section.

1955 Centre Street Tues 1pm-5pm, Wed 2pm-6pm (514) 937-9251 ccpsc.qc.ca English and French

Drug User Support + Supervised Injection Sites

L'Anonyme

In line with L'Anonyme's core philosophy, the Outreach intervention program at L'Anonyme is fueled by harm reduction, a humanist approach centered on individual needs and realities in a non-judgmental and pragmatic perspective. Outreach is done via our mobile bus unit and our mobile supervised injection site (SIS). Check out our website for schedules.

1-855-236-6700 (Bus) 1-844-381-2455 (SIS mobile) anonyme.ca

AQPSUD/ I'INJECTEUR / I'ADDICQ

L'Association Québécoise pour la promotion de la santé des personnes utilisatrices de drogues (AQPSUD) est un organisme provincial, qui selon la philosophie de réduction des méfaits et une optique d'empowerment, permet de regrouper des personnes utilisatrices de drogues qui aspirent à faire la promotion de la santé, la prévention des infections transmissibles sexuellement et par le sang et l'amélioration de leurs conditions de vie. L'AQPSUD est responsable de la bonne gestion de L'Injecteur (journal fait par et pour les personnes utilisatrices des drogues) et de l'ADDICQ.

1555 boul. René-Lévesque E (514) 904-1241 linjecteur.ca info@aqpsud.org English and French

Cactus Montréal

A community organization for the prevention of blood-borne (BBSI) and sexually transmitted infections. We work with injecting and inhaling drug users, sex workers, and trans people. Harm reduction guides all our interventions. Services include supervised injection site, nurse consultation for those who use drugs by injection and/or inhalation, sex workers, and trans people, and distribution of sterile equipment.

1300 rue Sanguinet (Office)
1244 rue Berger (Supervised
Injection Site)
See schedule on their website
(514) 847-0067
cactusmontreal.org
info@cactusmontreal.org
English and French

Dopamine (supervised injection site)

Dopamine est un organisme communautaire situé dans le quartier Hochelaga-Maisonneuve qui, depuis 20 ans, a pour mandat









d'accueillir, soutenir et accompagner les personnes consommant des psychotropes, leur entourage et la population en général du quartier et des secteurs environnants, dans un cadre de prévention du VIH/Sida, hépatites et autres ITSS (infections transmises sexuellement et par le sang). Services include supervised injection site, monthly medical services such as vaccinations, gynecological exams, and STI testing.

3591 Sainte-Catherine Street E (Drop-in Centre) Mon-Fri 9am-4:30pm, Wed 9am-12pm 4205 Ontario E (supervised injection site) Open 7 days a week 8pm-1am (514) 251-8872 dopamine.ca info@dopamine.ca **English and French**

confusion, anxiety, distress, suicidal ideas. Concerned family & friends are also welcome to contact us.

24/7 (514) 483-3033 tracom.ca **English and French**

McGill Nightline

McGill Students' Nightline is a confidential, anonymous and non-judgmental listening service, run by McGill students, providing the community with a variety of support. This includes anything from information to crisis management and referrals. Support available by phone or by chat via the website. Open to all. During the semester only.

Everyday 6pm-3am (514) 398-6246 ssmu.mcgill.ca/nightline English

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Hotlines

Suicide Action Montreal

Offers support services, crisis workers and monitoring for people who are at risk of committing suicide, for their friends and family, and for people affected by suicide.

(1-866) 277-3553 (toll-free) (514) 723-4000 suicideactionmontreal.org English and French

Tracom Crisis Centre

Offers free, confidential, and bilingual 24/7 crisis phone line for individuals with feelings of

Mental Health

Argyle Institute

Non-profit organization offering therapy on a sliding scale. Sliding scale option available upon proof of income. Insurance receipts available. Physically accessible. Registration fee of \$35.

4150 Sainte Catherine St, 3rd floor Suite 328 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 931-5629 ext 1 argyleinstitute.org info@argyleinstitute.org **English and French**







BIPOC Therapists in Montreal

bipocmentalhealth.tumblr.com/list

Concordia Applied Psychology Centre

Therapy, psychological services and school evaluations for children, adolescents, adults and families. Neuropsychological evaluations for children only. Services are provided by psychology interns and psychologists. Physically accessible. From September to April. Open to all. Sliding scale.

7141 Sherbrooke Street W, Room PY-111 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 7550 apc@concordia.ca By appointment only English and French

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Concordia Counselling & Psychological Services

Free one-on-one short term counselling to individuals dealing with psychological and emotional issues and academic and vocational challenges. Both locations are physically accessible. For Concordia students only.

1550 de Maisonneuve W, room GM-300 (SGW campus) Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 3545 7141 Sherbrooke St. W, room AD-103 (Loyola campus) Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 3555 concordia.ca/students/counselling English and French

McGill Student Wellness Hub

Free one-on-one short term counselling to individuals

dealing with psychological and emotional issues and academic and vocational challenges. Both locations are physically accessible. For McGill students only.

3600 McTavish, Brown Student Services Building (Downtown campus) Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm (514) 398-6017 21111 Lakeshore Road, Centennial Centre, Suite 124 (Macdonald campus) Mon-Thurs 9am-4:30pm (514) 398-7992 (Macdonald campus) mcgill.ca/wellness-hub English and French

McGill Peer Support Center

The Peer Support Centre offers free, drop-in, confidential and non-judgemental peer-to-peer support and resource referral to McGill students. Check website for hours.

3480 Rue McTavish, room 411, SSMU building 514-398-3782 ssmu.mcgill.ca/psc mcgill.psc@gmail.com English and French

MTL Healing Space

This is a Montreal based self-help community group where people can share resources about healing, personal growth, and health/illness. Members are encouraged to share resources, questions, articles, and events that can support their healing work. We honour and invite folks that have been marginalized/feel invisible by Western institutions and frameworks of health/medicine/wellness. Facebook group.

parneetchohanmtl@gmail.com English



Trauma

AASK Montreal

Community action group. Our focus as a collective is to work towards self-education and skill—haring within the music and arts community. Accessible, entry-level education & training, helping each other learn. Knowledge, skill sharing and resources available. The collective hopes to facilitate a dialogue between show—goers, venues, promoters & musicians, address problems of discrimination and oppression.

aaskmontreal.tumblr.com

Circles Collective

Community action group. A resource and letter of solidarity to fellow survivors. Their mandate focuses on reconstructing what it means to heal collectively from trauma and be resilient in the face of oppression and violence. Provides resources, coping tools, workshops, conflict de-escalation facilitation and reading materials. Facebook page

circlescommunityresponse@gmail.com

Entraide pour Hommes

Individual counselling for men experiencing a crisis, depression, situations of conjugal violence or abuse. They also offer services for people who have been violent or have committed abuse. Address is confidential, call for location. Physically accessible. Some costs offered at sliding scale. Maximum of 15 sessions.

(450) 651-4447 entraidepourhommes.org English and French

The Office for Sexual Violence Response, Support and Education

The Office for Sexual Violence Response, Support and Education (OSVRSE) provides confidential, non-judgmental and non-directional support to those who have been impacted by sexual or gender-based violence. We offer support to all members of the McGill community (students, faculty, and staff) who have been impacted by sexual violence, whether it be sexual harassment or assault, gender-based or intimate partner violence, or cyberviolence on or off campus. Services are provided regardless of gender, sexual orientation, age, citizenship or immigration status, and of when it happened.

550 Sherbrooke O, Suite 585 (514) 398-3954 mcgill.ca/osvrse osvrse@mcgill.ca English and French

Rest to Resist

Mindfulness & Meditation for QTIBIPOC changemakers, artists, activists, abuse survivors, and their allies. Friends, fellow travelers & seekers welcome.

Services d'aide aux conjoints

Provides assistance to men living in difficult situations. They provide individual and group support. This service also provides help to men who have









been violent or abusive. Trans, LGBTQQIA2S+ & BIPOC friendly.

Address is confidential, call for location. Mon-Fri 12pm-6 pm 7 days a week 10am-10pm (helpline) (514) 384-6296 serviceaideconjoints.org English and French

Sexual Assault Centre of the McGill Students' Society

Support groups are offered based on demand throughout the school semester. Provides an accessible, non-judgmental, and safer space for members of many different communities and identifications. Clients will be matched with a group that suits their needs. Physically accessible. Free. Open to all. Hours updated weekly on website.

212 680 Sherbrooke, Ground Floor (514) 398-8500 sacomss.org main@sacomss.org supportgroups@sacomss.org English

Sexual Assault Resource Centre at Concordia University (SARC)

SARC provides confidential and nonjudgmental support and services to Concordia University students, staff and faculty of all genders and orientations who have been affected by sexual violence and/or harassment. They also offer group meetings for survivors.

1455 De Maisonneuve Blvd W, room H-645 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 848-2424 x 3461 Physically accessible. Free. Open to all. English concordia.ca/students/sexual-assault sarc@concordia.ca

Third Eye Collective See BIPOC Resources section







HOUSING + TENANT SERVICES

Comité BAILS

Le Comité de base pour l'action et l'information sur le logement social d'Hochelaga-Maisonneuve (Comité BAILS HM) contribue à la promotion du logement social et la défense collective des droits des mal-logés. Le Comité BAILS HM offre les services suivants : atelier d'information sur le logement social: inscription sur les listes de HLM et Coopératives d'habitation: mise sur pied de comités de requérante) s pour les projets de Coop; suivi et support; listes de demandeurs de Coop pour les coopératives d'habitation qui sont à la recherche de personnes. Frais d'inscription: \$3 pour la carte de membre

1475-1 Rue Bennett (514) 522-1817 logement-hochelaga-maisonneuve.org info@comite-bails.org

Comité Logement du Plateau Mont-Royal

Le CLPMR a pour mission la défense des droits des locataires et des mal-logé.e.s du Plateau Mont-Royal, la promotion du logement social (COOP, HLM et OSBL) comme une des alternatives au marché privé locatif et le regroupement et la mobilisation des locataires, des membres et des résidant.e.s du pmR afin de faire avancer leurs droits. Que ce soit pour obtenir de l'information sur vos droits et recours en tant que locataire, pour vous impliquer

pour le droit au logement en participant à nos actions collectives ou nos activités de vie associative, n'hésitez pas à nous téléphoner!

4450 Rue Saint-Hubert, Local 328 Mon 9am-12pm & 1:30pm-5pm, Tues 9am-12pm, Wed-Thurs 9am-12pm & 1:30pm-5pm (514) 527-3495 clpmr.com

Comité d'Action de Parc Extension (CAPE)

Le CAPE offre de l'information et de l'appui aux résident-e-s du quartier Parc-Extension sur toute question concernant les droits et les obligations du locataire et du propriétaire. Nous offrons des rencontres individuelles au bureau ou par téléphone. Nous offrons également une aide à la rédaction de demandes, des visites de logement, un accompagnement à la Régie du logement. All our services are free and confidential.

419 Rue St-Roch, basement, Room SS03 (514) 278-6028 comitedactionparcex.org cape@cooptel.qc.ca French, English and Spanish

HOJO

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The CSU's Off Campus Housing and Job Bank is your on-campus resource on housing issues and workers' rights. We provide legal information to students, offer a classifieds website to find work and housing, and give workshops







across campus and in the community. Visiting HOJO does not require an appointment.

1455 de Maisonneuve Blvd West, H-224 (SGW campus) Mon-Thurs 10am-6pm, Fri 11am-4pm (SGW campus) 7141 Sherbrooke Street W, Central Building CC-426 (Loyola campus) (514) 848-7474 x 7935 hojo.csu.qc.ca hojo@csu.qc.ca

P.O.P.I.R.

P.O.P.I.R. offre une ligne d'information gratuite et confidentielle qui permet aux locataires de se renseigner sur leurs droits et obligations. De plus, sur rendez-vous, il est 214 possible de rencontrer un intervenant à nos bureaux. Lors de cette rencontre, nous pourrons vous aider à rédiger une lettre pour votre propriétaire, vous aider à remplir une demande à la Régie du logement ou vous préparer à une audience. Toutefois, le P.O.P.I.R. ne peut vous fournir un avocat qui pourrait vous représenter devant les tribunaux. Services are for residents of Saint-Henri, Petite-Bourgogne, Côte-Saint-Paul, and Ville-Émard only.

Durant ses heures d'ouverture, le

2515 Rue Delisle, Local 209 (514) 935-4649 popir.org info@popir.org

Project Genesis

Drop-in Storefront offers free-ofcharge, confidential help in areas such as housing, welfare, pensions, and family allowances. Our services are available to everyone. For example, we do not refuse service based on immigration status, age, religion, country of origin, neighbourhood in which you live, income or housing situation. Check website for opening hours.

4735 Côte Ste Catherine Road (514) 738-2036 genese.qc.ca

Find a place to live on Facebook:

There are tons of facebook groups dedicated to subletting, lease transfers and finding roommates. Use these groups to find cheap housing (fight gentrification!) or safer space homes. Some of our favs include: cession de bail et sous—location montréal (general lease transfer + sublet group), J'te cède mon bail — Montréal, (lease transfers), Chez Queer (see LGBTQ+ resouces), and search Facebook for more!







LABOUR (IN)JUSTICE

Unions

MUNACA

The members of MUNACA are nonacademic staff at McGill who support students and faculty by providing services such as library services, administrative support, academic counseling, payroll services, lab technicians, and many more.

munaca.com reception@munaca.com

AMUSE

The Association of McGill University Support Employees (AMUSE) is a labour union that represents 'casual' or 'temporary' non-academic employees at McGill, as well as Floor Fellows in student residences. This includes both students and non-students, working in part-time and some full-time positions. In total, our approximately 1500-strong members make up about 55% of McGill's non-academic employees. For more information, support, or ways to get involved:

amusemcgill.org communications.amuse@gmail.com

AMURE

AMURE is the Association of McGill University Research Employees that represents casual research assistants, research assistants and research associates working at McGill. We signed our first collective agreement for research assistants and associates with McGill in April 2013.

aerum-amure.ca sean.cory@aerum-amure.ca

AGSEM

The Association of Graduate Students Employed at McGill is a Union of McGill's Teaching Assistants and Invigilators. Our mandate is to protect and improve the working conditions of our members and campaign for quality education at our University. AGSEM members encountering problems in their workplace have access to confidential advice about their rights and representation should they wish to pursue a grievance. AGSEM also has a mandate to help non-unionized teaching support workers (e.g. graders, undergraduate course assistants, etc.) to organize.

agsem.ca mail@agsem-aeedem.ca







Working Groups

Lakas Paggawa (Labour Power)

Exploitation does not stop at permanent residency. The immigration-sponsored children of former migrant workers (LCP) are joining the workforce in Canada. They have become a new source of cheap labour for the Canadian capitalist class. Where will their future take them as they struggle for the economic well-being of their families? Lakas Pagawa will pool together young Filipino workers and provide them with the venue and resources to start fighting back. "Social transformation, not integration!" is the fighting call of the day.

216 project.anakbayan@gmail.com

Temporary Agency Workers Association (TAWA)

The Temporary Agency Workers Association is a workers collective actively engaged in mobilizing temporary agency workers to unite against workplace injustice. TAWA works to end unfair temporary agency practices and ensure quality workplace standards that foster respect, equality, and security for temporary agency worker communities.

iwc-cti.ca iwc_cti@yahoo.com

Find a Job

BIPOC Employment and Skill Share Zone

See BIPOC Specific Resources

Concordia Career and Planning Services

CAPS can help you find a career related job or internship. Figure out your career path and what to do with your degree. Get individualized assistance and find the career resources you need to reach your goals!

2070 Rue Mackay, H-745 (SGW campus) 7141 Rue Sherbrooke W, AD-103 (Loyola campus) (514) 848-2424 x 7345 concordia.ca/students/success/ career-planning-services

Jobs & Things Mailing List

A monthly listserv of opportunities maintained by Shanice Nicole.

tinyletter.com/shanicenicole

McGill Career Planning Service

CaPS offers workshops on resume/cover letter—writing, how to find a job and interview skills as well as "myfuture" online job listings, career fairs, speaker series from various career fields, mentoring and CV/Advising drop-in. If you are seeking employment or if you need help planning for the future, CaPS also provides individual appointments with experienced career advisors designed to help you explore your









career options, including graduate and professional schools, as well as the Program for the Advancement of Career Exploration (PACE), a series of four workshops involving vocational testing and self-assessment. Both locations are physically accessible.

3600 McTavish St, Brown Building, Suite 2200 (Downtown campus) Mon-Fri from 9am-5pm (514) 398-3304 21111 Lakeshore Road, Centennial Centre (Macdonald campus) Mon-Fri from 9am-4:30pm (514) 398-7582 mcgill.ca/caps caps.myfuture.mcgill.ca careers.caps@mcgill.ca English and French

MTL Freakfam Jobby Jobzzz

Job callouts with accessibility information and LGBTQIA2S+ inclusivity. For freaks only.

Facebook group.

LEGAL SERVICES

Concordia Student Union Legal Information Clinic

Free legal information for Concordia undergraduate students. No court representation available. Loyola location closed during summer.

1455 de Maisonneuve Blvd W, Room H-729 (Downtown campus) 7141 Sherbrooke Street W, room CC-426 (Loyola campus) Mon-Fri 1pm-5pm (514) 848-7474 x 7375 csu.qc.ca/services/lic legalclinic@csu.qc.ca English and French

Head & Hands

Legal Coordinator available for youth. Provide information and referrals for a variety of legal issues including tenant rights, labor law, family law, youth protection, debts and ticketing. Legal clinic available for adults to access advice and/or information from volunteer lawyers.

Free. Suggested donation of \$20 for youth legal services. For more services, see Health & Wellness section. (514) 481-0277 headandhands.ca legal@headandhands.ca

Educaloi

Online resources explaining the law in everyday language

educaloi.qc.ca

McGill Information Clinic

Student-run, free legal information service. Provides legal information, referral and community services,









LGBTQ+

with a commitment to meeting the needs of marginalized groups. Also offers student advocacy services and a Commissioner of Oaths service. Physically accessible. Free and open to all. Provides legal information but not legal advice.

680 Sherbrooke Street, Suite 150 (514) 398-6792 (info) (514) 398-4384 (student advocacy) licm.mcgill.ca
English and French

Mile End Legal Clinic

Legal consultations. Free. No court representation available.

99 Bernard Street W, Mile-End Community Mission (Mile-End) Wed 4pm-7pm (514) 507-3054 justicemontreal.org info@melc.ca English and French

Outrage au tribunal / Contempt of Court legal clinic

A project by and for people active in social movements with the goal of supporting people facing legal repression as a result of political/activist actions. Our project is based on solidarity and we intend to complement existing legal support initiatives. Provides individual support and workshops.

outrageautribunal.net English and French

Aide aux transsexuelles et transsexuels du Québec (ATQ)

L'ATQ offre des différentes activités, conférences, groupes de rencontre, diffusion d'information et levées de fonds. L'ATQ offre aussi une ligne d'écoute et de référence, ainsi que des groupes de soutien.

Adresse est confidentielle, communiquer par téléphone/courriel pour avoir accès. (1-855) 909-9038 (sans frais) atq1980.org ecoute@atq1980.org Français

l'Astérisk

A friendly, non-commercial space where LGBTQ+ and questioning youth have access to information, services and a variety of activities. It is also a place where youth under 25 years old can find the support of an intervention team and peer support. Free, confidential & anonymous. The space does not conform to barrier-free design standards. Ages 14-25.

1575 Rue Amherst (514) 523-0977 lasterisk.com lasterisk@coalitionjeunesse.org English and French

ASTT(e)Q Montréal

ASTT(e)Q is run by and for trans people. Offers peer support, advocacy, education, outreach, and community empowerment. Free or PWYC unless otherwise specified. Free transit fare for visitors, home visits & prison visits.

1300 Sanguinet, 2nd floor (Office entrance at 300 Ste-Catherine E) (514) 8470067 x 207 astteq.org info@asteqq.org English, French and Spanish









The Centre for Gender Advocacy

The Centre for Gender Advocacy is an independent, student-funded, Concordia University organization, mandated to promote gender equality and empowerment, particularly as it relates to marginalized communities. We believe that gender oppression is inextricably linked to social and economic justice and work to achieve our mandate within a feminist framework that challenges systemic oppressions. Through ongoing programming, campaigns, resources, services, and advocacy, the Centre for Gender Advocacy works in support of and in solidarity with social movements, provides confidential peer-to-peer support. collaborates with volunteers, and provides an accessible space to facilitate community organizing and action, all while promoting gender self-determination, bodily sovereignty, and self-love.

2100 Guy St, suite 205 (514) 937-2110 (Programming and Campaigns) (514) 848-2424 x 7431 (General, Peer Support and Trans Advocacy) genderadvocacy.org info@genderadvocacy.org

Chez Queer Montréal

This is a group for all the queers and queer allies of Montreal to help you find lovely housemates and safe, happy homes. Post ads if you're looking for a place to stay, a new roommate, a sublet, or just folks to start a new home with. Intersectional and accessible. Facebook group.

Échange Q

Queer friendly job openings, trades, Queer community projects to get off the ground, requests for info on queer–friendly services, etc. Facebook group.

Gai-Écoute

Helpline and information centre for people concerned with questions related to sexual orientation and gender identity. They also offer online chat support as well as email support.

24/7 (1 888) 505-1010 (sans frais) (514) 866-0103 gaiecoute.org aide@gaiecoute.org English and French

Jeunesse Lambda

Jeunesse Lambda est un groupe francophone de discussion et d'activités par et pour les jeunes LGBTQ+ ou en questionnement de 14-25 ans. C'est un organisme à but non-lucratif (OSBL) qui a été créé par des jeunes LGBTQ+ voyant dans l'entraide par les pairs et la socialisation la réponse aux questions de coming-out et d'acceptation. Free, confidential & anonymous. The space does not conform to barrier-free design standards. Ages 14-25.

1575 Rue Amherst (514) 528-7535 facebook.com/JLAMBDA.MTL info@jeunesselambda.org Francais





Montreal Queer Spoon Share

Facilitate community-based care in Montreal (traditional territory of the Kanien'keha:ka or Mohawk people) and to connect queer folks who, due to illness, injury, disability, or any other life challenge, are in temporary or long-term need of help. This group is open to anyone who self-identifies as queer, but is centered around queer folks with disabilities. Facebook group

Project 10

Project 10 works to promote the personal, social, sexual and mental well being of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, transsexual, two-spirit, intersex and questioning youth. Free, confidential & anonymous. Building is not equipped with ramps. Ages 14-25.

1575 Rue Atateken Thurs 1pm-6pm (drop-in) (514) 989-0001 p10.qc.ca questions@p10.qc.ca English and French

Queer Gatherings

Gathering queer stories, organizing queer gatherings. We aim to facilitate intergenerational dialogue within Montreal's LGBTQIA2S+ community through discussions, celebration, arts & skillsharing.

facebook.com/queergatherings queerhomecoming@gmail.com

Queer McGill

Discussion groups, social activities for McGill students and non-students. Home to many resources including BUT not limited to an incredible anglo queer-specific library, safer sex supplies, microwave and refrigerator.

3471 rue Peel, Room 303 Mon-Fri 10am-5pm queermcgill.org admin.qm@gmail.com English and French

Queer Concordia

On-campus resource centre, library and safe space for those who are queer, lesbian, gay, trans, two-spirited, bisexual, asexual, intersex, questioning and allies. Holds events and workshops for queer and queer-friendly students over the course of each academic year. Stocked with safer sex and reproductive health needs.

2020 Mackay, Suite P-102 (514) 848-7414 facebook.com/QueerConcordia queerconcordia@gmail.com

RÉZO

RÉZO is a community-based organization for trans, gay and bisexual men in Montreal whose focus is overall health promotion as well as the prevention of HIV/AIDS and other sexually transmitted infections (STIs). Programs and services include workshops, discussion groups, counselling, accompaniment and support for gay or bisexual men who are coming out, information and answers about safer sex and sexual health, HIV and STI testing and vaccination against hepatitis









A and B. Free condoms are also available. Near Metro Beaudry. Free.

2075 Plessis, Room 207 (514) 521-7778 rezosante.org info@rezosante.org French, English, and Spanish

Santé Trans Health

Works to promote health and social justice for Trans people in Quebec. Health guidebook is available free of charge through their website.

santetranshealth.org English and French

Taking What We Need

Taking What We Need is an informal collective organizing to fight for the lives of our sisters and ourselves. We acknowledge and abhor the reality that many transfeminine people face on a daily basis, falling at the intersections of poverty, racism, misogyny, social isolation, and colonial violence. Taking What We Need's primary mission is to empower our sisters through discretionary funding and build solidarity within our community by collectively resisting transmisogyny.

facebook.com/takingwhatweneed takingwhatweneed@gmail.com

Union for Gender Empowerment

A trans-positive and anti-racist feminist organization. We coordinate an alternative library, including zines; a co-op stocking pay-what-you-can ecologically responsible menstrual products, safer sex and drug supplies, nursing equipment as well as gender empowerment

items for transmasculine and transfeminine folks. The UGE also holds anti-oppressive community events in so-called Montreal. Our office and lounge space is accessible to folks who use wheelchairs & is a safe(r) space for people of all genders, and is equipped with a microwave, a fridge for nursing milk, dishes, a kettle, and lots of tea! Stop by to eat lunch and hang out! Contact us for more info!

680 Rue Sherbrooke Ouest, 1st floor, Room 150D (514) 398-2569 facebook.com/UGEMcGill ugecollective@gmail.com









MEDIA

Radical Libraries

Anarchives

Le collectif Anarchives vise à construire une mémoire des luttes qui ont marqué l'histoire politique du Québec, dans l'objectif d'un dialogue vivant avec les mouvements sociaux contemporains. Basé à la Médiathèque Littéraire Gaëtan Dostie, le collectif dispose d'un important fonds d'archives provenant de différentes collections, et mis à disposition du public.

anarchives@riseup.net

Concordia's Fine Arts Reading Room

222 The Fine Arts Reading Room is a student-run library and resource centre. We offer access to computers, printing, and loans from our collection of historical and contemporary art publications. We also provide students with funding through our annual residency project as well as small publishing grants.

1515 Sainte Catherine W, EV-2.785 Mon-Thurs 10am-7pm, Fri 10am-6pm (514) 848 2424 x 5633 Readingroom.concordia.ca farrconcordia@gmail.com

La Déferle + La Mandragore

Un espace social anarchiste dont une bibliothèque en libre service qui rend disponible, pour emprunt, des ouvrages variés sur, entre autres, l'anarchisme, le féminisme, la philosophie, l'histoire, la sociologie, différents mouvements de rébellion et courants de pensée et de nombreux autres sujets. La Mandragore est un collectif qui met en partage à La Déferle une bibliothèque de quelques centaines de titres féministes et queer.

1407 Valois Street lamandragore.xyz au1407.org

DIRA

Anarchist library

2035 Boulevard St. Laurent (438) 928-2728 bibliothequedira.wordpress.com

Montreal's Alternative Libraries Database

alternativelibraries.org

QPIRG Concordia Alternative Library

QPIRG Concordia Alternative Library is a free library that is committed to fulfilling the QPIRG Concordia mandate, which aims to promote social and environmental justice.

2100 Rue Guy suite 205 Mon-Thurs 12pm-6pm (514) 848-7585 (QPIRG office) qpirgconcordia.org/librarycirculation

QPIRG McGill Resource Centre

Dedicated to providing hard-tofind books, periodicals, media, and zines that contribute to QPIRG McGill's anti-oppression mandate and support its working groups. Not physically accessible.

3647 University 3rd floor Mon-Thurs 12pm-6pm qpirgmcgill.org/resources/ alternative-resource-library library.qpirgmcgill@gmail.com









Buy Books From Local, Independent Bookstores & Bookfairs

Argo

Montreal's oldest independent English-language bookstore

1915 Ste. Catherine W (514) 931-3442 argobookshop.ca info@argobookshop.ca

The Concordia Community Solidarity Co-op Bookstore

The Concordia Community Solidarity Co-op Bookstore is a fiercely independent not-for-profit bookstore located in Montréal's downtown core. We specialize in Race, Class, and Gender Studies, Sustainable Development, Graphic Novels, and a bunch of quirky weirdness. We've been serving our community for going on 15 years, offering services such as a Consignment Service for Used Textbooks and Artisanal wares (zines, T-shirts, etc), as well as Special Orders, an Event Space, and Bookseller Services. A lifetime membership (which brings with it member-discounted prices!) will set you back \$10 (\$5 for Concordia undergraduates).

2150 Bishop Street (514) 848-2046 (Store) (514) 848-7445 (Office) facebook.com/ConcordiaCoopBookstore co-opbookstore.ca coopbookstore@gmail.com

Librairie Drawn & Quarterly

Drawn & Quarterly has grown from a single-issue magazine to an internationally renowned publisher of the world's best cartoonists. 2 locations.

211 Rue Bernard Ouest Open every day 10am-9pm (514) 279-2224 176 Bernard Ouest Open every day 10am-7pm (514) 279-2279 mtl.drawnandquarterly.com

Librairie l'Euguélionne

Librairie spécialisée féministe. Littérature des femmes, LGBPT2QIA, jeunesse.

1426 Rue Beaudry (514) 522-4949 librairieleuguelionne.com info@librairieleuguelionne.com

l'Insoumise

Anarchist bookstore.

2033 Boulevard St. Laurent (514) 313-3489 insoumise.wordpress.com

Maison Norman Bethune

Communist bookstore.

9697 Boul. Saint-Laurent, Local 303 Sat 12pm-5pm (514) 563-1487 maisonnormanbethune.ca info@MaisonNormanBethune.ca









Montreal Anarchist Bookfair Collective

The Montreal Anarchist Bookfair, and month-long Festival of Anarchy, bring together anarchist ideas and practice, through words, images, music, theatre, and day-to-day struggles for justice, dignity, and collective liberation. The Bookfair and Festival are as much for people who don't necessarily consider themselves anarchists, but are curious about anarchism, as they are spaces for anarchists to meet, network, and share in a spirit of respect and solidarity. All are welcome!

anarchistbookfair.ca info@salonanarchiste.ca

224 Queer Between the Covers (QBTC)

The QBTC bookfair collective aims to provide access to queer-written materials in Tio'tia:ke, aka Montréal, prioritizing traditionally marginalized voices and a variety of queer experiences. QBTC participates in local literary events, maintains a year-round distro, and organizes an annual book fair as part of Pervers/cité, the alternative pride festival. Through this work we aim to create spaces that foster the growth of new and existing queer communities. We are supported by QPIRG Concordia.

queerbetweenthecovers.org queerbetweenthecovers@gmail.com

Racines

Littérature diverse, par et sur les communautés racisé.e.s.

5118 Charleroi facebook.com/racinesmontreal racinesmontreal@gmail.com

The Word

Independent, second-hand bookstore close to McGill campus, with a great history. Browse the \$1 bin outside.

469 Milton Street (514) 845-5640 wordbookstore.ca wordbook@securenet.net

On the Radio

CJLO

CJLO 1690AM is Concordia University's one and only radio station. 100% non-profit and run almost entirely by volunteers, the station is located in the heart of the Lovola campus in the NDG borough of Montréal. Our on-air personalities are the backbone of the station and there are over eighty DJs spinning for your listening pleasure. Whether you are interested in Rock, Alt, Hip-Hop, Electronic, Punk, Metal, Jazz, Blues, Country, or Talk and Sports, CJLO has something for you, and is always looking for more on-air talent!

cjlo.com







CKUT

CKUT is McGill's kickass campus-community radio station. CKUT broadcasts live on *90.3FM* and can be live-streamed or downloaded on our website. Our programming covers very diverse musical genres, news, arts, and culture. As a non-commercial alternative media source, the content vou hear on our airwaves is unlike what you get from mainstream media. The best part is that McGill students and Montréal community members just like you create all of our programming! If you want to get involved, come up to 3647 University. We have orientations every first Thursday of the month at noon, 3pm, and 6pm. There's a wealth of knowledge, skills, and hands-on-experience to be gained at CKUT. Come by and learn all about radio, podcasting, audio editing, and much more!

ckut.ca

Film & Television

Cinema Politica

Cinema Politica is a Montréal-based non-profit media arts network of community and campus locals that screens independent political film and video by Canadian and international artists throughout Montréal, Canada, and abroad. Cinema Politica is very active in Montréal! Check out our weekly Monday screenings from September to April at Concordia, other screenings at UQAM, McGill, and in Villeray, and find more information about our special events on our website.

cinemapolitica.org/montreal

Concordia University Television (CUTV)

Concordia University Television is a not-for-profit community organization and a Concordia University based television station specializing in visual media creation. CUTV gives its members access to professionally equipped television and audio recording spaces, media creation equipment and editing suites, as well as industry workshops, training and production meetings for its members. CUTV also offers hands-on training to beginners and provides advanced filmmakers with the means to realize their ideas.

cutvmontreal.com

Médias Libres

Médias Libres est un collectif qui vise à promouvoir des discours médiatiques alternatifs. Nous travaillons tant à la production, qu'à la diffusion de projets médiatiques porteurs d'une perspective originale et critique. Nous oeuvrons également au réseautage des médias indépendants. Notre démarche est inclusive et nous croyons à l'échange de connaissances et à l'horizontalité des rapports interpersonnels.

medias libres.uqam@gmail.com

Projections Insurgées

Formed in so-called Montreal during the spring of 2014 by Medi@s
Libres, subMedia.tv and Ni Québec,
Ni Canada, the folks who inhabit
Projections Insurgées continue to recognize the vital importance of radical independent media and still work to build places where









beautiful and dangerous ideas can live. We continue to organize screenings in various venues around the city based on anti-capitalist, anti-colonial, anti-patriarchal and anti-authoritarian principles.

projectionsinsurgees.wordpress.com

Refus Global Now

Média indépendant et boîte de production pro-intersectionnels. Nos luttes sont antispécistes, antiracistes, antifascistes, féministes, anticolonialistes, anticapitalistes, 2SLGBTQIA+, anticapacitistes, anticlassistes. Nous voulons la libération humaine et animale. Notre page se veut un manifeste pour la libération de tou.te.s et une plateforme pour les générations à venir.

facebook.com/reglonow refusglobalnow@gmail.com

subMedia.tv

subMedia is a video production ensemble, which aims to promote anarchist and anti-capitalist ideas, and aid social struggles through the dissemination of radical films and videos. Founded in 1994, subMedia has produced hundreds of videos on everything from anti-globalization protests to films about shoplifting. Our films have been screened around the world in social centers and movie theaters and have been watched by millions on the internet.

facebook.com/subMedia sub.media trouble@sub.media

In Print

McGill Daily

The McGill Daily, in production for over 100 years, is an on-campus independent newspaper run entirely by students. Our aim is to report on issues taking place on campus and beyond, through an intersectional lens that prioritizes the voices of marginalised people and communities. We publish in print on Mondays, and produce online content throughout the week, alongside weekly radio segments for CKUT 90.3 FM. McGill students are welcome to get involved! Give us a call, email us, or drop by our office to talk to our editors.

680 Sherbrooke, Suite 724 (514) 398-6790 mcgilldaily.com coordinating@mcgilldaily.com

Le Délit

Le Délit français, ou plus simplement Le Délit, est le seul journal francophone de l'université McGill au Canada. Il a été créé en 1977 pour donner une voix aux étudiants de langue française. Le Délit est distribué gratuitement sur le campus de l'université McGill tous les mardis.

680 Sherbrooke, Suite 724 (514) 398-6790 delitfrancais.com rec@delitfrancais.com

F WORD

F WORD is a biannual publication featuring various kinds of original visual and written content that









discusses feminism(s). We recognize the many contexts and implications of current-day feminism(s) and aim to productively expand the conversation around these feminism(s).

fwordmtl.com fwordpublication@gmail.com

Rad Online Resources

MTL Counter-Info

A platform that publishes texts, images, and videos that are submitted to it, usually anonymously. The site does not represent any group or organization. We invite widespread contributions from people and groups engaged in struggles against systems of domination.

mtlcounter-info.ora

Queering the Map

Queering the Map is a community-generated mapping project that geo-locates queer moments, memories and histories in relation to physical space. As queer life becomes increasingly less centered around specific neighborhoods and the buildings within them, notions of 'queer spaces' become more abstract and less tied to concrete geographical locations. The intent of the Queering the Map project is to collectively document the spaces that hold queer memory, from park benches to parking garages, to mark moments of queerness wherever they occur.

queeringthemap.com
Concordia University

PARENT RESOURCES

Student Parents Centre

A child-friendly space on campus that offers a computer lab, kitchen, nursery (with toys and games), and a lounge for student parents and their children. Does not provide childcare.

1410 Guy St, Room 24 Mon-Fri 10am-6pm (514) 848-2424 x 2431 cusp.concordia.ca cusp@concordia.ca English

McGill Family Care

Provides information about various aspects of family care to the entire McGill community

(514) 398-5645 mcgill.ca/familycare family.coordinator@mcgill.ca English

Montreal Childcare Collective

The Childcare Collective offers strategic childcare in response to the fact that childcare is frequently overlooked and underappreciated. We aim to assist parents, caregivers, youth, and children, including but not limited to low-income communities, non-status and immigrant communities, communities of colour, and queer and trans communities.

montrealchildcarecollective.com childcarecollective@gmail.com

PGSS Study Sundays

Post Graduate Student Society members with child dependents have the opportunity to complete academic work while their children are cared for in the same building









by trained volunteers once a month. There will be organized activities to entertain the children. Morning snack and drink provided. Must be a PGSS member. Children 2 and up.

3650 McTavish, Room 401, Thompson House (514) 398-3756 pgss.mcgill.ca/en/family-care membership.pgss@mail.mcgill.ca

Première Resource

Free counselling line for parents, parental figures & children concerning family issues.

Mon-Fri 9am-4:30pm (1-866) 329-4223 premiereressource.com English and French

for parents to share experiences and resources as well as their hopes and fears. Physically accessible.

3465 Benny Ave Wed & Fri 12pm-3:30pm (514) 481-0277 headandhands.ca ypp_pjp@headandhands.ca **English and French**

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A privately run, non-profit group from SSMU which offers full-time childcare to up to 8 infants of less than 18 months old, and 32 children 18 months and older. Subsidized by the Québec Government and partly funded by McGill University undergraduate student fees. Parents pay \$8.25 per day. Physically accessible. McGill students only. Priority to undergraduate McGill students.

3600 McTavish, suite 2300 (514) 398-8590 daycare.ssmu.ca English and French

Young Parents Program

Part of Heads & Hands. A place for parents or parents-to-be under the age of 25 to meet and connect with other parents in a friendly, casual, and inviting atmosphere. A space







RESOURCES FOR REFUGEES/NON STATUS/NEWCOMERS/IMMIGRANTS

Action gay, lesbienne, bisexuelle, trans et queer pour immigrants et réfugiés (agir)

Offers services, information, programs and resources, in addition to protecting and defending the legal, social and economic rights of migrants (asylum seekers, refugees, immigrants, and those with undetermined status). By appointment only.

2075 rue Plessis, Bureau 311 English, French and Spanish agirmontreal.org

Action Réfugiés Montréal

We seek justice for asylum seekers and refugees. We promote partnerships among refugees, faith communities and society at large for mutual empowerment. Through our programs we provide hope and assistance while raising awareness of refugee rights.

1439 Ste. Catherine W, Suite 2 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (514) 935-7799 actionr.org info@actionr.org English and French

Comité d'action des personnes sans-status / Nonstatus Action Committee

The Non-Status Action Committee was created to oppose the possible deportation of Haitians and Zimbabweans living in Canada and previously protected by a moratorium on deportations. Since the lifting of the moratorium, we advocate for the rejection of a case-by-case system and the adoption of an overall measure by the federal and provincial governments, including everyone who is non-status.

comited actions an sstatut@gmail.com

l'Hirondelle

L'Hirondelle est un organisme communautaire qui travaille à l'accueil des nouveaux arrivants et à leur insertion socio-économique en partenariat avec les milieux privés, publics et communautaires.

(514) 281-5696 hirondelle.qc.ca French

Maison Secours aux Femmes de Montréal

Shelter catering specifically to immigrant women and their children experiencing abuse.

For more info, see Shelters section. 24/7

Médecins du Monde

Provides free but limited health services to migrants with no medical coverage, non-status people and people in precarious financial situations. Confidential service. Building is not equipped with a ramp, can request assistance from clinic workers.

560 Boul. Crémazie Est (514) 281-8998 x 246 info@medecinsdumonde.ca medecinsdumonde.ca English and French, possibility to request translation services from volunteers to the clinic.

Multi-écoute

In person counselling by appointment. Listening services & referral service, help with filling out forms, translation and certification of documents, French and English





courses, conversation workshops, integration workshops for immigrants, socio-cultural activities. There are a few steps to go up before being able to access the elevator.

3600 Avenue Barclay, Suite 460 Mon-Fri 9am-12pm & 1pm-5pm (514) 737-3604 multiecoute.org French, English, Spanish and Arabic (phone line) English, French, Persian, and Spanish (counselling)

Primary Care Clinic for Migrants Without Health Coverage

By appointment.

Address is confidential, call for location. (514) 609-4197

230 Programme Régional d'Accueil et d'Intégration des Demandeurs d'Asile (PRAIDA)

Formation et sensibilisation dans la communauté et auprès des professionnels du réseau de

la santé et des services sociaux quant aux besoins spécifiques des demandeurs d'asile.

3725 Rue Saint-Denis (514) 731-8531 French

Solidarity Across Borders

Solidarity Across Borders is a Montréal-based network engaged in the struggle for justice and dignity of immigrants and refugees. We are comprised of migrants and allies, and come together in support of our main demands: status for all, an end to deportations and detentions, and the abolition of double punishment

of migrants with criminal records. We also work towards building a "Solidarity City" in Montréal. Some of us have direct experiences with the immigration and refugee system; some of us come from immigrant backgrounds; all of us organize as part of a collective struggle for justice and dignity. For us, there is no such thing as "illegal" human beings, only unjust laws and illegitimate governments. We organize not on the basis of charity, but on one of solidarity and mutual aid.

solidarityacrossborders.org solidaritesansfrontieres@gmail.com

PINAY

Our mission is to empower Filipino women, and in particular domestic workers, to fight for their basic rights and welfare.

(514) 364-9833 pinayquebec.org info@pinayquebec.org









SERVICES FOR SEX WORKERS

The Feminist Alliance in Solidarity for Sex Workers' Rights (FAS)

A Quebec coalition of individuals and feminist groups working together to support and defend the rights of people working in all sectors of the sex industry.

alliancefeministesolidaire.org alliancefeministesolidaire@gmail.com

Stella

Organization run by and for sex workers that provides support, resources, and information for sex workers as well as a support hotline.

2075 rue Parthenais, Bureau 404, Code 49 for the Door Mon & Wed-Fri 11am-5pm (phone and drop in) (514) 285-8889 (Support Line) (514) 285-1599 (Office) chezstella.org info@chezstella.org English and French

SHELTERS

Assistance aux femmes

Provides shelter for women with children experiencing abuse. Experience in assisting immigrant women. By appointment.

Address is confidential, call for details. 24/7 (514) 270-8291 assistanceauxfemmes.ca information@assistanceauxfemmes.ca English, French and Spanish

Auberge Madeleine

Shelter for homeless women struggling with addiction or who are experiencing abuse. Multiple flights of stairs to access whole facility; not wheelchair accessible.

Address is confidential, call for details. (514) 597-1499 aubergemadeleine.org administration@aubergemadeleine.org English and French

Auberge Shalom

Shelter and counselling/resource office (two separate locations) for women and children who are experiencing or have experienced situations of conjugal violence. Short or longer term counselling includes specialized services such as: for the orthodox Jewish community; legal clinics; community support groups. Shelter follows the Jewish laws of kashrut (food preparation) and observes Jewish holidays.

Address is confidential, call for details. (514) 731–0833 (24/7 support line and shelter) (514) 485–4783 (counselling/resource office) aubergeshalom.org infoaspf@videotron.ca English, French, Hebrew, Yiddish









Chez Doris

Chez Doris offers a daytime shelter 7 days a week for all women in difficulty. The house provides meals, respite, clothing, sociorecreational activities as well as practical assistance in a secure and accepting environment.

1430 Chomedey 7 days a week 8:30am-3pm (514) 937-2341 chezdoris.org info@chezdoris.org

La Maison Grise

Offers shelter for women living in homelessness and experiencing abuse. They also provide assistance in finding affordable housing.

Address is confidential, call for details. 24/7 (514) 722-0009 lamaisongrise.org

info@lamaisongrise.org

Maison Flora Tristan

Provides shelter for immigrant women and children experiencing abuse.

Address is confidential, call for details. (514) 939-3463 maisonfloratristan.com aide@maisonfloratristan.com English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Romanian, Créole, Kinyarwanda, Swahili and Arabic

Le Parados

Free short term shelter for women and children who are experiencing or have experienced conjugal violence. They also support women in their path towards economic, legal and social security.

Address is confidential, call for details. 24/7 (1-800) 363-9010 (toll free) (514) 873-9010 (shelter) (514) 637-3529 (general) leparados.com parados@videotron.ca

Maison secours aux femmes de Montréal

Shelter catering specifically to immigrant women and their children experiencing abuse.

24/7 (514) 593-6353 French, Chinese, Spanish, Arabic, Urdu, Bengali, Hindi and Wolof

Native Women's Shelter of Montréal

Offers support and frontline services to First Nations, Inuit and Métis women and children to promote their empowerment and independence. The NWSM is the only women's shelter in Montréal that provides services exclusively to Indigenous women and their children. The NWSM can accommodate up to 16 women and children per night.

Address is confidential, call for details. 24/7 (1-866) 403-4688 (toll free) (514) 933-4688 nwsm.info nakuset@gmail.com English, French, various Indigenous languages.









SOLIDARITY

The Anti-Capitalist Convergence (CLAC)

The Anti-Capitalist Convergence (CLAC) is a coordination space for the anti-capitalist radical left in Montreal. The CLAC has a mandate to push an anti-capitalist analysis through the organization of campaigns and demonstrations, such as the annual anti-capitalist May Day. The CLAC is a space which is explicitly anti-capitalist, anti-patriarchy, anti-authoritarian, and anti-colonial.

clac-montreal.net info@clac-montreal.net

Barriere Lake Solidarity

We are a network that supports Barriere Lake, an Algonquin community four hours north of Montréal, that has been asserting their decisive role in determining what logging and other activities take place on their traditional territories. This means that the community is able to continue to practice and protect their way of life and language, and to contest impositions by governments and resource extraction companies. We do campaigning to build support for the community and provide various other forms of assistance to community efforts.

barrierelakesolidarity.org barrierelakesolidarity@gmail.com

Bouteloua Collective

Bouteloua collective is made up of four settlers seeking to support indigenous-led resistance against colonial violence by organizing fundraiser benefits. These merge music, visual art, education, and discussion. Their goal is to garner funds while simultaneously showcasing lesser known, marginalized artists from in and around Montreal (Tiohtiá:ke).

facebook.com/BoutelouaCollective/boutelouacollective@gmail.com

CASA

Le Collectif Antispéciste pour la Solidarité Animale (CASA) se donne pour mission de favoriser la réflexion et l'action pour l'égalité animale. L'antispécisme est un projet politique visant l'abolition des pratiques et institutions causant du tort aux animaux non-humains, pour la seule raison qu'ils ne sont pas humains. Nous dénonçons le double standard moral qui s'opère en fonction de l'appartenance d'espèce, fondé sur le mépris de ce que vivent les individus non-humains.

facebook.com/collectifasa

CELLUL

Collectif étudiant de lutte pour des lieux urbains libérés. Le CELLUL entend lutter contre la marchandisation de l'espace public, la gentrification des quartiers, la bétonisation de la ville ainsi que la dérive sécuritaire et la surveillance de nos milieux.

facebook.com/cellul.uqam

Filipino Indigenous People's Organization of Québec (FIPOQ)

FIPOQ is a non-profit grassroots organization. We are networking with other indigenous groups of





Filipinos and non-Filipinos in the community. Our objective is to strengthen and expand network in Québec and around Canada to make our campaigns more visible, more progressive, and more productive.

facebook.com/FIPOQ/

McGill Student Chapter of Independent Jewish Voices

McGill's Student Chapter of IJV is a grassroots student initiative. It aims to create solidarity links between non/anti-Zionist Jewish voices and Palestinian human rights groups in Montréal. McGill IJV promotes dialogue surrounding Jewish diasporic resistance to the Israeli occupation, and empowers critical Jewish voices to take solidarity actions, aiming to achieve justice in Palestine.

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McGill BDS Action Network

We are a grassroots student-led campaign at McGill to answer the call from Palestinian civil society for Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions against Israel.

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Projet accompagnement solidarité Colombie (PASC)

Le PASC est un collectif qui est né suite aux grandes mobilisations contre la Zone de Libre-Échange des Amériques. Depuis 2003, le PASC réalise de l'accompagnement auprès de communautés et organisations colombiennes et diffuse de l'information sur les mouvements sociaux colombiens tout en dénonçant les intérêts canadiens impliqués dans le conflit social et armé en Colombie. Le PASC organise ateliers d'éducation populaire afin de faire des liens entre des luttes en Colombie et au Québec face à l'imposition de mégaprojets d'extraction des ressources.

pasc.ca

Rojava Montreal

Since the outbreak of the Syrian civil war in 2011, the people of northern Syria, led by the Kurdish majority, have organized themselves through the creation of a democratic, feminist and ecological project that has been described as the Rojava revolution. Strongly opposed to centralism, authoritarianism and patriarchy, these citizens have fought valiantly against the forces of Daesh (the Islamic State) and now Turkey, to preserve their participatory democracy and their freedom. It is in solidarity that the Rojava Montreal collective works to promote the ideals behind the Rojava revolution and to support the population in the preservation of what is a viable and healthy model of society for the Middle East and for the world.

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Solidarity for Palestinian Human Rights

A non-profit, student-based organization that advocates on a strong social justice platform to uphold the rights of the Palestinian









people in the face of human rights violations and all forms of racism, discrimination, misinformation and misrepresentation.

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Tadamon!

Tadamon! (Arabic for "solidarity"), is a Montréal-based collective which works in solidarity with struggles for self-determination, equality, and justice in the 'Middle East' and in diaspora communities in Montréal and beyond. Tadamon! strives for a world in which every human being is free to live and flourish in dignity and justice.

tadamon.ca info@tadamon.ca

SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainability Action Fund

The Sustainability Action Fund (SAF) is a Concordia University fee-levy granting organization for students who want to develop projects in sustainable infrastructure, community-building, and education around social and environmental sustainability issues. The SAF provides significant financial support to a diversity of projects with an active effort to empower the Concordia community and develop a culture of sustainability on campus and beyond.

safconcordia.ca

The McGill Office of Sustainability

Provides the strategic guidance, support, and resources to transition McGill into an institutional model of sustainability for society. In partnership with students, staff, and faculty, we advance McGill's vision for sustainable research, education, connectivity, operations, and governance.

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Sustainable Concordia

We are an organization that builds and measures culture and practices of sustainability at Concordia University in solidarity with the global community. We believe that fundamental changes need to be implemented. We believe that universities have a moral responsibility to educate their









graduates with the knowledge, skills, and values to effectively develop a thriving, secure, and civil society; and to do that, a commitment to sustainability must be demonstrated as well as taught.

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SOS Territoire

SOS Territoire est une groupe de recherche et d'action pour la protection du territoire dans une perspective écologique et dans un rapprochement entre les autochtones et non-autochtones.







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