

## The Women's Center Weekly Email Update September 6-10, 2010

This email update is distributed to the Women's Center listserv subscribers every Friday, and is intended to detail the events scheduled for the following week. Occasionally, we will send out additional reminders about specific events or activities. Emails will be kept to a minimum, to not burden your inbox.

### Women's Corner

#### Quote of the Week

"Women are not inherently passive or peaceful. We're not inherently anything but human." ~Robin Morgan; feminist, activist, writer, poet & editor.

#### This Week in Women's History

1997: Mother Teresa (born Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu) dies in Calcutta.

#### Book Highlight from the Women's Center Library

"In the Public Eye" by Joanne Kilgour Dowdy

*"In the Public Eye" was created from the memories and memorabilia of Joanne Kilgour Dowdy's life. It is a celebration of color and movement. In pictures that span productions over forty years, the viewer has a chance to travel the road as a performer in Trinidad and the United States of America. The book is a salute to the talents on and off stage, before and behind the television camera. Personal memories accompany each of the photographs and newspaper clippings round off the collection, giving history buffs a social context to further appreciate the photo essay.*

### Upcoming Events for the Week of September 6-10, 2010

#### Monday, September 6, 2010

- Labor Day: Office Closed

#### Tuesday, September 7, 2010

- 7:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.- Breast Cancer Survivors Support Group  
Women's Center

*This breast cancer support group meets the first and third Tuesday of the month. New members always welcome! Questions? Contact Sue Eichler at [seichler@live.com](mailto:seichler@live.com)*

### Highlighted Events

#### Thursday, September 23, 2010

- RAINN Day  
All Day; Campus-wide

*RAINN Day is RAINN's annual campaign to raise awareness and fight against sexual violence on college campuses. RAINN stands for Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network.*

- 7:00 p.m.- Katie Koestner: "No-Yes"  
Student Center Ballroom

*Katie Koestner was the first survivor of date rape to speak out nationally. In "No-Yes", Katie shares her survivor story. Her emotionally-charged presentation creates an environment of understanding and helps lay the groundwork for behavioral transformation. Katie shares her story on a level that everyone can feel and to which everyone can relate. All are invited to attend and admission is free.*

- 8:30 p.m.-10:00 p.m.- Katie Koestner: Workshop: Helping a Sexual Assault Victim/Building Bystander Support  
Student Center Ballroom Balcony

*This training includes response skills and peer leadership/bystander skills. It is being offered to residence hall staff, Greek Leaders, Athlete leaders, STARS leaders, and a few select others. Registration is required.*

#### Monday, October 4, 2010

- Last Day to register to vote for the November 2, 2010 election.

#### Wednesday, October 6, 2010 & Thursday, October 7, 2010

- 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.- Mobile Mammograms  
Women's Center

*Registration information will be announced later in the semester.*

### Presentations

If you are interested in leading a Brown Bag Discussion (scheduled Wednesdays at noon), please send your name, contact information, and a proposed topic to director Heather Adams at [hadams@kent.edu](mailto:hadams@kent.edu).

If you are interested in leading a professional development workshop for students, faculty or staff, please contact program coordinator Amanda Roder at [aroder@kent.edu](mailto:aroder@kent.edu).

Open Student Study Lounge Times at the Women's Center

|            | Week of September 6-10, 2010                     |         |            |             |           |
|------------|--|---------|------------|-------------|-----------|
|            | Monday   | Tuesday | Wednesday  | Thursday    | Friday    |
| 8:00 a.m.  | Closed<br>in<br>observance<br>of<br>Labor<br>Day |         |            |             |           |
| 9:00 a.m.  |  |         | 9:00-11:00 |             |           |
| 10:00 a.m. |  |         |            | 10:00-12:00 |           |
| 11:00 a.m. |  |         |            |             |           |
| 12:00 p.m. |  |         |            |             |           |
| 1:00 p.m.  |  |         |            |             | 1:00-4:00 |
| 2:00 p.m.  |  |         | 2:00-5:00  |             |           |
| 3:00 p.m.  |  |         |            |             |           |
| 4:00 p.m.  |  |         |            |             |           |
| 5:00 p.m.  |  |         |            |             |           |