



As part of the 16 Days of Action to End Gender Violence campaign this year, BDAP is holding three community led events across Bedfordshire.

#TooManyNames

Come and join one of our local groups of supporters to help raise awareness of the tragic consequences of gender violence and abuse.

When: Friday 25 November 22

From: 10:30 to 11:00am

Where:

- George St, Luton (outside area adjacent to entrance to Crown Court)
- Grove House Gardens, Dunstable Town Centre (outside area adjacent to the bandstand)
- Harpur Centre, Horne Lane, Bedford (inside centre)

All three events will be followed by a minute of silence at 11:00am.

Every year, during International Women's day celebrations, Jess Phillips MP recites the names of all the women who have been killed as a result of male violence over the previous 12 months. This continues to be a terrible and tragic reminder of the devastating impact of gender abuse and violence towards women and girls.

There are currently 109 women and girls on the #TooManyNames list of those who have lost their lives to male violence over the last 12 months.

Our groups of supporters includes local professionals, survivors and volunteers but **everyone is welcome to join us on the 25th November.**

We will join at the same time but in different town centres across Bedfordshire to remember the names of all the women whose lives have been ended by male violence over the last year and help us shine a spotlight on the issue of violence towards women and girls.

There will also be information about local and national support available on the day for anyone affected by gender abuse or violence issues.

It is hoped that this event will send a strong and clear message from all local partners that addressing gender violence is everyone's business and that no one individual or organisation can tackle the issue alone.

To find out more about services and support available across Bedfordshire then please go to www.bedsdv.org.uk

Help us end all forms of gender violence and abuse.

Help end violence against women and girls

**#EndVAWG #TooManyNames
#16daysofaction #End GBV #EndMVAWG**

If you are interested in finding out more or getting involved in this event please contact:
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