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one world week Living Differently

BREAKING CHAINS – MAKING CHANGE

"...to be free is not merely to cast off one's chains, but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others"

Nelson Mandela

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Who takes part?

Local community groups, religious and voluntary organisations, churches, inter-faith groups, environmentalists, youth groups, schools, universities and campaigners as well as local branches of national organisations who create events which are accessible, yet challenging, to all in their community.

"It is an opportunity to discover what various organisations do and how we can work together." (Participant)

When?

Most events take place during One World Week, 19 – 26th October, incorporating UN Day on October 24th, but you can celebrate it when it suits your community.

What?

Any local event you'd like to organise which reflects this year's theme, "Living Differently". This could be an inspiring talk, quiz, debate, film, fair trade fete, walk, global/local meal, vigil, act of worship, arts performance, school assembly or project, inter-faith activity...

It's up to your community!

"It's not that I don't care, it's a lack of knowledge. That's why this OWW event is important." (Participant)

Get free publicity

Get free publicity for your event on: www.oneworldweek.org

Our website has:

- Inspiration and fun ideas
- Resources you can download
- News of other events
- Suggestions for working across faiths
- Piecing Together One World, our handbook for taking local action for global justice.



One World Week stimulates people to organise local events about global justice issues at around the same time, across the country and beyond.

All events become part of a wider movement, linked to the European Global Education Week Network, that explores how responsible citizens can build a just, peaceful and sustainable world.

One World Week: 19 - 26 Oct 2014

Living Differently Breaking Chains — Making Change!

Our 2014 theme *"Living Differently"* recognises that we all need to make changes now to secure a fairer, more satisfying, life for everyone whilst protecting the planet's resources for future generations.

This year, OWW invites **YOU** to organise or support activities in local communities that promote and involve active citizenship through:

- Sourcing food differently
- Reducing wastefulness
- Using money ethically to support the changes we want to see.

These simple steps can help to **break the chains** of the current food supply systems, consumer habits and money markets that damage the environment and communities worldwide.

In One World Week, explore examples of how communities here and around the world are choosing to live differently. Together we can *make the change*.

OWW's Partners

OWW works in partnership with other national organisations. We develop the annual theme together and share resources and information. The Week offers opportunities for partners and supporters to set up or take part in local OWW events. Together we learn about and reflect upon appropriate actions to address the causes and consequences of injustice in our world, locally and globally.

Throughout the year, our website **www.oneworldweek.org** draws attention to partners' campaigns that relate to the theme, *"Living Differently"*.

Get involved

Can you, or your group, be part of this active togetherness that draws in the whole community to consider our 2014 theme: *"Living Differently"*?

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