Empowering Women Through Conversation

This is a series of community led conversations aimed at women across East Renfrewshire. The six conversations will take women on a journey through time exploring the inequalities faced by women in the past and their participation in the democratic process and the actions which have led to social change for women in the UK.

The conversations on offer will support women to explore the inequalities which still exist today in family, work and community life. Through encouraging dialogue around shared personal experience women will discuss the role that voting and participation by women in the democratic process can play in assisting change in today’s society.

If you are a woman and want to talk about the issues which affect you then this is for you.

explore issues   social change
one woman one vote  equality
Join the conversation...

Setting the Scene
Eastwood House
11 June 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
This first conversation is an opportunity to share experience, identify common themes and will take a broad look at how things have changed for women over the years.

Equality Issues for Women
Thorntree Hall
9 July 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
A conversation that aims to take you through the women’s movement and how through time influential women and their participation in the democratic process has effected massive change which women benefit from today.

Mums and Grans World Café
Fairweather Hall
30 July 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
This conversation is an opportunity for mums and grans to get together and share experiences of their roles and how the role of parenting has been influenced by policy and legislation.

Education & Employability
Dalmeny Resource Centre
13 August 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
A conversation that aims to provide an opportunity for women to explore inequalities around education and employment and will look at how through participation in the democratic process women can continue to break down barriers.

Women in Influential Roles
Eastwood House
3 September 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
This conversation is an opportunity to hear from influential women both locally and nationally about their journey and how they overcame any barriers they faced to succeed in their chosen field.

The Final Scene
Eastwood House
17 September 2014, 12.30 – 3pm
An opportunity to contribute to the final ‘scene’ and influence how the future can be shaped for women through participation and action.

To avoid disappointment please book your place by contacting Kellie Miller on 0141 577 4648 or Elaine Grogan 0141 577 3567.