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LIBERATION SCHOOL is a series of courses for women conducted by THE WOMEN'S PLACE, an organizing centre for women. Through this school we learn about ourselves, about our history, our roles in society, our strengths and our intellectual capabilities.

Each course meets once a week for 8 weeks at THE WOMEN'S PLACE. Day and time for meetings after the first session will be determined by the class.

Classes are open to any woman who registers and who gives \$5.00 per course, if possible, in order to keep the school running.

Summer courses begin July 3 and continue until August 25. Registration for classes will be accepted until June 23.

If childcare is a problem, indicate this on the registration form and we will help.

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LIBERATION SCHOOL FOR WOMEN



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1.

INTRODUCTORY READINGS IN WOMEN'S LIBERATION
JULY 5 8PM

This course will be a survey of readings about women's liberation for those who have done little or no reading, but are interested in studying and discussing the spectrum of theory and opinion in the movement.

2.

WOMEN IN CANADIAN SOCIETY
JULY 6 8PM

An introduction to the role and position of women in Canadian society- starting with an examination of : female north american role ideology, the suffrage movement, women in crime, women's legal position, women in the labour force, women in the arts, the role of feminism and the rise of social change movements. These topics are subject to change according to group wishes.

3.

HIGH SCHOOL WOMEN
JULY 4 8PM

This course will be of particular interest to high school women. It will include discussion on what schools do to women, sexual repression, the family, the nature of women's oppression, matriarchy and patriarchy, women in modern society, relationship of biology to women's oppression, how to organize in high schools.

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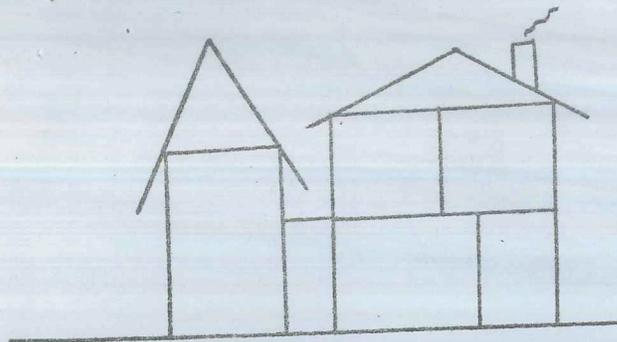
WOMEN IN LITERATURE (tentative)
JULY 5 8PM

This course will discuss women as they have been expressed in literature. We will examine works which have helped to maintain the myths of women's role in society, as well as, works by women which have broken through traditional role definition.

5.

CARPENTRY WORKSHOP
JULY 6 7:30 PM

This course will teach the use of tools and the basics of carpentry. A choice of projects will be offered which can be finished during the 8 weeks, e.g., a loom a table, chairs.



"WHAT WE DON'T KNOW, WE MUST
LEARN.
WHAT WE DO KNOW, WE MUST
TEACH OTHER."

6.

FIX-IT WORKSHOP
JULY 5 7:30PM

This course will be composed of 3 sections: basic plumbing, basic electrical repair and basic car maintenance. Skills will be taught by working on practical projects such as toilets, faucets, home appliances, cars. The course is designed to familiarize us with the tools necessary for these repairs.

7.

PSYCHOLOGY AND WOMEN
JULY 4 8PM

This course will look at myths and theories about women as perpetrated by psychology past and present. It will also study some of the feminist theories and research recently developed by women psychologists.

8.

STUDY GROUP: DIRECTIONS FOR THE MOVEMENT
JULY 4 7:00PM

This course is particularly designed for women who are committed to feminist action and who wish to work collectively on an analysis of the women's movement. Specific topics will be determined by the group. Possible topics for discussion include: the feasibility of revolutionary lifestyle-female communes, extended families, organizing collectives; multi-issue struggle versus single issue focus; how should we struggle in relation to the movement for socialism?; what is the relationship between our sexuality and our politics?; what is the role of the middle-class woman in the movement?