

WEAPONS OF MASS EMPOWERMENT



We want to hang out with groups of youth adolescents.

Three age groups:

8 in the Peanuts group. Ages: 8-10, Co-Ed.

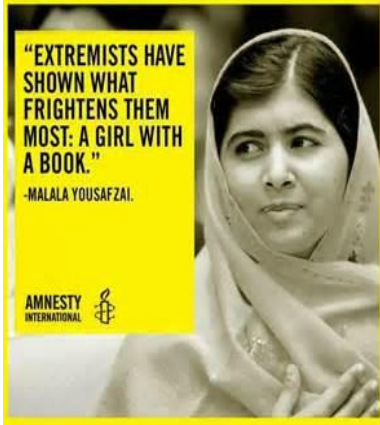
10 in the Tweens group. Ages: 11-13 - Girls

10 in the Goddess group. Ages: 14 – 17 Girls

We want to work with them and have fun with them.

We get to figure ourselves out, celebrate ourselves and see all of our possibilities.

We shall, together, add to identity, skills, and the power to walk through the world as ourselves.



To explore all of this, we will be doing many different things. We want to give them different ideas and actions of reflection and learning.

Writing is a powerful way to explore yourself. We will share journals with them to do add to how they get to do this.

Music is meaningful. We will use all kinds to add to understanding of ourselves, others and the world around us.

We will look for different meanings in different acts. We might use gardening, art, sports and possibly many other things. We, as a group, will find meanings and possibilities together. We get to create a community. We get to start our personal revolutions for all that is ahead.

Let's join together and have some fun.

all ways of knowing can be used to help us live more fully
bell hooks

Intake concept –

Name

Age

She/Her

They/Them

He/Him

Me

(NB: Pronouns/gender – not sure the best – she/her or they/them at least – or just me – but if we are doing a girls group – not sure how to be inclusive with the boundary –)

Favorite.....

Don't Know

Don't Care

Super Hero:

Colour:

Singer:

My favourite: This....

Is...

**My favourite
snack is:**

**My favourite
activity is:**

Tell us anything at all:

I want to....

I would.....

*“Oh, sure you know,’ the photographer said.
‘She wants,’ said Jay Cee wittily, ‘to be everything.’
I said I wanted to be a poet”*
The Bell Jar Sylvia Plath

*Squint your eyes and look closer
I'm not between you and your ambition
I am a poster girl with no poster
I am thirty-two flavors and then some
And I'm beyond your peripheral vision...*
Ani Difranco

