

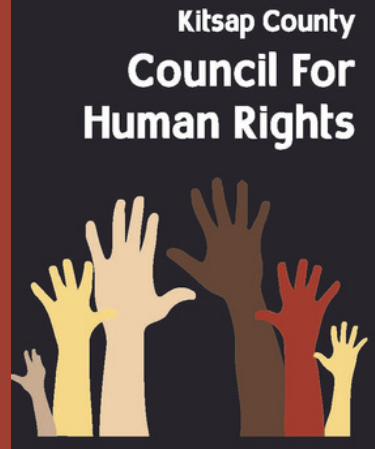
PUTTING THE SOCIAL IN SOCIAL JUSTICE

CELEBRATING THE ORGANIZATIONS SERVING KITSAP COUNTY

Special thanks
to Olympic College
for their support
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Tuesday, November 19, 2024, 6-8 p.m.
Olympic College, Bremerton

Find this program with hyperlinks to
organizations listed below at kcowa.us/hrc



PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

Better Together Foundation

<https://thebettertogether.org>

We are Better Together Foundation. Our mission is to break down barriers, foster understanding and create diverse and inclusive spaces through promoting change, access and integration in education, communities, and public services; and by serving as a bridge to accessible services, engaging with community members, and creating inclusive groups and events that support the Latino Community.

Dispute Resolution Center of Kitsap County

<https://kitsapdrc.org>

The Kitsap Dispute Resolution Center: bringing peace one mediation at a time. Our mission strengthening relationships, families, and communities through mediation, facilitation, and training services.

Enlighten Kitsap Community Forum

<https://enlightenkitsap.org/>

We present free, interesting talks and events on every third Friday evening in Bremerton with the aim of promoting discussion and community. We've been doing this for 9 years and have gotten a following. Check our website to see the range of speakers and topics. We're interested in cross-promoting our programs and letting other groups know about what we do.

Ground Zero for Nonviolent Action

<https://gzcenter.org>

We work in resistance of Trident and nuclear weapons abolition, through nonviolent action in pursuit of peace and social justice.

Kitsap County Accessible Communities Advisory Committee

<https://kcowa.us/ACAC>

County-sponsored advisory committee, promoting awareness for accessibility needs; securing funding through the Governor's Office to fund projects that improve accessibility; and hosting special events, including Ride the Clear Creek Trail, which gives wheelchair users, the visually impaired and others with disabilities the chance to enjoy nature.

Kitsap Black Student Union

<https://kitsapblackstudentunion.org/>

Kitsap Black Student Union amplifies student voices and needs by providing safe spaces for BIPOC students to gather and share their experiences. Currently serves youth 5th grade through college and their families.

Kitsap County Council for Human Rights

<https://kcowa.us/hrc>

The vision of the Kitsap County Council for Human Rights is that Kitsap County shall be a caring, supportive, and safe community for everyone that values each individual, celebrates individual differences, and recognizes the importance of each person's contribution. Our mission is to: advise county government and the Kitsap County community on issues related to discrimination, violence and harassment based on race or national origin, religion, age, gender, gender expression, sexual orientation, disability, or economic status; promote equitable treatment of all people; and reduce prejudice through education, resource referrals, and advocacy.



PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS (*continued*)

Kitsap ERACE Coalition

(no website but look for us on Facebook)

Rooted in relationships, collaboration, and commitment to racial justice, Kitsap ERACE Coalition organizes for thriving community and for profound, accountable, and liberatory institutional change.

Kitsap Legal Aid Services

<https://kitsaplegalaid.org>

Kitsap Legal Aid Services is a nonprofit organization that provides free legal assistance and information to low-income people in Kitsap County.

Kitsap for Racial Justice

(no website)

The purpose of Kitsap For Racial Justice (KFRJ) is to get more white people off the sidelines and into the work of undermining white supremacy. We do this work in direct accountability to specific local Black, Indigenous, and People Of Color-led groups that are also working for racial justice and liberation. Kitsap For Racial Justice is a grassroots community organizing group and a place to build relationships, skills, and political analysis to act for change. KFRJ meets once a month, alternating 4th Tuesdays on Zoom and 4th Saturdays in-person with a potluck at the Dispute Resolution Center in Silverdale.

Kitsap Immigrant Assistance Center

<https://kitsapiac.org>

We provide free or low-cost immigration legal services, business and tax and family services.

League of Women Voters of Kitsap

<https://lww-kitsap.org>

The League of Women Voters is a grassroots, nonpartisan political organization which does not support or oppose any candidate or political party. We take positions on social issues after careful study, and focus on the education and registration of voters.

Living Life Leadership

<https://www.lach4us.org/youth-leadership>

Living Life Leadership is a mentoring and youth advocacy program based in Kitsap County that's designed to prepare students for civic and community engagement and leadership.

Olympic College Office of Diversity Equity, Inclusion and Belonging

<https://www.olympic.edu/about/administration/diversity-equity-inclusion>

Our office utilizes a holistic approach to cultivate DEIB practices in all areas of the college community. These include connecting with local community organizations and student clubs, supporting and advocating for marginalized students' needs, working with other campus departments to help them develop their DEIB practices, hosting educational trainings and events for all community members, and supporting the development of both campus and state level policies and procedures that support DEIB efforts.

South Kitsap Helpline

<https://skhelpline.org>

We are a hunger-relief non-profit agency based in Port Orchard that serves thousands in our community each month. We feel that food is a right that all people deserve and work to remove barriers that prevent those in need from seeking that assistance. We would like the opportunity to connect with others at this event and make stronger connections with those working for social justice.

Trillium Employment Services

<https://trillium.org>

We are a non-profit organization that helps job seekers with developmental disabilities find long term employment in their community. We help them find the perfect jobs based on their interests and skills and carve positions to help accommodate the client and businesses so they have the most successful relationship.

Washington State Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

www.dshs.wa.gov

Our division exists to assist individuals with disabilities find gainful employment. As a non-primary resource, we offer services to assist with training, education, certifications, and anything else needed to make the customer "job ready" and equipped for the world of competitive employment.

Thank you **FOR ATTENDING & FOR YOUR WORK IN SUPPORTING SOCIAL JUSTICE!**