

# Info



# Usurpa

Weekly information bulletin of events in radical spaces in Winnipeg

#95 - week of February 6 to 12, 2008

**FOOD NOT BOMBS** cooks and serves free recuperated food every Thurs. \*go @ 4pm to the MERC (430 Langside St) to cook, 6-7pm to the park @ Ellice Ave & Spence St to eat.

**QUEERING NATIONS: NATIONAL SECURITY AS SEXUAL REGULATION** lecture with Gary Kinsmen, Feb 7, Thurs, 6:30-9pm, @ Eckhardt Gramatte Hall, U of W. Free.

**Queer Talk & Memory: the Social Organization of Forgetting and the Resistance of Remembering** lecture with Gary Kinsmen, Fri, Feb. 8, 12:30-1:30pm @ U of W, C-FIR Boardroom (4CM41)

**SHARING AND HEALING CIRCLE** regarding police misconduct and neighborhood safety, Sat Feb 9<sup>th</sup>, 1-4pm, at the MERC rec. centre, 430 langside st (put on by MAJEC)

|   | wednesday.6                  | thursday.7   | friday.8  | saturday.9                             | sunday.10              | monday.11 | tuesday.12   |
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| EMMA GOLDMAN GRASSRTS CTR<br>91 Albert, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor |                              |  |   | 12-5pm <u>Copwatch</u><br>Office Hours |                        |           |  |
|   |                              | 2-6pm <u>Junto Rare, Relevant and Radical</u> Library Open Hours |   |  |                        |           |  |
| MONDRAGON<br>91 Albert, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor                 |                              |  | Lecture on queer liberation with Gary Kinsman. at 7pm |  |                        |           | every tuesday at 8pm: <u>new usurpa bulletin available</u> |
| THE BIKE DUMP<br>631 Main st.<br>back patio entry             | 6-9pm <u>Volunteer Night</u> | 5-9 <u>Open Hours</u>  |   |  | 12-5 <u>Open Hours</u> |           |  |

## News

### NATIVE YOUTH PROTEST 2010 OLYMPICS

Activists Kanahus Pelkey and Dustin Johnson have embarked on a three-week speaking tour across the East Coast and Great Lakes entitled "No Olympics on Stolen Land" to illuminate the threat. "By having the Olympics [outside Vancouver], it opens our land, our sacred sites, our medicine grounds," Pelkey said. "All these big corporations are going to see the potential in our land, and we want them to know that our land is not for sale," she added. The speaking tour comes after over a year of actions and protests aimed at shedding light on indigenous concerns with the Olympics. Last February, indigenous groups protested the three-year countdown celebration. In October, 1,500 indigenous people attended the Gathering of the Indigenous Peoples of America in Mexico to declare a public rejection of the Olympics. Native groups also plan to protest the two-year countdown celebration next month. "They'll never stop us. The spirit that our people have, and the knowledge that this is our land, is something that they cannot take away," Pelkey said. <http://no2010.com/>

**February 8th - 15<sup>th</sup> IS CKUW FUNdrive; an on-air pledge campaign with a week of special programming.** CKUW RADIO is a non-profit, volunteer run organization. Listeners will be encouraged to call 774-6877 and pledge their support for listener driven radio.

### CRITICAL MASS COURT HAS STARTED

Remember back in 2006 when police repression against 'Critical Mass' surprised the city and many cyclists received traffic fines and other charges related to the events? Well, they're finally going to trial over it. The traffic fines have already started and the other charges go to trial february 19-22, and then february 26-29. It is believed to start at 2pm in courtroom 402, at the law courts 408 york st. The accused cyclists have requested a packed courtroom of quiet, none-rowdy supporters.

Radical and Alternative Radio

**THE BEAT** mon-wed 8-9am.....95.9FM  
**EVE'S THIRD WAVE** tue 5-6pm .....101.5FM  
**BLACK MASK** wed 4:30-6pm.....95.9FM  
**THE SPARK** wed 5:30-6:30pm.....101.5FM  
**SAY IT SISTA!** thu 8-9am.....95.9FM

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