

GET INVOLVED WITH THE SYRACUSE PEACE COUNCIL

SPECIFIC PEACE COUNCIL PROJECTS

End the Iraq and Afghanistan Wars

Coordinates SPC's work to end the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. They organize demonstrations, educational programs and more.

Neighbors of the Onondaga Nation

Promotes understanding of and respect for the Onondaga people and culture through educational and advocacy work. NOON supports the Onondaga Nation's Land Rights Action seeking redress for the illegal taking of land and environmental cleanup.



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Military Alternatives Education Project

A coalition effort to educate youth, parents and educators on military service/recruiting and their rights. Outreach to youth through the Syracuse City Schools is a primary component.

Palestine-Israel Peace

Works to educate and advocate for a just peace between Palestine and Israel.

Peace Newsletter

The monthly publication of the Syracuse Peace Council needs editorial committee members, writers, editors, artists, mailing parties, layout people, distributors, researchers, ad arrangers.

Caribbean Latin America Coalition

CLAC is a partner organization of SPC. It's goals are: close the US Army's School of the Americas; maintain sister community relationships in El Salvador and Colombia; and end the US blockade of Cuba.

Greater Syracuse Progressive Coalition

Initiated by SPC and the Greater Syracuse Labor Federation, the coalition has 14 organizational partners, and meets monthly to network and plan collaborative projects.



Bikes for Peace

SPC's summer bike program helps young people fix their own bikes and works with others to fix up donated bikes to give away.

Bill of Rights Defense Campaign

SPC is part of a coalition opposing the ever-increasing attack on our civil liberties since 9-11. Help us with speakers, fliers, legislative work....

Weekly Peace Outreach

Stand at busy intersections throughout the Syracuse area with signs calling for peace. Currently on sabbatical.

Community Engagement

SPC seeks out every opportunity for information tables at local and regional events. Join the tabling team, help design the displays, gather materials, lug stuff around, and talk with people. We're also forming a new Political Merchandise Committee to gather materials for outreach!

Monthly Educational Programs

Select topics and speakers, help with set-up clean-up and food. Usually the third Tuesday of the month from 7-8:30 pm at the ArtRage Gallery.

Radical Reading Group

This group is currently being revised. Generally meets twice monthly.

GENERAL VOLUNTEERING

Office volunteers

Come to the Peace Council during office hours (10 am - 5 pm, Mon - Fri). Help answer phones, make phone calls, run errands, and generally lend a hand. Time commitment varies, from a few hours to all day. There is a staff person on hand to help with questions.

Phoning

Lists of people need to be contacted by phone for a variety of reasons - to encourage people to come to an event, ask for volunteers or remind people it's time to renew their Peace Newsletter subscription. Phoning can be done from home or the SPC office.

Flyering

Help hang up and distribute posters and flyers - either promoting an event or providing information.

Artists

Graphic artists are needed for poster, flyer, leaflet, and Peace Newsletter production.

Layout/Design

If you have layout skills and would like to help us develop flyers, posters, and other outreach materials, please let us know.

Researching

If you are a good researcher, we can use your skills for fact finding and checking.

Cooking/ Baking

At many SPC events we like to have food. If you enjoy cooking for others, we'd be thrilled.

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STAY IN TOUCH

- 1) **Subscribe to the *Peace Newsletter*** – SPC's monthly newsletter, packed with information about upcoming activities and events, as well as news and analysis. Only \$15/year.
- 2) **Join SPC Announcements** – our email news service (only a few announcements weekly).
- 3) **Subscribe to Peace-List** – a listserv about Central New York anti-war activities and events administered by SPC.
- 4) **Check out peacecouncil.net** – our website which is updated regularly and includes the full 70+ years of the *Peace Newsletter* and lots more.

MORE OPPORTUNITIES...

Photographers/Videographers

We document our events ourselves – the mainstream media rarely does! We have a weekly cable access television program which needs good materials for broadcast.



Helping at events

We often need extra hands at events, such as demonstrations, celebrations, forums, Plowshares Craftsair, etc.

Data Entry

This can be done during office hours or after. Requires computer experience and ongoing commitment.

IT Team

Join this group of radical technies to help SPC move ahead technologically, computers, etc.

Pitch Your Idea to Us!

While we have limited resources, we're always open to new ideas to make change.



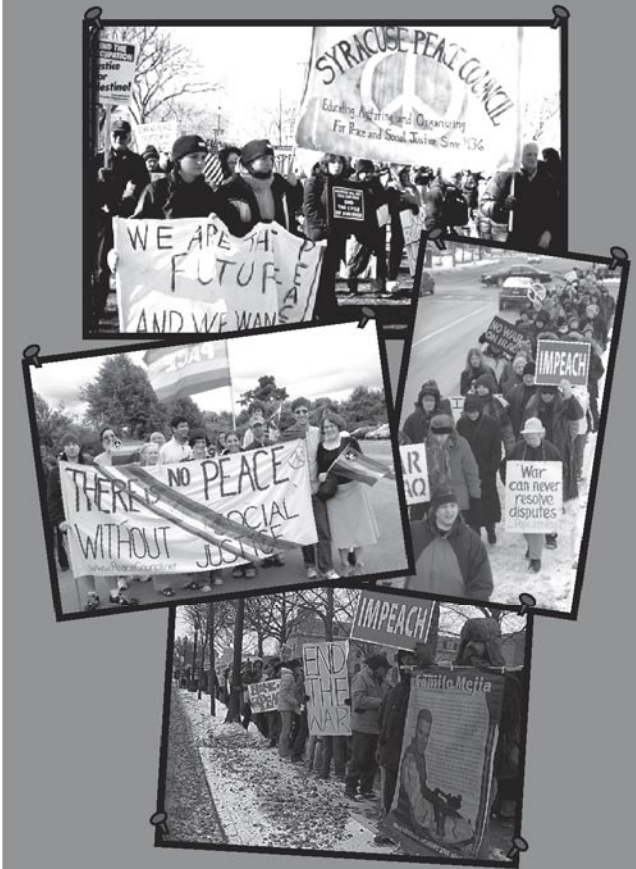
SPC is a community of people who educate, agitate and organize for a world where war, violence and exploitation in any form will no longer exist. We challenge the existing unjust power relationships among nations, among people and between ourselves and the environment.

Our political values and personal lives shape and reflect each other. In both, we are committed to nonviolent means of conflict resolution and to a process of decision-making that responds to the needs of us all.

Contact the Syracuse Peace Council

- ☯ Contact the office at (315) 472-5478
- ☯ Web: www.peacecouncil.net
- ☯ Email: spc@peacecouncil.net
- ☯ 2013 East Genesee St. (top floor),
Syracuse, NY 13210
- ☯ Hours: 10 am - 5 pm Monday-Friday
- ☯ Download and complete our volunteer information form at:
www.peacecouncil.net/vol

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