

Red Dress Day Activity

The Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls Red Dress Day is on May 5 every year. This day brings awareness to over 1,200 missing and murdered Indigenous women and girls in Canada. There are at least five missing or murdered women or girls from Norway House alone.

What can you do on this day?

1. Read the article "Red Dress Day a symbol of remembrance for MMIWG".
2. Wear a red clothing on May 5.
3. Hang a red dress outside (on a tree, on your house, on the clothesline, etc.).
4. Tie some red ribbons on the bridges in town.

Missing and Murdered Aboriginal Men Activity

According to Stats Canada, there were 745 female and 1,750 male Aboriginal homicide victims between 1980 and 2012. That means, for over three decades, at least 70 percent of recorded Aboriginal homicide victims were men.

We can bring attention and recognition to the Missing and Murdered Aboriginal Men issue on May 5th as well.

1. Read the article, 'I'll never give up': Mother of man last seen 3 years ago marks anniversary with plea for information
2. Tie a necktie in public places (bridges, trees, etc.).
3. Tie white ribbons on the bridges in town.