

The Dinner Party



Keynote Speaker – Deborah Ellis “Celebrating Resistance”

In 1997, award-winning author and peace activist, Deborah Ellis traveled to Afghanistan to interview women in refugee camps and from her interviews wrote the runaway best seller, *The Breadwinner*. She has since traveled to other countries to gather research for her writing and weaves the stories of the children she's met in conflict situations into her books.

Deborah Ellis generously donates royalties from her books to organizations such as UNICEF, Street Kids International and Canadian Women for Women in Afghanistan, CW4WA. She was named to the Order of Ontario and is the recipient of the Governor General's Award for Children's Literature.

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International Women's Day 2008

Join us and celebrate a world of women together

A fundraiser for SAVIS (Sexual Assault and Violence Intervention Services) and CSAW (Canadians in Support of Afghan Women).

Keynote Speaker Deborah Ellis • Performance from WomEnchant Chorus
Sales of Afghan crafts • Book signing • Silent auction • Door prizes • 50/50 draw

Wednesday, March 5, 2008

Time: 5.30 Cash bar, silent auction
7.00pm Dinner and keynote speaker

Location: Oakville Conference and Banquet Centre,
2515 Wyecroft Road, Oakville

Tickets: \$45 (tables of ten available)
Available through SAVIS at (905) 825 3622

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