An invitation to join the WALKING FOREST Camp

Coventry 27-30 May 2021
(Thurs late aft, Fri- Sun all day)

'Courage calls to courage everywhere' (Millicent Fawcett 1913) Come and plant a seed of courage!

Are you a woman inspired by the natural world, hoping to make change in your community and the wider world?

Are you concerned about climate breakdown, racial, social and health injustice?

Would you like to learn more about performing, writing, making or creating in general?

We'd love to meet you if so! We are four artist change-makers; Anne-Marie, Lucy, Ruth, Shelley, hosting this four day training camp for people who identify as women age 16+ in the Coventry area. You'll be part of a cross generational group exploring ways of living that are grounded in care, respect, co-operation and action.

The Camp will take place mostly outdoors. We will be sharing stories and ideas for actions, learning about tree planting and care , exploring the role of craft in activism, learning about our Earth's Rights and the links between social and environmental justice. We will be hearing from other people who are standing up for the Earth from around the world.

On **June 5th or 6th** we will carry out a public action in Coventry created from ideas developed during the Camp. Then in the Autumn there is a possibility of working together again to create a performance action in Coventry and taking this to the COP26 (Council of Parties) Climate Talks in Glasgow in November 2021.

Walking Forest Information Sessions will be held online in April and May where you can ask questions and find out more to help you decide if the Camp is for you

29th April 10.30-11.30am
6th May: 4.30 - 5.30pm
13th May 10.30-11.30am

How to apply for the Camp:
Write a short paragraph or two telling us who you are, a bit about yourself and why you would like to come to the Camp. You can also send us a voice recording or video - up to 3 minutes' long.

Book onto an **information session** or apply directly to **the Camp** before 14 May by:
Email: amber.merrick-potter@coventry2021.co.uk
or call 02476998221 ex 395

Numbers are limited and we are trying to create a diverse mix of women from different ages and backgrounds. You must be 16 + to take part. There is no charge.

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