

Shropshire Speaks Up' Walk



Shropshire Council would like to invite everyone across Shropshire to take part in a 'Shropshire Speaks Up Walk' in your local area at 11:00 (or another suitable time) on 25 November, supporting White Ribbon Day 2025. Let's unite, 'Stand Up' and raise awareness this White Ribbon Day

Please Read

Shropshire Council is responsible only for their staff walk; other organisations must manage their own events, risk assessments, and insurance. Each group must complete the participation form. The below safety information and the council's risk assessment are provided for guidance only.

If you're organising a walk, please ensure you take responsibility for planning and safety, including:

- Choosing a safe and accessible route
- Completing a risk assessment
- Arranging supervision and first aid
- Nominating marshals for safety and communication
- Monitoring weather and having a backup plan
- Coordinating with schools or other groups

For individuals or small groups please ensure you take responsibility for your and consider:

- Planning a safe route and check the weather
- Carrying a phone and let someone know your plans
- Respecting others and stay on public paths
- Bringing a small first aid kit and know where the nearest defibrillator is:
<https://www.defibfinder.uk/>



Sign up to take part:

Whether you plan to lead a walk or join one, please complete a short participation form by scanning the QR code or going to
<https://forms.office.com/e/RWKK41VwF9>



Further information

What is White Ribbon UK?

White Ribbon UK is the leading charity in England and Wales working to end men's violence against women and girls. They focus on prevention—challenging harmful gender norms and behaviours before violence happens. To learn more see [here](#)

What is White Ribbon Day?

Held annually on 25 November, White Ribbon Day marks the start of the 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence, ending on 10 December (Human Rights Day). It's part of a global movement to end male violence against women and girls.

'We Speak Up' is the 2025 theme—encouraging everyone to challenge harmful attitudes and promote respectful relationships. To learn more see [here](#)

What is the White Ribbon Promise? A pledge to: "Never use, excuse, or remain silent about men's violence against women." We ask you to make the promise [here](#)

Ambassadors and Champions

Ambassadors are men and those who identify as male who promote the campaign in their communities and workplaces. Champions are women and those who don't identify as male who encourage and support men to get involved. We ask you to sign up to be an ambassador/champion [here](#)

Want to Learn More?

Access the general White Ribbon briefing <https://www.whiteribbon.org.uk/resources>

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