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Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom – Western Australian Branch

(1933 -)

Born	19330101
Occupation	Peace organisation

Summary

The Women’s Peace Group was formed in 1928, when a number of Western Australian women’s organizations, including Women’s Services Guild, YWCA, Labor Women, WCTU and others, got together to organize an Armistice Day celebration. Active for around five years, a decline in enthusiasm in the early 1930s was signalled by the failure of a conference on disarmament. In 1933 the group was reformed as a branch of the Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom by Lucy Creeth. The branch went into recess in 1947 but was re-established in 1952 by Nancy Wilkinson.

Published resources

Journal
Peace and Freedom: Journal of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, W.A. Branch, 1957-1962

Peace and Freedom, 1962-

Report
Annual Report, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, W.A. Branch, 1952-

Newsletter
Peace and Freedom, Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, W.A. Branch, 1957-1962

Resource
Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

State Library of Victoria
Records of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, 1915-1973. [manuscript].

National Library of Australia, Oral History and Folklore Collection
Irene Greenwood interviewed by Hazel de Berg in the Hazel de Berg collection [sound recording]

State Library of Western Australia
Records, 1942-1996 [manuscript]

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