



Safe Alternatives to Violent Environments.

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## Greetings of Spring from SAVE!

Spring is finally here. As we reflect upon the renewal it brings, there is a lot going on at SAVE. Here are some of the highlights.

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### Celebration of International Women's Day



On Friday, March 9, over 100 friends of SAVE joined together for a celebration of International Women's Day. Held at Niles Discovery Church in Fremont, the event opened with a ceremonial blessing led by Adriana Betti, Executive Director of [R.I.S.E.](#) in Berkeley and featured performances by a diverse group of women. [Visit our Facebook page](#) to see the complete photo gallery from the night.

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### Link Between Domestic Violence and Mass Shooters

On March 24<sup>th</sup>, young people organized the largest youth-led movement since the Vietnam War. And their message...we want to be safe! What is often underreported about the Marjory Stoneman Douglas shooter is that he was also abusing his teen-aged partner; once again, a massacre was committed by someone with a history of relationship violence. Advocates within the domestic violence movement have long drawn the [connection between intimate partner violence and people committing mass shootings](#). We cannot afford to become a people who react apathetically when children and innocent people are indiscriminately murdered. Join the domestic violence community, our youth, and the many survivors of mass shootings; together, we can find a solution!





## Become a DV Counselor

SAVE offers 40 hour Domestic Violence Counselor Training that meets state guidelines. Completion of the training certifies you in the state of California as a Domestic Violence Counselor. The next training session begins on Friday, April 6, and runs each Friday through May 18. Classes are from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day. Trainees must attend all sessions to receive their certification. [Visit our website for complete information.](#)

## Join us at Panera!



April 26 is take your daughter or son to work day. Why not take a break from cooking that day, too? Drop by Panera on Mowry in Fremont between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. and SAVE will receive a portion of any orders made with the flyer below. [Click here to download the flyer.](#) There's even a code you can use if ordering from the app.

## Spring Fling!

The Tri-Cities Women's Club is holding its 33rd Annual Spring Fling on April 17 at the Elks Lodge in Fremont. The event features a luncheon, raffles, door prizes, and a Broadway Musical Review performed the Campanello Sisters. The proceeds of this event benefit SAVE. If you'd like to purchase tickets, please contact Tri-Cities Women's Club or contact Paula at SAVE at 510-574-2250 Ext. 106.



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