**New Zealand Report to WDI**

**January to Late April 2023**

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For more information from New Zealand, see the WDI Australia and New Zealand facebook page

[**https://www.facebook.com/WDIANZ**](https://www.facebook.com/WDIANZ)

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Please donate to help fund the rehabilitation costs for Emily, the 70+ year old woman was assaulted at the Let Women Speak event at Albert Park on 25 March:

[**https://givealittle.co.nz/cause/women-70-punched-in-the-head-25323-auckland-let?fbclid=IwAR1dP5NMr\_H4Ch7A0Op3899bzJfVnNJHjnQcKqWFxzBp2pFdYxPcx0-hGfk**](https://givealittle.co.nz/cause/women-70-punched-in-the-head-25323-auckland-let?fbclid=IwAR1dP5NMr_H4Ch7A0Op3899bzJfVnNJHjnQcKqWFxzBp2pFdYxPcx0-hGfk)

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**Feminist Question Time Webinars with New Zealand Speakers;**

26 January

Fern Hickson, Janet (WDI Country Contact), Rex Landy, and Jennifer Scott talk about their activism and women’s activism in general over 2022.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lbq6hwsRK-0>

26 February

Julie Scott and Ally-Marie Diamond (Wāhine Toa Rising)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QTISwVk8WLo>

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**JANUARY 2023**

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**Lesbian Action for Visibility Aotearoa (LAVA)** makes a **discimination complaint** to the Human Rights Review Tribunal (HRRT) against the Board of **Wellington Pride** Incorporated.

<https://www.lava.nz/news?fbclid=IwAR3E45eh1qr16SxwoiQlSdDDgzfgcxnwiw-YLuwSLYnJr7QeECoEJDBNWEA>

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Around late January

**Kellie-Jay Keen’s planned visit to New Zealand ( for events on 25 and 26 March) is announced.**

The visit is officially sponsored by Mana Wāhine Kōrero and Lout (Get the “L” Out)

Around early February, the group Let Women Speak is formed to help organise events in Auckland and Wellington.

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**Workers Now**

In early January, Workers Now announced that it is contesting the NZ General Election, with a left wing 10 Point programme, including defending women’s sex based rights:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1268815307379011/permalink/1271517060442169>

On 5 February it put out a statement about Women’s Sex- Based Rights.

[**https://www.facebook.com/groups/1268815307379011/posts/1290680511859157/**](https://www.facebook.com/groups/1268815307379011/posts/1290680511859157/)

On 26 February, Workers Now supports Let Women Speak

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1268815307379011/posts/1304916300435578/>

**16 January**

The Law Commission begins a project to examine discrimination against transgender people.

This probably includes looking at putting gender into the Human Rights Act

<https://www.lawcom.govt.nz/our-projects/sex-gender-and-discrimination> -

It announces a project about hate speech will be coming later

<https://www.lawcom.govt.nz/our-projects/legal-responses-hate>

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**19 January**

**Jacinda Ardern announces her intention to resign** as PM by **7 February 2023.**

General Election date announced as 14 October 2023.

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/political/482724/jacinda-ardern-to-resign-as-prime-minister-in-february>

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**25 January**

Labour MP Tamati Coffey’s daughter born by surrogacy. He announces renewed efforts to progress his Improving Arrangements by Surrogacy Bill. This would remove the birthing mother’s right to be legally recognised as the first parent, and give that right to the intending parents instead .

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/little-princess-labour-mp-tamati-coffey-welcomes-newborn-daughter-born-five-weeks-early/N6JWYDJX7BGSDE2LI7KHVMILJQ/>

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**17 January**

**Births Deaths Marriages and Relationships Registration Act Explained**

An article by Suzanne Levy explains the relationship between the BDMRR Act (New Zealand’s Sex Self ID law) and the sex provisions in the Human Rights Act. She explains that S 79 of the BDMRR Act means that organisations do not have to treat people as if they are the sex which is on their birth certificate.

The BDMRR Act is due to come into force in June 2023.

<https://www.speakupforwomen.nz/post/know-your-rights-sex-self-id-in-new-zealand>

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**FEBRUARY 2023**

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**Rainbow Tick** celebrates its 10th birthday

In February, trans activists held protests demanding increased funding for “trans healthcare” and lowering the age of consent to 16 for “gender affirming” surgeries.

**8 February 2023**

New Prime Minister, Chris Hipkins, announced a raft of changes.

Proposed Speech Legislation will not go ahead right for the time being.

However the Law Commission will look more broadly at how to counter hate speech. The Social Insurance scheme for a two -tiered welfare system is ditched.

RNZ and NZ on Air will receive a funding boost for their “public service” role.

[***https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/political/483875/watch-tvnz-rnz-merger-scrapped-income-insurance-and-hate-speech-laws-delayed***](https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/political/483875/watch-tvnz-rnz-merger-scrapped-income-insurance-and-hate-speech-laws-delayed)

[***https://www.scoop.co.nz/stories/AK2302/S00194/hate-speech-laws-withdrawn-major-victory-for-free-speech.htm?from-mobile=bottom-link-01***](https://www.scoop.co.nz/stories/AK2302/S00194/hate-speech-laws-withdrawn-major-victory-for-free-speech.htm?from-mobile=bottom-link-01)

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**February +**

Gloriavale Slavery Court case continues

[**https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/484546/gloriavale-can-t-afford-to-lose-employment-court-battle-member-says**](https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/484546/gloriavale-can-t-afford-to-lose-employment-court-battle-member-says)

Background

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MWc8pMvlrXo>**

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**22 February**

Maori gender terms are to be excluded from birth certificate for now.

<https://www.newsroom.co.nz/maori-terms-excluded-from-new-gender-identity-process?fbclid=IwAR2qFb556ok5uZdeP8wccjYUxn29NZQ-fFfD5VmS30I009LgQ2DMmjB5POY>

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**MARCH 2023**

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**7 March NZ Census Day**

In early March, the Census begins to be distributed to people’s homes, hampered by the repeated NZ floods and Cyclone Gabrielle. It includes questions about gender, which Statistics have said will be used as the default rather than sex. The forms make it impossible to not answer questions about gender.

**Critiques of the Census**

<https://www.speakupforwomen.nz/post/do-we-really-count?fbclid=IwAR3yQ96zQi5C_I1iYe7Kgq9kuS0iAGclpYnR8xjz4E316mN5uPUEjVA7RRg>

<https://aboldwoman.substack.com/p/new-zealands-2023-census-is-a-dog?utm_source=facebook&sd=pf&fbclid=IwAR2Cj6cwJCBuYD6x1LjDIl1lm9lXINCp8eeIn_GCFm3qXPAmmvDL-FMBnY8>

A campaign began to **Boycott the Census** or at least to not answer the questions about Gender and Sex.

**<https://www.facebook.com/SpeakUp4WomenNZ/videos/900589460991431/>**

**<https://www.speakupforwomen.nz/post/so-you-don-t-want-to-fill-in-the-census>**

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Protests are held about **Drag Queen Storytime** at libraries in Auckland and Christchurch with extremely biased reporting eg 2 March, Avondale, Auckland

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/unhinged-conspiracy-theorists-auckland-drag-queen-targeted-in-avondale-library-protest-speaks-out/TE6BFUOXVJC6VFYMU4VAUAERTQ/>

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**7 March**

Georgina Beyer, New Zealand’s first transgender MP, dies.

**<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2023/mar/06/worlds-first-openly-transgender-mp-georgina-beyer-dies-in-new-zealand-aged-65>**

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**8 March International Women’s Day**

4-5 March IWD Brisbane Meanjin conference included speaker from NZ (Tania Sturt) .

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Women Firefighters complain about abuse on International Women’s Day

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/new-zealand/2023/03/fire-and-emergency-female-volunteer-shares-photoshopped-image-of-her-battered-bruised-face-on-international-women-s-day.html?fbclid=IwAR2cyT83q4zyIem4JnZnvcBa0KQRDqxwQSsV0GbMXXBOyBfmjcN-4rN1iUg>

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**16 March Teachers Strike (One day) wages not keeping up with inflation**

**and other demands, eg class sizes**

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**Attacks on Kellie- Jay Keen Prior to the Let Women Speak Event of 25 March. With Some Defences.**

**Early March**

The Green Party website publishes an Open Letter to the Minister of Immigration Michael Wood, asking him to revoke Kellie-Jay Keen-Minshull’s visa.

<https://www.greens.org.nz/kellie_jay_keen_minshull?fbclid=IwAR1TYpMkpdi-Pnrh98WU12EhuMaFjf3yymJGrAhmwvwMFmiZ5ZUyf1x8-HY>

**7 March**

LGB Alliance Aotearoa New Zealand responds to the Greens’ letter.

**<https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story_fbid=pfbid031bWjwTxy7BsNaPdq5uPLjpRy4F6ywr9p7kxMCimab262XtZ3DcxyKqtSwnsw3dNCl&id=100083329721635>**

**10 March**

**Free Speech Union gives a weak defence KJK’s right to speak in NZ**

**<https://www.facebook.com/FreeSpeechUnion/posts/pfbid02G6sNY3LrhVU74LimCJByEUZXgJwQsjPEiDbNPf9pJgsu187ZiWfcSrpqtS2hh6Atl>**

**11-12 March**

Stuff and RNZ publish a heavily biased article against the upcoming KJK events in New Zealand

Some women prepare complaints to the Media Council and /or the Broadcasting Standards Authority.

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/485828/another-conspiracy-group-british-anti-trans-rights-activist-plans-stop-in-aotearoa>

**13 March**

**Public Good** responds to the Greens’ attack on KJK

<https://www.publicgood.org.nz/2023/03/13/an-open-letter-about-green-party-mps-trying-to-prevent-advocacy-for-womens-rights/?fbclid=IwAR24D4zz-gvdWx6mK8gAmENK_-M6Cp2kupcT8lRWrgS8hNOCQBOEPgedzkk>

**15 March**

After a backlash from their employers, two radio hosts apologised for comments criticising the use or genderist pronouns and terms like “pregnant people. They undertook to do a re-education programme.

[**https://www.stuff.co.nz/entertainment/tv-radio/131496480/radio-hosts-apologise-for-toxic-onair-rant-about-pronouns-inclusive-language?fbclid=IwAR07EcRi9-ckOuRFYhUEGnpHvYBgjTgmIdyIKez55F3FIQd886docd5zGyw**](https://www.stuff.co.nz/entertainment/tv-radio/131496480/radio-hosts-apologise-for-toxic-onair-rant-about-pronouns-inclusive-language?fbclid=IwAR07EcRi9-ckOuRFYhUEGnpHvYBgjTgmIdyIKez55F3FIQd886docd5zGyw)

**17 March**  Kellie-Jay Keen interviewed by Sean Plunket on **The Platform,** NZ

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=__BF6ex9CO8>

**18-25 March, False Nazi allegations build attacks to a Fever Pitch.**

Following the uninvited presense of Nazis, who crashed the Let Women Speak event in Melbourne, there were repeated false allegations in the Australian and New Zealand media of an association between the women and the Nazis.

<https://thespinoff.co.nz/society/20-03-2023/breaking-immigration-nz-is-reviewing-kellie-jay-keen-minshulls-nz-visit?fbclid=IwAR3NeACbcqJwr24DUu636Ra2-yo6gKfuzLnTxu6EU-upiRETWbgEXAsGvec>

**20 March** Prime Minister Hipkins chimes in, assuming that the false allegations are true.

20 March

Women’s Liberation Aotearoa calls for the organisers of Let Women Speak NZ and Kellie-Jay Keen to denounce Nazis

<https://womensliberationaotearoa.org.nz/womens-liberation-aotearoa-statement-on-let-women-speak-events-march-2023/>

Let Women Speak (LWS) issues a statement refuting the false Nazi allegations

**Di Landy,** from Mana Wāhine Kōrero, and Let Women Speak (LWS) organiser, was interviewed by Rachel Smalley on Today FM radio responds to these false allegations ...

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M7nLz9vSn8s&t=22s>

She said: “We emphatically reject any and all associations with Nazis and white supremacist groups and we denounce their beliefs entirely .”

WDI Australia and New Zealand wrote that WDI opposes fascism and Nazism

<https://www.facebook.com/WDIANZ>

**Katrina Biggs, A Bold Woman** issues a statement in reponse to false Nazi allegations

<https://aboldwoman.substack.com/p/police-horses-punched-in-the-gut?utm_source=facebook&sd=pf&fbclid=IwAR3bvSExOQXQwO0zU9Wtt4URyfW99r2InA2S69n9XTbj7qI9UsUGt9afFMs>

**20 March Kellie-Jay Keen’s Response, videod from Australia, to media circus from 18 March**

**including the statements from the PM and Green Party**

She threatens to sue NZ politicians and journalists for defamation

**<https://twitter.com/ThePosieParker/status/1637688039370620929>**

**20 March, Monday 6pm**

TVOne begins its wall to wall propaganda against Kellie-Jay Keen

Item one

[**https://www.tvnz.co.nz/shows/one-news-at-6pm/episodes/s2023-e79**](https://www.tvnz.co.nz/shows/one-news-at-6pm/episodes/s2023-e79)

(to view this you need to log in to TVNZ on Demand).

One New news item related to this

<https://www.1news.co.nz/2023/03/20/immigration-reviewing-posie-parkers-entry-to-nz/>

**21 March**

NZ Herald Kellie-Jay Keen absolutely abhors Nazis.

**<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/immigration-new-zealand-reviews-entry-for-uk-anti-trans-activist-kellie-jay-keen-minshull/FQNQMWZQ7NFKVMWIJ4RUUELZJ4/>**

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**20 March**

The Immigration Minister reviews whether Kellie-Jay Keen can come into the country.

<https://thespinoff.co.nz/society/20-03-2023/breaking-immigration-nz-is-reviewing-kellie-jay-keen-minshulls-nz-visit>

**21 March**

**RNZ Morning Report, 7.45 am,**

A hostile Kim Hill interviews LWS local organiser Terri Lipanovic.

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/national/programmes/morningreport/audio/2018882622/anti-trans-activist-rally-organiser-defends-events>

**21 March**

National Party calls to let Kellie-Jay Keen into New Zealand on grounds of free Speech.

Greens continue to fabricate a safety risk from peaceful women gathering to speak.

**<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/486392/let-anti-transgender-activist-in-national-says-while-greens-hold-concerns-for-public-safety>**

**21 March**

RNZ Midday report Mari Dunlop interviews trans activist Sally Dallow

MD calls women “terfs”. Sally Dallow invents non existent safety risk to “vulnerable communities” of TW.

**<https://www.rnz.co.nz/national/programmes/middayreport/audio/2018882664/trans-activist-worried-about-weekend-rallies>**

**21 March**

Garwhoungle responds to RNM report about Rainbow Greens’ statement, trying to keep KJK out of the country

“Rainbow Greens ask Government to Shut Women Up”

**<https://twitter.com/garwhoungle/status/1638082970962792448>**

**Sean Plunket, the Platform**

[**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-xK1FAsVjTQ**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-xK1FAsVjTQ)

**22 March**

**NZ Herald hit piece masquerading as news**

**<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/kellie-jay-keen-minshull-who-is-anti-transgender-activist-posie-parker-and-why-is-she-so-controversial/GKB2MF4J65D33MBKZM3YF4G5JM/>**

Stuff publishes abusive anti-KJK cartoon by Sharon Murdock

<https://twitter.com/domesticanimal/status/1638242662443782144>

22 March approximately

The Auckland Women’s Centre defames the purpose of the Let Women Speak gathering, and calls for people to protest it.

22 March

Immigration NZ announces it will not stop Kellie-Jay Keen from entering the country. She does not meet the threshold required to ban someone.

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/politics/immigration-nz-allowing-anti-trans-activist-posie-parker-to-enter-new-zealand/XVGZCULPRZGT5MEHPLP5XLTFUE/?fbclid=IwAR3gGSpuwMeVQwDBjoqY_FrfOvTZcL9okW0SZPxxJcawrnYAqCCgXtqfcYc>

Immigration Minister says Kellie-Jay Keen has “inflammatory, vile and incorrect world views.”

<https://www.stuff.co.nz/national/131572087/immigration-minister-prefers-antitrans-activist-kelliejay-keenminshull-never-set-foot-in-nz>

Grant Robertson, Minister of Finance, complains that gender critical feministsare like those who denied gays their rights in the past.

**Elizabeth Kerekere and the “Green Squad” defame Kellie-Jay Keen in a song.**

**https://www.tiktok.com/@bootstheory/video/7211704256586370305?\_r=1&\_t=8ajgWKIfqBm&fbclid=IwAR0O6o3t6MnZfQ3Al7wmSwSDCgpETd1bS8Vs6ezfUun6ug0LNTabgf1TgBE**

22 March approx

Sean Plunkett on the Platform critiques the terrible meda coverage

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-xK1FAsVjTQ>

23 March

<https://www.1news.co.nz/2023/03/23/posie-parkers-entry-to-nz-encourages-hatred-activist/>

23 March

Decent article by Rachel Smalley on Today FM. (They have since gone off air.)

24 March

Kellie Jay Keen is interviewed by Kim Hill on Radio NZ morning report. She is not hindered by interruptions, slurs, attacks and diversions from keeping the focus on women’s rights, dignity and safety. <https://www.rnz.co.nz/national/programmes/morningreport/audio/2018883114/anti-transgender-activist-on-stoush-around-her-entering-nz>

23-24 March, Newshub invents that KJK did a Nazi, white supremacist hand signal

Stephen Knight comments

<https://sknight.substack.com/p/new-zealand-news-channel-invents>

23 -24 March- effort in court to stop KJK coming into country

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https://www.1news.co.nz/2023/03/24/potential-for-violence-between-posie-parker-supporters-protesters/

Friday 24 March

The Court rejects the application. Kellie- Jay Keen is allowed in to the country.

The judge expresses sympathy with the applicants though.

<https://www.stuff.co.nz/national/131588510/antitrans-activist-kelliejay-keens-visit-can-go-ahead-judge-rules?fbclid=IwAR23cnB87Cpb9gRDAv8ZcfmJFLOX_iK_thvyi-pYfm1NActpsHNaFZXbZgY>

24 March 6pm

Kellie-Jay Keen arrives in Auckland

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-anti-trans-activist-kellie-jay-keen-minshull-arrives-in-auckland/WXXQYDUCMRAFNL2N6V6LCWLJRE/?fbclid=IwAR1-o5m7NK9NqKk8XYAgpZtSJMLvN1EV27g_Dieyz1pR_ZMGkdSAnCQe2a8>

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**25 March**

**Violence Against Women at women’s event at Albert Park**

Transactivist anti-woman mob storm Let Women Speak Gathering, assault several women, try to drag Kellie-Jay Keen into the crowd, whilst police do nothing and refuse to send reinforcements (until much later). A 70+ years old woman is punched repeatedly in the face causing the bone around her eye to fracture.

**Videos and Photos**

**25 March**

**short video of the mob violence against KJK**

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FsKn5XeJkWY>**

Kellie-Jay Keen’s live streaming of the event.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eDuy2Kx2HlI>

Woman marshall describes how she helped to usher Kellie-Jay Keen out

<https://twitter.com/ThePosieParker/status/1639545859636338688>

Rachel Wong- video of agressive men pushing down the Women’s fence and the aggressive mob storming the event and attacking Kellie <https://www.facebook.com/RachaelWongAus/videos/229126986288102>

Video of 70+ years woman being punched

<https://twitter.com/l1ber_te/status/1639917380569821185?fbclid=IwAR2NZw5D0VH6DKpR6CsIjb47tEjUsR_889jecD_1lJv2Mt4GNJDYjl3zrZk>

**Compilation of Video Evidence -Simon Anderson**

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLGgXu42XHnjMTvEb56kUjHuMatEPxrXd4>

**Video record by Simon Anderson**

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLGgXu42XHnjMTvEb56kUjHuMatEPxrXd4>

**<https://twitter.com/SimonRAnderson1/status/1641626762936479744>**

This video has crucial 15 mins (Posie escaping towards the end) and you can pan around it

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nMnLY2f06yY&t=233s>

Youtube drone footage of the event

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nMnLY2f06yY&t=116s>

Nine news video

<https://www.facebook.com/9News/videos/228068933049436>

Short video on Canadian Women’s Declaration facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/CanadianWomensDeclaration/videos/1021455222161361/>

NZ Herald video of transactivists invading Auckland LWS event, and Destiny Church event

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQtHwBAdunA>

the comments support the women, not the transactivists.

Another video posted on youtube by Brynn Nelson <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5quVZieozkY>

This WDI Banner was Stolen from the Band Rotunda at Albert Park



Banner created by Linda Sutton

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**14 April re 25 March**

**Let Women Speak, An Examination of Media Bias In New Zealand**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Tf99hh6OXk&feature=youtu.be>

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**Mainstream News Reports**

[**https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-tour-of-nz-anti-trans-activist-kellie-jay-keen-minshull-poised-for-rally/EOWRBWVHK5HY3KV4XJ7TECCE2E/**](https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-tour-of-nz-anti-trans-activist-kellie-jay-keen-minshull-poised-for-rally/EOWRBWVHK5HY3KV4XJ7TECCE2E/)

9 News Australia report

<https://amp.9news.com.au/article/2679fe41-5737-4341-9d9e-43cf52c62220?fbclid=IwAR3slzDH7tdFQ1Xi8eWk4m7Cbb1VTTWr4Ly6UcZLqQYI4oXnfnmP_hiiT84>

<https://www.1news.co.nz/2023/03/25/posie-parker-rally-protester-explains-tomato-juice-throw/>

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-anti-trans-activist-reconsidering-wellington-event-after-counter-protest-shuts-her-down-in-auckland/V3L2ZLLQ6REY7L4J6JES2GDHB4/?fbclid=IwAR0XK-OUU2nnO82_jfVLK0NYmANX-akx0Vp3aAxtQ1uNXMmrHAeYJNkm_T8>

Biased and triumphalist One News news item

**<https://www.tvnz.co.nz/shows/one-news-at-6pm/episodes/s2023-e84>**

26 March TVNZ One news item, celebrates the TRA’s celebration in Wellington on the site where the LWS event was going to be held.

26 March Newshub Reports <https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/new-zealand/2023/03/gender-activist-posie-parker-hits-out-at-her-treatment-in-new-zealand-as-twitter-row-erupts.html>

TVOne News

Marama Davidson, Green MP, one of the anti- woman protestors, says violence against women was the responsibility of “white cis men.”

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**Responses to the Violence Against Women at Albert Park**

**Women’s Declaration International Supports Women’s Sex Based Rights in Auckland, New Zealand**

<https://womensdeclaration.com/en/resources/statements-and-letters/wdi-supports-those-speaking-about-womens-sexed-based-rights/?fbclid=IwAR0UX04yIGm3kp_wwMhzzBKD3_INGO-hzFNAP_5VooNM4We5eXHrAE2ug98>

25 March

Julian Vigo compiles list of defamatory media reports about Kellie -Jay Keen in Australia and New Zealand <https://www.facebook.com/julianvigophd/posts/pfbid02yEnug8kT6ioFqbuthW2wdpdV7YF81aKzJCk7Zo4qdStnsh16hQfAjYxu5xDYsoyzl>

25 March

Brendan O’Neill – like leading a woman to the stake. Irrational witch persecution

<https://www.spectator.co.uk/article/the-shameful-persecution-of-posie-parker-in-new-zealand/?mibextid=5zvaxg&fbclid=IwAR0AdCQVYnmG-QeaR1J8UqjsjCNMy0KTiF4wQ6qzA6TFe7WxiPKEkYGM_1o>

Ani-O’Brien’s article

<https://plainsight.nz/why-are-mums-and-lesbians-the-new-nazis/>

Katrina Biggs article A bold Woman

**<https://aboldwoman.substack.com/p/trans-activists-make-women-terrified>**

Comment by journalist Rushkinon the Auckland event

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N1yZoFoVPB8>

SUFW media release

<https://www.speakupforwomen.nz/post/media-release-when-the-oppressed-becomes-the-oppressor?fbclid=IwAR1vltZPT8vGLfML1AfMU_WB1RVVnpjYc-Rf5hrvRfxLXctNIzVbfKbOg3k>

Free Speech Union public letter to Prime Minister

<https://www.fsu.nz/public_letter_to_police_minister?fbclid=IwAR13X6hzYiAbPY3rU5R-j3HJ-AVvJBYQb1Afkb4mQkN7ag3uudrfHGVIXIs>

Workers Now Statement

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1268815307379011/permalink/1320027152257826>

Women’s discussion in The Standard

<https://thestandard.org.nz/letting-women-speak-in-aotearoa-new-zealand/>

27 March

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/politics/2023/03/chris-hipkins-condemns-physical-violence-at-protest-after-posie-parker-doused-in-red-juice.html>

26 March

The Platform invites LWS organisers and participants to phone in and describe their experiences.

**26 March**

## **Statement by UK human rights, women’s rights, LGB rights and child safeguarding groups condemning violent protests preventing women from speaking in New Zealand**

<https://sex-matters.org/posts/updates/let-women-speak-in-new-zealand/?fbclid=IwAR1Xv4QjYv8u9wFvqkW1e0PMDJ-SIuPgLsCFF97-Bo7aJOqXUCa4IoeHOsc>

<https://www.facebook.com/WDIANZ/posts/pfbid04WFkKSYQcSQArwXp1yfUZdASigRLv2vWTawzU2KBXtp7CrjbbS51MLU8LV2hfJaKl>

Anna Rawhiti- Connell, of The Spinoff describes the violence as “joyful and celebratory”

She says “one of the weapons in Parker’s arsenal is fear.”

[https://thespinoff.co.nz/society/26-03-2023/an-alternative-view-of-the-angry-protest-crowd?utm\_term=Autofeed&utm\_medium=Social&utm\_source=Twitter#Echobox=1679767849](https://thespinoff.co.nz/society/26-03-2023/an-alternative-view-of-the-angry-protest-crowd?utm_term=Autofeed&utm_medium=Social&utm_source=Twitter" \l "Echobox=1679767849)

**27 March**

**Radio NZ**

Kim Hill interviews Suzanne Levy of Speak Up for Women ( SUFW )

Extremely biased description of the 25 March (Auckland) and 26 March (Wellington) events, downplaying the violence.

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/national/programmes/morningreport/audio/2018883396/posie-parker-supporter-unimpressed-with-counter-protest>

**27 March, JKRowling supports the Auckland women and KJK**

**<https://twitter.com/fem_mb/status/1640037766351187968>**

**30 March**

**<https://twitter.com/jk_rowling/status/1641392893599313921>**

**27 March**

LGB Alliance Aotearoa Open Letter to the Prime Minister, Government Ministers and the Commissioner of Police, condemning the violence and the collusion of the state and media.

**<https://www.facebook.com/permalink.php?story_fbid=pfbid0ZkWrBDX2gULRc8SJCpjk19cqZ6VyZfxuseHS6UVkcH4q2v5dcwXvQX15jRNpEJQzl&id=100083329721635>**

Chris Trotter writes an article in support of the women’s right to speak, and the shocking media beat up during the week leading up to Posie’s arrival. Thugs’ Veto

<https://www.interest.co.nz/public-policy/120494/chris-trotter-assesses-what-happened-saturday-aucklands-albert-park-and-what?fbclid=IwAR1fmlktS9YqKElzSuk9FF7A44cNB6FpPPw9yCKZE3vKaVD0ipuQMn0C0AU&mibextid=Zxz2cZ>

**26 March**

Sky News interviews Kath Deves

We need to say no to the witch hunts of women’s rights.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1FL1af08DT0>

Sky News discusses misrepresentation of the neo -nazis at the melbourne rally and includes shots of NZ’s Newshub’s completely fabricating news item about it

<https://www.skynews.com.au/australia-news/politics/sky-news-australia-reveals-moira-deeming-speech-that-saw-her-avoid-expulsion-from-victorian-liberal-party-on-monday/news-story/eded416793b4b960500dc370b625f838?fbclid=IwAR1hl5yooM5J-s8W3MlBFJPlm9JK9cScw3Ck2yECJRmKnrrd_6t9F2FpXiA>

**27 March**

Chris Trotter Assesses what happened on Saturday at Auckland’s Albert Park and what it means

<https://www.interest.co.nz/public-policy/120494/chris-trotter-assesses-what-happened-saturday-aucklands-albert-park-and-what>

**27 March**

Andrew Doyle, Helen Joyce and Ella Wheelan .

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HGlLYHC5-AM>

**27 March**

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J.K. Rowling Retweeted

Reem Alsalem UNSR Violence Against Women and Girls

@UNSRVAW

<https://twitter.com/UNSRVAW/status/1639983229888233472>

Mar 27

“V. concerning that in last few weeks, physical, political + online violence has intensified against #women asserting sex-based needs +spaces in several countries. Even where one may disagree with their views, that shouldn’t translate into a green light to threaten and attack them.”

<https://www.todayfm.co.nz/home/opinion/2023/03/rachel-smalley-how-on-earth-did-the-greens-become-so-antiwomen.html>

The platform talks to a woman who was at the LWS event

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0NJ5D5rLklc>

# **We must confront this woke misogyny**

Tom Slater

<https://www.spiked-online.com/2023/03/27/we-must-confront-this-woke-misogyny/?fbclid=IwAR22lFVJzVaL5-4YDaQPRZSkLvz2Wl8zO095TpGZlAYmyvDqOntWtnnv6-A>

Effect on Tourism

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/travel/2023/03/tourism-new-zealand-twitter-account-overwhelmed-with-negative-comments-after-posie-parker-rally.html?fbclid=IwAR0CWex6y9fyBrJfL_ahUPDRbg0Dkm2mAgad3UokPEPNliI_SytC_OhEC2k>

Welcome to New Zealand- satirical tourist video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c-tzXvqtjkY>

Kara Dansky <https://karadansky.substack.com/p/a-fire-has-been-unleashed-that-wont>

27 March

Suzanne Levy from Speak Up for Women (SUFW) complains about the lack of police intervention

<https://tinyurl.com/ytvp5w6s>

**26 March**

Sean Plunket on the Platform invites women from Let Women Speak to phone in and describe what happened on 25 March.

**28 March**

Sean Plunkett on the Platform interviews Brendan O’Neill from Spiked online about the dreadful treatment of Posie Parke

**28 March**

**Human Rights Commissioner,** Paul Hunt, amongst a whole lot of waffle whitewashing the violence, admits:

“The state had a human rights responsibility to make reasonable arrangements for Keen-Minshull to speak without being assaulted, intimidated or shouted down. It did not discharge that responsibility.”

<https://tikatangata.org.nz/news/no-human-right-eclipses-another-is-lesson-from-parker?fbclid=IwAR1bvp64bQsnRE9TplfoctPZdDPf1wdhQSzufKUqwtt1KkWGIqs9EUHPou8>

**28 March**

Spiked The Brendan O’Neill show

KJK How I survived the trans mob

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iWawMxe91jg>

Warrant for arrest issued for Eli Rubashkyn, juice thrower, but apparently is in Australia

<https://www.newstalkzb.co.nz/news/national/posie-parker-tomato-juice-thrower-eli-rubashkyn-says-warrant-for-arrest-likely-to-be-filed/?fbclid=IwAR1N4p5Tvcw8vvrQPBRm8JCcR4ZfC0oT-9ZlVi4dbRaN1acj7pRxrS8OBBo>

Protest at NZ High Commission, London

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xiZTtlrJgO0>

**29 March**

<https://thecritic.co.uk/Defending-the-indefensible/>

**30 March**

A couple of radio interviews

Suzanne Levy from SUFW on Morning Report at 6:40 with either Kim Hill and The Platform at 7:10.

**30 March**

**Women protest for single sex prisons** outside an event organised by the Human Rights Commission in Wellington.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n-MIBZNMu6w>

30-31 March

Eli Rubashkyn charged on two counts of assault with a weapon.

31 March

Trans flag flies outside the beehive. NZ Parliament -could it be an April Fools Day joke?

<https://twitter.com/PankhurstEM/status/1639879476598173699>

# 29 March

# When Ideology Turns Violent: The Political and Media Backing Behind the Posie Parker Mob

<https://cranmer.substack.com/p/when-ideology-turns-violent-the-political?r=1q83zj&utm_medium=ios&utm_campaign=post>

Defending the Indefensible

<https://thecritic.co.uk/defending-the-indefensible/?fbclid=IwAR0Kuqxvd641WChJ1FVYnJVqvtLoGjixKzgVoWJ9yIZH3B14JFSi3xzrFrI>

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**SHANEEL LAL**

**ANTI-WOMAN PROTESTOR, YOUNG NEW ZEALANDER OF THE YEAR**

**Shaneel Lal’s Twitter page**

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall>

**2021**

Shaneel Lal led the campaign to ban gender “conversion” practices. The Conversion Practices Prohibition Legislation Act was passed in early 2022.

**2023**

**Before 25 March**

**Shaneel Lal Builds Hostility to the Women’s Event at Albert Park**

23 March

<https://twitter.com/chowell2000/status/1638814455026032641>

Lal defames Kellie-Jay Keen with alleged Nazi associations, says she is a transphobic bigot.

23 March One News

Lal: “I will not sit at home while Nazis and terfs steal my rights. While I am incredibly scared of being there I will be there.”

<https://twitter.com/1NewsNZ/status/1638687618279014401>

22 March

SL retweets incitement to make Auckland worse than Hobart

<https://twitter.com/vanbadham/status/1638379862842032129>

24 March

SL urging people to go to the anti-woman protest and calling on the legacy of Georgina Beyer.

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639140236851826688>

**25 March, 2023**

Shaneel Lal urged people to protest the 25 March women’s event, and led the chanting against Kellie-Jay Keen on the day.

https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1640062155012837377

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**Shaneel Lal’s Tweets about the 25 March Albert Park Event**

25 March

Auckland you looked so stunning today protesting transphobes

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639543983708962816>

25 March

This is our turf. And we say “fuck terfs.”

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639400759723950081>

25 March Lal : KJK ‘caged herself like a chicken”

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639506027136827393>

25 March after the event : Lal telling people to show up in Wellington on 26 March. “Auckland did the thing. Now you.”

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639501203787902977>

Slandering women as terfs and fascists.

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639484017367187456>

Lal falsely claims that the motorcyclist who knocked into Marama Davidson was with “Posie Parker’s male supporters” and says “Posie Parker is a violent terf”

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639478717515960320>

Lal calls Kellie-Jay Keen a Nazi terf. With the megaphone:

“Go home Posie /Nazi go home”

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1639476457624977409>

Reply to Lal – recalls Lal’s “fag” tweet, some misogynist placards and an account of a wahine Māori being assaulted by white male transactivists.

<https://twitter.com/jamiepontague/status/1639476875516063745>

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**After 25 March.**

26 March

**Shaneel Lal’s celebratory article about the Albert Park events in the NZ Herald**

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-in-nz-shaneel-lal-thanks-auckland-after-anti-trans-activist-kellie-jay-keens-event/VOLAJBYBVZGATCUMVWSM2SSAMU/>

Slurring and lies: “People saw the merging of neo-Nazis and TERFS in Melbourne and thought to themselves that the TERF movement is not something they want to get behind.”

27 March

Shaneel tweets a defamatory fascist slur of KJK and JKR

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1640062155012837377>

**27 March**

Lal claims the legacy of former trans MP Georgina Beyer. Georgina did not claim to be a biological female.

[**https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1640104764024422402**](https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1640104764024422402)

**28 March**

**Shaneel Lal was named Young New Zealander of the Year**

[**https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/487116/shaneel-lal-first-transgender-person-to-win-a-new-zealander-of-the-year-award**](https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/487116/shaneel-lal-first-transgender-person-to-win-a-new-zealander-of-the-year-award)

29 March

Petition: NZ Herald: Sack Shaneel Lal as a columnist and apologise to women's rights campaigners.

<https://www.change.org/p/nz-herald-sack-shaneel-lal-as-a-columnist-and-apologise-to-women-s-rights-campaigners?signed=true>

2 April

Shaneel Lal’s Trannifesto- collection of his tweets

<https://acesnz.substack.com/p/shaneel-lals-trannifesto?fbclid=IwAR3AKvGbJ370SQsske1T4NoLBci_-47Acyv05JnlA1oX8IlZOwTx8UWIpng>

4 April

# “Opportunistic narcissist” - Transgender trailblazer accuses activist of causing more harm than good

Former Human Rights Review Tribunal member Jacquie Grant ONZM |

<https://www.chrislynchmedia.com/news-items/mej9csdt2gpatwhxa22ojobj0pgshw?fbclid=IwAR2emICI4nVh6E2EvKljoIhPf4DE5cczFbvYeH0ieWdMRvLxpZfLGmS9u8M>

2 April-

On Marae, Lal interrupts Speak Up for Women’s Suzanne Levy, to make outlandish claims about Kellie-Jay Keen.

A human rights lawyer also falsely claims that KJK has called for the “elimination and extinguishment of trans people.”

<https://www.maoritelevision.com/shows/marae/S08E005/marae-2023-episode-5>

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**PRIME MINISTER CHRIS HIPKINS AND WOMEN’S RIGHTS**

12 March

A joint letter signed by representatives of New Zealand gender critical groups, including WDI, was sent to the new Prime Minister Chris Hipkins, asking the government to reverse and/or apply scientific scrutiny to the genderist policies it has been pursuing.

On the same day, Chris Hipkins was photgraphed at the Big Gay Out in Coyle Park, Auckland.

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Around 25 March

Chris Hipkins, Prime Minister, when asked if he would ask for the assaulters to be arrested said it would up to the Police Commissioner. When asked if he would like it to happen, he smirked and again said it was up to the Police Commissioner.

Around 26 March he said he would have attended the transactivist protest, if he had been able to.

28 March

PM Hipkins makes a slightly stronger statement after JK Rowling condemns the violence

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/politics/2023/03/prime-minister-chris-hipkins-reacts-to-jk-rowling-s-comments-after-posie-parker-counter-protest.html?fbclid=IwAR0CH0acOBQv2QoW6w3QKC-wOfX9-AEEsCbVIuzBXoTqmv0GcyN_iKKXqOE>

1 April

Photos of NZ Prime Minister with Shaneel Lal

<https://twitter.com/shaneellall/status/1641931462638444544>

**3 April**

**NZ Prime Minister, Chris Hipkins, struggles to define what a woman is,**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=53ktY65eOdk>

4 April

Who is Chris Hipkins so afraid of?  
Ani O’Brien

<https://plainsight.nz/who-is-chris-hipkins-so-afraid-of/?fbclid=IwAR1NDHEqyW4iuJ1WHm1jCfcc_HOum_K8qk8ng92SXQjJVFDBJUKfmlXnShA>

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Several people, mostly women, make complaints to the Independent Police Conduct Authority about the failure of the police to protect the women and Kellie-Jay Keen from the anti-woman violence on 25 March.

Women also make complaints to the Media Council and the Broadcasting Standards Authority about the extremely biased and defamatory media coverage of Kellie-Jay Keen’s visit, both before, during and after it.

**1 April**

Kellie -Jay Keen in Spectator (tweeted by JKR)

<https://www.spectator.co.uk/article/fear-and-loathing-in-new-zealand/>

1 April,

Police Minister Ginny Anderson is interviewed.

.She is not even questioned on the police handling of the Albert Park assaults on women.

<https://www.newshub.co.nz/home/politics/2023/04/new-police-minister-ginny-andersen-in-opposition-s-sights.html>

**1 April**

More on the Violence Against Women at Albert Park on 25 March

Kellie-Jay Keen’s report of what happened at Albert Park.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pTD8xFpxe_4>

1 April Posie Parker I will be back

<https://www.nzherald.co.nz/nz/posie-parker-says-i-will-come-back-controversial-british-anti-transgender-activist-plans-return-to-nz/PPTIXN72ZBHUHETEI42DOXVUFU/?utm_medium=Social&utm_campaign=nzh_fb&utm_source=Facebook&fbclid=IwAR3r-qUZzqQaagI0Q0rP6-HX8cLUXwuPFj8pjgZk0mErHKaTWCGEBnlHP1s#Echobox=1680314141>

Millie Hill on Auckland event, punching 70 year old woman, smearing KJK, and the NZ rainbow midwives’ petition that smeared her.

<https://millihill.substack.com/p/women-of-ill-repute?utm_source=direct&utm_campaign=post&utm_medium=web>

# The death of New Zealand’s MSM

[Yvonne van Dongen](https://www.spectator.com.au/author/yvonne-van-dongen/" \o "Posts by Yvonne van Dongen)

<https://www.spectator.com.au/2023/04/the-death-of-new-zealands-msm/?fbclid=IwAR07RK4hvUbrGA9kvjrVgFhlaOUSFTNPO0A_gKHmUh8-g1SNeDlBxDU31GY>

**2 April**

Damian Grant on free speech issues

<https://www.stuff.co.nz/opinion/131660282/damien-grant-were-having-a-free-speech-moment-it-isnt-going-well?fbclid=IwAR0UOBpy4mmDKJA8Mv26cY-FywvBHoZvC7rEr149rv0gNqxFuLvxJHNqizs>

Article by James Robb, A Worker at Large, about what happened at Albert Park, the police non-response, and the build up to it.

<https://convincingreasons.wordpress.com/2023/04/02/remember-these-events-a-reflection-on-the-violent-suppression-of-the-womens-rally-in-auckland/>

3 April

Julian Vigo, The Attempted Murder of Kellie- Jay Keen

Attributes blame to left- wing feminists for the smearing of KJK as a nazi.

Critiques Australian and NZ media reports towards the end.

<https://savageminds.substack.com/p/anatomy-of-the-near-murder-of-kellie?fbclid=IwAR2GqdplqvN_r4egdun2MOQYnwSxpcTJgAzQkGRDMIoLmuaOlAYY4n4iE_Y>

5 April, Spectator UK , interview with Kellie- Jay Keen.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S8e83KoJb00>

5 April **Lesbian Resistance launches in New Zealand**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IgV3yEbmmEY>

2 April Dane Giraud

<https://plainsight.nz/what-is-keeping-men-out-of-the-fight-for-womens-rights/?fbclid=IwAR2COxyp1KaIm9SSgFVap8OmGclaCyXDLiI_kLfE3Z9Wz_cEzwU87xDUOXM>

5 April

Sean Plunket and Rachael Wong on trans violence in Auckland

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4w54hl8znKM>

5 April

<https://plainsight.nz/the-day-women-were-silenced-a-fathers-perspective/>

10 April 2023 RNZ (falsely) reports that police are calling for trans people to report hate crimes to them ( threats etc) following 25 March event ( the news item is edited later to say “anyone including members of the trans or rainbow community).

"Police are urging any members of the trans or rainbow community who are being threatened in the wake of the visit by a British anti-trans activist to contact them."

<https://www.rnz.co.nz/news/national/487640/police-urge-anyone-including-the-rainbow-community-to-report-threats-violence>

12 April Sean Plunket reports that police never issued such a statement

**New Women’s Rights Groups have Sprung up**

Several new groups have sprung up in response to, or subsequent to violence against women at the Let Women Speak event in Albert Park.

Although there was no reporting of the violence in the mainstream media, it was all over the internet.

These include

Women Act Up,

Women of New Zealand, which has around 2.5 thousand members, Women and Men of New Zealand Stand Together, Real Women NZ-doing weekly podcasts

11 April

Tania Surt recalls events at Albert Park, on Terf Talk Downunder

Monday 11 April 2023?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z7OjxdNx5uQ&t=2s>

12-13 April

**Christchurch City Council reaches a settlement with Speak Up For Women,** and welcomes them into its premises, after wrongly refusing them use of a venue in 2021.

<https://www.speakupforwomen.nz/post/sufw-and-christchurch-city-council-resolve-dispute>

15 April

**Stand by your Woman** events across New Zealand in response to the shut down of the Let Women Speak event.

16 April

Comment by Rex Landy

Satisfying, True, Yet Tactically? (-not smart.)

<https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?tab=rm&ogbl#inbox/WhctKKXwtnSPJcsDNWSPZdhrXxQzHvCblfPtFLsKkknJGfbMHCBLVsDmDdnTlltZRfpbsDG>

16 April

Nadine Strossen, formerly from the Civil Liberties Union, talks about how free speech doesn’t mean the heckler’s veto, which is what happened at Albert Park.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=V38UOXOxJaU&fbclid=IwAR3AvkyOQNrf1F4ciwMVkHrF0n7aYlp7z7a89q_V4uyRLdVXsJMZp39mNuQ>

**19 April**

Police charge the man who assaulted the 70+years woman at Albert Park.

<https://tinyurl.com/253nhvbt>

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