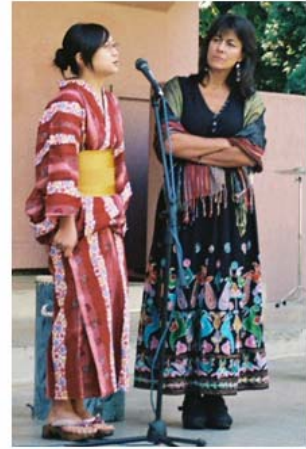


# 23rd Annual Ashland Hiroshima - Nagasaki Vigil

## Aug. 6 - 9, 2008

"Working Toward a Nuclear Weapons-Free World"



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<i>Wednesday, Aug. 6</i>	<i>Thursday, Aug. 7</i>	<i>Saturday, August 9</i>
<b>DAY-LONG VIGIL 8 AM to 5 PM</b>		<b>DAY-LONG VIGIL 10 AM to 8:30 PM</b>
<b>Ashland Plaza (Downtown)</b>		<b>Ashland Plaza (Downtown)</b>
<b>8 am</b> Opening Ceremony <b>8:15</b> Bells ring for Hiroshima Moment of Silence <b>9 am</b> Hopeful Developments <b>11 am</b> Insanity & Criminality of Nuclear Weapons (Gerry Cavanaugh) <b>11:30</b> Readings of Hiroshima Survivors' Testimonies <b>1 pm</b> Perspectives on Nuclear Power <b>2 pm</b> Health Effects of Nuclear Pollution (Linda Richards) <b>3 pm</b> Oregon Nuclear Stories (Linda Richards) <b>5 pm</b> Vigil closes at Plaza - Carry flame to Bandshell		<b>10 am</b> Vigil open <b>10:30</b> Readings of Nagasaki Survivors' Testimonials <b>11:02</b> Bells ring for Nagasaki <b>11:15</b> Whistling Elk Drum <b>Noon</b> Women In Black Vigil <b>1 pm</b> "Uranium & Indigenous Peoples" (Jane Ayers) <b>2 pm</b> Hopeful Developments <b>3 pm</b> Perspectives on Nuclear Power
<b>EVENING PROGRAM 5:15 PM to 7:30 PM</b>	<b>EVENING FILMS &amp; DISCUSSION 7 PM</b>	<b>CLOSING PROGRAM 8 PM</b>
<b>Lithia Park Bandshell</b>	<b>Peace House (543 S. Mountain St.)</b>	<b>Lithia Park Meyer Memorial Lake (Lower Duck Pond)</b>
<b>5:15</b> Taiko Drummers <b>5:30</b> Welcome (M.C. Noah Sohl), Taiko Drummers Speakers: Eric Navickas, Gerry Cavanaugh, Jane Ayers, Linda Richards Performers: Rogue Valley Peace Choir Ensemble, Sara Jane Nelson Peacemaker Award Presentation (Pam Vavra) <b>7:30</b> Vigil closes for day	<b>"Nuclear Weapons and the Human Factor"</b> (20 min) From Nuclear Age Peace Foundation <b>"A Mother's Prayer"</b> (30 min) From Hiroshima Peace Culture Foundation	<b>8 pm</b> <b>Closing Ceremony</b> (in silence) Walk to Lithia Park Meyer Memorial Lake (Lower Duck Pond) for lighting of candles of remembrance and hope

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