

# April

## Sexual Assault Awareness Month

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April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month, a subject that young women all over the country are far too familiar with. According to [RAINN](#), a person is sexually assaulted every 68 seconds. This month, we want to take the time to let the survivors in our lives tell their stories in safety and care. There are plenty of resources available for students who wish to organize around SA, such as the resources at RAINN for student activism which are available [here](#). If you or someone you love ever needs help, don't hesitate to call the National Sexual Assault Hotline at (800) 656-HOPE or chat with the hotline online. You are not alone.

[JOIN NOW HERE!](#)



## Have you joined NOW?!

If not, join before April 17th!! For new members to be able to vote at our Annual Conference, where we set policy and directives for the upcoming year plus many other important agenda items, they must have joined as members at least 90 days before. Young Feminists can join for only \$10! Scan this QR code or click the link above!



## Hot Topics

This month, both Florida and Arizona have passed abortion bans that are almost absolute. While Florida at least also ruled that the right to an abortion can be on the ballot this November for voters to decide, Arizona has taken its citizens back to 1864. Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs is doing what she can for women from the executive branch, but these rulings have made one thing clear—our bodies are on the line this November!



## CAN Shout-out!

This month we have two exciting resources for CANs!

First, the Students for Biden/Harris digital toolkit has been released to organizations nationally! If you would like to get the Students for Biden Digital Toolkit, email Shelby at [member@now.org](mailto:member@now.org) and she can send you one!

Secondly, we have an exciting opportunity from Girls State, a new documentary launching on Apple+. Girls State is a documentary that delves into the experiences of teenage girls participating in a week-long program, where they construct their own state government. During the program, Roe v. Wade is overturned.

If you are interested in hosting a watch party for your CAN, contact Shelby at [member@now.org](mailto:member@now.org) and she can set you up!

## Upcoming Events

4/15-- CAN Training: Organizing within NOW

Register here for Carlo's training on NOW's structure and how to make your voice heard:

[CAN Meeting Registration - Zoom](#)

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