

We are pleased to announce that **Cindy Sheehan** will be a Keynote Speaker at our May 2011 conference:

Motherhood Activism, Advocacy, Agency  
May 12-14, 2011  
Metro Toronto Convention Centre SOUTH Building  
222 Bremner Blvd., Toronto, ON Toronto, Canada

**Cindy Sheehan**  
**Peace and Social Justice Advocate, author of *Peace Mom***  
**will speak Friday, May 13, 2011: 7:30pm - TICKETS: \$25**

**“One Person Can Make a Difference”**

On April 4, 2011 Cindy Sheehan learned that Casey, the oldest of her four children, had been killed in Iraq, where he was serving in the United States Army. After struggling through crippling grief for three weeks, she came to an epiphany: “I will spend my life trying to make Casey’s sacrifice count for peace and love, not killing and hate.”

This presentation will explore the heartfelt and profoundly moving story of Cindy’s journey to activism. She recounts the dark days following Casey’s death, when it seemed her life would never have meaning again. She tells of her June 2004 meeting with President Bush, and how that encounter ultimately set her on a path that would take her to hearings in the Capitol, test old friendships and family ties, and culminate outside Crawford, Texas, in a month long peace action that would draw thousands of supporters and worldwide attention.

Tickets may be purchased online through our website (paypal option) or by mail with cheque payable to "MIRCI" <http://www.motherhoodinitiative.org>

**TICKETS FOR THE KEYNOTE ADDRESS ARE VERY LIMITED SO WE ASK THAT YOU ORDER TICKETS EARLY IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND.**

Please see our website for the full conference program, attendee registration form, and individual ticket sales for Cindy Sheehan keynote address.

<http://www.motherhoodinitiative.org>

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