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**The United For Peace & Justice – Delaware Valley Network - Educational Committee  
invites you to a forum**

**The Cost of War on Women and Children: What We can Do About It**

**Sunday August 21st - 2:00 to 4:00**

**Free Library of Philadelphia**

**1901 Vine Street – Skyline Room 4<sup>th</sup> Floor**

**<http://www.ufpj-dvn.org/>**

**Natalie Cordona** – Director of Programs for the Center for Women's Global Leadership, co-sponsored by Rutgers University and the UN.

**Rosemarie Senero**, who works with Barbara Lee California Congressional Rep, trying to eliminate the always increasing number of child soldiers throughout the world. Suad Monsouri who has been interviewing Darfuran refugees and researching in the camps of Chad. There may be a young person from Darfur with her.

**Jerry Samotus** writer/activist, will be drawing some comparisons between our world conflicts and the difficulties women and men have in their personal and political lives. Finding solutions in both areas can bring world peace.

And a speaker TBA on Nuclear Issues and why we must eliminate nuclear weapons and nuclear power.

Drinks of seltzer, iced tea, coffee and water will be provided.

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