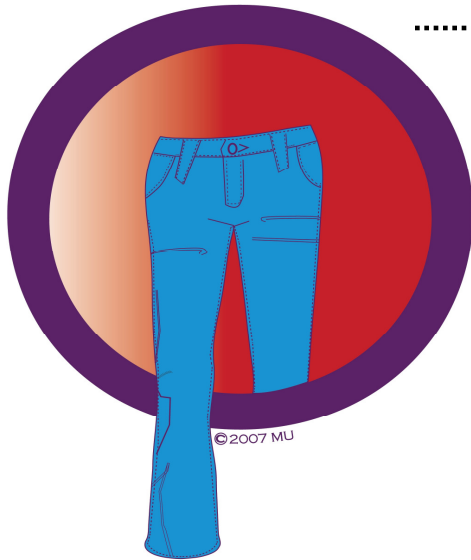


Denim Day Art Show

Take a step forward. Stop sexual assault.



SafeHouse Center's Teen Voice will put on an exhibition of denim art as part of Sexual Assault Awareness Month. It will address the myths and misconceptions surrounding sexual assault and the role our community must play in stopping this violence. Come support survivors and be a part of the change!

Where:

- **Ann Arbor Art Center**
117 W. Liberty St.
Ann Arbor, MI, 48104

April 17th-May 3rd
at the
Ann Arbor Art Center

Special Events:

- **Saturday, April 17th, 2-5pm**
Gallery Opening and Community Jean Decorating
* * Bring a pair of jeans with you and we'll supply the materials for you to decorate them! Remember to wear them on Denim Day!
- **Wednesday, April 21st, 7pm**
DENIM DAY Celebration and Gallery Talk

History of Denim Day:

In 1992 an 18-year-old in Italy was picked up by her driving instructor to begin a driving lesson. Soon after, she was raped on the side of the road by the instructor. She pressed charges and won her case. The instructor appealed, and the case went to the Italian High Court. In 1999 the court overturned the conviction with a member of the High Court declaring that since the victim wore very tight jeans, the instructor could not have removed them himself, therefore the victim must have willingly participated. Women of the Italian legislature protested the decision by wearing jeans. As news of the decision spread, so did the protest. In