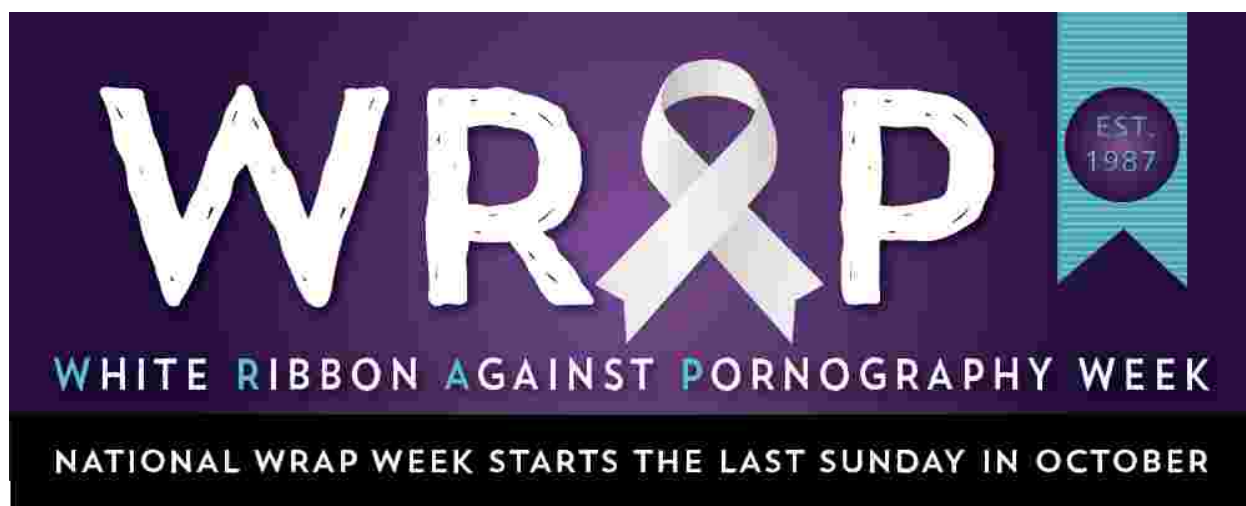


White Ribbon Against Pornography (WRAP) Week is Oct. 25 - Oct. 31, 2015

Fly a white ribbon on your car or mailbox or wear one to show you are taking a stand for decency!



For action items you can take part in, see these web sites:

<http://endsexualexploitation.org/wrap/>

and

<http://endsexualexploitation.org/dirty-dozen/>

To order ribbons for your place of worship or group, 5¢ each, please call Eva Murphy, 301-345-7825 or email us at **mcapinc@juno.com**.

Struggling with porn, or know someone who is? See a list of local counselors and other resources at www.mcap1.com, where donations can also be made via Paypal. Please consider helping us! Thank you.



Why Cosmo is on the Dirty Dozen List as a WRAP Action Item

Cosmopolitan Magazine glamorizes things like public, anal, group, or violent sex in nearly all of their issues. Every issue of Cosmo encourages its readers to engage in dangerous and risky sexual behaviors. It is a verbally pornographic "how-to" sex guide, desensitizing young women and girls to the pornified culture around them. Cosmo now blatantly targets young girls to expand their audience and increase profits. Many of their covers feature teen idols, meant to entice young girls into buying the magazine. Results from a 2015 nationwide survey indicate that many Americans agree.

Even Victoria Hearst, grand-daughter of William Randolph Hearst agrees, and is calling this product of her family's corporation 'pornographic.' She has joined the campaign to get it brown-bagged.

See <http://endsexualexploitation.org/cosmo/#actions> for actions any individual can take - thanking retailers who are placing Cosmo behind blinders, (Walmart, Rite Aid, and Delhaize America), emailing other retailers or the Cosmo editors, and approaching stores who are not using the blinders to ask that they do. This web site even provides a flyer that can be printed out and placed in front of the Cosmo magazines in your local retail checkout lines or handed to a store manager.

Federal obscenity laws, which the U.S. Department of Justice refuses to currently enforce, prohibit distribution of hardcore, obscene pornography on the Internet, on cable/satellite or hotel/motel TV and in sexually oriented businesses and other retail shops.

- 18 U.S.C. 1461 Mailing obscene matter
- 18 U.S.C. 1462 Importation or use of a common carrier to transport obscene matter
- 18 U.S.C. 1465 Interstate transportation of obscene matter
- 18 U.S.C. 1466 Wholesale and retail sale of obscene matter which has been transported in interstate commerce