

# **SAOIRSE INSPIRING WOMEN OF IRELAND AWARDS LAUNCHED**

Saoirse Domestic Violence Services launch the Saoirse Inspiring Women of Ireland Awards, a major fundraising event celebrating of all the amazing, inspiring women across our communities and our country.

- Charity Gala Ball & Awards ceremony in aid of Saoirse Domestic Violence Services
- Saturday 25th November 2023
- Nominations are now open for the Saoirse Inspiring Women of Ireland Awards
- Calling out for sponsors to get involved with the event Contact aisling.finn@sdvs.ie
- One in four women in Ireland have been abused by a current or former partner. Domestic Violence and abuse is happening to to a shocking number of women and children across the country everyday.

The awards will take place on Saturday 25th November 2023, the international day of elimination of violence against women and girls, bringing it back to what its really all about for us. Over one in four women in Ireland who have been in a relationship have been abused by a current or former partner, and although in recent years there has been more action taken to support the domestic violence sector in Ireland, there can never be enough light shed on this issue that almost one third of women in Ireland face everyday.

Fundraising officer for SDVS, Aisling Finn explained "We want the event to bring the issue of Domestic Violence and Abuse to the forefronts of peoples minds each year and also highlighting our services so those who need us know where to find us."

"The event itself is a major fundraising opportunity for SDVS, and will allow us to continue to give the support needed so these women and children experiencing domestic violence and abuse can change their lives."

#### **About Us:**

Saoirse DVS is an not for profit organisation who support women and children experiencing Domestic Violence and Abuse. We currently have two refuges for families fleeing domestic violence and abuse, as well as a whole range of services we offer to the south Dublin and west Wicklow area, including our 24 hour helpline, safe house accommodation, children's support services, community outreach support and court accompaniment.

### **EVENT DETAILS**

Charity Fundraiser Black Tie Gala Ball & Awards Ceremony



Ticket Details coming soon to SDVS social channels



Saturday November 25th 2023



The Maldron Hotel, D24 XC9W





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### How can you get involved?

We are looking for business or groups to get involved, sponsoring or supporting the event in lots of different ways. There are options to sponsor particular awards, present them to the winners on the night and even to be a part of our judging panel to help select the winners themselves. If you would like to get involved please contact Aisling - Aisling.finn@sdvs.ie



### Nominations are now open!

Scan the QR code here to submit an online application for one of the eight awards up for grabs on the night. The categories include Inspiring Women in Business, Sport, Arts & Culture, Innovation & Technology, Group/Team, Inspiring young woman of the year, as well as the Overall Saoirse Inspiring Young Woman of the Year 2023

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