

#MondayMenu: 5 – 11 February 2018

UN Namibia: What's happening at UN Namibia this week? Check out the #MondayMenu for 5 – 11 February 2018.

The Commission for Social Development (CSocD) is continuing this week in New York. Its purpose is to advise the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) on social policies – specifically on all matters in the social field not covered by the specialised inter-governmental agencies. It also has taken up key social development themes. More: <http://bit.ly/2Gmssqq>

World Interfaith Harmony Week is also continuing this week. This annual event, observed during the first week of February, highlights the importance of promoting harmony between all people regardless of their faith. More: <http://bit.ly/1ijJtPV>

The International Day of Zero Tolerance to Female Genital Mutilation, commemorated annually on 6 February, aims to encourage people across the globe to enhance awareness-raising campaigns and to take concrete actions against female genital mutilations. More: <http://bit.ly/2E3cW0s>

On 6 February 2018, Namibia will join the world in celebrating Safer Internet Day (SID). The event, which will be held under the leadership of the Ministry of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (MGECW) with support from UNICEF, will bring together children and representatives from the Ministries of Education, Arts and Culture (MEAC) and Information and Communication Technology (MICT) and the Office of the First Lady, LifeLine/ChildLine. The aim of the event will be to advocate for safer internet usage for children in Namibia.

11 February is the International Day of Women and Girls in Science. This International Observance promotes the achievement of full and equal access to and participation in science for women and girls, and further achieve gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls. More: <http://bit.ly/20w4twe>