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## May Big Push to June 2nd

Here is SCAN!'s plan to Vote Ford Out and keep climate on the table.

### The election team is:

- launching the climate crimes (see below)
- preparing for rallies
- watching the polls
- organizing street theatre
- getting ready to promote SCAN!'s first video getting ready
- to demonstrate outside Environment Minister Piccini's office
- And has now uploaded a [tool kit](#) to the web site

### What you can do

#### Attend

- **May 1st** Labour Day [rally](#) near you
- **May 3rd** 7:30 PM. Climate Crimes Campaign Launch Webinar, A seniors' indictment on 33 counts. Register [here](#).
- **May 11** Rally in Port Hope – riding of David Piccini, Minister of the Environment
- **May 12** Breathing Lands (Ring of Fire) webinar (see below)
- **May 14** if you are in Toronto, attend the climate rally at Queen's Park: "Emergency In Ontario: Rally For Climate, Communities and Nature!" SCAN! members will be wearing SCAN! buttons and handing out flyers

## Other actions (the [tool kit](#) will help you)

- write a letter to the editor in your town/city and/or your community newspaper
  - watch our first video (soon to be uploaded to the web site) and share widely
  - attend all candidates' meetings and ask questions  
share SCAN! Facebook posts and retweet our tweets (@Seniors\_CAN)
  - encourage friends to attend the **May 28** fundraiser (see below)
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## Election webinar #3

**May 12** Indigenous Nations and the “Breathing Lands” (or Ring of Fire).

This is an opportunity to join a discussion catalyzed by two climate justice activists, Indigenous and settler, who have worked together on environmental issues and Indigenous sovereignty in the Ring of Fire region of northern Ontario.

Presenters: Donna Ashamock, a member of the Cree Nation and affiliated with Fort Albany First Nation, active with the Indigenous Climate Action Network and is co-chair of MiningWatch Canada.

Dayna Nadine Scott, the York Research Chair in Environmental Law & Justice in the Green Economy and Associate Professor, Osgoode Hall Law School and the Faculty of Environmental and Urban Change.

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## SCAN! signed on

To the Ontario Climate Emergency climate pledge. Read the 12 points [here](#) and take the pledge. Also take a look at their comprehensive tool kit.

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Here is a petition we encourage *you* to sign

### **PETITION TO THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA re THERMAL COAL** - open till May 10

1. Add thermal coal to the Priority Substances List of the Canadian Environment Protection Act (CEPA), and, as soon thereafter as possible, to the Toxic Substances List of CEPA; and
2. Regulate the mining, use, export, and import of thermal coal in Canada in accordance with our international commitments to reduce carbon emissions at home and abroad.

<https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Details?Petition=e3919>

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## When the writ drops, May the fourth be with us.

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*Supporters are welcome to join as members any time. Go to the [web site](#) and click on "join us*

Questions? email us: [info@seniorsforclimateactionnow.org](mailto:info@seniorsforclimateactionnow.org)

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*Fanny, Clara & Louise*  
*Cherchez la femme!*  
Saturday, May 28, 2022 2 pm  
Heliconian Hall

A FUNDRAISING  
CONCERT FOR  
**SENIORS  
for  
CLIMATE  
ACTION  
NOW!**



Image by Linda Briskin

We pay tribute to three extraordinary women composer - pianists of nineteenth-century Europe:  
*Clara Wieck Schumann, Fanny Mendelssohn-Hense and Louise Dumont Farrenc.*  
Dramatic and impassioned trios presented by *Velma Ko (violin), Nancy Nourse (flute), Kye Marshall (cello) and Dorothy de Val (piano).*

Seniors for Climate Action Now! (SCAN!), is a social justice-based organization of elders supporting youth to mobilize on the climate crisis.  
<https://seniorsforclimateactionnow.org/>

TICKETS: Tickets by donation. Suggested donation \$25. Book through [www.susannamccleary.com](http://www.susannamccleary.com). All persons must wear masks when not actively rehearsing/performing.



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