



## „WIDER DIE GEWALT“ ORGANISATION AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

„Wider die Gewalt“ is **marking a strong sign against violence** this year!

Former Austrian Chancellor Dr. Franz Vranitzky founded the non profit organisation “Against Domestic Violence” in May 1990.

Purpose of the organisation is to financially support programs fighting violence and support club charities helping the victims of violence.. The organisation is particularly focusing on violence in the family.

In favour of the original initiative the project became a public benefit. During the last **26 years** the organisation could raise a total yield of approx. **€ 3.000.000,-** .

This amount could be reached with the help of more than **300 international artists** performing at the annual Benefit Gala, the profit of the tickets, donations and corporate sponsorings.

The artists are all performing **free of charge**. The net profit of the different events throughout the year are transferred to the organisations who applied for a sponsorship during the year and have been selected by the Executive Board.

Of course “Wider die Gewalt” will take over the artist’s travel costs, accommodation etc.

The gala event is very well recognized within the press world and has welcomed over 300 artists over the past 25 years such as **Conchita Wurst, Paul Potts, OPUS, Xavier Naidoo, Wolfgang Ambros, Jeanette Biedermann, Klaus Maria Brandauer, Christiane Hörbiger, DJ Ötzi, Rainhard Fendrich, Der Graf von Unheilig, Albert Hammond, Udo Jürgens, Karl Markovics, Christina Stürmer, Bonnie Tyler** and more.

The organisation was able to help over **250 associations and organisations** with the money raised to continue their work in helping the victims of violence.

For further informations please visit the website [www.widerdiegewalt.at](http://www.widerdiegewalt.at) or feel free to contact us

With my very best reagrds

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**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**26. GALA "WIDER DIE GEWALT" AM**  
**5. OKTOBER 2015 IM RAIMUND THEATER**

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