



League of Women Voters of Alpena County February—March 2017

Calendar

- March 17, Fri. 12 noon—Lunch Bunch**
19th Hole, (Twin Acres)
- March 20, Mon. 12 noon—Women's History Month Speaker & Program**
Fresh Palate, Center Bldg.
- March 27, Mon.—3:15-5:15 pm ACC**
Leadership Team Meeting
- April 21, Fri. 12 noon—Lunch Bunch**
Owl
- April 24, Mon.—3:15-5:15 pm ACC**
Leadership Team Meeting
- May 9, Tuesday—5:30 pm**
Congregational UCC,
Annual Dinner
- May 19, Fri. 12 noon—Lunch Bunch**
Connie's Café
- May 19-22 LWV State Convention**
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Condolences to—

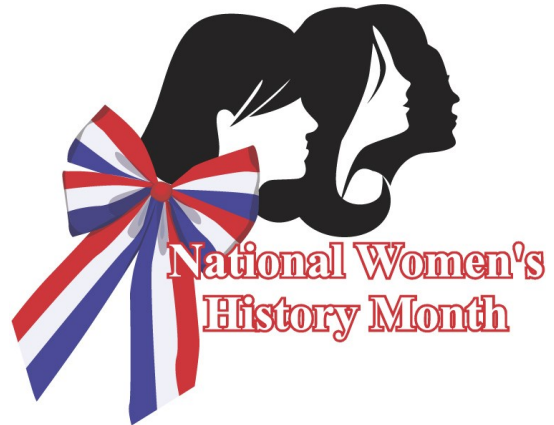
Bonnie Friedrichs and family on the loss of Bonnie's husband who died in January.

Get Well Wishes to—

Paul Wolne who is in Hillman Medilodge after surgery.

Lee Kirkpatrick who is undergoing surgery and may have to have chemo.

Mabel Joseph who is in Greenview, Tender Care after surgery.

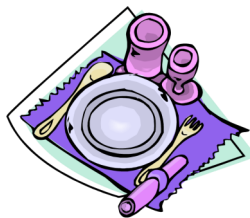


March—Women's History Month

In honor of Women's History Month, we have invited **Marion Eagling**, to be our speaker on **March 20, Monday at noon at the Fresh Palate, lower level Conference Room, Meet here at 12 noon and order from the Fresh Palate menu. No need to reserve a spot, just come and bring your friends.**

Marion is a member of National Families Community Education, (NFCE) whose mission is strengthening individuals, families and communities through continuing education, developing leadership and community action. She has attended state, national and international conventions. NFCE is a grass roots, volunteer organization which deals with family issues before they become leading social concerns. This program is open to the public.

Lunch Bunch Continues



Join League members for lunch and talk on the third Friday of each month.

We get together at a different restaurant each month. All are welcome. Join us at **12 noon!**

February 17, 2017, Friday

Mangos Mexican Cuisine
687-699 S Ripley Blvd.
Nieman's Shopping Center

March 17, 2017, Friday

19th Hole (Twin Acres), US 23 N

April 21, 2017, Friday

Owl, 121 W. Chisholm

May 19, 2017, Friday

Connie's Café
11585 U S 23 S, Ossineke

June 16, 2017, Friday

Fresh Palate
Center Bldg.

Consensus on Michigan's Budget and Taxation

Our League met on February 14 to view the power point on Michigan's Budget and Taxation consensus with about 50 people present. Then on Tuesday, February 14, the League met at As You Wish, to reach consensus on the twenty-two questions drafted by the League of Women Voters of Michigan about fairness and efficiency in the State's financial policies.

On nearly all questions, the group reached consensus easily, although many questions sparked lively conversation. Our consensus has been submitted to the state League and will be combined with all other League consensus opinions—then the State LWV will issue the official consensus on this topic.

Thank you to Trina Borenstein for her time and talent on this consensus. For more info go to LWV Michigan, click on Member Resources, Studies, Taxation & Budgeting Study



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