



Women's History Coalition of Indiana County

The Women's History Coalition of Indiana County has the following two aims:

- Plan a community event to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the ratification of the Nineteenth amendment to the United States Constitution and
- Support events focusing on the history of women's suffrage that are hosted by other Indiana County organizations.

The women's history coalition chose August 18, 2020 to host our community event because this is the 100th anniversary of the date, August 18, 1920 when the last of the necessary 36 states voted to secure the ratification of the Nineteenth Amendment. The Nineteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution guaranteed all American women the right to vote.

CALENDAR

February 19, 2020
6:00 p.m.
Indiana University of PA

Documentary Film - "Bag It: Is your life too plastic?"
Host: IUP SEEDS Club, Biology Department
Lower level of Weyandt Hall, Room 32
Contact: Vera Bonnet (verabonnet46@gmail.com)

February 21, 2020
12:30 p.m.
Eat'n Park Restaurant

Legislative Interview – Pennsylvania Representative Jim Struzzi
Lunch in the Back Room.
Contact: Aida Shotts (abshotts@gmail.com)

February 26, 2020
7:00 p.m.
Indiana Free Library

Book Club – Women's Suffrage
No Constitutional Right to be Ladies, Linda Kerber
Contact: Lauri Fletcher (iflteens@gmail.com)

February 20, 2020
10:00 a.m.
Indiana Free Library

Film Presentation: "The Untold Stories of Black Women in the Suffrage Movement"
Sponsor: Indiana County NAACP
Contact: Carolyn Princes (didw58@hotmail.com)

February 26, 2020
12:00 noon & 7:00 p.m.
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February 27, 2020
6:30 p.m.
Historical & Genealogical Society, 621 Wayne Avenue

Dramatizations and Closing Reception – "Less Known Stories of African Americans"
Sponsors: Indiana County NAACP, Historical and Genealogical Society of Indiana County, and Blairsville Area Underground Railroad
Contact: Carolyn Princes (didw58@hotmail.com)

February 29, 2020
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Indiana Mall

Event – Family Fun Fest
Sponsor: Children's Advisory Commission of Indiana County
Contact: Sue Welsh (sbwelsh48@gmail.com)

March 15, 2020
RSVP

Day Trip – The Women's Rights National Historical Park
Completed reservation form and \$25.00 deposit due
Contact: Peggy Eyer (peggy_eyer@yahoo.com)

March 18, 2020
5:00 p.m.
IUP Stapleton Library

Presentation – League of Women Voters of Indiana County: Archival Collection
Celebration of Women's History Month
Contact: Harrison Wick (hwick@iup.edu)

<u>March 19, 2020</u> 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Harrisburg Hilton	Conference – 2020 Pennsylvania Budget Summit Host: Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center; Cost: \$25.00 Contact: Anne Simmons (lwvindianacounty@gmail.com)
<u>March 23, 2020</u> 4:00 p.m.	Planning Meeting – Women’s History Coalition of Indiana County All members of the Indiana community are welcome to attend! Contact: Anne Simmons (lwvindianacounty@gmail.com)
<u>April 22, 2020</u> 5:00 p.m. Hilton Garden Inn	Dinner and Program - Notable Women Banquet Host: American Association of University Women Contact: Susan Wheatley (wheatleyse@gmail.com)
<u>April 22, 2020</u> 7:00 p.m. Indiana Free Library	Book Club – Women’s Suffrage <i>Invention of Wings</i> , Sue Monk Kidd Contact: Lauri Fletcher (iflteens@gmail.com)
<u>April 25, 2020</u> 1:30 p.m. Saint Andrew’s Village	Program - Suffragist Tea Host: Federation of Democratic Women; Cost: \$20.00 Contact: Nancy Westburg (nan2al@aol.com)
<u>April 28, 2020</u>	2020 Presidential Primary Election
<u>May 1, 2020</u> RSVP	Day Trip – The Women’s Rights National Historical Park \$135.00 balance due Contact: Peggy Eyer (peggy_eyer@yahoo.com)
<u>May 2 & 3, 2020</u>	LWVIC Annual Garage Sale
<u>May 2020</u>	LWVIC Annual Dinner Meeting – Potluck [Date to be determined]
<u>June 6, 2020</u> All Day Trip Seneca Falls, NY	Day Trip – The Women’s Rights National Historical Park Host: American Association of University Women; Cost: \$160.00 Contact: Susan Wheatley (wheatleyse@gmail.com)
<u>June 24, 2020</u> 7:00 p.m. Indiana Free Library	Book Club – Women’s Suffrage <i>Mistress Suffragette</i> , D. Forbes Contact: Lauri Fletcher (iflteens@gmail.com)
<u>August 18, 2020</u> 5:00 p.m. Indiana County Courthouse	Community Event: Celebration of the 100 th Anniversary of the ratification of the Nineteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution Contact: Anne Simmons (lwvindianacounty@gmail.com)
<u>August 26, 2020</u> 7:00 p.m. Indiana Free Library	Book Club – Women’s Suffrage <i>In a Gilded Cage</i> , R. Bowen Contact: Lauri Fletcher (iflteens@gmail.com)
<u>September 10 - 12, 2020</u>	Northern Appalachian Folk Festival, Inc. Indiana County Walk of Fame – Recognition of two women; Film: “Women of Steel” Contact: Jim Dougherty (jpauldoc@gmail.com)

ANNOUNCEMENT:

“Bags to Benches: A Community Recycling Project”

Collection sites for plastics:

1. Indiana Borough Municipal Building, 80 North 8th Street
2. Indiana County YMCA, 60 North Ben Franklin Road
3. S&T Bank Arena, 497 East Pike Road
4. BiLo Foods, 420 North 4th Street

For additional information: Cindy Rogers (rogers944@comcast.net)