

# The Gazette

Women's Rights Action Group



## 2nd Fundraiser Scheduled 8/26/17

*Save the Date! Spread the News! Invite a friend (or two)!*

On Saturday, August 26, 2017, at 7pm, join Tapestry's Women's Rights Action Group (WRAG) for the screening of "Trapped," a documentary that follows the clinic workers and the lawyers who work to keep abortions in the US safe and legal. Lynne Riddle, a retired Federal Judge and Planned Parenthood Community Action Fund Board Member, will be on hand to give the backstory and insider perspective on the film and related legal issues.

This event is our second fundraiser. Donations received to be split between Tapestry/WRAG and Planned Parenthood Community Action Fund. Ready to get involved? Great! See page 2.

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### THE GAZETTE

Do you have photos or stories to share? Must involve Women, Rights and/or Action!

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### FOLLOW US

Contact Karen Nichols to join WRAG's closed FaceBook group.  
[kbbingo@hotmail.com](mailto:kbbingo@hotmail.com)

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### SUFFRAGE DAY

Sunday, 8/27/17  
Women for: Orange County Event planned.  
More details to come.

### MARK YOUR



### CALENDARS!

Upcoming Events:



### July 20, 2017

OC Planned Parenthood Advocacy Night, 5:30-7:30pm in Santa Ana



### July 30, 2017

Women's Rights Action Group Meeting, 11:45am, Room 1 (last Sunday every month)

## In Case You Missed It



Lynne Riddle, retired federal judge, to lead discussion following screening of "Trapped" at Tapestry.

### Join Us: Group Action Opportunity

We are thrilled to have Lynne Riddle as our guest host for the screening of "Trapped" next month. Riddle will introduce the film and discuss the legal background, from Roe v Wade (1973) and Planned Parenthood v Casey, to Whole Women's Health v Hellerstedt (June 2016). This will be an interactive event with time for discussion after the film as we nosh on refreshments and sip at the wine bar.

To preview the film: <http://www.trappeddocumentary.com/>

Questions? Contact Debbie at [debbiesalahi@gmail.com](mailto:debbiesalahi@gmail.com) or Rona at

[rona.s.henry@gmail.com](mailto:rona.s.henry@gmail.com). There are many volunteer opportunities for set up, refreshments, and greeters. Also a sign-up sheet at Tapestry.

### Flash News – Social Media

#### Women in Tech Speak Frankly on Culture of Harassment

<https://www.nytimes.com/2017/06/30/technology/women-entrepreneurs-speak-out-sexual-harassment.html>

#### Cory Booker and Elizabeth Warren Want to Treat Women Prisoners Like Human Beings

[http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/cory-booker-and-elizabeth-warren-want-to-treat-women-in-prison-like-human-beings\\_us\\_5964cce5e4b005b0fdc84b00?ncid=inblnkushpmg00000009](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/cory-booker-and-elizabeth-warren-want-to-treat-women-in-prison-like-human-beings_us_5964cce5e4b005b0fdc84b00?ncid=inblnkushpmg00000009)

## Call to Action

#### Isaiah's House — Group Action Opportunity:

Arrangements are being made for us to participate in cooking, serving a meal, and dining with the guests in residence. Date and details to be provided soon!

## THE WOMEN'S RIGHTS MOVEMENT: HOW WE GOT STARTED

*Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia Mott were outspoken activists against slavery and other social injustices, but their voices were unheard in a male dominated society. On July 19-20, 1848, they led the first woman's rights convention in the US in Seneca Falls, NY. Its purpose was "to discuss the social, civil, and religious condition and rights of women." They passed 12 resolutions specifically requiring equal rights for women, including the right to vote. This marked the beginning of the women's suffrage movement in America. More than 70 years later, Congress passed the 19th Amendment, granting women the right to vote in 1920. This victory ushered in new waves of feminism and a focus on issues including reproductive rights, sexuality, family, the workplace, immigration, and gender equality. Read more: <https://www.biography.com/news/seneca-falls-convention-leaders>*