

The Gazette

Women's Rights Action Group



Judy T. and Planned Parenthood Co-Champion Debbie S. canvassing to bring out voters for the June 2, 2018 primary election.

Stop the Trump “Gag Rule”

The Trump administration is pushing a “gag rule” designed to prevent women from receiving vital reproductive health care and information they need. The proposed gag rule would prohibit doctors, nurses, hospitals, and community health centers from advising patients how they can safely and legally obtain abortions.

Don't wait! Submit an official comment to the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services telling them you oppose this attempt to allow doctors to withhold information from their patients by visiting: <http://bit.ly/StopGagRule>.

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LET'S BE PEN PALS!

Send cards/letters to our Ladies of Liberty female deployed soldiers. Contact Karen Nichols for details.

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GOT SNACKS?

WRAG will provide after-service snacks the last Sunday each month this year. Contact Karen to sign up!

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DID YOU KNOW?

Alice Paul's image is on the 2012 US \$10 gold coin and to appear on a newly designed 2020 \$10 bill.

MARK YOUR



CALENDARS!



July 19

Thurs. 5:30-7:30pm
Santa Ana

O.C. Planned Parenthood Advocacy Nights

Contact Co-Champions

rona.s.henry@gmail.com

or

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for carpool/other info.



July 29

Women's Rights Action Group 12:45 to 2pm
Bourne Hall/St. George

If you are unable to attend but want to share ideas/thoughts, email Karen at kbbingo@hotmail.com

In Case You Missed It:

Tea with Alice and Me – A Play Attended by WRAG members on Sunday, 7/1/18



Carol S., Carol W., Charlotte C., Debbie S., Iris A., Karen N., Laurel W., Robert & Rona H., and Terry P. enjoyed this multimedia stage play featuring the life of Alice Paul Scholar as presented by Zoe Nicholson. Zoe was AMAZING!!

Zoe brought Alice Paul's activism and her organization of fellow suffragettes to life. She was the first to use certain nonviolent protest actions that are most commonly credited to male activists. Alice organized the very first march on Washington DC for women's right to vote.

The play was a very special event that left all of us with renewed convictions to continue to support women and women's rights! Please take a moment to learn about Zoe at <http://www.zoenicholson.com>.

Learn more about Alice Paul and Silent Sentinels at https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Silent_Sentinels

"Ladies of Liberty" Team Update

June and July care packages have been sent! Deployed Marines Mallory & Shannon, and Army Ky & Tania received boxes full of pampering products and treats courtesy of Tapestry congregant's generous donations! So far this year eleven packages have been sent to female soldiers stationed abroad.

Don't forget – if you are interested in sending cards and letters to our *Ladies of Liberty* deployed soldiers, contact Karen at kbbingo@hotmail.com or (949)951-2501.

In the News:

America Will Lose More Than Abortion Rights if Roe v. Wade is Overturned

<http://time.com/5324828/kennedy-retirement-roe-wade-abortion-rights/>

Ruth Bader Ginsburg's Landmark Opinions on Women's Rights

<https://www.history.com/news/ruth-bader-ginsburgs-landmark-opinions-womens-rights-supreme-court>

The 1st woman Marine: In 1918 she couldn't vote, but rushed to serve

https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/retropolis/wp/2017/09/22/the-first-woman-marine-in-1918-she-couldnt-vote-but-rushed-to-serve/?noredirect=on&utm_term=.b7cc8370d8f3

CALL TO ACTION — LESSONS FROM "TEA WITH ALICE AND ME"

*I am an activist, are you?
I am here to give you permission,
permission to stand, to draw a line, to refuse to move.
What is your line?
I am here to encourage you to step up.
To step over their line, step past what was,
step slower or faster. What is your next step?*

~Zoe Nicholson.

