

bulletin

April-June 2019

NCJWMI

National Council of Jewish Women MICHIGAN

Join Us!

Spring Happening Installation Luncheon Thursday, May 16, 2019 10:30 a.m.



Jennifer LoPatin
President

**Knollwood Country Club
West Bloomfield**

**Installation:
New Officers, Board &
Advisory Directors**

**Luncheon:
\$50.00**

**For further
information
see pages 4-5**



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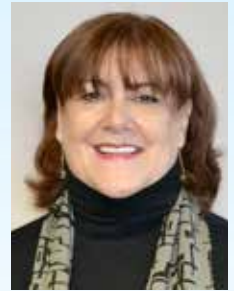
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Volunteer Award

Staff Recognition

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The National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW) is a grassroots organization of volunteers and advocates who turn progressive ideals into action. Inspired by Jewish values, NCJW strives for social justice by improving the quality of life for women, children, and families and by safeguarding individual rights and freedoms.

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FROM THE PRESIDENTS



Jennifer LoPatin



Sandi Matz

What a winter we are having! Record cold temperatures, ice storms, and snowstorms. However, a little adverse weather will never keep us from fulfilling our mission for women, children, and families. While we miss all of our Snowbirds, we hope everyone is keeping up to date on everything NCJW. Our calendar is packed with programs and events and we always look forward to seeing everyone in the office.

Since becoming NCJW | MI we have travelled to cities outside of the Detroit Metropolitan Area to educate people about NCJW. We have been very well received.

Several of us went to Flint to present a very interesting program. Cathy Cantor and Irma Glaser, our SPA's (State Policy Advocates) spoke about what is happening in Lansing and Washington, D.C. and Susan Marwil and Sue Simon presented, the Courts Matter program, "You Be The Judge" accompanied by a relevant court case. Those in attendance from Flint enjoyed the program very much and some became members of NCJW|MI. To continue the involvement of those outside of our immediate area we have created a new program called Michigan Institute. This new program is for activists in the State of Michigan. Anyone interested in advocacy is invited to join us in Lansing for this 2-day program. This will take place Monday and Tuesday, May 20-21. The first day will be advocacy training and the second day we will be at the Capitol visiting our legislators. For further information please contact Cathy Cantor or Irma Glaser, our SPA's.

On Monday, December 3rd the Women's Evening Group had its first event at the lovely home of Bluma Schechter. Approximately thirty women gathered to learn about NCJW and the guest speaker was Dr. Lucy Steinburgh who did a demonstration on meditation and mindfulness. This group is geared for women who are unable to attend events during the day, yet would like to be involved in community service and advocacy. Carrie Kushner, Lynn Lieberman, and Susan Marwil are the advisers of this new group. If you know someone who would like to participate, please call the office.

A baby was born! Liz Bank and Zina Kramer are the proud "parents" of our newest resource guide, 313 Baby. This publication will be distributed in Wayne County to women who are pregnant or to families with new babies who

need advice and resource help. Susie Jacob was the Vice President overseeing the project with Bryan Elkus creating the website and the layout of the guide. Check it out: 313baby.org.

On January 16th we sponsored and viewed the movie, *On the Basis of Sex*, about Ruth Bader Ginsburg. It was an excellent movie with great attendance and there was interest in NCJW membership by many.

January began our Nosh and Knowledge series chaired by Vice President Sharon Leider and Rusty Rosman. January 16th we heard from Art Professor, Wendy Evans, February 12th, Rabbi Joseph Krakoff, and March 13th, Dr. Mitch Parker. All were very well attended and each brought an interesting topic to attendees.

Sunday, January 27th, Faith Williams, the Senior Manager of Government Affairs at NCJW, Inc. gave a tutorial on lobbying as well as an update as to what is going on in Washington. It was very informative and well attended.

The co-chairs of the Back 2 School Store (Lauren Koenigsberg, Sallyjo Levine, and Carol Rosenfeld) are busy making plans for the store this year. Please note that the date has changed to Sunday, August 18th.

Our Kosher Meals on Wheels program continues to bring a healthy and kosher meal to those individuals who are homebound and unable to provide meals for themselves. Drivers are always needed for this mitzvah. If you cannot commit to driving every week, please consider being a sub and helping out. Please call our Meals coordinator, Paul, at 248-967-0967.

Our Governance Committee chaired by Susan Marwil has been busy the last few months working on our Policies and Procedures. This is very important to our Section to make sure everything runs smoothly and that as a Section we are following our Bylaws. Besides Susan Marwil, Cathy Cantor and Judy Rosenberg have been responsible for creating changes to our policies for the Governance Committee to evaluate.

The Human Trafficking Awareness Committee is busy planning two exciting programs. The first is March 24th, when a panel of speakers will present at the Farmington Community Library and the second is April 24th. Both programs are in the evening. For more complete details please call the office.

The Nominating and Leadership Committee worked very hard this year to bring the Michigan Section new officers and board members. Please see page 11 for details.

Featured in this bulletin is the invitation for our Board Installation. Please mark your calendars for Thursday, May 16th at Knollwood Country Club.

Besides our new slate of officers we will be honoring Carol Rosenfeld with the Ann Rubin Volunteer Service Award, and Delores Hendrix, our re|sale manager for 5 years as an employee. We hope to see you there.

The future of NCJW | MI is in your hands. We depend on your support, your generosity, and your presence to keep us moving forward. We are thrilled and grateful for our newest Hannah's Heroine Beverly Stone, who has joined the wonderful women who pledged to donate \$5000 over the next five years.

As always, if you have any questions about what is in this bulletin or about NCJW in general please do not hesitate to contact us.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Susan Gertner

I see the light at the end of the tunnel. What a cold winter month we have had. But there is hope, spring is coming. The spring will bring for NCJW many programs, new Board Members and Officers at our Installation, and our new Michigan Institute funded by the Jewish Women's Foundation of Metropolitan Detroit.

Today, our work is as important as ever. What we do is essential, whether we are advocating in Lansing on our various issues, such as gun violence prevention awareness, or providing our community service projects. Whether you are a new member, or have been a member for 40 years, we need your support. Your support can be given in many ways. You can respond to an action alert and send an email to your Legislator, you can volunteer at our Backpack project, be a Meals on Wheels Driver, join a committee, forward our Facebook posts or Dates2Remember emails to your friends, help plan a Public Affairs program, or donate to our Annual Support Campaign. Whichever way you choose, we appreciate your support. As it is essential to increase our numbers to have a louder voice, we hope to recruit new members in the coming year. Tell your friends and family who live anywhere in Michigan about the work we do. Share your involvement with others and help us grow in numbers and voices.

We are celebrating 85 years of owning our council re|sale store. We are very proud of this accomplishment. Our tagline is shop•donate•benefit community. If you have never visited our store, we encourage you to come by and shop. You never know what treasure or great deal you may find. All of our items are donated to the store; we do not purchase any of our items. Please consider donating and encouraging your friends and family to do the same. We can even pick up at your home. All proceeds from the store benefit our community by enabling us to have the funds for our community service projects. So think council re|sale and remember shop•donate•benefit community.

I thank our 2018-2019 board members for all they have they done this past year and I look forward to working with our ongoing and new board members in 2019-2020. I especially thank Sandi Matz for staying on for a 3rd year in order to be Co-President with Jennifer LoPatin. Jennifer, I look forward to working together again in the upcoming year.

Project Friendship

The Project Friendship Super Bowling Party, held January 6 at Hartfield Lanes, was a terrific success.



Bowlers, cheerleaders, and volunteers could be heard throughout the bowling alley cheering everyone to do their very best with shouts of STRIKE! SPARE! and WAY TO GO! After bowling, everyone enjoyed pizza and pop, and Kadima clients left with a feeling of excitement and accomplishment.

The bowling party was just one of three Sunday brunches

held in the last several weeks with the clients of Kadima who deal with the challenges of mental illness. We also held a TuB'Shevat, or New Year of the Trees,



Susan Sabbath, Barbara and Michael Berger, Evva Hepner

tasting and planting party where clients learned about how the holiday is celebrated in Israel. They were able to taste different fruits grown in Israel and also planted seedlings to be replanted in the spring in the Kadima garden.

Kadima clients and volunteers always look forward to one of their favorite events of the year, musical entertainer, Robin Beck. This took place February 3rd at Adat Shalom Synagogue. We thank Alan Yost, Executive Director of Adat Shalom, for your generosity and for allowing us to use the Social Hall for this event, since the Kadima Activity Center was still under construction. There was a wonderful brunch and lots of singing and fun activities.

Upcoming Sunday Brunches for the rest of the year:

April 7 - Passover Celebration
April 28 - Royal Oak Flea Market
May 5 - Star Theater and Brunch
May 19 - Barbecue and Games Day
June 9 - To Be Announced
June 23 - Annual Picnic

Being involved in Project Friendship is a most rewarding project. The clients are truly appreciative of what we do, and if we can bring a smile to someone's face who is dealing with many issues, we are performing a true mitzvah.

Please contact the NCJW | MI office if you interested in volunteering.

Chairs: Barbara Berger, Susan Sabbath, Carol Wiseman

Installation Luncheon KNOLLWOOD COUNTRY CLUB

Thursday, May 16, 2019 -- 10:30 a.m.

Installation of New Officers and Board



LUNCHEON SPEAKER

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, MD

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D., is President of Oakland University, a public university in Michigan with more than 19,000 students. She is a renowned academic leader, health care executive, pediatric endocrinologist and researcher who has published more than 190 papers and books.

INSTALLATION LUNCHEON

Thursday, May 16, 2019
Please respond by May 10, 2019

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Guest(s) with name, full address, and phone number

Please seat me with:

In an effort to "go green" a separate invitation will not be sent for this event. To RSVP with payment, visit our website www.ncjwmi.org, send a check with this form payable to NCJW|MI, 26400 Lahser Rd., Suite #306, Southfield, MI 48033-2675, or pay by credit card by calling the office at 248-355-3300 ext. 0.

Installation Chairs: Myrna Edgar, Barbara Rosenthal



Ann Rubin Volunteer Service Award: Carol Rosenfeld

Carol Rosenfeld grew up in Indianapolis, Indiana. She received her education degree at the University of Cincinnati, and earned a Master's degree from Oakland University. Carol was an upper elementary education teacher in the Madison District for over 40 years. Education and literacy have been part of Carol's life blood so it only made sense that she transitioned from volunteering as a tutor for National Council of Jewish

Women, Michigan (NCJW | MI) to being a co-chair of Literacy Outreach. Her involvement at Coleman A. Young Elementary (CAY) has been a tremendously worthwhile "marriage" of the dedicated tutors and readers with the teachers and administrators of CAY who are so appreciative of the many educational services provided by NCJW | MI. This year she became a co-chair of the Back 2 School Store. She is in awe of this worthwhile project and the many hard working volunteers that allow hundreds of Detroit students to benefit from this organization's efforts. In her free time, she enjoys reading, travel, Mahj and Canasta. She has a daughter, Ali (Evan), son Adam, and two grandchildren. Carol is most appreciative to NCJW | MI for this very special honor.

Staff Recognized for Longevity



Delores Hendrix
council resale Manager
5 Years

Welcome...



Vice-President Sallyjo Levine

Sallyjo has been an active member of NCJW for the past 6 years. She heard that there was a project involving children and schools and her interest peaked. For the last five years of the Back 2 School Store she has served as co-chair and has loved every minute of

it. She is proud of the work that NCJW does to improve the lives of women, children and families.

Sallyjo is a great role model for her two daughters and 4 grandchildren. Both daughters work at the Back 2 School Store and one even comes in from New York to help. Her grandchildren work at the Backpack Project as well. Sallyjo truly believes that social action begins at an early age. She has served on the Social Action Committees of two different temples and served as chair of both.

She and her husband Barry have been married for 45 years and he is the most supportive husband who goes along on all of her adventures.

NCJW | MI is thrilled to have Sallyjo as our newest vice president.



Treasurer Sharon Lipton

Sharon Lipton serves as a NCJW, Inc. Vice President, co-chair of NCJW Inc.'s Advocacy Network, and co-chair of Washington Institute 2019. A member of the National executive,

finance, and Israel committees, she is a former State Policy Advocate for Michigan as well as a past NCJW commissioner, member of the Section Advisory Council and past chair of Leaders Retreat. Lipton was co-chair of the 2013 NCJW Mission to Israel, chair of the 46th National Convention business plenaries, and Resolutions Chair for the 47th National Convention. A past president of NCJW's Greater Detroit Section and the Jewish Community Relations Council, she is now president of the Michigan Jewish Conference and serves on several other boards of philanthropic and cultural organizations.

RE|SALE NEWS

It all started in 1934

council re|sale celebrates 85 years in business.

Thank you to our community for shopping and donating to council re|sale for 85 years. Your support has enabled NCJW | MI to provide community services benefitting women, children, and families. Watch your emails for special sales and special events in celebration of our anniversary.

council re|sale **shop • donate • benefit community** **shop**

We need shoppers! Have you been to the store recently? If not, stop by for a visit and browse. You never know what you might find. Share our Facebook posts and emails you receive about our special sales with friends and family. You may ask, who are our shoppers? They are teens, someone going on a job interview looking for a suit, someone who likes to get a good bargain, vintage clothing shoppers, an older adult on a fixed income, a shopaholic, or someone who only wears designer clothing and loves to buy it for a low price. Our shoppers are people like you.

donate

All of our items have been donated by community members. When you are no longer in need of an item of clothing, fashion or home accessories, think about donating to council re|sale. You can drop your donation off at the store or call to have it picked up at your home. We are especially in need of designer and upscale clothing. Our customers look forward to shopping for these items.

benefit the community

Shoppers and donors alike, help to make a difference in our community. All proceeds benefit NCJW | MI community service projects. Shop and/or donate and make a difference.

Thank you for shopping and donating to council re|sale.

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Thank you to the following stores for donating gift certificates for our "Donor Appreciation Month" drawing.

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O'Mara's Restaurant

Want to be the First to Know About our Special Sales?

Like us on our council re|sale Facebook page and send us your email at mail@ncjwmi.org, so you are up-to-date on our weekly specials



Proceeds support NCJW|MI services, benefitting women, children, and families in need for over 125 years.

STATE POLICY ADVOCATES



Cathy Cantor



Irma Glaser

Michigan's mid term election gave a new look to the top offices of our state with three women occupying the posts of governor, attorney general, and secretary of state. So far, Governor Gretchen Whitmer has issued an executive directive that is aimed at creating equity between male and female employees working for the State of Michigan. The order prohibits state agencies and departments from asking or obtaining job applicants' current or past salaries until they are offered employment and compensation. Asking this information in advance can lead to employers making lower offers. Now, state policies and procedures will require compensation to be based on the nature of the work to be performed without differentiation based on gender.

Presently, women in Michigan earn 78 cents compared to every dollar that men make for doing the same job. Non-government employers are not covered by this directive; the state legislature must do so. For too many years, our legislators have not allowed hearings to be held, and for whatever reasons, they have chosen not to address the issue. We have lobbied tirelessly for pay equity and will continue to do so; however, we will try new tactics. Since Equal Pay Day (EPD)

is April 2, and our legislature will not be in session, we will not be rallying at the Capitol. Watch for an update concerning EPD in your Action Alerts and upcoming programs.

Also, Secretary of State Jocelyn Benson has asked Attorney General Dana Nessel to give an opinion on the constitutionality of a lame duck law passed in December that makes it harder to initiate ballot drives. Instead of a set number of valid signatures that can be gathered throughout the entire state, this law requires geographic-based collection of signatures. The law caps total collections at no more than 15% from a single district. If AG Nessel puts a limit on the law, it may end up in court as may the Minimum Wage and Paid Sick Days proposals passed by voters that also were gutted by the legislature.

Finally, please note that our section's recent name-change from NCJW/Greater Detroit to National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan has led to efforts to expand our membership and influence throughout the state. Our first Michigan Institute is a direct result of the outreach. Based on National's Washington Institute, we are planning a two-day training and lobbying event in Lansing with National's Jody Rabhan as our trainer and several speakers TBA who will discuss important issues. We will be meeting and staying at the Radisson Hotel on Monday, May 20, and lobbying our legislators on Tuesday, May 21. Details are still being finalized, and will be sent out shortly. Many thanks to the Jewish Women's Foundation for awarding a grant that will allow us to offer the Institute for a very reasonable participant fee. We welcome you to join us at this momentous occasion.

Cathy Cantor, Irma Glaser
Michigan NCJW State Policy Advocates



It will soon be that time again for the Bookstock Sale, and we hope all will volunteer to help us make the sale a huge success. It is a lot of fun and it provides NCJW funds for each hour that we work.

These funds help us to continue projects such as Backpacks, Back 2 School Store, and Literacy programs at Coleman A. Young Elementary School.

**Where : Laurel Park Place,
37700 Six Mile Rd, Livonia, MI 48152**

When: April 7-14.

NCJW's special date is Wednesday, April 10, 9:30am-9:00pm, but if you cannot volunteer that day, you can always sign up for any other day that week and just give NCJW your credit hours. To sign up go to our website or call the office.

In preparation for the sale, we are sorting every Wednesday in the JCC basement, and we are always looking for volunteers to help sort all these wonderful books.

**Chairs: Deede Auster, Barbara Grant,
Charlene Green, Fran Stern,
Bonnie Tucker**



Since we do not have emails for half of our membership, the Bulletin is the main source of communication about NCJW events, distributed to over 1,600 households. The Bulletin provides important and timely information and is an essential tool for our organization.

We are currently in search of Sponsors for our Bulletin. An individual or business could be a Sponsor who would donate to the printing and postage of one of our four Bulletins sent out each year. Their name would be displayed prominently on the Bulletin. To learn more about being a Bulletin Sponsor, please contact Susan Gertner, Executive Director, at 248.355.3300, ext. 3.



LITERACY OUTREACH

Coleman A. Young wins Distinguished School Award!

Thanks to our conscientious tutors, our Literacy Outreach tutoring program at Coleman A. Young Elementary School (CAY) has been progressing with great success. Some of our twenty tutors have elected to voluntarily assist two children and many often come to CAY more than once a week to tutor their special students. What dedication! We are also proud to report that our students' test scores are rising!

Janice Goldman continues to oversee monthly readers who come to classrooms and read to eagerly awaiting students.

We are busy preparing for "March is Reading Month," including ordering books for every student at CAY. We are also looking forward to a special author visit.

Please join us in our worthwhile and important Literacy Outreach program.

Chairs: Linda Kayes, Carol Rosenfeld



Congratulations to an Outstanding Advocate



National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan is thrilled to announce that Cathy Cantor has been named "Outstanding Advocate," by NCJW, Inc. Cathy was nominated by the Michigan Section's Executive Cabinet and will receive this award at Washington Institute in Washington, D.C. in April.

Cathy has been involved in many areas of volunteerism, but has truly been an advocate for women, children, and families within National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan as well as other coalitions within

the state. Cathy is currently an SPA (State Policy Advocate), which is a National appointment. In this role Cathy keeps our section and the community at large abreast of what is happening in Lansing as well as in Washington, D.C.

Congratulations to "Our Outstanding Advocate" Cathy Cantor, who is being recognized for all of her accomplishments and her dedication to the rights of women, children, and families.



NCJW|MI BACKPACK PROJECT

SAVE THE DATE

Just a heads-up to a wonderful time to be with friends and family!

**Sunday, July 21 and
Monday, July 22**

We will be filling 1500 backpacks for homeless students in Oakland County as well as children in need identified by the Jewish Family Service.

Please come and help. Students may receive community service credit.

More information will follow soon!

**Chairs: Deede Auster, Jan Goldfarb,
Amy Zeskind**

Israel Affairs Committee

The new Israel Affairs Committee has gotten off to a very successful start! Following a well-attended and enlightening opening event, we are currently exploring ideas for future programs that will educate our members and the community on issues relevant to women, children, and families in Israel and on our involvement in and support of Israeli organizations.

If interested in joining the Israel Affairs Committee as we develop future programming ideas, please contact us at the NCJW | MI office

Chairs: Jeannie Weiner, Trudy Weiss



WELCOME 313 BABY!

NCJW | MI has given birth to a new project...313 BABY, a resource directory and website for pregnant women and new families in Detroit. Topics include Baby Resources, Counseling, New Parenting, Doctors and Clinics, Fathers, Transportation, and much more.

Unfortunately, Detroit is acknowledged as a city with an extremely high infant mortality rate. Recognizing the need, it is our hope that NCJW's 313 BABY will help this population address their issues and develop the necessary tools to raise healthy children. All services included in the directory are provided free of charge.

The 34 agencies listed in the guide were visited and vetted by our devoted committee who are now busy distributing copies to all the agencies in the directory as well as throughout the city of Detroit. If you have any ideas as to where the guide could be helpful, or if you would like to be a part of our distribution team, please call the office. Visit our website at 313BABY.org, and the next time you are at the office, ask for a copy of 313 BABY....you will be as proud as we are of our new BABY!

Chairs: Liz Bank, Zina Kramer



THE WOMEN'S EVENING GROUP

The Women's Evening Group's purpose is to attract women who would like to contribute to the community in a meaningful NCJW|MI way, following the NCJW Mission, to meet new people, and form friendships with like-minded women who cannot meet during the day.

Their first event was held on Monday, December 3, 2018 at the home of Bluma Schechter. The group learned about NCJW | MI, its advocacy and about NCJW, Inc. In addition, they welcomed Dr. Lucy Steinburgh, program manager of Beaumont Health and Wellness Center, who offered the group a Meditation and Mindfulness Program. As a result of that meeting, several women stepped forward to plan another event that they hoped would attract not just the women who attended, but also others whose names were suggested by the attendees.

The second event took place the evening of February 25, 2019. This meeting was held at the home of Beth Lieberman. The speaker was Emily Camiener, registered dietitian, culinary nutritionist, and educator, who presented the latest in nutrition research. In addition to Emily's presentation, the attendees engaged in developing interests in social action projects, as well as learning about NCJW |MI 's evening and weekend programs in which they can become involved and/or attend.

If you know of any women who would be interested in this group, please contact the office.

Advisors: Carrie Kushner, Lynn Lieberman, Susan Marwil



SPRING PROGRAMS

Film Festival Preview Night

Wednesday, May 1st

at the Farmington Community Library

Time: 7:00 pm. Cost: \$10 -- includes a ticket to NCJW-sponsored film.



The general public is welcome. Please join us for an exciting evening of previews moderated by Eric Lumberg.

The **LENORE MARWIL JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL:**

May 5th through 15th at the JCC. There is a wonderful selection of movies that will be shown this year.

On May 13th, at 7:00 pm, NCJW will sponsor the film **"Fractures."**

This film deals with the issue of sexual coercion.

Living Well

**Wednesday, May 22nd at the Henry Ford Hospital
Demonstration Kitchen
in West Bloomfield**

Time: 6:30pm-8:00pm. Cost: \$35 for NCJW members, \$40 for non-members.

Last year's event was so popular that we will again be sponsoring an educational as well as tasteful cooking demonstration. Featured will be an array of healthy dishes e.g. vegetarian, gluten free, dairy free. All food will be Kosher. A Dietician will answer questions.



Hannah's Heroines

We invite you to join the growing number of Hannah's Heroines. Our Hannah's Heroines program is to help secure the future of NCJW | MI. A minimum gift of \$5,000 payable over five years is to be used as a rainy day fund for our Section with the option of a portion to be used for a new NCJW | MI project.

We thank Claire Kretchmer, Janet Pont, and Beverly Stone for becoming our newest heroines. By becoming a Hannah's Heroine, they have demonstrated their faith and commitment to NCJW | MI.

For further information on how to become a Hannah's Heroine, please call Jennifer LoPatin or Sandi Matz at 248-355-3300, ext. 1.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

NCJW | MI sponsors a support group for widows, widowers, and partners. The goal is to help the grieving person become a functioning, independent, single individual in a couples world. The support group helps bridge the gap between grief and growth.

The group meets for two hours, once a week during a six week period. Groups are initiated when seven to ten people register. Please contact the NCJW office for further information.

NOMINATING AND LEADERSHIP REPORT

According to Article IX, Section 2A of the NCJW | MI Bylaws, the Nominating and Leadership Committee shall send to the entire membership its slate of candidates and a notice of the spring general meeting at least forty-five (45) days before the meeting.

The Nominating Committee is pleased to propose the following slate of Officers and Directors for 2019-2020

Vice Presidents: Susie Jacob, Sallyjo Levine,
Susan Rollinger

Treasurer: Sharon Lipton

1. To serve a first two-year term as a Board Director
Sharon Breidenbaugh Fran Grossman Judy Yunas
2. To serve a second two-year term as a Board Director
Carrie Kushner Donna Pearlman
Rusty Rosman Sheri Schiff
Linda Schwarzborg Jeannie Weiner
Sandy Weiss Amy Zeskind
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Chair: Amy Zeskind

We Welcome our...

NEW MEMBERS:

Wren Beaulieu-Hack	Toby Pollak
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WE REMEMBER...

Paula Kalt

November 15, 2018-February 15, 2019

Membership Survey Results

The survey results are in! The membership committee would like to say a big thank you to everyone who filled out a survey. We know your time is valuable as is your input. We had a great rate of response and the overall results indicate we are on the right track!

For the areas indicating a need to improve we are already taking steps to better ourselves as an organization. If you want to be a part of the change process please call the office. We would love to hear your suggestions.

As you know we are now NCJW | MI. If you know anyone outside of the metro Detroit area you think we should make contact with, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Main survey takeaway: We should be proud of the work we do and the individuals that we are!

Chair: Amy Zeskind

Eight Over Eighty



The Awards Committee is thrilled to announce that **Irma Glaser**, our nominee for the Jewish Senior Life Eight Over Eighty Tikkun Olam Award, has been selected as a recipient for 2019.

Irma has been involved in many areas of volunteerism, including; National Council of Jewish Women, Greater Detroit Section as Treasurer, Vice President, President, and is currently a State Policy Advocate (a national appointment), JCRC, Hadassah, ORT, and many others.



The luncheon honoring Irma and the seven other deserving recipients will be held on Sunday, May 19, 2019, 11:30 am at Adat Shalom Synagogue. The other recipients of this prestigious award are: Douglas Bloom, Cyma Carn, Rita Cohn Haddow, Harriet Saperstein, Merton Segal, Guy Stern, and Arthur Weinfeld.

Please call Jewish Senior Life at 248-592-5026 or email Btryon@jslmi.org to make a reservation.

We look forward to seeing you on the 19th of May as we honor Irma and all of the other recipients for 2019.

Spring is almost in the air! The birds will be returning, the bees will be buzzing, and at NCJW we have been busy planning our 2019 Back 2 School Store. We have enlisted dozens of people to help with our various planning committees but there is still more to do. We need over 300 people to volunteer for this huge project...to help with set-up and tear-down, and especially to work the day of the Store.

This endeavor cannot be successful without the help of our wonderful volunteers.

So, we are asking YOU to help us. On **June 3, 2019** you will be able to sign up, through Sign-Up Genius, to work one of the various jobs at the Store.

Our fundraising efforts are in full swing. We have applied for over \$20,000 in grants and are currently seeking corporate sponsors. We are on our way toward our fundraising goal and we thank those of you who have generously made donations so far. Help us reach our goal by sponsoring a child for only \$180. This amount will completely clothe a child and provide him/her with all the school supplies and personal care items needed. It is a truly meaningful way that each of you can help. Help us secure corporate sponsors. Many of you know businesses that would be willing to sponsor this project. Corporate sponsor packets are available in the office. There are many easy ways to help with our fundraising efforts.

The Back 2 School Store is a huge undertaking. It cannot be a success without your help. Thank you to all of you who have helped so far and thanks in advance to all of you who will become part of this amazing project. Together we will make this the BEST store ever!

For more information, please call the office.

Chairs: Lauren Koenigsberg, Sallyjo Levine, Carol Rosenfeld



Please note that the date of the B2SS has changed from our original plan.

THE NEW DATE IS SUNDAY, AUG. 18, 2019

Mark your calendar now so you can be part of the excitement!

GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTION

Monday, April 15, 2019, 7:00 PM
Farmington Community Library
32737 W. 12 Mile Rd, Farmington Hills



Featured Speakers:

- **Jeff Kasky: Parkland Parent and President of Families vs Assault Rifles, PAC, Inc.**
 - **Linda Brundage: Executive Director, Michigan Coalition to Prevent Gun Violence**
- and**

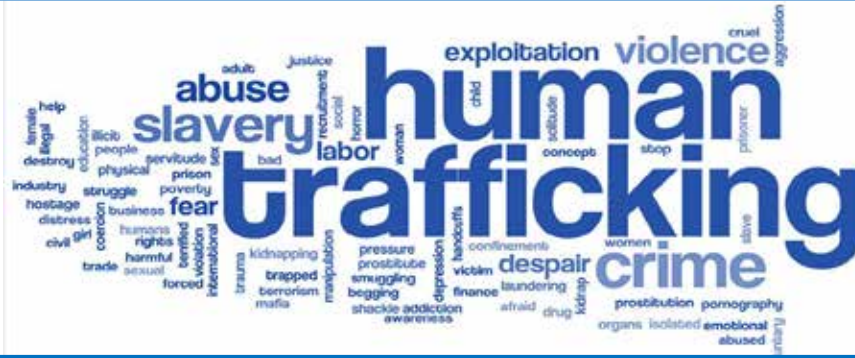
**Award Presentation of NCJW | MI's
Youth Media Contest**

“What Does Gun Violence Prevention Mean to Me?”

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COST : \$10 for NCJW MEMBERS, \$15 for NON-MEMBERS, \$5 STUDENTS

For more information or to register for the event, please call 248-355-3300, ext. 0,
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National Council of Jewish Women

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Human Trafficking and Our Community's Youth

**For high school and
middle school students as well as their parents.**

Wednesday, April 24th

7:00pm

Registration at 6:45pm

SPEAKERS:

Mike Glennon, FBI Supervisory Agent and Cindy Weintraub, MS, BSN, RN

Congregation Shaarey Zedek



27375 Bell Rd.

Southfield

The event is free to attend, but registration is required.

**Call the NCJW | MI Office: (248)355-3300 ext. 0,
or mail@ncjwmi.org to register.**

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Highlights:

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- Informative and inspiring Speakers on NCJW Advocacy Issues such as Gun Violence Prevention, Equal Pay, and Women's Reproductive Health, Rights and Justice
 - Meetings with your Legislators at the Capitol
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- Learn how you can be an advocate on social justice issues in your own community

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WOMEN OF VISION 2019

**An Annual Benefit to Support the
Programs of NCJW|MI**

**Thursday, October 24, 2019
Adat Shalom Synagogue**



The Women of Vision Committee is planning an exciting event for Fall, 2019.

This year the speaker will be Dahlia Lithwick, senior editor and legal correspondent for *Slate.com* where she writes and edits columns "Supreme Court Dispatches" and "Jurisprudence." She has covered the Microsoft trial, *Bush v Gore*, the John Roberts and Sam Alito confirmations, and other legal issues. She is a weekly legal commentator for the NPR show, *Day to Day*, and her work appears in *The Washington Post's* Outlook section every other week.

To all who attended last year, we thank you for your support and generosity and look forward to seeing everyone at the event this year on October 24, 2019.

Chairs: Marian Littman, Judy Robinson



**JOIN US!
Sunday, May 5th
Adat Shalom Synagogue!**

**For more information go to
www.WALKFORISRAEL.org**



Kasher | **Meals on Wheels**
NCJW|MI
 in cooperation with Jewish Family Service
 & Jewish Senior Life

PERFORM A MITZVAH
Volunteer for
Kosher Meals on Wheels

National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan is in need of volunteers to deliver meals to homebound older adults once a week or as a substitute. Meals are picked up at the Jewish Senior Life Prentis Apartments in Oak Park to 5-7 homes in the Detroit Metro area. Meals are delivered from 9am – 10am.

To learn more, call the Meals on Wheels Kitchen at 248.967.0967. Your delivered meal and few words of greetings will make a difference.

Randie Levin, Vice-President

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ACTION
TODAY!

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Over the years NCJW's collective voice has changed the world for the better - Impacting the lives of women, children, and families in the U.S. and Israel.

Sign up for the NCJW Action Center at mail@ncjwmi.org.

Visit www.ncjwgds.org for further information

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Save the Date
Game Day
Luncheon

by Snowbirds Committee

Wednesday, July 17, 2019
11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Cong. Beth Ahm, West Bloomfield
Chairs: Rosalie Dean, Enid Shatz



YOUR SUPPORT IS NEEDED

With your support National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan will continue to advocate for social and economic justice for women, children, and families.

Your contribution to our Annual Support Campaign benefits our work nationally, locally, and in Israel.

Together we will continue to turn our beliefs into action. Together we can make a difference.

Thank you for your support. Please make your 2018-2019 annual support contribution by June 15th, as our fiscal year ends in June. Pay online at www.ncjwgds.org or call the office.

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as of February 2019

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