

# ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN

## 2023-2024

We thank you for being a member of NCJW | MI.

You became involved with NCJW | MI because you support our mission!

Since 1891, we have been making a difference through our community impact projects, programming, and advocacy work on issues that are important to us.

### Here are a few of our accomplishments:

- **Advocated** for bills passed on voting rights, reproductive justice, and gun violence prevention
  - **Backpacks** and school supplies provided to children in need since 1990
  - **College interest-free loans** provided to students since 1902
  - **council resale** serving the community and supporting NCJW | MI community impact projects since 1934
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To ensure that NCJW | MI continues to meet the needs of our community and its work on behalf of women, children, and families, we encourage you to support our work by making a meaningful donation to our Annual Giving Campaign today.

*Thank you in advance for your support!*

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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 President



**Sallyjo Levine  
President**

As I write this article I am sitting and enjoying a 90 degree day. When you read this, you will most likely be a little cooler, enjoying the beautiful October weather. How we take for granted the sunshine in early September and

rejoice in the sunshine when the days become shorter and cooler. We just need to remember that every day brings something good, if we only look for it.

Before we know it, the holiday of Hanukkah will arrive and we then begin to think of the rededication of the temple and the miracle of the oil. Many of us think of this holiday as one for children with dreidels, gelt, and colorful decorations. We look at it as a holiday for rejoicing that we witnessed a miracle. The miracle is that we survived as Jews yet another time. Our history is filled with historic events where we were outnumbered and yet prevailed.

We are called "the chosen people" and I think in many ways we are chosen. We choose to believe in the goodness of others, we choose to try to make the world a better place, we choose to trust that we can make a difference. Just looking at what we do at NCJW | MI is an affirmation that we choose to show up, step up, and put ourselves out there.

I ask you, in the spirit of Hanukkah, to rededicate yourself to doing just a little more. Please join us in giving your time, your energy, and your financial commitment to help us to do the work that we need to do. Together we are unstoppable! Our commitment to women, children, and families must always be on the forefront of our work. Join a committee, tutor children, work on an advocacy issue, get out the vote, help us in any way that you can.

You are the reason that NCJW | MI is the incredible organization that it is. I wish you a wonderful holiday season.

## Give The Gift Of Membership

Please consider giving the gift of membership to a young woman or special mother in your life, or honor a Friend. Membership purchased now is good through June 30, 2024!

There are many new and interesting programs and projects in the up-and-coming year to participate in! This is a gift that reaches out to all who are concerned about woman, children and families.

### Annual Membership Dues

1 year - \$54 | 3 Years - \$150  
36 years old or younger - \$36  
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To purchase a membership, visit our website or call the office.

**Chairs: Risha Ring**

### WELCOME!

#### NEW MEMBERS June 9-Sept 10, 2023

Rochelle Adler	Diane Brody
Cheryl Guyer	Gail Katz
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Mindy Salzberg-Siegel	Roberta Segel
Donna Sternfeld	Fran Victor

## Executive Director



**Susan Gertner**

Though you will be reading this in November, I am writing it in September. I wish everyone a Happy and Healthy New Year. Listening to the news, makes me very sad, but I feel better knowing that the work we do here at NCJW | MI helps to make the world a better place. I thank all of our volunteers and staff who work on our community impact projects, programming, resale, advocacy, and fundraising, for everything they do. Together we make a difference. If you read our bulletin and have not recently been involved, please consider joining a committee, attending a program, volunteering for one of our projects, purchasing a tribute, or making a donation to support the work we do. Everyone's involvement is essential. If you are not sure how you want to get involved, please give us a call and we would be happy to meet with you.

You may have noticed that I used the term community impact projects above instead of community service projects. It is a term we are now using to describe the impact we are making through our projects.

Don't forget, if you are not receiving our bi-monthly NCJW | MI Note e-Newsletter, highlighting upcoming events that happen in between our Bulletin printing, please send us your email at [mail@ncjwmi.org](mailto:mail@ncjwmi.org) to stay up to date with NCJW | MI happenings.

As the end of year approaches and you are considering end of year gifts, please consider NCJW | MI. Whether it is a gift to our Annual Giving Campaign, using tribute cards or our RaiseRight gift cards as holiday gifts, or if you are working on updating your will, please consider supporting NCJW | MI. Every dollar supports the work we do and benefits those we serve.

I hope to see you at our upcoming Fall Focus, Tuesday, November 14th. See details on page 5.

### JEWISH YOUTH AWARDS

NCJW | MI is proud to continue its tradition of honoring outstanding Jewish High School Seniors with its annual Jewish Youth Awards.

Candidates will be judged on a written essay and on their leadership both in the Jewish and/secular communities. The program is open to Jewish High School Seniors all around Michigan, and all are encouraged to apply. Seven finalists will receive a total of \$6,000. Funding of the awards is made possible by the generosity of the Dina and Herman (z'l) Brodsky Jewish Youth Awards Fund, AGHA Family Jewish Youth Awards Fund, and the Esther (z'l) and Nathan (z'l) Katz Jewish Youth Awards Fund.



**Applications are due on Friday, Feb. 16, 2024.**  
**To apply, visit our website**

**Chairs: Barbara Hillman, Marilyn Kohen**

#### BULLETIN ARTICLE CORRECTION

In our previous Bulletin, we regret that we omitted Alexa Kessler as an Honorable Mention from Bloomfield Hills High school.

## BECOME A SPONSOR!

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To become a Sponsor, contact Susan Gertner, Executive Director, 248.355.3300, ext. 3 or [sgertner@ncjwmi.org](mailto:sgertner@ncjwmi.org)



**Linda Levy**



**Lynn Lieberman**

*November is the month we Americans take time to review the fortunate events and outcomes of the previous year to give thanks. On the political side in Michigan, we have much to be thankful for.*

On the issue of voting, the passage of Promote the Vote 2022 amends the Michigan Constitution to make voting more accessible. The summer and fall have seen the successful passage of bills that implement the provisions of that amendment, as well as other legislation. With the next Presidential election only a year away, the current task is to educate our members and community about these changes, to inform them of their benefits and to encourage registration, and getting out the vote. The changes affect Michigan voters of all ages, including making it possible to join a permanent mail

ballot list, thus eliminating the need to request an absentee ballot for every election, to automatic preregistration as young people apply for driver's licenses at the Secretary of State's office.

Federally, we continue to watch the progress of legislation that affects voting. The ironically named American Confidence in Elections (ACE) Act was introduced in July of this year to impose barriers to the ballot box with such restrictions as banning same-day voter registration, prohibiting ballot collection, restricting ballot boxes, barring universal mail-in voting. This false narrative of trying to maintain election integrity is based on the Big Lie that there was widespread voter fraud in 2020, despite the fact that every lawsuit filed to challenge elections results failed in every single state.

The Freedom to Vote Act was reintroduced. This Act was designed to bolster access to the ballot box, with such provisions as making the November Election Day a national holiday, enacting automatic voter registration for each state, requiring early voting days, restoring the right to vote in federal elections for people who have served their time for felony convictions, and ending partisan gerrymandering, among other benefits.

The Preventing Election Subversion Act is an important new piece of legislation that was introduced in July to institute comprehensive safeguards to protect elections in our country, to protect election

administration and local election officials from partisan interference, and to protect voters by requiring that challenges to their voting eligibility be supported by personal knowledge if the challenger is not an election official.

The success of the passage of Reproductive Freedom for All and the repeal of the 1931 law banning abortion have made us thankful for the advocacy and voter commitment to keep access to abortion legal in Michigan. However, there remain laws on the Michigan books that need to be removed to ensure equal and barrier-free access, including the removal of the Targeted Regulation of Abortion Providers (TRAP) laws, failure of insurance companies to cover abortion procedures, and 24-hour waiting periods.

Federally, the unsettled and uncertain legal status of reproductive healthcare continues. In July, the FDA approved the first birth control pill, Opill, for over-the-counter use. In August, the three-judge panel of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit Court rolled back FDA regulations that expanded access to the widely-used, longtime abortion pill Mifepristone, blocking retail pharmacies from distributing the abortion pill anywhere in the country, including states where abortion is legal. The judges ruled that Mifepristone can only be administered during a doctor's visit with a physician present and could no longer be sent in the mail. None of these restrictions are in effect while the legal case continues to wind its way through the courts. It is expected to go to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Packages of bills addressing Gun Violence Prevention successfully passed this year in Michigan, but the work to address gun violence in our country continues on both federal and state levels.

The work the Advocacy and Elections Committee is doing on these issues requires an active, committed group of volunteers as we shape strategies to remind people that voting is our voice, to educate on the opportunities to register and to access the ballot box, and how our state-level successes remain at-risk on a federal level. What can we do? What can you do? Please join us to find out.

**Linda Levy, Lynn Lieberman,  
NCJW State Policy Advocates, Michigan**





The Advocacy and Elections Committee extends a huge congratulations to Barbara Rosenthal, who will be receiving the FIRST ever Advocacy Award at Fall Focus. Barbara is a member of the Advocacy and Elections Committee and a long-time volunteer for NCJW | MI. She has taken a leadership role in advocating for the passage of reproductive healthcare, including legal access to abortion and has been in the forefront of creating educational conversations and gathering signatures for Proposal 3's passage. Barbara wants to remind the community that our reproductive rights remain vulnerable. Mazel Tov!

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FALL  
FOCUS  
2023

Tuesday  
NOVEMBER  
**14**  
7:00PM  
Temple Israel  
5725 Walnut Lake Rd  
West Bloomfield Township

## RADICAL CIVILITY: Fostering Connections In a Combative World

A deep dive into how we, as individuals, in every age group, can diffuse anger and find points of connection in a society which has become increasingly polarized and antagonistic.

*Presentation of Advocacy Award to Barbara Rosenthal, NCJW | MI Board Member*

### *Panel Discussion*

*Dr. Pontus Leander - Director of the Center for Peace and Conflict Studies, Wayne State University*

*Barbara Flayer - Author and Educator*

*Rabbi Josh Bennett - Rabbi of Temple Israel*

To register for this free event, please call  
248.355.3300 ext. 0 or email [mail@ncjwmi.org](mailto:mail@ncjwmi.org).



### **Barbara Rosenthal**

Barbara is a long-time volunteer for NCJW | MI. She is passionate about everything she does, and especially passionate about NCJW. She has co-chaired many fundraising events for NCJW, she sits on B2SS steering committee, as well as giving her time to working at Bookstock.

Barbara's advocacy work is quite extensive. She was on the VNP (Voters Not Politicians) committee where she spent many months gathering signatures for a specific ballot issue. She served on the NCJW Election 2020 committee working on the "Let's Both Vote Campaign" to encourage kids to vote with their grandparents or other relatives. Barbara also worked with Temple Israel on voting issues to coordinate the Temple with NCJW on many mutual concerns.

Barbara also sits on our Advocacy & Elections Committee and the Gun Violence Prevention Committee.



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The 2023 Back 2 School Store assists Detroit students to receive helpful items for a successful school year. Volunteers helped sort and pack shirts, sweatshirts, pants/leggings, socks, underwear, winter coats, hats, gloves, pencil cases filled with school supplies, toothbrushes and paste, 313 Baby Books, new reading books, and cards with a poem of encouragement. Items were bagged and allocated to 18 Agencies that in turn were distributed to children in need.





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Tim Brown, Orchards Children's Services representative and Terry Hollander



NCJW|MI volunteers loading up Detroit Parent Network van



NCJW|MI volunteers make personalized cards for kids to be included with school supplies



Jennifer LoPatin, Tim Brown, Orchards Children's Services representative

# Kosher Meals on Wheels 50 Year Anniversary Celebration

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SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2024

DETAILS TO FOLLOW



Kosher

Meals on Wheels

NCJW|MI

In cooperation with Jewish Family Service



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- Process donations

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Thank you!

Council Re|sale would like to thank Deja Vu in Franklin, Label Legends in Farmington Hills, Temple Beth El's Clothing Drive, and Rotate Boutique in Birmingham for their donations of clothing. We appreciate their dedication and support of National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan! In addition, a HUGE thank you goes out to our Council Re|sale volunteers. We value your endless passion, determination, and commitment...not to mention the countless hours you spend helping at the store!



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Closed (Sun)



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We are excited to announce the availability of our program, "Courts Matter to Voting Rights." The purpose of this program is to increase awareness and understanding of the fundamental right to vote and how it relates to our judicial system. We are providing materials about voting rights and the federal courts to encourage people to exercise their right to vote. The materials are provided free of charge and include a PowerPoint slideshow, script, facilitation guide for the presenter, and accompanying handouts. If you know of a group of young adults or others who would like to use this presentation, please contact the office.

**Chairs: Susan Marwil, Suzanne Simon.**

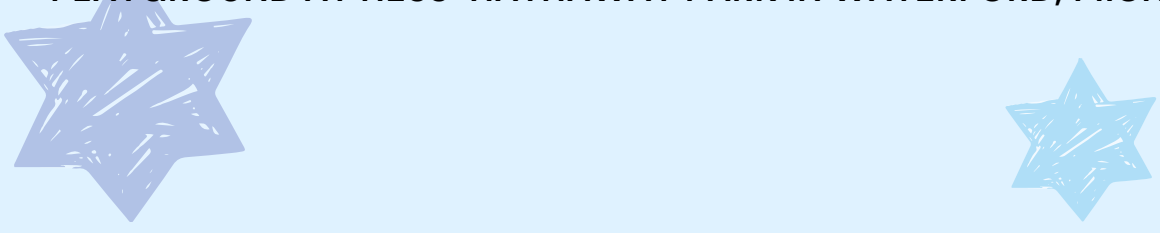


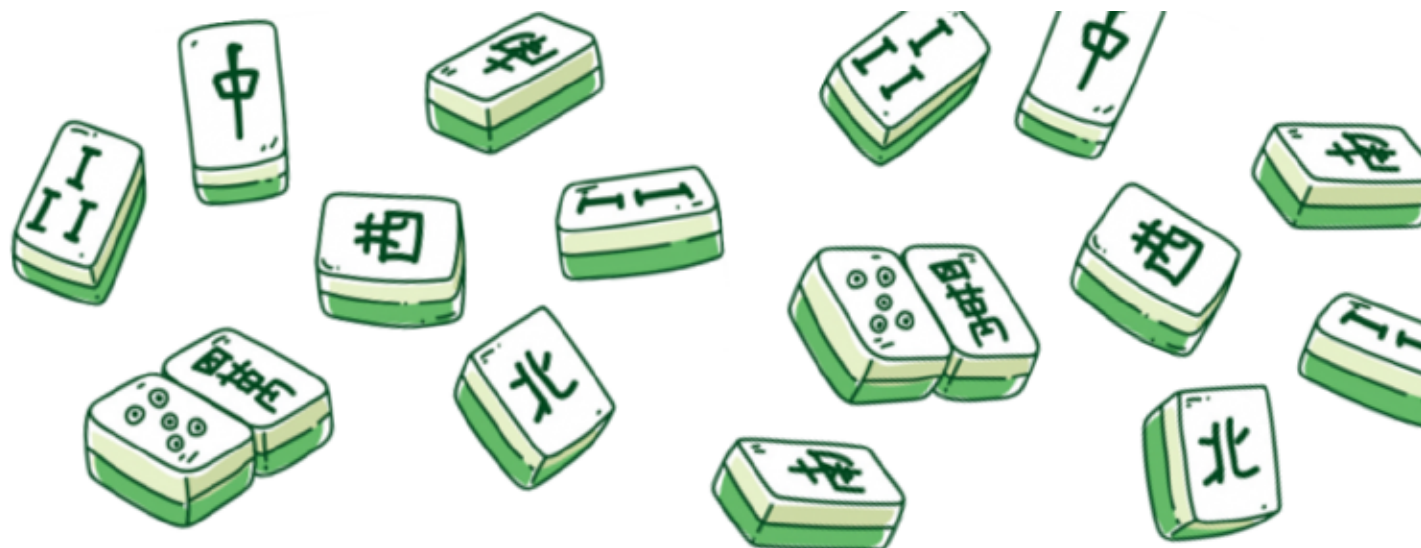


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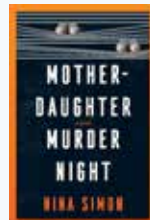
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