

WOMEN'S EQUALITY WEEK: August 21st through August 28th, 2016

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

Women's Equality Week Launch Reception

5:30-7:00 pm Networking, music, drinks and appetizers

6:00 pm Preview of the week of events.

Hearstsong of the Kansas City Women's Chorus

American Jazz Museum, The Blue Room, 1616 E 18th St., Kansas City, MO 64108

CoSPONSORS: Women's Equality Coalition, A. Philip Randolph Institute and Delta Sigma Theta (KCMO Chapter)

MONDAY, AUGUST 22

Women's Right to Know

Our Votes and Our Purses

5:30-7:00 pm

Johnson County Resource Library, 9875 87th St., Overland Park, KS 66212

Interactive Discussion on how Empowerment Leads to Economic Equity and Security

CoSPONSORS: Anab Abdulahi, Convenor, AXA Advisors

RSVP TEXT: 913-233-9371

Women's Equality and Race

Bridging the Gap to Sisterhood

6:00-6:30 pm Reception

6:30-8:00 pm Program

Bruce Watkins Center, 3700 Blue Pkwy., Kansas City, MO 64130

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 23

Women's Vote for Empowerment, Work and Justice

11:00-2:00 pm Dialogue with Students

12:00-1:30 pm Panel of Women Leaders

Johnson County Community College, Commons Bldg., 12345 College Blvd., Overland Park, KS 66210

CoSPONSORS: AAUW Student Chapter, U.S. Department of Labor, Women's Bureau, Region VII and Women's Employment Network

Powerful Solutions: When Women Lead

6:00 pm Reception

6:30-8:00 pm Program

National Archives, 400 W Pershing Rd., Kansas City, MO 64108

What women bring to the table and how they change the decision-making process. The importance of building a coalition of strong women leaders and forging a new leadership style.

SPONSOR: American Association of University Women, KC Chapter

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED: kansascity.educate@nara.gov or 816-268-8010

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24

What's Percolating in Kansas?

10:30 am-12:00 noon

Leawood Pioneer Library, 4700 Town Center Dr., Leawood, KS 66211

Coffee & conversation with KS Legislators

CoSPONSOR: MainStream Coalition and True Blue Women

Voter Suppression

Kansas & Missouri at the Epicenter

6:00-6:30 pm Reception

6:30-8:00 pm Presentation

Asbury United Methodist Church, 5400 W 75th St., Prairie Village, KS 66208

Micah Kubic, Executive Director ACLU of Kansas and Judy Morgan,

Dist. 24, Missouri House of Representatives

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 25

Developing Power

How Women Transformed International Development

6:00-6:30 pm Reception

6:30-8:00 pm Presentation

Kansas City Public Library, 14 W 10th St., Kansas City, MO 64106

Conversation with Dr. Irene Tinker, author

CoSPONSORS: Women's Equality Week Coalition, Women Empowering Women, United Nations Association (UNA) Women of GKC and Zonta Club of KCMO

RSVP: www.kclibrary.org or 816-701-3406

Latinas Perspective on Women's Equality in the U.S.

6:00-8:00 pm

Oak Park Library, 9500 Bluejacket St., Overland Park, KS 66214

A diverse panel of Latinas will share their thoughts and experiences.

SPONSOR: Latina's Leadership Network, Johnson County, KS, Networking and Panel

Radio Interview Filmmaker of

Equal Means Equal

6:00 pm KKKFI FM, 90.1, Heartland Labor Forum

Interview of Director Kamala Lopez.

Equal Means Equal provides an

unflinching look at how women are treated in

the US. A revealing documentary of how

inadequate the present laws are and how they

do not provide equal rights for women and

why we need the Equal Rights Amendment.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

This is Why You Vote

Public Education and Equity Matter

12:00-1:30 pm

KCKCC, Jewell Student Center, 7250 State Ave., Kansas City, KS 66112

AAUW Student Chapter meets with Dr. Cynthia Lane,

Superintendent, District 500 about government, school funding

and community engagement.

Missouri Premier of

Equal Means Equal

5:30-6:00 pm Gathering/reception/Djembe Djanes (drummers)

6:00-7:30 pm Screening of the Film

7:30-8:00 pm Talk Back

Union Station, 30 W Pershing Rd., Kansas City, MO 64108

Paid parking in visitors garage.

A ground breaking exploration of gender inequality in the USA featuring top women's rights activists, leaders, and survivors. A brutal expose of a broken system, the film reignites the dialogue of full legal equality for all Americans.

SPONSOR: Women's Equality Week Coalition, Greater Kansas City Women's Political Caucus

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: wew1920@gmail.com

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27

Film screening of

Fundi: The Story of Ella Baker

11:00 am

Tivoli Theater, 4050 Pennsylvania, Kansas City, MO 64111

SPONSOR: Stand Up KC, Fannie Lou Hamer Women's Committee

RSVP: info@standupkc.org

Voting Challenges for LGBTQ

and Transgender peoples

3:00 pm KKKFI FM, 90.1, EveryWoman Program

Sharon Lockhart and Rosemarie Woods hear from those affected

by discrimination against people who are LGBTQ.



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Pushing Back/Marching Forward

Celebrate the 96th Anniversary of Gaining the Right to Vote

Women's Equality Week is an expansion of Women's Equality Day, August 26th, the day in 1920 when the 19th Amendment was ratified giving women the right to vote. During the week an ad hoc coalition of non-partisan organizations, agencies, and media offer programs on the issues that prevent women from achieving full equality. Each organization, based on its mission, educates, inspires, and encourages women and men to advocate, lead, and especially to use the power of the vote to obtain full equality for women.

Programs are free and open to the public, some require reservations.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17
The Status of Women at Work
Harassment, Equal Pay, and LGBT Protections

6:00 pm Reception
 6:30 pm Presentation
 Kansas City Public Library, 14 W. 10th St. Kansas City, MO 64106
 Andrea G. Baran: Regional Attorney of the EEOC's
 St. Louis District, discusses the status of women in the
 American workplace, addressing both their progress
 and areas for continued improvement.
 RSVP: 816-701-3407 or www.kclibrary.org

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18
Greater KC Women's Political Caucus
Equality Week Family Picnic

5:30 - 7:30 pm
 Loose Park Large Shelter, 5200 Pennsylvania Ave,
 Kansas City, MO 64112
 Please join us as we celebrate the anniversary of women
 gaining the right to vote. We'll have picnic fare, cool
 beverages, games for kids, and fun for all
 RSVP: info@gkcwpc.org

Women's Equality Week Coalition
thanks our Sponsors

- A. Philip Randolph Institute, Kansas City Chapter
- Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, MU Chapter
- American Association of University Women, Johnson County Community College
- American Association of University Women, KC MO Branch*
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- American Civil Liberties Union of Kansas
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- El Centro, Inc.
- Every Woman, KKF 90.1 FM
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- Stand UP KC - Fannie Lou Hamer Women's Committee*
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- League of Women Voters, Johnson County, Kansas
- MainStream Coalition*
- UNA Women of Greater Kansas City*
- Wall of Women's Achievements*
- Women's Equality Week, Social Media, Allie Zaroor, Denise Dian Laughlin and Rochelle Golliday
- Women's Foundation
- Women for Kansas
- Women in the NAACP (WIN) KCMO Branch
- Zonta Club of Kansas City, HMO*

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- AXA Advisors
- Central Exchange
- Community Christian Church, KCMO
- Djember Djanes
- Heartland Labor Forum
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