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NOW

National Organization for Women

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NOW's Purpose is to take action through intersectional grassroots activism to promote feminist ideals, lead societal change, eliminate discrimination, and achieve and protect the equal rights of all women and girls in all aspects of social, political, and economic life.

Membership Mtg

NOW will meet on **Wed Jan 6, 2016, at 1:00 PM** at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 17540 N Ave of the Arts (off Bell) in Surprise. Rivko Knox from the ACLU will talk about women in Arizona. The public is welcome.

Representative Bennally to recognize us as we sit in the gallery.

(Hupperts) **AZ State NOW** conference in planning stages. Divine Valentine to be the opening and closing speaker. **CModeen, Scribe**

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Jan 13 Wed 1:00 PM

Next NOW Board Mtg

Host: Carolyn Modeen

NOW Member Mtg Dec 2, 2015

Program: Member of the AZ House of Representatives, Jenifer Benally, spoke on issues important to women on the Navajo Reservation along with proposed legislation for the upcoming session.

NOW Board Mtg Dec 9, 2015

Treasure's Report (Erwin): \$1,171.01

January program: Rivko Knox from the ACLU talking about women in Arizona.

Marilyn Schulze February program--Nancy Ash has been contacted about Trafficking, and Joan Carlson was prepared to present Diversity; will look into the possibility of the March meeting for Diversity.

Women's History Month date: Marilyn will let us know as soon as she gets the pilot's schedule, so the church can be reserved and publicity out. Marilyn is thinking about decorations, hoping to use model airplanes. Refreshments: possibly root beer floats **Reservations:** Anita Erwin Kathleen Abernathy will work on the flyers and program, if she can get the information before most of January and February. Publicity to also go to papers. Researching generations of women pilots, Vivian. Discussion about whether to have donations of any amount, or to charge \$15.00.

ERA: (Hupperts) Rebecca Bell not returning calls, so maybe Jeannie to speak at one of our meetings. Plans are made to be at the capitol when the sponsor of an ERA bill is heard on the House floor, and we will ask

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