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Resources

Women's Activism of NYC: find them on Facebook at Womens Activism NYC and on the web at: <http://www.womensactivism.nyc/>: sponsored by the NYC Department of Records and Information Services, from now until the national celebration of the 19th Amendment in 2020, this group will be highlighting unsung New York activists of the past and present. By telling the stories of these courageous women they hope to inspire New Yorkers's to become more active in the causes that are meaningful to them. Tracy Penn Sweet is our contact with this group. She can be reached at (212) 993-7864 or tsweet@records.nyc.gov.

NYS Council for the Humanities: <http://www.nyhumanities.org/>: This group is providing funding and helping to coordinate programs across New York. Lauren Kushnick is our contact with the Council. She can be reached at (212) 993-7864 or lkushnick@nyhumanities.org.

NY Cultural Heritage Tourism Network: <http://www.newyorkculturalheritagetourismnetwork.com/>: This group coordinates cultural attraction information with the goal of increasing tourism and revenue for its members. They are currently working to enhance their Women's History Trail and coordinating resources around the state. Spike Herzig is our contact for this group.

National Women's History Project: www.nwhp.org: They are located in California but have several resources on their site and some fun products to help celebrate women's history.

New York State Archives: <http://www.archives.nysed.gov/>

New York State Museum: <https://www.nysm.nysed.gov/>: preparing for a 2017 exhibit on women's suffrage

I Love NY website: <http://www.iloveny.com/blog/post/2016/29/12-Ways-to-Celebrate-Women-s-History-Month/167/#.VtYByfkrLIU>

Women's History Month: <http://womenshistorymonth.gov/>

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Resources in the New York City/Long Island/Westchester Area

The **New York City Department of Parks and Recreation** is hosting a variety of events for Women's History Month. Check them out on this website: http://www.nycgovparks.org/events/womens_history_month.

The Gotham Center for New York History: <http://www.gothamcenter.org/>

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Center for the Study of Women's History – New York State Historical Society and Museum:
<http://www.nyhistory.org/museum-collections-0/center-study-womens-history>.

The Long Island Woman Suffrage Association: <http://longislandwomansuffrage.com/?p=868>: started by author and member of the LWV of Port Washington/Manhasset, Antonia Petrash. Antonia wrote the book, Long Island and the Woman Suffrage Movement. Her email is burton33@optonline.net.

This article lists many activities groups are promoting in NYC for Women's History Month:
<http://www.nycgo.com/articles/womens-history-month-nyc>.

The New York Public Library: <http://www.nypl.org/voices/blogs/blog-channels/womens-history>

This article contains information about Women's History month activities on Long Island:
<http://archive.longislandpress.com/2010/03/07/womens-history-month-events/>

Resources in the Capital Region/North Country Area:

There is a new **exhibit in honor of Women's History Month at the Capitol's War Room**:
<http://blog.timesunion.com/capitol/archives/246654/cuomo-proclaims-march-to-be-womens-history-month/>.

The Women's Fund of the Capital Region supports women and education in our local communities:
<http://www.womensfundcr.org/who-we-are.shtml>.

Hudson Valley Community College recently held an event featuring and edu-drama about Women's History: <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!topic/anhsp/LxxpW40OPfc>. And, Clinton Community College is hosting an evening in March entitled Women and Humor: <https://www.clinton.edu/campusinfo/ginabarreca.cxml>. Local college student groups or faculty may be a great source for partnerships in your community.

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SUNY Plattsburgh has a Multicultural Alliance that celebrates Women's History Month:
<http://www.plattsburgh.edu/offices/admin/studentaffairs/organizationdevelopment/multiculturalalliance.php>.

Clinton County Historical Association is hosting a lecture in honor of Women's History Month called Remarkable Women of Clinton County: <http://www.clintoncountyhistorical.org/#!services/cihc>

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Resources in the Syracuse/Central New York Area

National Women's Hall of Fame: <https://www.womenofthehall.org/> Located in Seneca Falls, they are hosting their first Right to Run event on May 9th.

Women's Rights National Historical Park which includes the Wesleyan Chapel, home of the First Women's Rights Convention held in 1848: <https://www.nps.gov/wori/index.htm>. The park also includes the homes of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Mary Ann M'Clintock and Jane Hunt.

The Harriet Tubman Home in Auburn: <http://www.nyhistory.com/harriettubman/>

The Onondaga Art Guild does an annual show around Women's History Month: <http://onondagaartguild.blogspot.com/> and on Facebook at: <https://www.facebook.com/onondaga.guild/>

The **Roy H. Park School of Communications at Ithaca College** hosted a Women in Media panel and movie screening for Women's History month. They may be willing to partner for other projects.

Onondaga Historical Association has many items regarding Women's History Month: <https://onondagahisassn.wordpress.com/category/womens-history-month/>

The **St. Lawrence County Historical Association** and the Silas Wright House has had some programs for Women's History month in the past: <http://www.slcha.org/>.

The **New York State Historical Association** is located in Cooperstown, NY: <http://www.nysha.org/>

The **Oneida County Historical Society** has some information on prominent female residents, Maria and Rachael Williams Proctor: <http://www.oneidacountyhistory.org/PublicFigures/Leaders.asp>.

The **Center for Historical Research at Utica College** hosted a speaker on Lucretia Mott for Women's History Month: <https://www.utica.edu/news/stories/uc-to-celebrate-women-s-history-month/>. They may be willing to partner for other events.

SUNY Broome hosts an annual Women's Film Institute to coincide with Women's History Month: <http://news.sunybroome.edu/focus/2016-womens-history-and-culture-month-film-institute/>.

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Your fellow local League members!! As you plan programs and events, don't forget to collaborate with other local Leagues in your area. Grant funders like to see many groups working together and it will help spread out the work and increase the audience if you can coordinate.

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