

The York County Federation of Democratic Women, Inc. promotes the appointment and election of Democratic women to responsible positions within all branches of government, encourages the advancement of women in both the public and private sectors, and advocates the core values of the Democratic Party.

## FEDERATION FACTS



### YCFDW's Calendar of Events

**Mar. 6, 2 PM, 470 W. Market St.**  
**View The Loretta Claiborne Story**

**Mar. 12, 2011: St. Patrick's Day Parade**  
Meet at 12 PM, 470 W. Market St., York  
Please call Kathy, 845-4086, to let her know if you will walk or need a ride to be in the Parade. Darlene Smith will drive her car for riders. You can leave your coats, bags... at her home, 470 W. Mkt. St. while in the parade. It's LOTS of FUN!  
Wear your green or orange!

**Mar. 19, 12:30 PM at Beck's  
Lt. David Godfrey, York Co. Sheriff's  
Office: new programs for juvenile offenders**  
\*Turn in Tupperware orders\*

**Apr. 10, 2 PM, 470 W. Market St.**  
**View Gasland with Chris Drinkut**

**Apr. 16, 12:30 PM at Beck's  
Jewelry Appraisal**

**May 21, 12:30**  
**Kathleen Lucas: Death penalty**

**Summer 2011 TBA**  
**PAC Fundraiser Wine & Cheese**

**Sep. 18 Woman of the Year Luncheon**

### March 2011

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### YCFDW Scholarship Fund

Please see Alana Haag, 244-5046, if you know of a college junior you think would make a great candidate for our local scholarship grant. Additional information will be forthcoming. Please send your donations to Marlene Nelson, 2800 Hialeah Court, York, PA 17408.

**THINKING SPRING YET?**



"The great use of life is to spend it for something that will outlast it." (William James, 1842-1910, US psychologist and philosopher.)

**In conjunction with the** Event Creation Committee of the DPOYC, the YCFDW is going to offer older students an opportunity to learn more about public service jobs and what it takes to do those jobs. A May Sat. date is under consideration. If you know of any youth interested in joining the group, please contact Kathy Rauhauser. Alana Haag and Darlene Smith are also on this committee with Kathy. Let us know if you are interested in helping with this worthy project.

**AN UNFORTUNATE DISTINCTION!**

York County tied with Mobile, Ala. For its percentage of increase in foreclosures in 2010, earning it the 9<sup>th</sup> spot on the list of 10 "foreclosure hotspots" per CNNMoney.com. according to the Dispatch. An estimated 1 in 56 homes were listed in York ranking York among the "unexpected cities" with the fastest-growing rates out of 100 "worst-hit" places

**About artist on page 1**

**Paul C. Stahr** (1883–1953) was an American illustrator who lived in NY. He produced numerous posters (including the one above), book and magazine covers. He also invented fluorescent colors; but his formula was stolen by an Eastman/Kodak spy. After a long legal fight he could no longer continue the battle as he did have as great a financial backing as Eastman/Kodak.

**Home Foreclosure Prevention**



Toni Smith advised March 26 at 9 AM at the new baseball stadium there will be about 12 banks present to meet with people to help them avoid foreclosure. We asked about bring in food for the applicants but that is not possible due to their agreement with the vendors. However they can accept financial donations which should be made out to Opportunity Inc. It's a nonprofit 501c3 organization located at 301 E. Market Street, York, PA 17403.

**TUPPERWARE FUND RAISER**



Jamie Markle is offering the YCFDW 1/2 of her profit for any orders turned in. This is greater than our original plan with her. Please get out there and sell, Sell, SELL!

If you did not come to the last meeting and get the order forms, please call Jamie at 717-495-1213 to arrange to get the fund raising packet from her.

**KEEP ON ASKING!**

We are pleased to announce that our membership is almost up to 60 people. Please help us to share the word that the YCFDW does lots of fun things. Call Shirley Smolin. 757-6288, with any questions or for membership forms. Thank you!

**THE WINNING NAME FOR OUR NEWSLETTER IS...**

## **FEDERATION FACTS!**

Based upon the names submitted the membership voted for FEDERATION FACTS at our February meeting. We hope you like it and will be talking about what you have learned in the FEDERATION FACTS to your family and friends. Remember this is YOUR newsletter so if you have an idea for an article, please let your editor know. You just might see it in the FEDERATION FACTS!

**WE ARE INVITED BY:**

**Lancaster County Democratic Women's Association to**

### **Catherine Baker Knoll 2011 award Luncheon**

Press Room Restaurant, Lancaster PA

Saturday, March 12, 2011 at 12:00 noon

Keynote Speaker: **Lois Herr**

**Cost: \$30.00**

**Menu choice: Chicken Cordon bleu with Mushroom Sauce or  
Broiled Salmon with Lemon Butter Sauce**

**RSVP to Janet Spleen 717-393-8337 or email: [jespleen@comcast.net](mailto:jespleen@comcast.net)**

The **Catherine Baker Knoll award** is sponsored by the Lancaster County Democratic Women's Association to honor Pennsylvania's First Woman Lieutenant Governor and to recognize a Democratic Woman living in Lancaster County, who was elected to office, positively influenced her local community, encouraged and supported other Democrats to enter public service and achieved great political accomplishments without receiving much public recognition.

"Now more than ever we should recognize that life is precious-that it is a once-in-a-lifetime experience-and it is your job and mine to encourage all our citizens not to undervalue what they are".. Catherine Baker Knoll, 2002

**We are pleased to announce the annual Catherine Baker Knoll 2011 "Breaking the Glass Ceiling" award will be presented to Judy Saylor.**

Judy served on the **Millersville Borough Council** – elected to serve from 1991 – 1995. She was the representative from Millersville to the Lancaster County Borough Association and elected the President of that organization. **Penn Manor District Leader** until 1998. **LCDC Vice-Chair** from 1998 – 2002. **Served two terms as Lancaster County Jury Commissioner** from 2002 – 2010. **Vice-Chair of the Women's Alliance** of Lancaster County from 1996 – 2000. Served as Campaign Chair for Bill Saylor's campaigns for County Commissioner in 1999 and 2003. Hosted MANY Fundraisers – for: Sam Mecum, Lois Herr, Jose Urdaneta, and Craig Lehman.