



THE VOTER

Dave Rosenberg will speak at the State of the Community Luncheon

Yolo County Superior Court presiding judge Dave Rosenberg will be the featured speaker at the 15th Annual State of the Community Luncheon. Rosenberg's long public service career includes: twelve years on the Davis City Council - including two terms as mayor; a two term member of the Yolo County Board of Supervisors, a past California State Lottery Commissioner (from 1999-2003), and has been an advisor to governors Jerry Brown and Gray Davis. Probable topics Rosenberg is expected to address are include the new courthouse in downtown Woodland and current issues facing the judicial system.



The luncheon will be held on February 18. Doors open at 11:45 a.m at the Woodland United Methodist Church at the corner of Second and North Streets in Woodland. Tickets are \$12 (in this economy you can't beat that price!) and can be obtained by calling Lucinda Talkington at 662-0535. Sponsorships are available for \$25, or five tickets and a sponsorship can be had for \$75.

Mike Thompson to be special guest at the State of the Community Luncheon

Congressman Mike Thompson is planning to be at the State of the Community Luncheon to serve the cornbread and make a few remarks and take a few questions along with Judge Rosenberg. The League is appreciative that both of these gentlemen have taken time out of their busy schedules to participate in our annual fundraiser.

**15th Annual
LWV Woodland
State of the
Community
Luncheon**

Wednesday

February 18

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Woodland United
Methodist Church
Second & North
Streets**

**Featuring Keynote
Speaker:**

**Yolo County
Superior Court
Presiding Judge
David Rosenberg**

**Special Luncheon
Guest: Mike
Thompson, U.S.
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with your ideas and questions.*

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Yolo County Women's History Month Committee Announces March is Women's History Month

**Nominations for distinguished
women are
being accepted now**

“Women Taking the Lead to Save Our Planet...then and now” is the theme of the 2009 Women's History Month celebration. In its 21st year in Yolo County, this month long celebration begins with the Yolo County Women's History Month Luncheon on March 5 from 11:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Woodland Community and Senior Center.

Nominations are now being accepted for honoring women who exemplify this year's theme. The “then” reference in the theme refers to women who took responsibility in the Great Depression. Legacy awards are considered (for those who have passed on) and encouraged.

Directions to submit a nomination:

- Submit a nomination letter that contains the woman's name and why you think she is deserving of this award.
- Supply contact information for family members if you are making a nomination for a legacy award
- Include two references (with contact information) along with your name and contact information
- Mail to Women's History Month, P.O. Box 711, Woodland CA 95776
- Deadline is February 16, 2009 (all nominations must be received by this date)

Questions should be directed to event co-chair Bj Ford at 662-0952, or bjford@pacbell.net

LWV BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

January 13, 2009 Meeting

• It was reported that all 43 members have received a

copy of the telephone tree and 2009 membership roster

- The annual meeting will be June 9, 2009
- Bj Ford was appointed as chairperson for the annual meeting on June 17.
- Details of the february 18 State of the Community luncheon were discussed.

- April 25 was proposed and set for a League sponsored special event that will include a special fashion show. More details to follow
- Combined balances in all accounts stand at \$10,229.62

Message from LWV Membership

Thank you to all who sent in their membership dues. I would like to welcome two new members - Dr. Angela Fairchilds, president of Woodland Community College, and Judy Zatz, world traveler from France who is now residing in Woodland. Welcome to you both and we look forward to seeing you at the State of the Community Luncheon!

. Sincerely, Loretta Hansen, 2nd Vice-president, Membership.

Continuing with our fifteen year tradition, this year s State of the Community Luncheon speakers join a distinguished list of luncheon presenters:



2008 - Mark Deven, Woodland City Manager

2007 - Assemblywoman Lois wolk

2006 - Sharon Jensen, CAO Yolo county

2005 - Dr. Jacki Cottingim, Superintendent Woodland Joint Unified School District

2004 - Susan Frazier, CEO Valley Vision and Bob Dunning, Davis Enterprise columnist

2003 - Dr. Francisco Rodriguez, Dean, Woodland Community College

2002 – Steve Mayberg, Director, Calif. Dept. of Mental Health

2001 – Assemblyman Dick Dickerson

2000 – Rick Kirkwood, Woodland City Manager

1999 – Vic Singh, CAO Yolo County

1998 – Assemblywoman Helen Thomson

1997 – Meg Sheldon, Director Yolo County Social Services

1996 – Gary Sandy, Woodland mayor

1995 – Tom Stallard, Yolo County Supervisor, 3rd District



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I would prefer to receive the monthly newsletter, *The Voter*, by:

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Dues: \$45 individual, \$60 for a family. Voluntary contributions of \$5 are welcome to cover recent state dues increases. While dues to LWV are not tax deductible, contributions to our Education Fund are deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Education Fund contributions are needed and used for voter outreach and education.

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Calendar 2009

February 18 15th Annual State of the Community Luncheon 11:45 a.m. Woodland United Methodist Church corner of Second and North Streets

March 5 21st Annual Women's History Month Luncheon

April 25 A Unique Fashion Show ...details to come

June 9 LWV Woodland Annual Meeting Phone 400-4118 for details