Thursday, February 10th, 2022

Women’s International League for Peace & Freedom is the oldest women’s international peace organization in the world... founded in 1915 by Jane Addams of Hull House. There are over 30 WILPF branches in the United States... and we are one of 50 Sections around the world.

Find us & join us at our website: www.wilpfus.org/join
All ONE WILPF Calls/Zooms are archived here: https://wilpfus.org/story/one-wilpf-calls

AGENDA

1- WELCOME & INSTRUCTIONS

2- "Fighting for Democracy in the Philippines through the power of the Ballot and Organizing"
Featuring Sylvia Estrada Claudia MD,PhD
Presented by Cindy Domingo, Seattle WA

cindydomingo@gmail.com
3- ARTS & ACTIVISM: A new Initiative At WILPF US
Featuring Ashley Carrington, Triangle WILPF (NC)
carringtonva@gmail.com
Plus Q&A

4- ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Follow Up on 2 Selected 2022 SOLIDARITY ACTIONS
• Mobilization for The PPC June 18th DC March
  • Emily Keel ekkeel2me@gmail.com
  • PLUS Q&A

• Mobilization for Voting Rights for 2022
  • Donna Pihl, DPIHL2@comcast.net
  • PLUS Q&A

• DISARM COMMITTEE “Response To Ukraine/Russia Hostilities”
  Cherrill Spencer cherrill.m.spencer@gmail.com
See some remarks and links further down.

• EARTH DEMOCRACY COMMITTEE “World Water Day”
  MARCH 22nd – Prepare NOW
  Nancy Price nancytprice39@gmail.com
Hi Water Protectors. Begin now to plan an event for March 22, the United Nations World Water Day. Please let Nancy Price - nancytprice39@gmail.com know your plans so we may announce them in the March eNews or a mid-March eAlert.
• MIDDLE EAST PEACE & JUSTICE ACTION COMMITTEE:  
  Mobilization for Yemen - March 1st  
  Odile Hugonot Haber - odilehh@gmail.com

– BRANCH NEWS:  
  FANNIE LOU HAMER BRANCH FIRST ANNIVERSARY - March 13th  
  Theresa El Amin - theresaelamin1@gmail.com

3 YEAR PLAN FROM  
THE BLACK LIBERATION CAUCUS INSIDE WILPF US  
George Friday  geo4realdem@gmail.com

5- ADJOURN  
6- SOAPBOX

ADD DETAILS, NOTES, COMMENTS, LINKS below

The WILPF US Women, Money & Democracy Committee,  
in collaboration with An Economy of Our Own, and the Public Banking Institute, announces  
the KICK OFF of a 6- series  
Women’s Learning Circle on PUBLIC BANKING  
on Friday, April 8th at 8pm eastern/7pm central/5pm pacific.  
Learn about what Public Banking is, how it benefits all the issues you care about, and how to advocate effectively in your community.  
Sessions scheduled for (all Fridays at 8pm eastern):  
April 8, April 29, May 20, June 10, July 1, July 22.  
Registration link to follow!

PLEASE HELP US SPREAD THE WORD….ADD TO YOUR CALENDAR

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Hi Friends,
The WILPF PPC solidarity committee is excited to announce our virtual KICK OFF EVENT featuring an address by Rev Dr. Liz Theoharis. Rev Liz is the co chair of the Poor Peoples Campaign and will be speaking to all branch members about why the Mass Poor Peoples and Low Wage Workers Assembly and March on DC and to the Polls is crucial to our nation. Branch members voted to make the march on June 18 in DC one of the two solidarity actions for this year. WILPF US is a partner in the campaign and, as such, we have pledged our support.

At this Feb 16 event we will learn more about the campaign's goals of changing the moral narrative of our nation, and the demands that the interlocking injustices of systemic racism, poverty, ecological devastation, the war economy/militarism and the distorted moral narrative of religious nationalism all be ended.

I hope that we will all be inspired to take action by going to DC and also finding other important ways that we can support the campaign. **The time on Feb 16 will be 8-930 PM EST/5-630 PST.** Please use this link for registration:

You are invited to a Zoom meeting.

Feb 16, 2022 05:00 PM Pacific Time/8pm Eastern

Register in advance for this meeting: [https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYtduqggD8jGdFsrLXPjjXpNWzplzTwMrfF](https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYtduqggD8jGdFsrLXPjjXpNWzplzTwMrfF)
Contact me, Emily Keel at ppc-comm@wilpfus.org. Thank you for your support of this event.

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY RESOURCES
The Cape Cod Branch will present a set of three original short plays (including a discussion to follow) for International Women’s Day. “Racial Reckoning” is the theme. Tuesday, March 8th at 7:30pm Eastern/4:30pm Pacific. Watch for details in the March eNews.

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY: Powerpoint resource “Standing On Their Shoulders” At https://wilpfus.org/story/support-materials

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Despite many visits of Foreign Ministers/Presidents/Prime Ministers to various involved countries this worrying situation continues. We must continue to press our leaders for a diplomatic solution. Re-read the eALERT of Feb 1 and take some of the actions listed in there. Find it in your Inbox or here: https://wilpfus.org/news/latest-news/actions-take-regarding-ukraine-crisis
For inspiration watch the recording of the “No War With Russia” online national rally at which yours truly laid out WILPF’s opinions in a 5 minute speech: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wq3wupWxdac (my speech starts at 1 hr 8 mins, but it is worthwhile to watch the 12 other speakers from our sister anti-war organizations).

A WILPF US public statement on the Ukraine crisis is being written, keep an eye out for it, will arrive by an email.

Thank you for your interest in WILPF-US Cultural Arts Ad Hoc Committee

Please see presentation here: https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1yCBmqmtlr3_s6VIC1xyPKtYpGJCNshDmi24KMk-7lls/edit?usp=sharing

Please fill out interest form here: https://forms.gle/fFhZCU3XkT9jZKJX9

Please see one pager here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1I6WeKzhTB_nQwAPwMKFRUJqOQDXJu4gNq_tBtsGqemo/edit?usp=sharing

Please email any questions or concerns to Carringtonanc@gmail.com, thank you! 😊

The Advancing Human Rights national WILPF issue committee has active subcommittees working on important concerns. You can arrange to connect with any of the following by inquiring with an email to AHRchair@wilpfus.org

Racial Justice
End Mass Incarceration and the Death Penalty
Immigration and Border Militarization
UN International Decade for People of African Descent
UN 4 Women
Additional subcommittees are being developed. Inquiries about other AHR subject areas are welcome: AHRchair@wilpfus.org

Subcommittees are meeting monthly via Zoom. And the full/umbrella AHR committee meets to coordinate committee-wide matters. The next AHR committee meeting will be on Monday, February 28 at 5/6/7/8 PM.

Contact AHRchair@wilpfus.org if you want information for registering for the subcommittees’ meetings and/or the AHR committee’s meetings.

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For the CSW66 Forum virtual workshop being held by the Cuba and the Bolivarian Alliance Issues Committee and the US Women and Cuba Collaboration, the link will be posted on the WILPF-US website as well as at www.womenandcuba.org and Us-cubanormalization.org

The workshop will be held on March 19, 2022 at 2:00-3:30 pm EST on zoom. The workshop is “Gender Equality - Key to Tackling Climate Change to Cuba.”