



One last event for March 2019



Poverty Simulation

Saturday, March 30, 10:30-8:30 p.m.

Roseville Area High School
1240 County Road B2 West, Roseville

SPEND A *SIMULATED* MONTH in the poverty experienced by our community's individuals and families. The simulation is based on Community Action clients and their daily realities.

Poverty is a reality for many individuals and families. But unless you've experienced poverty, it's difficult to truly understand. The Community Action Poverty Simulation (CAPS) bridges that gap from misconception to understanding. CAPS is an interactive immersion experience. It sensitizes community participants to the realities of poverty.

CAPS is not a game. It is based on real Community Action clients and their lives. CAPS exists to:

◆ **Promote Poverty Awareness**

During the simulation, role-play a month in poverty and experience low-income families' lives.

◆ **Increase Understanding**

After the simulation, you will unpack your learning and brainstorm community change.

◆ **Inspire Local Change**

Together, you can be a voice to end poverty in your family, friends and community.



Space is limited! Reservations Required

Register at: <https://tinyurl.com/ycyw9va2> or go to Register at DoGoodRoseville.com
or contact Kathy Ramundt at kramundt@hotmail.com or 651-488-5061.

April 2019



Civic Literacy 101—State Government

Tuesday, April 2
7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

Roseville Library

This session will cover our government at the state level. Our presenters will help discuss the structure and roles which determine the rules and regulations for how our state is governed. With an understanding of how it all works, you will understand how you can impact how things can be changed, debated, and put into action.

Presented by Nick Harper, Community Engagement Director of the League of Women Voters of MN along with Jamie Becker-Finn, MN State Representative and Asst Majority Leader (if not in session). This program is in partnership with League of Women Voters of Roseville Area.



Global Palate Dinner Club
Friday, April 5, 2019
6:00 pm

Mama Sheila's
Soulfood Kitchen

3744 Bloomington Ave S.
 Minneapolis



Our monthly dinner club is always a friendly group and we promise a warm welcome so don't hesitate to come alone!

Join us this month at Mama Sheila's SoulFood Kitchen which offers mouthwatering soulfood for lunch & dinner. On street parking.

Please RSVP to Sherry, sanders363s@gmail.com so we can reserve seating.

My Story, My Truth
Saturday, April 6
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Community Healing Hub @
 Minnehaha Communion Lutheran Church
 4101 37th Ave., S, Mpls

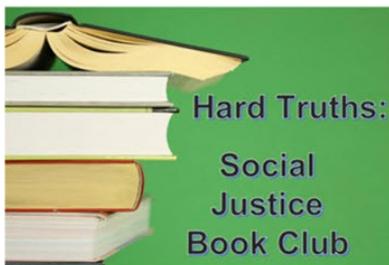


We are pleased to offer one more opportunity to view this powerful film in a group setting.

Everyone has a story to tell, and when you create opportunities for those stories to be told and listened to, something amazing starts to happen.

In early January of 2018, men and women of color sat down at CTV Studios in Roseville to speak about a time when they have been personally discriminated against and how that has shaped their lives. Moderated by Nyia Harris, these narratives have been turned into a documentary film.

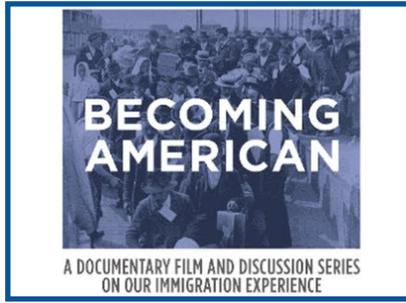
Attendees will watch the documentary and then have respectful conversations led by meaningful questions to debrief from the experience. Here is a link to the video: [My Story, My Truth](#)



Hard Truths Social Justice Book Club
Tuesday, April 9
7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

Roseville Library

Join us for our *last book club before we take a break for Summer*. The next chapter from the book : "A Good Time for the Truth" is: "Red, White and Blank" by Heid E. Erdrich. We are very excited that the book club is led by Huda Yusef. Huda has been a panelist on both of the "Ask a Muslim Woman" programs.



Becoming American:
A Documentary Film and Discussion Series
on Our Immigration Experience
Thursday, April 11, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
 Shoreview Library
 4560 Victoria St. N., Shoreview

Join us for the final film in the this six-part, monthly series of films and facilitated discussions about the American immigration experience. If this is your first one, it's not too late!

This program explores the historic and current tension between Americans' acceptance of immigrants, including the celebration of their own immigrant heritage, versus the periodic backlash prompted by concern about the economic and cultural effects of newcomers.

Becoming American: A Documentary Film and Discussion Series on Our Immigration Experience is a project of City Lore in collaboration with the Immigration and Ethnic History Society and the International Coalition of the Sites of Conscience. This program is a partnership with the Ramsey County Library, Shoreview Human Rights Commission, and League of Women Voters Roseville Area.



TED Talk Discussion Group
Sunday, April 14
2:00 pm to 3:30 pm
 Roseville Library

Join us in our monthly event where we view a TED Talk and then discuss it. In April we will feature the TED Talk: Beware, Fellow Plutocrats, the Pitchforks are Coming. The speaker Nick Hanauer is a rich guy, an unrepentant capitalist — and he has something to say to his fellow plutocrats: Wake up! Growing inequality is about to push our societies into conditions resembling pre-revolutionary France. Hear his argument about why a dramatic increase in minimum wage could grow the middle class, deliver economic prosperity ... and prevent a revolution.

Volunteer Together

**A new monthly venture to promote volunteering
 and learning about organizations doing great work in our community**

Due to vacations, we will not host a group event this month, but we do have an opportunity to share!



Anytime between April 22 and May 12 Northeast Youth and Family Service Senior Chore Program is having their annual Spring Cleanup for seniors in need. They are looking for people who are willing to spend a few hours improving the lives of area seniors and help them live independently for as long as possible.

To sign-up, please respond by April 15 by calling Debbie Wells at (651) 757-4061 or email debbiep@nyfs.org to register yourself or your group for the cleanup.



Interfaith Discussion on Homelessness

Tentatively scheduled

**Tuesday, April 30
6:30 to 8:30 pm**

**Lexington Park Building
2131 Lexington Ave., N., Roseville**



As we have done in the past, Do Good Roseville is hosting a meeting of local faith communities. At these meetings, we are always heartened to learn what our local faith communities are doing to help people in need in our community. The topic of this session will be homelessness.

We know that Roseville Lutheran Church and New Life Presbyterian Church have both opened their doors to provide shelter for homeless people as part of Project Home (<https://interfaithaction.org/projecthome>) and it was the subject of a City Council meeting regarding permits.

At the same time Wilder Foundation has recently released their 2018 Study on Homelessness which reports that homelessness has increased by 10% since 2015. (<http://mnhomeless.org/>).

As with similar meetings we have hosted on Immigration and Race, Do Good Roseville arranges the time and space and then sends an invite to faith communities to come together to share information and have a discussion. This is not an educational session. You do not have to be a member of a faith community to attend.

Please note, we are in the process of planning this session so the date and time could change!!! Please refer to our Facebook Event page or our website for more information or email Kathy Ramundt at kramundt@hotmail.com.



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