



From the WRC Porch Women's Resource Center News and Events



2024 Breakthrough Breakfast Speaker

WRC is excited to announce that our 2024 Breakthrough Breakfast speaker is **Kim Jensen**, Chief Operating Officer and Senior Vice President, Raymond James Private Client Group! She will be featured in a fireside chat at our **event** to be held **Thursday**, April 18 from 8:30am - 10:30am at the

Philadelphia Country Club in Gladwyne, PA. **Sponsorship opportunities** are available and **registration** is open!

**Save the Date for
a WRC
sponsored event
in February!**



**Financial
Education
Event**
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WRC greatly appreciates partnering with Trinity Presbyterian Church in Berwyn to bring a Financial Education Event to women in the community! Save the Date for Saturday, February 24 from 9am - noon (doors open at 8:30am) at Trinity Presbyterian Church. Topics include divorce finance, retirement, credit repair and estate & wills. \$10 fee. Breakfast is provided and a limited number of childcare spots is available. Pre-registration is required and will be available later this month at womensresourcecenter.net. Thank you to Trinity Presbyterian Church for this partnership!

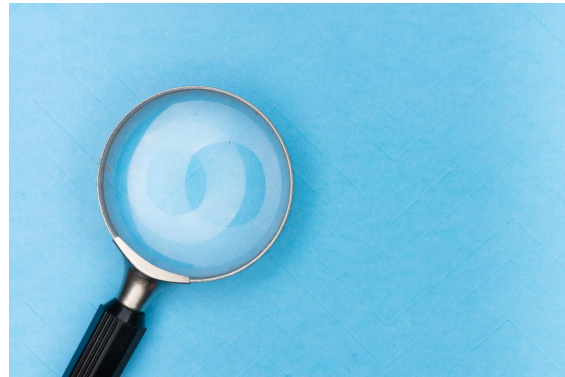
Charles M. and Joan R. Taylor Foundation supports Girls Lead with three-year, \$75,000 grant

WRC is grateful to be the recipient of a \$75,000 grant over three years from the Charles M. and Joan R. Taylor Foundation for our **Girls Lead Program**. Girls Lead nearly doubled in size this 2023-2024 school year over last year due to interest from more schools in the five county southeastern PA region!

To learn more about the Foundation, Girls Lead and this grant award, please read our Press Release [HERE](#).

Debbie's Resource of the Month

Debbie's Dispatch has changed to become Debbie's Resource of the Month, in which Helpline Coordinator **Debbie Bell** highlights a timely and relevant resource in each month's newsletter. We hope you enjoy this focused feature.



Whole Home Repairs Program of PA

This program assists homeowners with home improvements such as weatherization, roof and gutter repair, water heater replacement, porch and ramp repair, electrical repairs, etc. The fulfillment organizations that do the repairs are: Good Works Inc, Good Neighbors, Habitat for Humanity and Housing Partnership Program. There are eligibility guidelines and income eligibility requirements. Funds are available now for this program. Apply as soon as possible as there is great demand.

Contact Information

Whole Homes Repair Program Hotline 610-713-8088
www.goodworksinc.org

County Contact Numbers

Bucks 215-345-3845
Chester 610-344-6900
Delaware 610-891-4014
Montgomery 610-278-3725
Philadelphia 215-448-3000

Diversity Spotlight

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Martin Luther King Jr. Day is celebrated

Monday, January 15 this year. MLK day is a federal holiday in the United States marking the birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. To honor MLK, on January 15 at 11:15 a.m. there will be a National Bell Ringing Ceremony held in Philadelphia at Independence hall (**National Bell Ceremony (philadelphiamlk.org)**). Many organizations offer a day of service for the community on Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

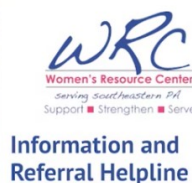
Diversity Spotlight is brought to you by our DEI Task Force Chair and Board Member Bridgett Battles.



Sharing Client Feedback In Their Words

"Finally I'm on the other side, and WRC had a huge part in that."

We appreciated assisting this client through our **Family Law Program** and our **Counseling Program**. As WRC has several related programs under one roof, we are able to offer clients a combined opportunity for healing, personal growth, and preparedness to take the next step in their life transition.



HELPLINE

Knowing which resources are available to you during a life transition or difficulty is important. WRC is

here to help. You can reach our Helpline at **701-314-HELP (4357)** or email the Helpline for resources at **info@womensrc.org**. **Helpline hours** are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 9:30am - 3:30pm and Wednesday, 9:30am - 12:30pm.

WRC's Mission

The Women's Resource Center helps women and girls in the five counties of southeastern PA to successfully navigate life's

transitions and inspire others to do the same. By providing resources, tools and support for today, we create hope for tomorrow.

Please consider a gift to WRC to help our programs continue to respond to the needs of women and girls in the community. Thank you!

Help Us Change Lives with Your
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