

11/7/22 NOTES

iSOS General Meeting

Above all else, not matter the results of tomorrow's election, we have power in our community and we have each other!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Election Texting continues right up to the last minute! Sandy and Marti canvassed in Roswell and went to 10 houses! Going forward, our outlook will be to fix democracy to work for everyone.
2. Reminder re: New member brunch Saturday November 12 from 11-1:00 p.m. Still time to rsvp to Marti at: 240-604-6799.
3. Fix Our Democracy/Indivisible Santa Fe: Rick Hubbard is a modern-day Paul Revere who is walking across the country to alert all Americans to the imminent danger facing our nation. Rick is longtime activist and founder of Fix our Democracy, www.fixourdemocracy.us, a nonprofit organization. The message of his historic walk across America is clear and simple: if we do not fix our democracy, we will lose it. Rick is scheduled to arrive in Santa Fe on or around February 1, 2023. Indivisible Santa Fe plans to host an organized rally at a public venue in or near Santa Fe then. Other possible events might be an address to the New Mexico State Legislature and/or a second rally in the Capitol Rotunda. To help, contact John House at jhouse0516@gmail.com.
4. A Leadership team meeting will follow this meeting at 11. One month from today is the Leadership retreat to strategize for 2023.
5. We will have a holiday party, day/time TBA.

AGENDA

Our speaker today is Kim Brown, CEO of Girls Inc. Girls Inc. was founded in 1864. Across the decades, they adapted to meet the specific challenges facing young women. Although times have changed, Girls Inc. has always been and will always be about girls. She came together with her team: Madonna, who runs programs and Erica who handles advocacy.

Their program is directed at girls 5-18 years old. They have after school programs, summer programs and a Teen Leadership council which is currently working within Capital High School.

We found we have many avenues of overlap and agreed we should work together. Sandy asked them to come up with 1 area we could focus on during the legislative session, in addition to the possibility of our members reading statements made by their girls at legislative sessions (since the girls will be in school).

Cynthia will be our point person. They invited us to join them Wednesday, November 16, from 5:30-7:30 at Opuntia for a celebration.