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Embrace Your Journey

Amy Purdy





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Terry, cancer survivor



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## Welcome

# agenda

#### 7:15 - 9:30 A.M. **REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

Sponsored by Central Valley Toyota Dealers Co-hosted by The Brownie Baker Inc. and Wawona Frozen Foods

8 - 9:30 A.M. **WARM-UP SESSION** 

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The Formula for S.T.R.O.N.G. Relationships Dr. Jacqueline Del Rosario | DrJacquie.com

9:30 - 10:15 A.M. **BREAK**Sponsored by Michael B. Stevens, MD, PhD

10:15 - 11:15 A.M. **SESSION 1** 

11:30 A.M. - 1 P.M. **KEYNOTE LUNCHEON**Keynote Speaker Sponsored by Community Medical Centers

AN AFTERNOON WITH Amy Purdy
LIVING BEYOND LIMITS - EMBRACING THE JOURNEY
OF LIFE NO MATTER WHAT COMES YOUR WAY

Lunch Sponsored by Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino

1:30 - 2:30 P.M. **SESSION 2** 

2:30 - 3:15 P.M. **BREAK**Sponsored by Pepsi Beverages Company

3:15 - 4:15 P.M. **SESSION 3** 

4:30 - 5:30 P.M. **COOL-DOWN RECEPTION & SPEAKER** 

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Kerri Pomarolli | kerripom.com

Kaiser Permanente Fresno presents "Instant Recess"



PLEASE NOTE: Taking video of Amy speaking is strictly prohibited.

Seating for the morning Warm-Up, afternoon Cool-Down and all breakout sessions is open seating and is first come, first served. Lunch seating was assigned based on the date of your registration.

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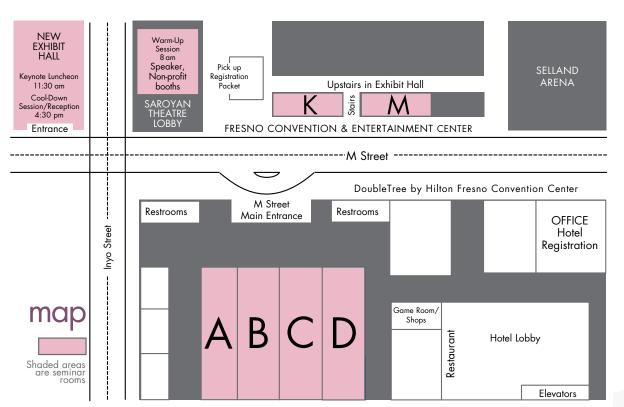
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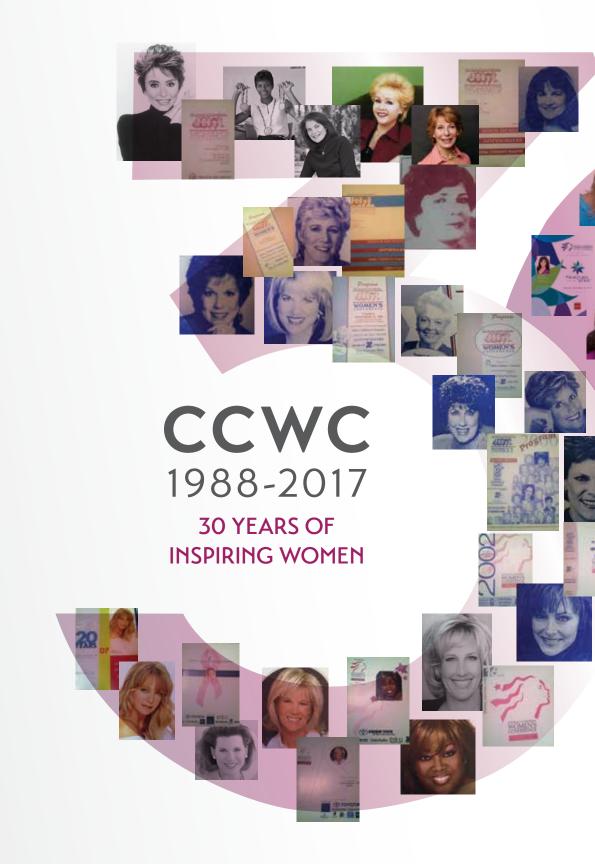
Room	Number	Session
A	1-01	Roth Who? IRA What? A Workshop About Managing Your Investments (Sponsored by Wells Fargo)   The Eiland Group of Wells Fargo Advisors This session will help de-mystify the basics of investing. You've worked hard to save your money – now figure out what to do with it. Become an informed investor!
В	1-02	<b>Volunteering: YOU Make A Difference   Mary Thielscher</b> Get ideas about how and where to start giving back, how to find a good fit for you, how to determine your time commitment and how to set boundaries.
С	1-03	A Pediatrician's Tips for Raising Healthy Children – Newborn to High School Grad (Sponsored by Community Medical Centers) I Serena Yang, MD, MPH Get the inside scoop from one of the area's leading pediatricians regarding what you really need to be focused on to raise healthy children.
T	1-04	How Smart, Savvy Women Can Conquer Change & Challenge in the Workplace   Clara Chorley When change and challenges surface in the workplace, there are 3 mistakes people make. Learn how to avoid them - plus some tools to get you re-engaged!
D	1-05	<b>REAL Fast Food - Whole Real Food You Can Make Quickly!</b> I Dina Juve Learn tips about how to put together healthy and nutritious meals with whole real food in the same amount of time it would take you to go through most drive-thrus.
K	1-06	The Illusion of Powerlessness 1 Angeleen Corona  The illusion of powerlessness is something most of us can relate to, but the reality is we have more power to change every aspect of our lives than we realize.  Come learn how to begin taking back your power and transforming your life!



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K	2-01	Lose Weight and Feel GREAT   Rhonda Murphy Learn exercises to help shrink your belly, but and thighs. This session will help you target and tone your troubled areas with simple and quick moves you can do daily.
A	2-02	Secrets of Bold Leadership   (Panel) Kathleen Scott (Moderator) Dr. Lynnette Zelezny, Paula Castadio, Mary Castro & Deborah Adishian-Astone (Panelists Fresno State's top women leaders will share insights about their own leadership journeys; tips to balance work, family and community; personal challenges; struggles and lessons learned.
М	2-03	Embrace Your Own Journey   Armen Bacon Discover the hidden treasures of your past, including the defining moments that have shaped and sculpted your life. Everyone has a story. Find yours.
Т	2-04	Run Wild and Kick A** I Jean Steel Rediscover your attitude of gratitude, recognize the power within, and leave with a list of changes you can do to make the world a better place.
D	2-05	A Smooth Ride Every Time: Insider Info on Purchasing, Financing and Servicing Your Car (Sponsored by Fresno Acura)   TheeAnna Stevens This session will turn your next car service — and your next car purchase — into times of empowerment!
С	2-06	All You Need to Know to Conquer Menopause (Sponsored by Saint Agnes Medical Center) I Lisa Ann Golik, MD, OB/GYN Learn the 4-1-1 about the interesting and important changes our bodies go through during menopause, and tips for how to thrive during this time.
В	2-07	The Beauty of Simplicity in Home Decorating   Khrysten Kent The ability to create perfect spaces starts with understanding a few fundamental elements, and this session will teach you how to do just that.



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Т	3-01	Macy's Fashion Show: Embrace Your Wardrobe Journey (Sponsored by Macy's)   Martin Oftedal Get insider tips the fashion experts use to make everyone look fabulous! You'll learn how to maximize your wardrobe in this fun and fast-paced session.
A	3-02	How to Improve the Landscapes of Your Life   Lee Ayres, Anne Clemons and Brianna Woodsford Learn how to choose and improve the landscapes where you live: home, neighborhood, work and play.
В	3-03	The Six Social Media Mistakes You & Your Business are Making Anna Gonzalez Learn the most common mistakes people are making on social media and how to overcome them to build your online brand and your community – as well as drive sales!
С	3-04	Break on Through to the Other Side of Health: How to Fight Obesity, Diabetes and Other Health Challenges (Sponsored by Community Medical Centers) I Pearl Ma, MD Get powerful insight from a female surgeon who will guide us toward a healthier life by making smarter health choices and overcoming challenges, including managing diabetes and accepting obesity as a disease, not a lifestyle choice.
D	3-05	<b>Leading Up in a World Falling Down</b> I Alison Haugan In a world where rudeness and divisiveness are rampant, learn how to lead, inspire and set the tone for respect, cooperation and confidence for workplace and personal success.
K	3-06	<b>Stop the Medicare Madness! Shocking New Medicare Secrets Revealed</b> I Susan Hatch Get what you are entitled to! Go to any doctor or hospital in the nation with no co-payments and keep your plan for life.
М	3-07	Finding Your Family History   Emy Lopez Phillips Join Emy and a member of the Fresno County Genealogical Society as they share information locally available to anyone with an interest in genealogical research.







**Ken Maddy**Founder of CCWC
(1934 - 2000)

The transformation of women at the conference and the empowerment of Valley women and children all year long is the mission of the Central California Women's Conference.

Thirty years later, we're still going strong to embrace the vision of Senator Ken Maddy. Thank you for attending today's event.

#### CCWC and Women's (U.S.A.) Milestones 1988 - 2017

CCWC has gone through many changes in its 30 year history. In the early years we had 70+ breakout sessions, and one year we even served lunch twice! We've only had two logos, which is pretty remarkable, and we've been downtown the whole time. For many years we had open seating at the lunch; there used to be a balloon at your table, and you were instructed to pop the balloon when your table was full – we even supplied the pin! One or two of our keynotes may have been diva-ish, but they have all been amazing! It's been a great journey, and we can't wait to start work on our next 30 years. Congratulations, ladies!



Below are some more milestones from CCWC, as well as some other wonderful "firsts" by women throughout the nation.

#### 1988

■ Senator Ken
Maddy established
the first CCWC
(then called the
Central California
Conference on
Women) held at
the Centre Plaza
Holiday Inn (now
the DoubleTree)
in Fresno on
Thursday, Sept. 22.
Attendance was
approx. 850.

#### 1989

- CCWC name changed to Central California Women's Conference.
- CCWC expanded to both the hotel and convention center.
- Janet Reno was the first woman to serve as Attorney General of the United States under President Bill Clinton

### 1995

■ Eileen Collins was the female pilot for the Space Shuttle

■ Madeleine Albright was the first woman to serve as Secretary of State, under President Bill Clinton

#### 1999

■ Deepak Chopra is the only male to have "keynoted" CCWC; he addressed attendees in a special Monday night pre-conference session

■ Kathleen A.
McGrath became
the first woman to
command a U.S.
Navy warship at sea



1993

1997

2000



### 2001

■ CCWC adopts new logo.

- Nancy Pelosi was the first female Speaker of the United States House of Representatives
- ■CCWC has fastest sellout (keynote was Goldie Hawn).

2007

#### 2008

- Sarah Palin was the first female vice presidential nominee of the Republican Party
- Ann E. Dunwoody was the first female four-star general in the U.S. Army
- Michelle Obama African-American to **United States**

becomes the first

be the First Lady of the

2009

■ Hillary Clinton

African-American

Woman Billionaire

became the first woman to be nominated for president by a major U.S. political party

#### 2014 Oprah Winfrey ■ To coin a phrase, becomes the first

"we've come a long way!" When we started the conference, women earned 66 cents on the dollar. While we aren't at 100% yet, we've made great strides in that direction and many others. CCWC will continue to evolve to meet your needs in all areas of your life. Thank you for sharing this journey with us. Cheers to 30 years, and cheers to YOU!

2017

2016





"From all of the wonderful learning and lightbulb moments at the conference itself... to the financial support of dozens of Central Valley community benefit organizations... to the encouragement of at-risk high school students and re-entry college women, CCWC works to make the Valley a better place all year long. It makes my heart proud to be part of this beautiful legacy."

**Gabriella (Nené) Casares,** *CCWC President* Community Relations (Retured), The Fresno Bee



"Women helping women to better our community...that's what drives my passion for CCWC!"

Tricia Holt, CCWC Vice President

Donor Relations Director, Central Valley-Golden State Division, The Salvation Army



"There is just something about a gathering of women that allows us to dream beyond any lines that have been drawn. This event gives us visions of possibilities and the support system to get outside our comfort zone to strive for what we truly hope to accomplish!"

**Teri L. Amerine**, *CCWC Treasurer* Vice President, Saint Agnes Foundation



"So rarely do we as women intentionally take the time to take a breath and celebrate each other and our accomplishments individually and as a team of amazing women. CCWC gives us that time to be with each other to inspire and to be inspired. I am so grateful for the amazing stories that I hear and people that I meet on this day every year."

Tracy A. Kiritani, CCWC Secretary
Chief Financial Officer,
Community Regional Medical Center and Clovis Community Medical Center



"I love CCWC because it provides a one of a kind opportunity for women to be enriched by the synergistic results of Central Valley women helping other Central Valley women, children and families! 30 years in progress and still getting better every year!"

Victoria Bernhardt, CCWC Legal Counsel
Partner, McCormick Barstow LLP





Mary Stabelfeld Conference Director

#### **CCWC Consultants**



Jan Edwards
Director of
Development and
Marketing



Betsy Hays PR/Speaker Coordinator

## dear friends,

Congratulations to the Central California Women's Conference on this important milestone – 30 years of transformation and empowerment!

As conference sponsors, it is our privilege to support this 30th annual event.

Know that together we are all making a difference by giving back to Valley women and children in need.

This day will be one you'll never forget. Here's to you as you **Embrace Your Journey**!

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We cared for children from one end of the Valley to the other—and from the Central Coast to the Sierra and beyond—420,000 times last year alone.

The trust placed in us by children and their families inspires us to set higher standards, break barriers and exceed expectations.

We are honored to be recognized as one the best children's hospitals in the nation by U.S. News & World Report in orthopaedics, gastroenterology & gastrointestinal surgery, and diabetes & endocrinology.

And while awards are nice, getting kids back to being kids - that's what we live for.

valleychildrens.org/USNews





luncheon keynote speaker

## AMY PURDY

Amy Purdy, world-class snowboarder, 2014 Paralympic Medalist, and founder of Adaptive Action Sports is our 30th Anniversary keynote speaker. If ever a speaker embodied our theme of *Embrace* Your Journey, it's Amy!

At 19, Amy contracted Meningococcal Meningitis, a vaccine-preventable bacterial infection, and was given a less than two percent chance of survival. As a result of the infection, doctors had to amputate her legs below the knee. Amy also needed and successfully received a kidney transplant (from her father). Just three months after the transplant, she entered the USASA National Snowboarding Championship where she won medals in three events. Amy is the only double-leg amputee competing at the world-class level, and in 2013 she was named as one of the top 15 most remarkable paraathletes in the world by the International Olympic Committee.

She co-founded Adaptive Action Sports in 2015 to help those with permanent disabilities get involved in action sports. AAS has partners with EPSN and runs adaptive action sports competitions at the summer and winter ESPN X Games. In addition, Amy is now a powerful and inspirational motivational speaker who has been seen by millions.

Today, Amy is one of the top-ranked adaptive snowboarders in the world and is currently training for the PyeongChang 2018 Paralympic Winter Games.

Welcome to CCWC, Amy!



#### morning warm-up keynote speaker

#### DR. JACQUELINE DEL ROSARIO

Back by popular demand, Dr. Jacqueline Del Rosario – or as we know her - Dr. Jacquie - is America's Marriage Coach. Through her research, she has developed proven tools to help couples delve through their quarrels and discover healthy approaches to marital circumstances.

Dr. Jacquie believes the foundation of any society starts in the individual homes of people. In her mission to improve individuals' likelihood for marital success, Dr. Del Rosario founded ReCapturing the Vision (RTV). This globally recognized nonprofif is dedicated to helping the youth and their families overcome negative trends that lead to generational cycles of failure and dependency.

Dr. Jacquie holds a Bachelor of Science in Psychology, a Master's Degree in Education and a Doctorate of Education in Organizational Leadership. She resides in Miami, FL with her husband and two sons.



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## afternoon cool-down keynote speaker KERRI POMAROII

Kerri Pomarolli, known as Hollywood's favorite" Good Girl," rounds out our day as this year's Cool-Down speaker. Kerri is a comedian who has headlined sold out venues nationwide for more than 10 years with her refreshing clean comedy for all audiences. She's performed with celebrities such as Jay Leno, Jim Carey, and Carol Channing, to name a few.

As an actor and comedienne, you've enjoyed Kerri's work on The Tonight Show, Good Morning America, ShowBiz Tonight, CNN, Lifetime TV, and the Oxygen Channel. She also has toured in stage productions from Off Broadway to Italy.

Kerri is also a sought-after corporate motivational speaker with past clients such as Ford Motor Company, Chrysler, and Cisco Systems.

Our inspirational speaker has two daughters, Lucy and Ruby, who live with her in Los Angeles.

### THANK YOU



The mission of CCWC is to inspire women through education. We accomplish this by bringing you the experts on topics which affect your lives. Amy Purdy is brought to you today in part by the generous support of our Keynote Speaker Sponsor, Community Medical Centers. Thank you, CMC!



DEBORAH ADISHIAN-ASTONE Session 2-02: Secrets of Bold Leadership

Debbie is the Vice President for Administration and interim CFO at Fresno State overseeing Facilities Management, Public Safety, Human Resources, Financial Services, Auxiliary Operations and Organizational Excellence.

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LEE AYRES Session 3-02: How to Improve the Landscapes of Your Life

Lee Ayres is the CEO of Tree Fresno, a non-profit founded in 1985 that has planted more than 40K trees. He loves the transformation of landscapes into beautiful areas and teaching how to live green.

TreeFresno.org



ARMEN BACON Session 2-03: Embrace Your Own Journey

Armen Bacon is a writer, author and columnist who takes readers beyond the margins of everyday life – always circling back, returning home – celebrating the resilience of the human spirit.



PAULA CASTADIO
Session 2-02: Secrets of Bold
Leadership

Paula Castadio is the Vice President for University Advancement at Fresno State. She leads a staff of 82 in the division, which includes Advancement Services, Alumni Relations, Communications and Integrated Marketing, and Development.

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MARY CASTRO Session 2-02: Secrets of Bold Leadership

Mary Borges Castro has been the First Lady at California State University, Fresno since 2013, when her husband Joseph Castro became the University's eighth president. Mary embraces her role as an active campus and community volunteer.

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CLARA CHORLEY
Session 1-04: How Smart, Savvy
Women Can Conquer Change &
Challenge in the Workplace

For more than a decade, Clara Chorley has helped leadership teams resolve blind spots and communication glitches that slow down progress. She has an extensive and unique international background that spans five continents and 44 countries.

ClarityUnlimited.com



#### ANNE CLEMONS Session 3-02: How to Improve the Landscapes of Your Life

Anne began her career in biology as a clinical laboratory scientist. An interest in landscaping emerged while trying to make plants grow in the rock hard soil of her first yard. She is the board president for the Clovis Botanical Garden.

TreeFresno.org



#### ANGELEEN CORONA Session 1-06: The Illusion of Powerlessness

Angeleen is dedicated to bringing hope to those feeling defeated in their health journey by sharing her own transformational experience in clean eating, emotional healing and mindset strategies.

HopeThruEmpowerment.com



#### THE EILAND GROUP OF WELLS FARGO ADVISORS Session 1-01: Roth Who? IRA What? A Workshop About Managing Your Investments (Sponsored by Wells Fargo)

Duo Kate Eiland and Elise Kausen are First Vice Presidents
— Investment Officers for Wells Fargo Advisors. Kate is a
Chartered Retirement Planning Counselor, Certified Divorce
Financial Analyst and Accredited Domestic Partner Advisor,
while Elise is a Certified Financial Planner, Accredited Domestic
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#### LISA ANN GOLIK, MD, OB/GYN Session 2-06: All You Need to Know to Conquer Menopause (Sponsored by Saint Agnes Medical Center)

Dr. Golik is an Obstetrician and Gynecologist of Saint Agnes Medical Providers, specializing in gynecology and pelvic surgery, who has been practicing in Fresno, California since 2011.

SAMC.com



#### ANNA GONZALEZ, APR Session 3-03: The Six Social Media Mistakes You & Your Business are Making

Anna Gonzalez is a public relations and social media professional based out of Central California. She specializes in developing smart social media strategies in collaboration with purposeful social media buys, as well as public outreach campaigns to craft her clients' stories.

Jpmktg.com



### ALISON HAUGAN Session 3-05: Leading Up in a World Falling Down

Alison Haugan is a pioneering entrepreneur, "Inc. 500" member, business and personal growth strategist, and speaker. She also coaches and mentors high-achieving women who want to transition into entrepreneurship.

AlisonHaugan.com



SUSAN HATCH Session 3-06: Stop the Medicare Madness! Shocking New Medicare Secrets Revealed

Susan Hatch (PHIAS Professional Health Insurance
of Advanced Studies) is an
objective advocate, analyst and
talk radio guest about Medicare
Supplements. She was awarded
the #1 agent in California and
is a licensed, independent
insurance agent who represents
ALL supplement types.

MedicareToday.net



DINA JUVE Session 1-05: REAL Fast Food (Whole Real Food You Can Make Quickly!)

Dina Juve, Co-Founder of FitnessSocial, is a weight loss specialist, fitness guru and transformation expert with 16 years in the health and fitness industry. After losing 90 lbs and keeping it off, she decided to help others live the life they want in the body they desire.

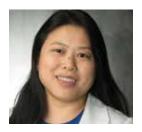
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KHRYSTEN KENT Session 2-07: The Beauty of Simplicity in Home Decorating Khrysten Kent, Allied ASID, is a

Khrysten Kent, Allied ASID, is a Fresno-based Interior Designer. Along with Sean Dempsey, she owns Departure Industries & Design Co., a commercial and residential design-build firm located in downtown Fresno.

KhrystenKent.com



PEARL MA, MD
Session 3-04: Break on
Through to the Other Side of
Health: How to Fight Obesity,
Diabetes and Other Health
Challenges (Sponsored by
Community Medical Centers)

Dr. Pearl Ma is an awardwinning bariatric surgeon and Associate Clinical Professor of Surgery for the Advanced GI/ Bariatric Surgery Fellowship at UCSF Fresno.

CommunityMedical.org



RHONDA MURPHY
Session 2-01: Lose Weight
and Feel GREAT

Rhonda Murphy is a top personal trainer for the Central Valley and a motivational speaker and worksite wellness coach who specializes in health and fitness programs for business.

Rhofit.com



MARTIN OFTEDAL Session 3-01: Macy's Fashion Show: Embrace Your Wardrobe Journey (Sponsored by Macy's)

Martin Oftedal, a native of Fresno, has been working in the retail fashion industry for the past 20 years and has been an executive with Macy's for more than 16 years. As Senior Manager of My Stylist @ Macy's & Corporate Sales, Martin leads a team of Personal Shoppers who assist clients with a variety of shopping needs and sartorial advice.

Macys.com



EMY LOPEZ PHILLIPS, EDD Session 3-07: Finding Your Family History

Dr. Phillips is an Assistant
Professor in the Kremen School
of Education at Fresno State.
The longing to know more
about her grandmother's
Nicaraguan roots is what led
her down the journey of finding
more about her family's history.



KATHLEEN SCOTT Session 2-02: Secrets of Bold Leadership

Kathleen is the Director of Organizational Excellence at Fresno State overseeing organizational, professional and leadership development programs designed to nurture a culture of change and innovation.

FresnoState.edu



#### JEAN STEEL Session 2-04: Run Wild and Kick A\*\*

Jean is excited to be speaking for her 4th time at CCWC, one of her favorite conferences EVER! She received her Master's Degree in Wellness/Mind/Body Health and gained the understanding that the integration, balance and harmony of an individual's mental, physical, emotional, social and spiritual self results in a positive state of well-being – Happiness!

HappyPeopleWin.com



## THEEANNA STEVENS Session 2-05: A Smooth Ride Every Time: Insider Info on Purchasing, Financing and Servicing Your Car (Sponsored by Fresno Acura)

TheeAnna Stevens graduated from the University of Oregon, the Pontiac Motor Division's Dealer Management School and at the top of her class at the National Automobile Dealer Association Academy. She opened the award-winning Fresno Acura dealership in 1986.

FresnoAcura.com



### MARY THIELSCHER Session 1-02: Volunteering: YOU Make A Difference

Mary is the Lead Educator for the Center for Family Strengthening in San Luis Obispo and the Regional Coordinator for the Central Coast: Get on the Bus program under the Center for Restorative Justice Works. In 2016 she was awarded the San Luis Obispo County Red Cross Safety Hero Award and in January 2017 she was the Hands on Hero award recipient for the First Bill of Children's Rights.



#### BRIANNA WOODSFORD Session 3-02: How to Improve the Landscapes of Your Life

Brianna has worked for the Forest Service as a Wildlife Technician and has volunteered as a docent at the Fresno Chaffee Zoo. While finishing her degree in Geography she worked as a Development and Resource Management Intern at Fresno City Hall. Brianna currently serves as a Tree Ambassador for Tree Fresno.

TreeFresno.ora



SERENA YANG, MD, MPH
Session 1-03: A Pediatrician's
Tips for Raising Healthy Children
– Newborn to High School
Grad (Sponsored by Community
Medical Centers)

Serena Yang, MD, MPH, is Interim Chief of Pediatrics at UCSF Fresno.

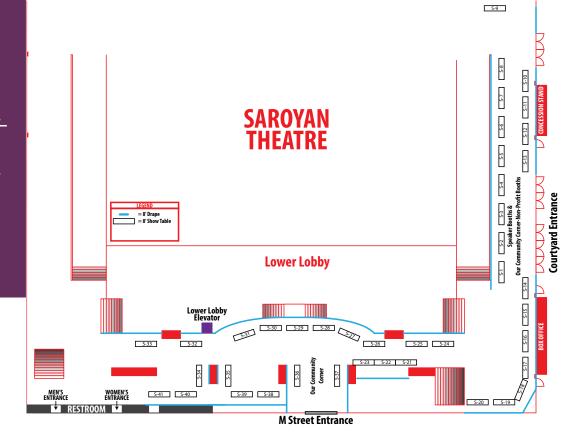
CommunityMedical.org



#### LYNNETTE ZELEZNY, PHD Session 2-02: Secrets of Bold Leadership

Dr. Lynnette Zelezny, a Fresno State alumnae and veteran academic administrator, is the University's Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs. During her tenure at Fresno State she has also served as professor of Psychology, chair of the Department of Psychology, associate dean for the Craig School of Business, dean and associate vice president for Continuing and Global Education, and Vice Provost

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Jean Steel	S-2	
Clara Chorley	<b>S-3</b>	
Armen Bacon	<b>S-4</b>	
Dina Juve	<b>\$-5</b>	
Alison Haugan	<b>\$-6</b>	
Emy Lopez Phillips, EdD	<b>\$-7</b>	
Rhonda Murphy	S-13	

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#### ACS DISCOVERY SHOP

Booth S-35 Bonnie O'Neal, Manager (559) 446-1600 cancer.org

#### **AFS**

Booth S-31 Marie Edwards, Hosting Coordinator (559) 259-2586 afsusa.org

#### ANGELS OF GRACE FOSTER FAMILY AGENCY

Booth S-37 Gloria Canales, Admin (559) 268-0000 angelsofgrace.org

#### ASSISTANCE LEAGUE OF FRESNO

Booth S-23 Rosemary Maldonado, Public Relations (559) 803-7700 alfresno.org

#### **BABIES FIRST**

Booth S-11 Christine Vang, Health Education Specialist (559) 600-3330 babiesfirstfresno.com

#### CENTRAL CA ANIMAL DISASTER TEAM

Booth S-27 Naomi E. Flam, CEO (559) 433-9663 CCADT.org

#### CENTRAL CALIFORNIA FAMILY CRISIS CENTER, INC.

Booth S-24 Betty Luna, Interim Executive Director (559) 781-7462 ccfamilycrisis.org

#### **EVANGEL HOME, INC.**

Booth S-15 Jessica Lusk, Volunteer Coordinator (559) 264-4714 evangelhome.org

#### FAMILY HEALING CENTER

Booth S-25 Denise Wyatt, Executive Director (559) 840-1012 fhcfresno.org

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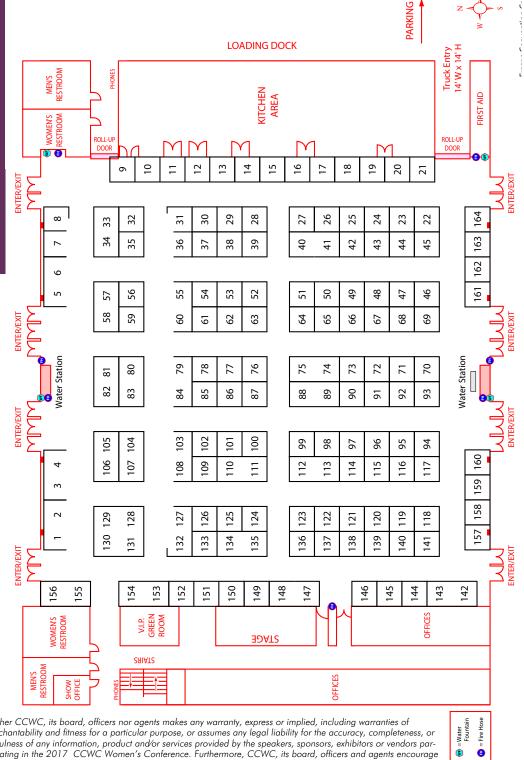
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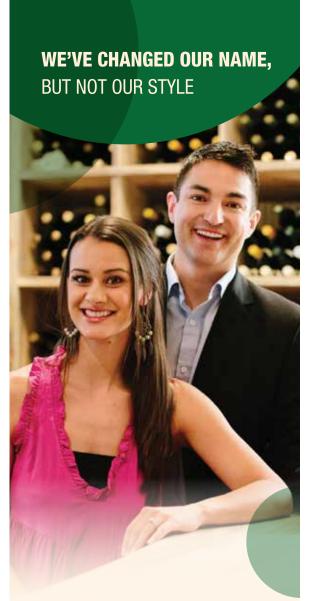
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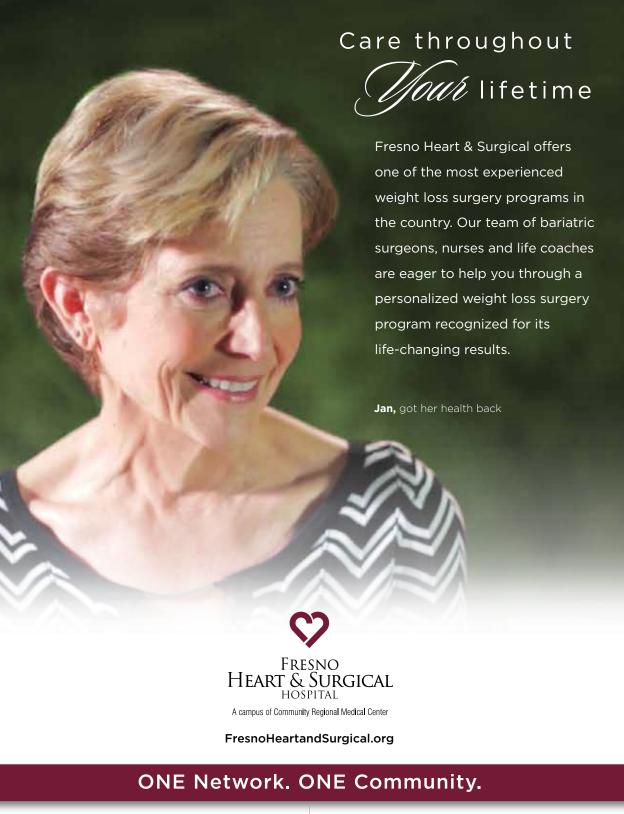


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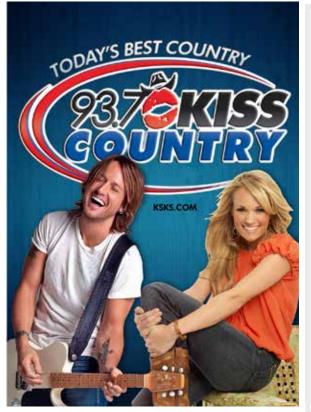


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At the Celebration CCWC awarded grants totaling \$100,000. Representatives from each organization were introduced and board members recognized the amazing work these community leaders are doing for women and children.

Special thanks to Wells Fargo for providing underwriting for the event.

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Our 20 scholarship recipients participate in a workshop facilitated by Wells Fargo to increase their financial literacy and encourage their educational ambitions and achievements. They were honored earlier this year at a reception at Arte Américas, where family and friends were on hand to see the Wells Fargo team award each recipient with their scholarship check.

Wells Fargo is hosting our 2017 scholarship recipients today with the hope that the mentoring these young women receive will help them launch successful futures and pursue their dreams as they Embrace their Journeys!

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Through this scholarship program, five female Valley re-entry students are selected by CCEOC based on need, goals and promise. These women are hosted here today by AT&T and will be honored at a reception in October.

Thank you, AT&T and CCEOC, for making it possible for these re-entry students to *Embrace their Journey!* Congratulations, scholarship recipients!







# She Makes a Click Color Color



PG&E, in partnership with CCWC, is honoring one remarkable woman today with the She Makes a Difference Award. This award acknowledges one woman who has overcome obstacles to change her life, her family or her community through her courage, strength and wisdom to make a positive impact.

We are thrilled to be working with PG&E to acknowledge this remarkable woman by highlighting her exceptional accomplishments.

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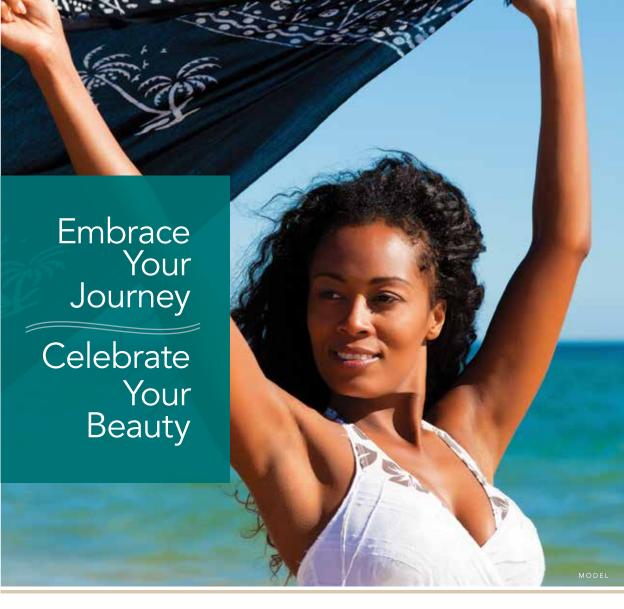
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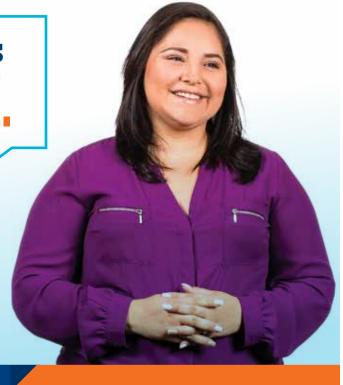
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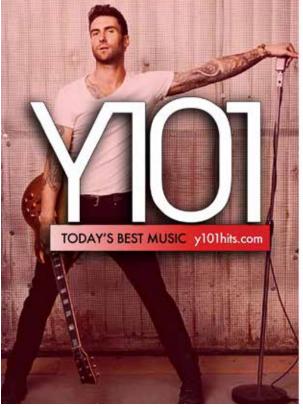


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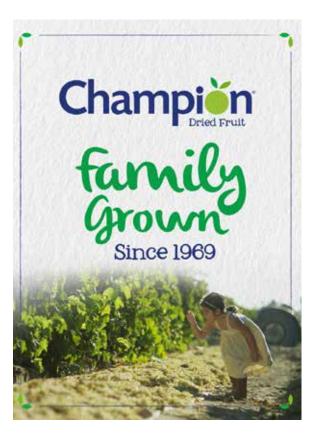
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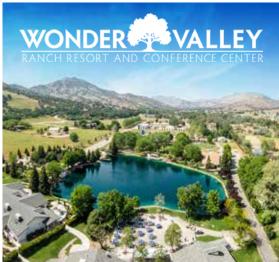
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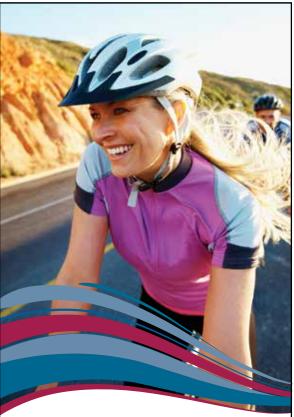
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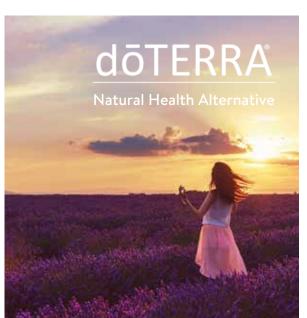
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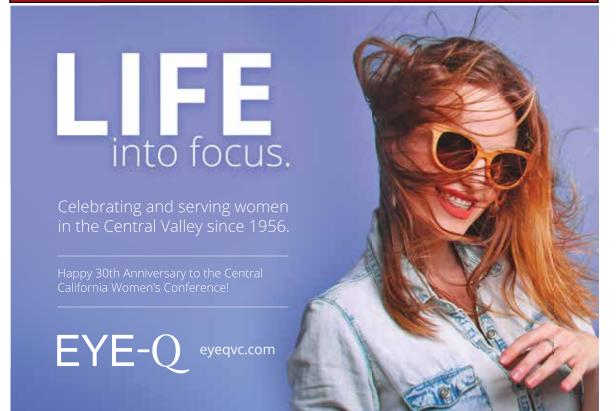
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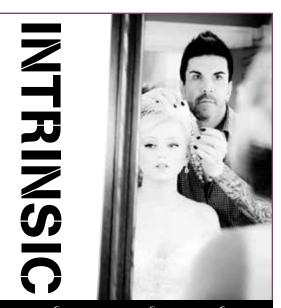
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