

# Women's History Month at Bemidji State University



February 28, 2009 Opening Celebration to Women's History Month  
"Women and Conservation" Beaux Arts Ballroom 11:30-2:00 pm.  
This year the event honors Dr. Patricia A. Rosenbrock of Bemidji and Dolores P. Clack of Park Rapids.

*These women are being recognized for their positive and significant impact on the social fabric of Northwest Minnesota. Both have left a legacy that will endure far into the future. Join us at the luncheon to celebrate their contributions. Northwest Minnesota Women's Hall of Fame and the Opening Celebration are co-sponsored by the Northwest Minnesota Women's Fund and Women's Studies at Bemidji State University.*

## March 2-6, 2009 Countdown to International Women's Day on March 8, 2009.

The Women's Center, International Student Organization, and Women's Studies will work the tables in the Union all week, providing students with postcards to send to the significant women in their lives, promoting women's rights around the world.

March 5-6, 2009 "Vagina Monologues" will be presented by the Bemidji State University Women's Center at the Beaux Arts Ballroom. Check the BSU Calendar for exact times. Proceeds from the play support various programs helping women dealing with sexual assault and domestic violence.  
Saturday to Sunday March 7-15 SPRING BREAK

March 18, 2009 Film and Discussion: "Born in the USA" a film depicting the birth of children in the USA, featuring obstetricians, nurse midwives, home midwives. Discussion will follow guided by a midwife and a nursing student. Midwives promote the theme of conservation by treating the birthing process as a natural phenomenon. Crying Wolf Room 3-5 pm.

## March 20, 2009 Dust & Fire Reception for women authors.

The anthology introduces the community to women's writing and art from our region.  
American Indian Resource Center, 6:30-8:00pm.

## March 25, 2009 "Women as Conservationists: Conserving in Private to Preserve in Public"

An historical look at women as caretakers in the home, family, community and how conservation in private empowers them to a role as public caretakers. Brown Bag presentation by M.J. Hrenchir, Ph.D.  
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## March 28, 2009 Sister Song Project at the Mask and Rose Theater

in the Masonic Hall in downtown Bemidji. The second year of this fundraising project brings mothers, sisters, and daughters together in a night of inspiring song. Donations are accepted to fund scholarships for young women wanting to have a career in music.

March 28, 2009 Brigid's Irish Pub. 9pm Women from the Sister Song Project will move to Brigid's for an evening of song. Join them and enjoy a pint!

And look on the Bemidji State University homepage for a calendar of activities featured during Women's History Month. There will be brown bag luncheons and featured speakers honoring women and conservation.



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