

January 2010

Denver has a new public (tuition-free) school: **Girls Athletic Leadership School**. Now enrolling grades 6 & 7 for Fall 2010. Need not be an athlete. www.galschools.org



To learn about tax credits for working families and to find free help for filing your taxes (for families with children earning less than about \$49,000 per year) dial 2-1-1 (a free call) or go to www.piton.org/eitc

The **Women's Foundation** has published a new report examining the difference between why girls and boys drop out. For a [fact sheet](#): or the [entire report](#) , visit the Women's Foundation website: www.wfco.org .

A white female dropout currently earns \$7800 per year, a white male drop-out earns \$22,800

A Latina female drop-out currently earns \$9,900 per year, a Latino male dropout earns \$21,400.

January 11 *The Intersection Between Domestic Violence and HIV/AIDS* with Beck Dunn. 8:30 – 4:30. St Cajetan's , Auraria Campus. Presented by **Center on Domestic Violence**, School of Public Affairs, University of Colorado Denver. \$45. 303-315-2489 or cdv@ucdenver.edu

January 16 *Reframing the Melting Pot: How Moving from Assimilation to Integration Can Benefit Us All*, by Amber Tafoya, Director , Denver Coalition for Integration. Sponsored by **Colorado Coordinating Council of Women's Organizations**. At Country Buffet, 301 Englewood Parkway. \$1.60 plus cost of buffet. RSVP to Martian Pennington, 303-333-7536.

January 21 Roe v Wade Anniversary Celebration. 5:30 – 7:30 at Wynkoop. Free, but must RSVP to a member organization: chaer.robert@denvergov.org or 720-913-8465

January 6, 20 and every other Wednesday thereafter. Noon- 1:15. **Women's Lobby** invites interested organizations and individuals to a roundtable discussion of state legislative issues affecting women. At CEA 1500 Grant St, Bluebell room. Free, but RSVP to info@coloradowomenslobby.org or 303-592-3988. Lunch provided.

Colorado Social Legislation Committee Brown Bag Lunch. Free, no RSVP. Noon- 1:15. At First Baptist Church Basement- 14th and Grant.

- January 11 – State Budget Problems
- January 25 – Economic Opportunity and Poverty Reduction Task Force
- February 1 – Colorado Child Care Assistance Program – 12 month Continuing Eligibility

Hold That Date: February 17- The 21st Annual **Legislative Breakfast on Women's Issues**

February 13 – **Project Safeguard** Valentine Fling – www.psghelps.org

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