## WOMEN'S FORUM

## **OUR AMERICA**

Dear Ladies,

Happy New Year!! Trusting you are all well and ready to take on the year ahead with inspired resolutions, joy and a zest for learning!

2026 is a big anniversary year for our country  $\sim$  250 years of our American Independence  $\sim$  and we are going to be honoring and celebrating our beloved nation all year long.

## THE HISTORY

For the first three months of '26 Women's Forum is going academic! We'll be reviewing the journey to the birth of our nation with a six-part documentary series that luckily came our way when I started researching. Yes, we studied our American history in grammar school or high school, some of you may have been history majors and our newer citizens as part of their naturalization process studied US history as well. However, a review of our nation's origins from the perspective of 250 years hence, is such a thrilling story, sure to lead to some good discussion and most of all, an even greater appreciation of the right to call ourselves Americans.

The series is artfully crafted with dramatic readings from actual letters and diaries of the period as well as live action recreations. The production is from 1997 and you'll recognize the faces of some of today's "seasoned" popular actors in their "youthful innocence"!!

## THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Episode One - *The Reluctant Revolutionaries* - (Not everyone was on board with this idea!)

Luncheon: Thursday, January 8 at noon. Dillon Library, Bedminster NJ. Admission 20.

Episode Two - *Blows Must Decide* - (Oh boy, here comes trouble...)

Luncheon: Thursday, January 22 at noon. Dillon Library, Bedminster NJ. Admission 20.

\*To register for these programs see below.

Upcoming events: February 12 & 26, March 12 & 26.

\*To register for our programs reach us at womensforumusa@gmail.com or call the Dillon Library at 908 - 234 2325.

Since you'll be receiving this in December: Wishing you all a peaceful and joyful Holiday Season!!

Evelyn