

**SEVENTH ANNUAL WISCONSIN
PROGRESSIVE GRASSROOTS FESTIVAL**
Defending Our Democracy - Next Steps

Saturday March 28, 2015

Wisconsin Heights High School, 10173 State Hwy 14, Mazomanie WI 53560

\$20 Suggested Donation Includes Lunch

Registration 8:00 to 9:00

Raging Grannies

Mike McCabe

Mike Ippolito

The Crisis of Our Age: A Scientific & Political Perspective

10:45am to 11:45am Section One: **DPW Chair Candidate Forum:** Jeff Smith, Joe Wineke, Stephen Smith / **How to Protect the Vote Counting Process:** Karen McKim / **Income inequality, Why We Should Care:** Charles Uphoff, David Newby / **Building a Safer Community:** Dave Mahoney / **Global Ecological Collapse Happening Now and the Way Forward:** Michael Ippolito / **Will You Have Water to Drink? / Pipeline 61:** Bill Hayes, Karen Edson

LUNCH 11:45 to 1:15

Solidarity Sing Along

Lunch Speaker: **Congressman Mark Pocan**

1:15pm to 2:15pm Section Two: **Planning a Campaign - Things to think about:** Douglas Kane & Sen. Kathleen Vinehout / **Facing the Crisis of Our Age!..Our Future/Our Choice!..A New People Emerge!:** Dawn Shegonee, Art Shegonee, Michael Ippolito, Jay McDonough, Anna Caballero-Mengibar / **Advancing the Movement:** Mike McCabe / **The Power of Music:** Tom Kastle & Jonathan Rosenblum / **Authentic Framing for the Future:** Scott Wittkopf / **Vouchers, Charters, Common Core; Your Changing Schools:** Sony Pope / **Using Community Action to Bypass the Corruption: Move to Amend:** Tim Sager, Paul Lindquist, Jen Miller, Bill Waser / **Winning Through Community Connections:** Nate Timm, Sheila Danielson, Adam Grabski

2:15 to 2:30 Passing

2:30pm to 3:30 pm Section Three: **Winning Through State and Regional Organizing:** Kathleen Vinehout, Ernie Wittwer, Nate Timm / **Getting the Message Out Through Letters to the Editors:** Bill Dagnon / **The Power of Social Media:** Sean Bode, Beverly Wickstrom, Dana Wachs / **Authentic Framing for the Future:** Scott Wittkopf / **Feedback From Candidates In Red Districts:** George Ferriter / **The Power of Grassroots Organizing:** Marcia Riquelme, Doug Machon, Judy Brey / **How to Protect the Vote Counting Process:** Karen McKim / **Education:** Heather DuBois Bourenane

3:30 to 3:45 Passing

FINAL PRESENTATIONS

**Moving Forward an Update from Senator Kathleen Vinehout
Justice Ann Walsh Bradley**

Dinner At the Feed Mill

Social Hour: **5:00 to 6:00**

Dinner: **6:00 to 7:00 \$20**

A Conversation About a Healthy Planet

Dinner Speakers: **Michael Ippolito**

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