

San Joaquin County Historical Museum

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News Release

Pioneer women portrayed at Docent Council

Calamity Jane, Annie Bidwell and other pioneer women of the early west will be portrayed at the monthly Docent Council meeting on Monday (3/101) at the San Joaquin County Historical Museum in Micke Grove Park south of Lodi.

The program begins at 9 a.m. in the museum's multi-purpose meeting room. A business meeting will follow the program. The public is encouraged to attend.

Five talented women from the Manteca Federated Women's Club will take on the roles of six courageous and sometimes famous women of the past. They will portray Lola Montez, Annie Bidwell, Sarah Winnemucca, Margaret Brown, Calamity Jane and Vera Mguinnis.

The Manteca club members each did extensive research into their characters for this educational program.

The Docent Council is a 90-member volunteer group with the San Joaquin County Historical Society & Museum and assists in the museum's educational programs and activities.

For more information, call the museum at 331-2055 or 953-3460.

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