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# JLEP Event to Celebrate Women's Empowerment

**CRANFORD**—The Junior League of Elizabeth-Plainfield (JLEP)'s Career Closet and the Alliance of Career Development Nonprofits (ACDN) will host a celebratory event on Tuesday, March 20, in honor of Women's History Month. It will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Jumble Store, located at 110 Walnut Avenue, Cranford.

The ACDN, Career Closet and 11 other ACDN member organizations are kicking off events in March throughout the United States, aimed at helping women prepare as much as possible for employment. The event was launched in 2012 by ACDN, formerly known as The Women's Alliance, a national organization of independent, community-based member organizations that provide professional attire and career-skills training to low-income women and men, and

## IHM to Be Site For Sunday Blood Drive

**SCOTCH PLAINS** — A blood drive will take place this Sunday, March 18, from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Roman Catholic Church. The church is located at 1571 Martine Avenue, Scotch Plains.

Donors must be between ages 16, with a signed New York Blood Center (NYBC) parental permission form.

sponsored by Smart & Sexy, one of the largest privately-held lingerie companies in the country.

Special programming, including accurate fittings and free foundational garments from Smart & Sexy, will be offered in multiple locations this month, including at the March 20 event at the Jumble Store. All ACDN members will receive product from Smart & Sexy to give to their clients. For a full list of ACDN members, visit [acdnonline.org/locations](http://acdnonline.org/locations).

Registration for the event must be by referral from JLEP's local community partners and government agencies. To submit an application for the event, use the following link: <http://www.jlepnj.org/womens-empowerment-day-2018.html>.

The JLEP is a chapter of the Association of Junior Leagues International, Inc. and is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. For more information, visit [jlepnj.org](http://jlepnj.org).

## Garden Club Slates Tag Sale April 14

**CRANFORD** — The Garden Club of Cranford will host a tag sale on