



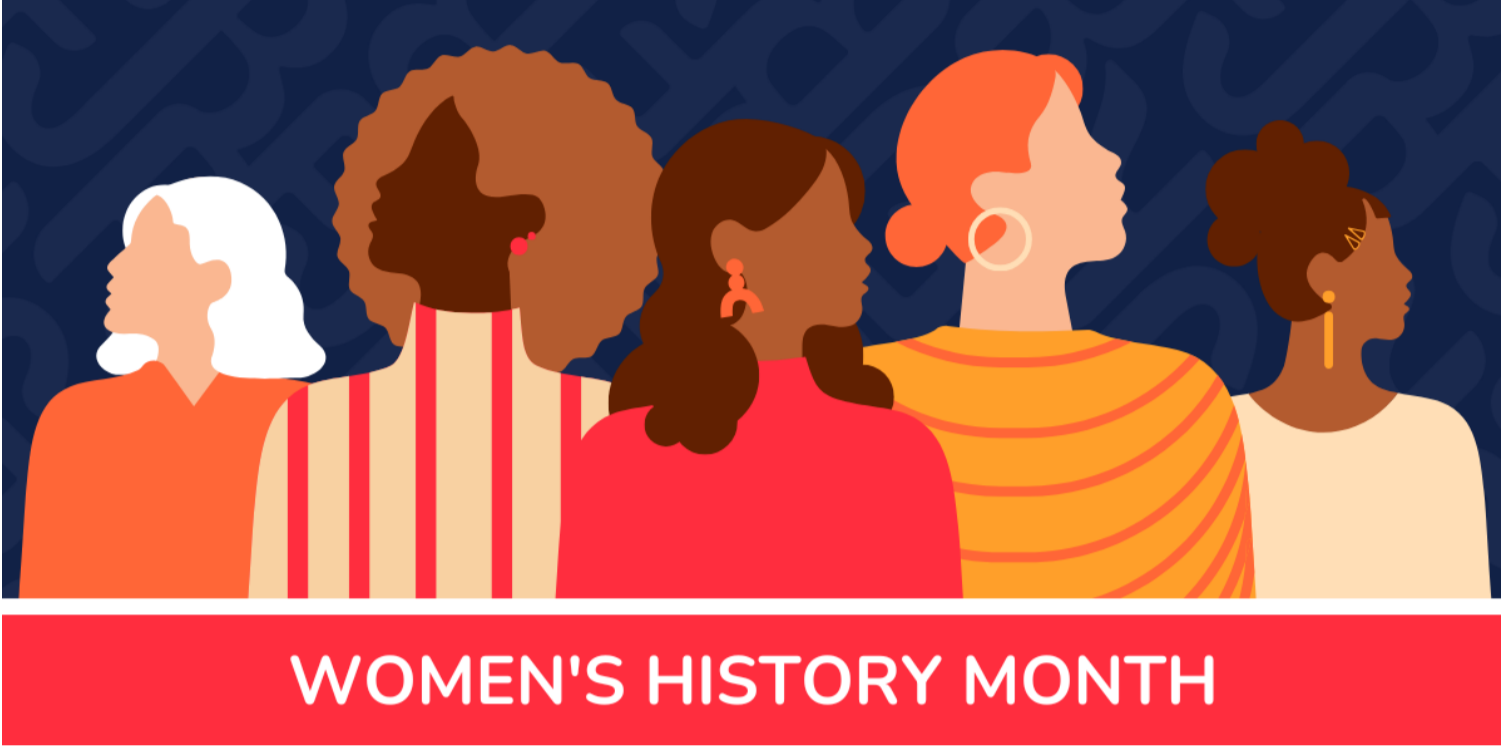
For us, Women's History Month is a time to honor the leadership shaping our communities right now and to deepen our investment in equity-driven change.

This month is not only about reflecting on the past, but about recognizing the stories still unfolding every day. Across our communities, women are leading institutions, advancing workforce pathways, advocating for their families, and building systems that center dignity and access.

At JBRF, we amplify those voices and invest in leadership grounded in lived experience and community vision. This month, let's highlight women whose work reflect a deep commitment to equity in action.

JBRF In Action

Honoring the Stories Still Being Written



For Black women navigating cancer while balancing work, caregiving, and their own healing, the journey does not pause. Through our cancer support initiatives, we create spaces where women share their stories, access trusted resources, and build community with others who understand both the weight and the strength they carry.

For women building institutions and leading change in communities that have long been underinvested, we remain committed to backing that leadership through partnerships, convenings, and direct community engagement.

At the Jane Bancroft Robinson Foundation, we know that when women are resourced and heard, systems shift.

Women Leading Change

Ruth Pollard: Leadership that Listens

Our support for the women shaping our communities extends far beyond just a moment on the calendar.

In a recent JBRF blog, Ruth Pollard reflects on a career grounded in community-centered health and systems built around real lives. Her work demonstrates how strategy and community voice can come together to create care that is both effective and humane.



What Guides Our Work

Investing in Women's Leadership



Ryane Nickens' story reflects the power of investing in women leaders with roots and vision. As Founder and President of The TraRon Center and a Fall 2025 participant in the New Strategies Rising program, she shared how the experience strengthened her organization's fundraising strategy and long-term sustainability.

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