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Lecture Luncheon *The Wild Animal Sanctuary: A Beacon of Hope*

Pat Craig

Tues., Oct. 12, 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center
Room 235
(Payment due October 5)

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It's that time again, a new year for the University Women's Club. I'm excited. The UWC has been great for me in the four years I've been in Boulder and my hope is that this year's Board will help to make this year a great year for the more than 300 women who come together in this organization.

Friendship. The very first objective in the UWC Constitution reads as follows: "To promote friendship among the members and to strengthen their bonds of common interests." What better way to meet this objective than through our **Interest Groups** where in smaller group settings friendships can blossom and flourish in an atmosphere of stimulation. We now support 18 interest groups covering an enormous diversity of focus and we have at least three more choices for 2010-11 (see Spotlight on Interest Groups on [pg.6](#)).

The **Service** component of our Constitutional Objectives is another great avenue for forging friendships. At the United Way's Day of Caring in August, 15 of our members worked together on four projects to aid our Community and then had a good post-volunteer celebration at Gateway Park Fun Center. (See story on [p.4](#)). Joanna Rosenblum, our Service Chair, has other projects in the works for us to do together as a club and in smaller groups. Be ready to get together for further volunteer opportunities.

Rosemary Getsie, our President-Elect and Program Chair has lined up a wonderful **Lecture Luncheon** series (see series beginning on [pg.2](#)). The luncheons are a great opportunity to get together with old and new friends for socializing and discussion as well as good food and an interesting presentation.

Old Friends/New Friends; White Tags/Pink Tags. We have women in our group who first came together when they joined the UWC as young faculty wives and who have been friends for fifty years!

President's Message

We also have members who have relocated to beautiful Boulder in their retirement or who have lived here for many

years but have only recently joined the UWC. It is not always easy for these two groups - the old friends and the new recruits - to mix and mingle, sometimes because we don't know who's who.

This year we are going to make our name tags more distinctive so we can identify each other. The returning UWC members will have white tags, with the Board members' tags including their titles. New members will have pink tags including the designation "New Member". We will also have "roving ambassadors" who will facilitate introductions between our old and new members and help to make the new members feel comfortable. I'd also ask all returning members to be unofficial ambassadors and take a moment from your reunions with old friends to welcome our new members and guests.

As I close, let me put in a word for our *future* UWC members - the young women who are students at CU. Please be generous with your scholarship contributions. You will have an opportunity to donate at our Fall Membership Coffee on September 14. I look forward to seeing you there.

Kathy Randall

President

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**2010-2011 Lecture
Luncheon Series—
Buy your tickets
now!**

Please join us for this year's great line-up of speakers. The price of the luncheons remains the same as last year at \$18. Save \$10 by reserving the whole series for \$80. Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543. Reservations and payment are due at least one week before the luncheon. We will also accept reservations and payment at the Fall Membership Coffee.

We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you.



October

The Wild Animal Sanctuary: A Beacon of Hope

Pat Craig

Tuesday, October 12, 2010, 11:30 a.m.
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(Reservations and payment due October 5)

Pat Craig, Executive Director of the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg, Colorado, will describe how Colorado has come to have the largest population of rescued lions, tigers, and bears in the world.

The Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg, Colorado represents a true labor of love. For over 30 years, Pat Craig has rescued and provided a home for captive exotic and endangered large carnivores. His efforts have been in response to a massive social problem, the captive wildlife crisis. In his lecture, TWAS Executive Director Pat Craig will describe the impact of this problem on society, the three aspects of the facility's mission, and how Pat and TWAS have become world renowned.

Pat Craig, a native of Boulder, Colorado, began saving captive wildlife as a 19-year old college student. From his family's farm, he pursued his vision with his own funds and has become a leading expert in captive large carnivore behavior and sanctuary development. He works successfully with the USDA, the U.S., Mexican, and Canadian wildlife agencies, and has received recognition from many sources including the American Veterinary Association and the American Humane Association. Pat and his animals have been featured on National Geographic Channel, 60 Minutes News, Animal Planet, and major documentaries covering the captive wildlife crisis.

November

Food Allergies: Myth vs. Reality

Dr. S. Allan Bock

Tuesday, November 9, 2010, 11:30 a.m.

[Spice of Life Events Center](#),

5706 Arapahoe Avenue

(Reservations and payment due November 2)



Dr. S. Allan Bock, researcher, clinician, faculty member, noted author and speaker in the area of food allergies will address issues associated with living with food

allergies, and how they are diagnosed and treated. He will also identify a number of common myths and replace them with well-documented facts.

December

Notes on Wisdom, Hope and Healing

Carrie Host

Tuesday, December 14, 2010, 11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center, Room 235

(Reservations and payment due December 7)



Author Carrie Host's unquenchable sense of humor in the midst of suffering creates poignant moments of laughter through tears. Bracing, lyrical, and deeply moving, *Between Me and the River*

is a tribute to one life, and all lives rerouted by illness. Ms. Host's inspirational talk reveals the wisdom of acceptance and the underpinnings of hope.

February

To Shangri-La & Back: A Historian's Perspective of Tibet

William Wei

Tuesday, February 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center, Room 235

(Reservations and payment due February 1)



Drawing from highlights of his recent journey to Tibet, Professor William Wei's lecture will describe the current geo-political climate of this tiny, beleaguered country.

March

Talking with Kent Haruf

Kent Haruf

Tuesday, March 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center, Room 235

(Reservations and payment due March 1)



In his lecture, author Kent Haruf will describe the fiction-writing process behind his award-winning novels and critically-acclaimed plays. Kent will engage the audience with readings from his works

including *Plainsong* and *Eventide*, and by extemporaneously answering and expanding upon our questions and comments.



Fall Membership Coffee

**Tuesday, September 14, 2010
9:30–11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235**

The University Women's Club invites you to the annual Fall Membership Coffee and encourages you to bring a guest and introduce her to the many opportunities that the UWC offers. Better yet, bring two guests. Visit with old friends and meet new ones over coffee and pastries.

Learn about:

- The 2010-11 Lecture Luncheons. The five lectures lined up have something for everyone. Purchase individual tickets today, or save time and money by purchasing all five at once.
- The UWC Interest Groups. We have all the old favorites and some new ones. Time to sign up.
- The Club's History. Browse through the photo albums of our UWC past.
- Volunteer opportunities in the Boulder community.

You may also renew your membership at the Coffee. Dues must be paid by October 31 in order to have your name in the directory. See Membership form found in this issue of *MESSAGES*.

Please join us for this festive startup event. If you have any questions, please contact me.
~Rosemary Getsie, President-Elect and Program Chair

University Women's Club Participates in United Way's Day of Caring



From left: Rosemary Cooke, Carol Saunders, Jeanne Collins, Kay Arnold, Kathy Randall

On August 13, the UWC joined hundreds of other Boulder County volunteers in participating in the United Way's Day of Caring. Our 15 volunteers were assigned to projects at three organizations. The Safe Shelter of St. Vrain Valley asked us to help them get ready for events they'll hold during Domestic Violence Awareness Month, the Boulder Valley Women's Health Center needed to get the word out about new health services that are being offered to low income and uninsured women, and the Colorado Therapeutic Riding Center asked us to price items for their upcoming garage sale. It was extremely gratifying to spend a morning lending a hand to these valuable community resources.

Although we worked hard throughout the morning, it was a very energizing experience. We started the day meeting with the staffs of the respective organizations to learn more about what they do. These are very dedicated and passionate people and it was inspiring to hear their stories. The Day of Caring gave us all the opportunity to look beyond our own lives and think about what others are experiencing. Over the coming year, there will be other volunteer activities that we'll be doing as a group. I hope you join us!

~Joanna Rosenblum, Service Chair



From left, clockwise: Rosemary Getsie (partial view), Elizabeth Black, Libby Berry, Sidney Goodwin, Gail Kagy, Semay Nelson, Rosemary Cooke



From left: Georgia Blum, Elizabeth Black, Sidney Goodwin, Gail Kagy

2009-10 University Women's Club Donors

Thank You to the following who donated to last year's UWC Scholarship Fund.

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Spotlight on... Interest Groups



In a regular column each month, we are going to spotlight an interest group – tell a little bit about it – its history, its purpose, its membership, maybe have a picture or two. We currently have 18 interest groups, most of which are accepting new members. At the Fall Membership Coffee on September 14, you'll have an opportunity to talk to representatives of the interest groups and sign on.

We'll also be offering several **potential** new interest groups which will need five UWC members to establish, so be sure to sign up if it sounds like your cup of tea.

Here is a list of some ideas for **potential** interest groups:

Art and Antiques—a combination of two interest groups that UWC supported in the past. The exact nature of the group would depend upon decisions made by the members, but it could include visits to museums, shops, and galleries, and presentations or discussions of various aspects of art and antiques.

On the Road Again—perfect for those of us with wanderlust. Each meeting, the group would carpool and head off for a selected destination – perhaps a trip to a Denver museum, a cog rail ride up Pike's Peak, an exploration of a mountain village, a trip to a football game. Where do you want to go?

Current Events—a discussion group with topics selected and led by participating members.

French Conversation 2—The French Conversation Group has been full for several years. If there are enough interested people, a second group can be organized.

Opera Brunch Sneak Peek



Tamera Van Spriell
Chair-UMC Opera Brunch
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Mark your calendars for **Sunday, March 13, 2011** at 11:30 a.m. to enjoy a delicious brunch followed by the opera, **Susannah**.

Carlisle Floyd's first major opera is described as an "apocryphal tale" that pits Susannah's beauty and the attention she evokes against the jealousy and societal/religious expectations of a small Tennessee town in the 1950s.

In the Tennessee town of New Hope Valley, a young woman learns that beauty can bear a terrible cost. Susannah draws the attention of several men at a church square dance, including a travelling preacher. Jealous wives begin to gossip. The community struggles to uphold societal and religious expectations, setting a tragic chain of events in motion. Lush, tuneful Appalachian music including *Ain't It a Pretty Night* colors this 1955 version of the apocryphal tale of Susannah and the Elders. Carlisle Floyd's first major opera, it is the second most performed in the American repertoire (after Gershwin's *Porgy and Bess*).

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

- Afternoon Book Group:** This group meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The September 28 meeting will be at the home of Shirley Deeter, 3902 Promontory Court, Boulder (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net). We will discuss *Cutting for Stone* by Abraham Verghese. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter.
- Evening Book Group:** The group will meet on September 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Christy Baggett, 1407 Cedar Ave. Boulder (303-443-5680; christysweet@msn.com) to discuss *Mudbound* by Hillary Jordan and *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett. Kathy Randall will lead the discussion and Frances Dahlberg is the co-hostess. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore.
- Bicycling Group:** The Biking Group will meet every Thursday for a ride of 10-20 miles around Boulder and environs. An email will be sent early each week to announce the time and place to meet for the ride for that week. If you are not on the email list, please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net).
- Afternoon Bridge Group:** The first Wednesday Bridge Group will continue with its present membership. At the Fall Membership Coffee, new groups will be forming. Come sign up. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).
- French Conversation:** Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).
- Garden Group:** We meet on the first Wednesday of each month to visit area gardens and plant nurseries, and to discuss gardening plans and projects during the winter months. Our next meeting is on Wednesday, September 15 in order to include new members. Program information will be emailed to members of the group. Please contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).
- Hiking Group:** This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September through May. During the summer, between Memorial Day and Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).
- Investment Group:** We meet once a month on the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. at a member's home. After a business meeting, we report on the stocks we follow, discuss these stocks, and report on any new stock we have studied. Please contact Mareike Ludkewycz (720-890-5802; mareike1875@yahoo.com) for more information.
- Italian Conversation Group:** The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. at Café Bravo, located at the Dairy Center for the Performing Arts, 2590 Walnut St., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).
- Music Group:** This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is Monday, September 13, at 7:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net).
- Out to Lunch:** We meet at noon on the last Wednesday of the month at Boulder area restaurants to sample the cuisine and socialize over lunch. In September, we meet at noon, Wednesday, September 29, at the Chautauqua Dining Hall, 900 Baseline Rd. Please contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).
- Reader's Theater 1:** We meet monthly on the last Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in members' homes. Currently the group is reading plays suggested by the members of the group. Recently one of our members resigned, so we can accommodate one member to total 12. Please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).
- Reader's Theatre 2:** This group meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday of the month at a member's home. On September 13, we'll meet at the home of Kathy Campbell, 117 Genesee Court, to read William Inge's *Picnic*. Please contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).
- Conversational Spanish Speakers:** If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.
- Beginning Spanish Conversation:** Come join our fun group of 12 women as we learn Spanish enough to travel and keep up with our changing world. Meets Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. at Sherry Bruff's home at 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder 80303, off Cherryvale between Baseline and Arapahoe (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu). We now have 12 members, an exceptionally wonderful teacher in Rosalie Olson (Claudine Garby's honorary niece), and have more fun learning Spanish than we can begin to say. We will welcome new members in the Fall, and if we have enough we'll split into two groups of Beginners and One-Year students. Classes with Professor Olson are \$12/week; pay only for those sessions you can attend.
- Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More:** The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com).
- Tea and Travel:** Tea and Travel will meet at 1:15 p.m. to start at 1:30 p.m. on September 21, when Jyotsna Raj will present a program on India in her home, 863 14th Street Boulder, CO 80302, followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact Jyotsna (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu). Tea and Travel meets six times a year on the third Tuesday of September, October, November, February, March and April. Contact Virginia Stringi, T&T chairman (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net) to add your name to the "T&T" email list.
- Occasional Winter Sports:** This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members *must* be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

September	7	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	14	Membership Coffee
October	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Lecture Luncheon
	31	Membership Deadline for name to appear in Directory
November	2	Board Meeting
	7	Welcome New Members Wine and Cheese Party
	9	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
December	7	Board Meeting
	10	NO <i>MESSAGES</i> IN JANUARY
	14	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
February	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Executive Board 2010-11

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Member Benefits

There are two benefits for dues-paying members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu).

UWC Membership Form

Welcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is very important that we verify all the information presently in the database.

Please print clearly, especially your email address.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership. We encourage everyone to receive *MESSAGES* in this manner (we offer technical help, if needed) as it saves UWC hundreds of dollars in postal mailing costs and printing – money that can be dedicated for scholarships. If you do not have an email address, we will mail a copy of *MESSAGES* to you without charge.

We're looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events.

Beth Rauch

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Name _____ Phone _____

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☐ I am enclosing my annual dues of \$30. I am a ☐ returning or ☐ new member.

☐ I am enclosing an additional tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund.

☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ other \$ _____

Make all checks payable to UWC (combine dues and donations).

Mail to: **UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844.**

Payment deadline for name printed in Membership Directory: **October 31, 2010**

I have a friend who might like to join the UWC. Please send membership information to:

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

NEW MEMBERS: Please circle the UWC interest groups you might be interested in joining.

Continuing members: Please contact group chairman.

Books - Afternoon

Gardening

Out to Lunch

Books - Evening

Hiking

Reader's Theater

Bicycling

Investment

Spanish Conversation

Bridge – Afternoon

Italian Conversation

Movies – Sun. Afternoon

French Conversation

Music

Tea and Travel

Other interest group suggestions _____

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A column by Gail Collins this summer commemorated the **90th birthday of the 19th Amendment**, that wonderful amendment which gave women the right to vote. My first reaction to the birthday was, "The UWC is older than Women's Suffrage!" It turns out while this is true enough for American women in total, it's not so true for Colorado women. We have had the vote for an additional 27 years.

In 1893, Colorado became the first state to approve women's suffrage in a popular election. Wyoming's territorial charter made it the first state to allow women to vote, but Colorado was the first state where the men voted to give women the right to vote. The Colorado Non-Partisan Equal Suffrage Association, a coalition of women's organizations, churches, political parties, charity groups, unions, and farmer's alliances, led by journalists such as Caroline Nichols Churchill, Ellis Meredith, and activist Elizabeth Ensley, spread the rallying cry, "**Let the women vote! They can't do any worse than the men have!**" They argued that women's votes might address the problems of inadequate schools, squalid housing conditions, unhealthy working conditions and dirty politics. When the women's suffrage referendum passed, *The Queen Bee*, Denver's first women's-rights newspaper proclaimed, "Western Women Wild with Joy over the Victory of Suffrage in Colorado." The next year Colorado elected the first three female state legislators in U.S. History.

None of this came easy. The right to vote was granted to Colorado women only after 25 years of effort and two failed attempts. Finally, under the promotion of Governor Davis H. Waite, a long time civic reformer, diverse groups set aside their differences to win the vote for women.

To gain passage of the 19th Amendment, suffragists worked for 70 years staging referendum campaigns, lobbying legislators and state party leaders, appealing to 30 different presidential party campaigns to include suffrage planks in party platforms, and petitioning 19 successive congresses. When the Amendment was finally passed, ratification momentum stalled just one state shy of success. Tennessee was the only state yet to ratify that remained in session. The Amendment, with an expected one vote margin of victory seemed doomed when a supporter changed his mind. To the rescue came Harry Burn, at 24 the youngest representative,

President's Message



who changed his vote. He had received a letter from his mother telling him to "be a good boy" and help Mrs. Catt [Carrie Chapman Catt, suffragist]. He said, "**I know that a mother's advice is always the safest for a boy to follow.**"

Women and their male supporters worked very long and hard for this right to suffrage. Off-year elections with no presidential contests traditionally result in a lower voter turnout. Let's do our part, and honor the memories of Carrie Chapman Catt, Susan B. Anthony, Caroline Nichols Churchill, Ellis Meredith, and Elizabeth Ensley and be sure to cast our ballots.

For those who have moved recently, Monday October 4 is the last day to register to vote. Get information about registration here: <http://www.bouldercounty.org/clerk/elections/index.htm>.

For non-partisan information about the candidates and the issues on November's ballot, click on these internet links:

1. <http://www.lwvcolorado.org/>
2. http://www.ballotpedia.org/wiki/index.php/Colorado_2010_ballot_measures
3. http://www.bouldercounty.org/bocc/Ballot_Issues/index.htm
4. http://www.bouldercolorado.gov/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=7466&Itemid=3800

The facts for this article were gathered from Gail Collins' column of August 13, 2010 and from several internet websites.

~Kathy

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*2010-2011 Lecture
Luncheon Series—
Buy your tickets
now!*

Please join us for this year's great line-up of speakers. The price of the luncheons remains the same as last year at \$18. Save \$10 by reserving the whole series for \$80. Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543. Reservations and payment are due at least one week before the luncheon. We will also accept reservations and payment at the Fall Membership Coffee.

We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you. Do you want to attend a Lecture Luncheon but don't want to sit alone? Contact Mary Ann Hartigan (maryannhartigan@msn.com; 303-905-9743). She'll set you up with a luncheon partner or a table of people.



October

The Wild Animal Sanctuary: A Beacon of Hope

Pat Craig

Tuesday, October 12, 2010, 11:30 a.m.
[University Memorial Center](#), Room 235
(Reservations and payment due October 5)

Pat Craig, Executive Director of the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg, Colorado, will describe how Colorado has come to have the largest population of rescued lions, tigers, and bears in the world.

The Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg, Colorado represents a true labor of love. For over 30 years, Pat Craig has rescued and provided a home for captive exotic and endangered large carnivores. His efforts have been in response to a massive social problem, the captive wildlife crisis. In his lecture, TWAS Executive Director Pat Craig will describe the impact of this problem on society, the three aspects of the facility's mission, and how Pat and TWAS have become world renowned.

Pat Craig, a native of Boulder, Colorado, began saving captive wildlife as a 19-year old college student. From his family's farm, he pursued his vision with his own funds and has become a leading expert in captive large carnivore behavior and sanctuary development. He works successfully with the USDA, the U.S., Mexican, and Canadian wildlife agencies, and has received recognition from many sources including the American Veterinary Association and the American Humane Association. Pat and his animals have been featured on National Geographic Channel, 60 Minutes News, Animal Planet, and major documentaries covering the captive wildlife crisis.

November

Food Allergies: Myth vs. Reality

Dr. S. Allan Bock

Tuesday, November 9, 2010, 11:30 a.m.

[Spice of Life Events Center](#),

5706 Arapahoe Avenue

(Reservations and payment due November 2)



Dr. S. Allan Bock, researcher, clinician, faculty member, noted author and speaker in the area of food allergies will address issues associated with living with food

allergies, and how they are diagnosed and treated. He will also identify a number of common myths and replace them with well-documented facts.

December

Notes on Wisdom, Hope and Healing

Carrie Host

Tuesday, December 14, 2010, 11:30 a.m.

[University Memorial Center](#), Room 235

(Reservations and payment due December 7)



Author Carrie Host's unquenchable sense of humor in the midst of suffering creates poignant moments of laughter through tears. Bracing, lyrical, and deeply moving, *Between Me and the River*

is a tribute to one life, and all lives rerouted by illness. Ms. Host's inspirational talk reveals the wisdom of acceptance and the underpinnings of hope.

February

To Shangri-La & Back: A Historian's Perspective of Tibet

William Wei

Tuesday, February 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.

[University Memorial Center](#), Room 235

(Reservations and payment due February 1)



Drawing from highlights of his recent journey to Tibet, Professor William Wei's lecture will describe the current geo-political climate of this tiny, beleaguered country.

March

Talking with Kent Haruf

Kent Haruf

Tuesday, March 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.

[University Memorial Center](#), Room 235

(Reservations and payment due March 1)



In his lecture, author Kent Haruf will describe the fiction-writing process behind his award-winning novels and critically-acclaimed plays. Kent will engage the audience with readings from his works


including *Plainsong* and *Eventide*, and by extemporaneously answering and expanding upon our questions and comments.

Fall Membership Coffee had Excellent Turn-Out



About 100 women, both returning and prospective UWC members, enjoyed coffee, fruit, and pastries at the Fall Membership Coffee on September 14. Members browsed the Interest Groups, Lecture Luncheons, History, Scholarship and Volunteer Opportunity displays while catching up with old friends and making the acquaintance of prospective members.

New members for 2010-11 and members who joined last year after October will be invited to a new member wine and cheese party to be held Sunday, November 7 at the home of Rosemary Getsie.



KUDOS: Special thanks this month go to all the substitutes who fill in for our regular Board Members and Interest Group Chairs. UWC women are so involved with travel, family, and community activities that our busy schedules often require us to find other women to temporarily accept our responsibilities.

Thank you Rosemary Getsie for taking Kathy Randall's calls the last half of September. Thank you Ami Sadler and Diana King for stepping into Rosemary Getsie and Virginia Stringi's shoes at the Membership Coffee. Thank you Bernice Bender, Kathy Campbell and Claudine Garby for (wo)manning the Interest Group Tables.



Volunteer Opportunity! Mark Your Calendars

The UWC is teaming with the Community Food Share to help make their annual food drive a success. The number of people seeking food assistance in Boulder County has almost doubled over the past two years, making this year's food drive critically important. The CFS will be placing donation bins in grocery stores throughout the county. They've found that when shoppers are greeted at the door and asked for a donation, the hourly contributions increase from 20 pounds an hour to over 200 pounds an hour.

The CFS is asking UWC members to volunteer as greeters on one of the busiest shopping days of the year, the Sunday before Thanksgiving. This is a great opportunity to make a real contribution to our community. In the spirit of the season, members are encouraged to invite family, friends and neighbors to join in this effort. We hope to place a three person team in each store for a two-hour slot. If this is something you're interested in, mark your calendar for the afternoon of Sunday, November 21. Logistics and sign up information will be featured in next month's newsletter.



Spotlight on... the Garden Group

I began to garden when we moved to Boulder and the UWC Garden Group got me started with gardening in Colorado. It was a very active group with many members. Our activities included visits to area botanical gardens, garden tours of home gardens in Boulders, visits to local plant nurseries, and talks and demonstrations by gardening gurus. A pretty good format, I would say!

We have had a few years of lagging participation but are now back strongly, with a full roster of meetings this past summer, all well-attended and enjoyed. We have returned to our original format, with a garden-related activity followed by a pot-luck lunch at the home of one of our members or in an area restaurant. This social time builds friendships, which gardeners always enjoy.

In the coming year we are planning to have talks by gardening experts in fall and early spring, with the winter months of December, January and February as a hiatus with no programs to allow us to dream about and plan our summer gardens. And summer will be our busy time, with trips planned to the Betty Ford Alpine Garden in Vail and the Lavender Farm. I hope members will open their gardens to us again, as Ann Garland, Connie Farnbach and Gail Gray did this summer.



Our meetings are scheduled for the first Wednesday of the month. In October, we will meet at the home of Liz Schmidt, 8678 Niwot Rd., in Niwot, at 11am for a discussion of fall planting of trees and perennials. I am arranging a presentation by a gardening professional and will inform members of the group via email once our speaker is confirmed. So do remember to sign up at the Membership Coffee, or contact me, Jyotsna Raj (jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu; 303-447-8831) or the co-chair Virginia Donegan (ginnydon222yahoo.com; 303-635-6685).

Another Opportunity to Help

We are looking for UWC business women to sponsor the publication of our annual Handbook and Membership Directory through a donation. Donors will receive the benefit of an advertising option as follows:

- ♥ For a donation of \$100, your business card will be displayed on half a page in the Directory.
- ♥ For a donation of \$50, a two line identification of your business will be displayed in the Directory.

This fund-raising effort is an excellent way to increase your visibility within the UWC membership and increase our scholarship fund at the same time.

Please send a copy of your business card or your business information and a check made out to the University Women's Club to GeorgieAnne Campbell at 3220 Lafayette Drive, Boulder, CO 80305-7115 (303-499-2798; rpcampbell@att.net). Please call or email GeorgieAnne that a check is in the mail so she can watch for it. She will confirm the receipt with a notification by email.

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Afternoon Book Group: This group meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The September 28 meeting will be at the home of Shirley Deeter, 3902 Promontory Court, Boulder (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net). We will discuss *Cutting for Stone* by Abraham Verghese. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter.

Evening Book Group: In October 14, we'll discuss *The Man Who Loved China*, by Simon Winchester. Kathleen Salzberg will lead the discussion and Judy Reid, 604 Mapleton Dr., Boulder (303-440-6040; judy.reid@comcast.net) will be the hostess. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744) if you have questions.

Bicycling Group: The Biking Group will meet every Thursday for a ride of 10-20 miles around Boulder and environs. An email will be sent early each week to announce the time and place to meet for the ride for that week. If you are not on the email list, please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net).

Afternoon Bridge Group: The first Wednesday bridge group will continue with its present membership next year. People may sign up for the sub list of the first Thursday bridge group which meets from 10:30 a.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m. at the Eggcredible Café. Also new groups will be forming. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).

Current Events: *New!* Call Barbara Turner (303-417-9778, golferb7@aol.com) for information.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Garden Group: We meet on the first Wednesday of the month for garden tours, plant-nursery visits, or presentations on gardening related topics. In October, we meet at 11 a.m., Wednesday October 6, at the home of Liz Schmidt, 8678 Niwot Rd., Niwot, to discuss the fall planting of trees and perennials. We hope to have a presentation by an expert in the field. This is followed by a dish-to-pass lunch, so bring something to share. Please contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or co-chair Ginny Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnnydon22@yahoo.com).

Hiking Group: This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September through May. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Investment Group: We meet once a month on the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. at a member's home. After a business meeting, we report on the stocks we follow, discuss these stocks, and report on any new stock we have studied. Please contact Mareike Ludkewycz (720-890-5802; mareike1875@yahoo.com) for more information.

Italian Conversation Group: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. at Café Bravo, located at the Dairy Center for the Performing Arts, 2590 Walnut St., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).

Music Group: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is Monday, October 11 at 7:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net).

Out to Lunch: We meet at noon on the last Wednesday of the month at Boulder area restaurants to sample the cuisine and socialize over lunch. On October 27 at noon, we go farther afield to the Yak and Yeti restaurant at 865 N. Sheridan, Westminster, featuring Indian and Nepalese cuisine. I have heard good things about their extensive menu. I will arrange for us to carpool. Please contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).

Reader's Theater 1: We meet monthly on the last Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in members' homes. Currently the group is reading plays suggested by the members of the group. Recently one of our members resigned, so we can accommodate one member to total 12. Please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2: Starting in January this group splits into an Evening and an Afternoon Group. Evening meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second Monday. Afternoon meets at 1:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) for Evening. Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com) for Afternoon.

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 12:45 p.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: *New Link to Website!* Tea and Travel will meet on October 19 in Ellie Bertram's home, 2765 Iliff Street, Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m.. Claudine Garby will give a presentation on Alaska followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact Ellie (303-284-3567; ellierringhills@gmail.com). To receive email messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi, T&T chairman (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Arts and Antiques, Easy Riders, and On-the-Road Again are still forming. Contact Jill (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com) for more information. To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members must be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

October	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Lecture Luncheon
	31	Membership Deadline for name to appear in Directory
November	2	Board Meeting
	7	Welcome New Members Wine and Cheese Party
	9	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
December	7	Board Meeting
	10	NO <i>MESSAGES</i> IN JANUARY
	14	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
February	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

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Member Benefits

There are two benefits for dues-paying members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

UWC Membership Form

Welcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is very important that we verify all the information presently in the database.

Please print clearly, especially your email address.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership. We encourage everyone to receive *MESSAGES* in this manner (we offer technical help, if needed) as it saves UWC hundreds of dollars in postal mailing costs and printing – money that can be dedicated for scholarships. If you do not have an email address, we will mail a copy of *MESSAGES* to you without charge.

We're looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events.

Beth Rauch

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☐ I am enclosing my annual dues of \$30. I am a ☐ returning or ☐ new member.

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Make all checks payable to UWC (combine dues and donations).

Mail to: **UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844.**

Payment deadline for name printed in Membership Directory: **October 31, 2010**

I have a friend who might like to join the UWC. Please send membership information to:

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

NEW MEMBERS: Please circle the UWC interest groups you might be interested in joining.

Continuing members: Please contact group chairman.

Books – Afternoon

Gardening

Out to Lunch

Books – Evening

Hiking

Reader's Theater

Bicycling

Investment

Spanish Conversation

Bridge – Afternoon

Italian Conversation

Movies – Sun. Afternoon

French Conversation

Music

Tea and Travel

Other interest group suggestions _____

Bulletin Board



Fast, Easy, Convenient & Fun!

Beginning with the November issue, new bulletin board entries will be displayed in this section of *MESSAGES*, with a convenient link right to the website listing.

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the left, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; Setges@comcast.net).

Printing MESSAGES

This new series offers a computer tip or trick each month.



computer tips & tricks

Having trouble printing your emailed *MESSAGES*? Remember, if you don't want to print the entire newsletter, or don't want to print it in color, you can make choices when your printer window comes up on your screen.

Start here: Go to "File" > "Print". To print only part of the document, under "Print Range", look for the choice "Pages". Select that choice and enter a number, for example, enter 8 if you only want to print the Membership Form. Or enter single page numbers separated by commas,

for example, 2,6,8 if you want to only print the current Lecture Luncheon, Interest Groups, and Membership Form.

To print in black and white, click on "Properties" and look for "Color". In the color window, you will see "Print in grayscale" or "Print in black and white" as a selection choice. After you make your selection, click "Apply" or "OK" until you get back to the original printer window where you can click "OK" or "Print".

If your printer doesn't work this way, or if this doesn't make sense, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) for assistance. She'll be able to help.

Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund.

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Lecture Luncheon *Food Allergies: Myth vs. Reality*

Dr. S. Alan Bock

Tues., Nov. 9, 11:30 a.m.
Spice of Life Event Center
(Payment due Nov. 2)

Sneak Preview:

Dr. S. Allan Bock, researcher, clinician, faculty member, noted author and speaker in the area of food allergies will address these and other important issues in his lecture. He will also identify a number of common food allergy myths and replace them with well-documented facts.

See Page 2 for Details...

The leaves are turning, the nights are getting nippy. Autumn has arrived and Thanksgiving is just around the corner. So many of us in the University Women's Club and Boulder have much to be thankful for – we're living in one of the most beautiful spots in the country with a community that has so much to offer, and most of us are financially comfortable. We look forward to sharing a bountiful Thanksgiving meal with friends and family.

It's also a good time to think about those in our community who, at least with respect to income, are not so lucky. One in every eight residents in Boulder and Broomfield Counties – 50,000 people – are living in poverty, and with poverty comes hunger. Not the kind of hunger we feel when we're dieting and long for sour cream and butter on our plain baked potato, but the kind of hunger that comes when your cupboard, if you have a cupboard, is bare.

The problem of hunger is addressed locally by Community Food Share (CFS), an affiliate of Feeding America, the nation's largest organization of emergency food providers. They provide food to anyone in need – to low income families with children, the "working poor", the unemployed, disabled residents, seniors, the chronically ill, teens at risk, the mentally ill, and the homeless. According to statistics compiled by a Feeding America and Community Food Share, an estimated 33,000 different people are assisted annually by CFS, 10,800 in any given week. 80% are "food insecure" which means they do not always know where they will find their next meal, or in the worst case, meaning they are completely without a source for food.

The clients served by CFS report having to choose between paying for food or other necessities. 44% report having to choose between food and utilities or heating, 45% between food and rent or mortgage, 34% between food and medicine or medical care.

What can we do about it? CFS holds two major food drives each year. "Let's Bag Hunger" comes up in November and UWC can help. As an organization, we've agreed to

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hand out food collection bags at our local supermarkets to increase the usual food collection tenfold – the

augmentation that CFS has found comes with the personal touch. See ***Spread the Spirit of the Season*** on page 4 for information on how you can volunteer for this service opportunity.

What else can we do to fight against hunger? CFS needs volunteers to work in the warehouse or office. In addition, a fund raising arm, The CFS Guild, organizes and hosts an annual Spring Fest Gala – if you love to plan events, this may be the perfect spot for you. For volunteer information, go to <http://www.communityfoodshare.org> and click on "Get Involved". Or, you can donate food – the most needed items are canned fruit, 100% fruit juice, cold and hot cereal, tuna, peanut butter, and pasta sauce. And CFS always appreciates monetary donations; for every \$1 donated, CFS can provide four meals to someone in need.

Our Service Chair, Joanna Rosenblum, has invited all UWC Let's Bag Hunger volunteers and their guests to a pre-event get-together at her house. I hope to see many of you there. I wish a Happy Thanksgiving to all of you and your families.

The facts for this article were gathered from the Community Food Share website and its links.

~Kathy

Kathy Randall

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Please join us for the next Lecture Luncheon. Send your check for \$18 per person made out to University Women's Club to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543. Contact her if you have questions or special dietary requirements (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Reservations and payment are due at least one week before the luncheon.

Do you want to come to a Lecture Luncheon but don't want to attend alone? We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you. Or contact Mary Ann Hartigan (303-905-9743; maryannhartigan@msn.com). She'll set you up with a luncheon partner or a table of people.

For more information on [upcoming Lecture Luncheons](#), visit our website.



November

Food Allergies: Myth vs. Reality

Dr. S. Allan Bock

Tuesday, November 9, 2010, 11:30 a.m.

[Spice of Life Events Center](#),

5706 Arapahoe Avenue

(Reservations and payment due November 2)

We are all, in some way or another, affected by food allergies. We may have an allergy ourselves, live with someone who does, or have a friend with special dietary needs. Although many of us are affected by food allergies, few of us really understand them. For instance, we may not recognize the symptoms of a food allergy or have a working knowledge of how allergies are diagnosed and treated.

Dr. S. Allan Bock, researcher, clinician, faculty member, noted author and speaker in the area of food allergies will address these and other important issues in his lecture. He will also identify a number of common food allergy myths and replace them with well-documented facts.

Dr. Bock is a practicing physician in Boulder, specializing in asthma, allergy, and immunology. He holds the title of Clinical Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center. His research interests include the natural history of peanut and tree allergies, and diagnostic testing for food allergies.

The author of over 60 manuscripts and book chapters, Dr. Bock has written and published a book for lay consumers entitled, *Food Allergy, A Primer for People*. Dr. Bock's work has been recognized and honored through a number of awards including the Founder's Award from the Medical Advisory Board of the Food Allergy and Anaphylaxis Network.

New Members Wine & Cheese Event

UWC Board is holding a Wine & Cheese Party on Sunday, November 7 from 3:00-5:00 p.m. at the home of Rosemary Getsie specifically for new members. Evite invitations for this event have been sent to all new members. If you are a new member (joined any time after Nov. 1, 2009) and have not received your Evite for some reason, please contact the Membership Chair, Beth Rauch (303-442-2704; etrauch@comcast.net). We have over 30 new members this year and we want to make sure all new members are included and receive invitations in some form. This is a wonderful opportunity for new members to become acquainted with each other and to meet the board and we look forward to seeing all of you on November 7.



Rosemary Getsie's address (Niwot vs. Longmont) may cause a problem for those using MapQuest or other map services. Her house is at 6434 Eagle Court, Niwot, located in the vicinity of the Lake Valley Golf Club north of Boulder and west of Diagonal. Please contact Rosemary (303-998-0607; rgetsie@comcast.net) if you need directions to her home.

Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund

(From September 11 Through October 10)



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Volunteer Opportunity! Mark Your Calendars

Spread the Spirit of the Season

The UWC is teaming with the Community Food Share to help make their annual food drive a success. The CFS will be placing donation bins in grocery stores throughout Boulder County. CFS has found that when shoppers are greeted at the door and asked for a donation, the hourly contributions increase from 20 pounds an hour to over 200 pounds an hour.

The CFS is asking UWC members to volunteer as greeters in the stores on Sunday, November 21 from 2:00 to 4:30. To kick off the event, all UWC volunteers and their helpers are invited to a pre-event coffee at Joanna Rosenblum's house to learn more about the CFS and what we'll be doing in the afternoon. Members are welcome to invite family, friends and neighbors to join in this effort. It's a great family activity to kick off the holiday season. If you're interested in participating, please contact Joanna Rosenblum (303-443-3439; joannarosenblum@yahoo.com) by November 11.

Help Out with Fire Disaster

10-15 volunteers continue to be needed daily at the Fourmile Canyon Fire Boulder County Distribution Center. Volunteers will greet and assist clients as needed, help with bagging merchandise, and assist with merchandising and straightening the Distribution Center. The Distribution Center is located at 5395 Pearl Pkwy (next to Sunbelt Rentals) in Boulder.

Daily hours of operation are 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. To volunteer, go directly to the Distribution Center at any time, for any length of time, during these hours.

See further information about Boulder County's resources and recovery efforts in response to the Fourmile Canyon Fire here: <http://www.bouldercounty.org/fourmilefire/>.

Fundraising Event To Benefit The UWC Scholarship Fund

Host: Karen Diamond
Place: 712 Spruce Street, Boulder
 303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com
Times: Tuesday, November 30
 1:00 to 7:00 p.m.
~And~ Wednesday, December 1
 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Click a picture to go to
Dustmuffin!*



Diana Jacobs, an artist in Los Angeles with a jewelry line called "Dustmuffin" has offered to bring a trunk show of her handmade jewelry items, including earrings, necklaces, eyeglass caddies, bracelets and pins, to Boulder. The materials include vintage beads, semi-precious gems, glass and crystal, sterling silver, gold plate and gold-filled findings. Diana is offering UWC members and their guests a 25% discount on any purchases and, even better, she will **donate 25% of her total sales to the UWC Scholarship Fund**. The prices begin at modestly priced pieces under \$30.



Karen Diamond has agreed to serve as hostess for this opportunity and will open her home for two days for the show and sale, and will serve refreshments as well. Please mark your calendars for November 30 and December 1 - perfect days for holiday shopping. A link to the web site where you can do some window-shopping is: www.thedustmuffin.com. Come, and bring a friend, and window-shop at the show. There will be no obligation to purchase.



Spotlight on ...the Hiking Group

The Hiking Group meets every Friday morning, rain or shine, snow or holiday, for an appropriate walk or hike that day. There might be only two members, or there could be fifteen or more, depending on the weather and the day. Between September 1 and May 31, we meet at 9:00 a.m. and decide on the spot where we will go (usually city or county trails) and how we will carpool. These hikes and walks are about 3 to 5 miles roundtrip and generally get us back by late morning. During the summer, June 1 to August 31, we meet at 8:30 a.m. to avoid some of the heat. Our meeting place is the parking structure on the 30th Street side of Macy's, lower level, back corner nearest Walnut and 30th. For these regular hikes, we welcome anyone to come with no need to let us know. Just show up ready to go.

For two summers now, we have made decisions before each Friday to go up in the foothills somewhere for a slightly longer hike with sack lunches. We will send emails to the group about these each week. For most of these, we met at 8:00 a.m. The drive to the trailhead could make the day longer, or the hike itself might be longer. Many trails out of Brainard Lake are favorites, as well as other Indian Peaks Wilderness places like Fourth of July and Diamond Lake, Devils Thumb Bypass, Niwot Ridge, St. Vrain Creek trails, up into Rocky Mountain Park for Wild Basin to Ouzel Falls, Bridal Veil Falls, down south to Roxborough Park, Golden Gate Park, or up to Moffat Tunnel (East Portal) trails...and many, many more. Anyone who does not have the time or energy for these longer excursions meets at the usual time and place for a local hike.



Hiking Group at Moffat Tunnel




Hiking Group at Roxborough State Park

The group has all levels of hikers/walkers. The conversations as we walk are animated and are sure to keep the bears and mountain lions away! On a given hike, some might go at a faster pace (the "swifter striders"), some medium (the "average amblers"), and some more like walking (the "slower strollers"). We rarely carpool according to these groupings because it is too hard to decide, or we really want a chance to talk with all the members. But we do try to have at least two people together and to always know where the others are. Most hikes are "out and back", so we do find each other at the end. The wonderful sociability continues for many with lunch at Food, just north of the parking structure, when we do our normal morning hikes.

We decided last spring to volunteer to "Adopt-A-Trail" through Boulder County Open Space. We took on Walden Ponds Trails and have been several times to pick up trash there.

Another way we celebrate our group is with occasional potluck lunches for members with milestone birthdays that year, or with a holiday potluck in December. We consider the milestones to be 60, 65, 70, 75, and we hope to do 80 for many of us! Younger members are joining, thank goodness, so that the vitality of the hikers will continue well into the future.



KUDOS! to the generous women who make up the University Women's Club! Our hearts and pocketbooks were moved by October's Lecturer Pat Craig's explication of the plight of captive wildlife and the role the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg plays in rescuing and providing large acreage habitats to these exotic, endangered and displaced animals. An impromptu collection (thank you Ginnie Ross, Claudine Garby and Marion Sauer for the idea) resulted in more than \$850 donated to the Sanctuary! See more about the Sanctuary here: www.wildanimalsanctuary.org

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Art and Antiques: *New!* See "On the Road Again" group below.

Afternoon Book Group: This group meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The October 26 meeting will be at the home of Lois Linsky, 1645 Bear Mountain Dr., Boulder (303-499-2689; liinsky@hotmail.com). We will discuss *Other Rooms, Other Wonders* by Daniyal Mueenuddin. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).

Evening Book Group: The next meeting will be December 11 at 7:15 p.m. for a 7:30 p.m. discussion of *Brooklyn* by Colm Toibin at the home of Ellen Gille, 1730 Ithaca Dr., Boulder (303-499-3134; jcgfg@dim.com). Ann McBryan will present, and Ellen Holland will co-hostess. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744) for questions.

Bicycling: The Biking Group will be entering a winter hiatus starting in November and will only be riding if the weather is predicted to be good on a particular Thursday. You will receive an email notice if we plan to ride. Please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net).

Bridge: The first Wednesday bridge group will continue with its present membership next year. People may sign up for the sub list of the first Thursday bridge group which meets from 10:30 a.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m. at the Eggcredible Café. Also new groups will be forming. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).

Current Events: *New!* The Current Events Group meets the second Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at the W. Senior Center on Arapahoe, Boulder. In November, Virginia Stringi will lead a discussion on the activities of the Koch Brothers of Kansas. We each pay \$2 for use of the room unless you're a member of Encore, and \$1 for parking. Call Barbara Turner (303-417-9778, golferb7@aol.com) for information.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Gardening: *New Link to Website!* We meet on the first Wednesday of the month for garden tours, plant-nursery visits, or presentations on gardening related topics. Please contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or co-chair Ginny Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com).

Hiking: *New Link to Website!* This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September–May. During the summer, between Memorial Day–Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Investment Group: We meet once a month on the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. at a member's home. After a business meeting, we report on the stocks we follow, discuss these stocks, and report on any new stock we have studied. Please contact Mareike Ludkewycz (720-890-5802; mareike1875@yahoo.com) for more information.

Italian Conversation: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. at Café Bravo, located at the Dairy Center for the Performing Arts, 2590 Walnut St., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).

Music: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is Monday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; juerman@comcast.net).

Needlecraft: *New!* Needlecraft tentatively will meet the second and fourth Thursday afternoons at 1:30 p.m. For locations and possible changes call Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross 303-442-6014; vross921@q.com).

On the Road Again: *New!* We, joined by Art and Antiques, will go to the King Tut exhibit on October 26, meeting at Macy's and carpooling. For information, contact Karen Diamond, 303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).

Out to Lunch: We meet at noon on the last Wednesday of the month at Boulder area restaurants to sample the cuisine and socialize over lunch. In November, we meet a week early because of Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 17 at 12 noon at the Arabesque Restaurant, 1635 Walnut St. in downtown Boulder. Please RSVP to Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).

Reader's Theater 1: We meet monthly on the last Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in members' homes. Currently the group is reading plays suggested by the members of the group. Recently one of our members resigned, so we can accommodate one member to total 12. Please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2: Starting in January this group splits into an Evening and an Afternoon Group. Evening meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second Monday. Afternoon meets at 1:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) for Evening. Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com) for Afternoon.

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303-530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 12:45 p.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: Tea and Travel will meet at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 16th in Virginia Stringi's home, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m.. Patty Ludke will give a presentation on Germany followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact Virginia. To receive email messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi, T&T chairman (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members *must* be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

October	31	Membership Deadline for name to appear in Directory
November	2	Board Meeting
	7	Welcome New Members Wine and Cheese Party
	9	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
December	7	Board Meeting
	10	NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	14	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
February	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Executive Board 2010-11

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Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

UWC Membership Form

Welcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is very important that we verify all the information presently in the database.

Please print clearly, especially your email address.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership. We encourage everyone to receive *MESSAGES* in this manner (we offer technical help, if needed) as it saves UWC hundreds of dollars in postal mailing costs and printing – money that can be dedicated for scholarships. If you do not have an email address, we will mail a copy of *MESSAGES* to you without charge.

We're looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events.

Beth Rauch

303-442-2704

etrauch@comcast.net

Name_____ Phone_____

Address_____

E-mail address for newsletter_____

(please print clearly)

☐ I am enclosing my annual dues of \$30. I am a ☐ returning or ☐ new member.

☐ I am enclosing an additional tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund.

☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ other \$_____

Make all checks payable to UWC (combine dues and donations).

Mail to: **UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844.**

Payment deadline for name printed in Membership Directory: **October 31, 2010**

I have a friend who might like to join the UWC. Please send membership information to:

Name_____ Phone_____

Address_____ E-mail_____

NEW MEMBERS: Please circle the UWC interest groups you might be interested in joining.

Continuing members: Please contact group chairman.

Books – Afternoon

Gardening

Out to Lunch

Books – Evening

Hiking

Reader's Theater

Bicycling

Investment

Spanish Conversation

Bridge – Afternoon

Italian Conversation

Movies – Sun. Afternoon

French Conversation

Music

Tea and Travel

Other interest group suggestions _____

New Bulletin Board Entries

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net).



Member Activities

- ♥ [Stop Open Space Mountain Biking](#)
- ♥ [United Nations Day Celebration](#)

Volunteer Services

- ♥ [Colorado Music Festival](#)
- ♥ [Meals on Wheels](#)
- ♥ [Boulder History Museum](#)
- ♥ [Historic Boulder](#)
- ♥ [Emergency Family Assistance](#)
- ♥ [Audio Information Network](#)
- ♥ [CU Libraries](#)
- ♥ [College of Music Adopt-A-Student](#)
- ♥ [Boulder Reads!](#)
- ♥ [YES! \(Your English School\)](#)
- ♥ [The Volunteer Connection](#)
- ♥ [Free computer lessons](#)

For Sale or Recycle

- ♥ [Pilates Machine for Sale](#)

Wanted!

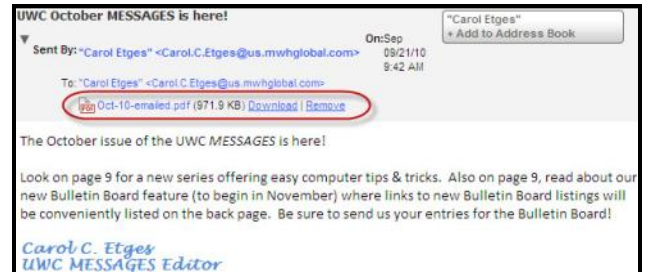
- ♥ [Bedroom Furniture](#)

Opening MESSAGES

This new series offers a computer tip or trick each month.



Can't open your emailed *MESSAGES*? Your emailed newsletter comes to you as a PDF attachment which keep the content of the attachment from being changed. The attachment is the little symbol that looks similar to the picture below, or sometimes they're a symbol in the main part of the email. To open your attachment, simply click the name of the attachment.



If this doesn't work, it could mean that your Adobe Reader is missing or outdated. Adobe Reader is the little program that opens PDF attachments so you can read them. This is a safe and free program that most computers should have, since so many attachments are sent in PDF form. To download or update your Adobe Reader program, go to [Adobe Reader Download](#).

If this tip didn't help you, or if this doesn't make sense, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net) for assistance.

Remember!

Directory Deadlines



Please be sure to submit your Membership Form and dues BEFORE October 31, 2010 in order to have your name and contact information appear in the Handbook & Membership Directory.

If you are a business woman, please consider sponsoring the publication of our directory with a donation. For a donation of \$100 your business card will be displayed on half a page in the directory. For a donation of \$50, a two line identification of your business will be displayed in the directory. Send a copy of your card or business information and a check made out to UWC to GeorgiAnne Campbell at 3220 Lafayette Drive, Boulder, CO 80305-7115. Call or email her so that she knows it is coming.

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2010 Tuition and Fees at CU	\$ 8,516
Books/Supplies	\$ 1,748
Room and Board	\$10,792
Personal Expenses	\$ 1,268
Transportation	\$ 1,296
Medical Expenses	\$ 2,132
Total	\$25,752

Value of a college education: **Priceless**

How do we pay for the cost of a college education? State support for students at CU continues to decrease. Colorado now ranks 48th of the states in funding per full time state resident student. Ten years ago, the state's funding was nearly \$7000 per student; now it is less than \$3000, dropping by 60% since July 2009. As a percentage of the total state budget, funds for higher education have dropped from approximately 21% twenty years ago to 6.4% today.

Tuition increased by 9% this year, the maximum allowed by state law, but with state funding cuts, the university has had to make drastic cuts in its budget and seek additional revenue sources. The federal stimulation dollars that have shored up government support will dry up at the end of fiscal year 2011. Traditionally, CU has been able to invest a larger portion of its tuition revenue than is required toward financial aid. This year budgetary constraints may reduce this investment to the absolute minimum allowed. Yet CU regretfully states that the demand for financial aid – which includes scholarships, grants and work-study money – outpaces the university's supply.

The Higher Education Strategic Planning Steering Committee has proposed funding options to raise revenues for higher education. These include increasing income and sales taxes, implementation of surcharges on natural-resource extraction and imposition of mill

President's Message



levies. All these proposals require voter approval which may be difficult to obtain during these troubled financial times, despite the strong public interest of having a well educated population and the concomitant need to provide financial aid to students who are academically able, but financially needy.

As the university and the state work to come up with long-term sustainable financial solutions, I am proud to be part of an organization which contributes to mitigating the difficulties of financing a college education, one student at a time. As we know from the responses we receive from the admirable recipients of our UWC scholarships, our contribution makes a difference to their lives and their futures.

We are approaching the end of this tax year. Now would be a perfect time to make a contribution to our scholarship fund. What better way to say Merry Christmas, or Happy Chanukah, or Happy Holidays to a student that you'll be happy to meet next April at our Scholarship Luncheon.

I wish Merry Christmas, or Happy Chanukah, or Happy Holidays to all of you and your families and look forward to writing to you again in the new year.

~Kathy
Kathy Randall, President
303-530-1095
katherineran@gmail.com

Lecture Luncheon *Notes On Wisdom, Hope And Healing*

Carrie Host

Tues., Dec. 14, 11:30 a.m.
UMC Room 235
(Payment due Dec. 7)

Sneak Preview:

Author Carrie Host's unquenchable sense of humor in the midst of suffering creates poignant moments of laughter through tears. Bracing, lyrical, and deeply moving, *Between Me and the River* is a tribute to one life, and all lives rerouted by illness.

See Page 2 for Details...

2010-2011 Lecture
Luncheon Series—
Buy your tickets
now!

Please join us for the next Lecture Luncheon. Send your check for \$18 per person made out to **University Women's Club to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543**. Contact her if you have questions or special dietary requirements (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Do you want to come to a Lecture Luncheon but don't want to attend alone? We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you. Or contact Mary Ann Hartigan to set you up with a luncheon partner or a table of people. (303-905-9743; maryannhartigan@msn.com). For more information on [upcoming Lecture Luncheons](#), visit our website.



December

Notes On Wisdom, Hope And Healing

Carrie Host

Tuesday, December 14, 2010, 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235
(Reservations and payment due December 7)



Author Carrie Host's unquenchable sense of humor in the midst of suffering creates poignant moments of laughter through tears. Bracing, lyrical, and deeply moving, ***Between Me and the River*** is a tribute to one life, and all lives rerouted by illness. Ms. Host's inspirational talk reveals the wisdom of acceptance and the underpinnings of hope.

Her book, a memoir, has received critical acclaim for the author's ability to "write about her illness with the nuance grace of a poet whose perspective extends beyond her own experience. The author weaves creative metaphor into her harsh reality, striking a balance between hardship and revelation."

Drawing from her experience with a rare and deadly form of cancer, Ms. Host's lecture will describe her approach to healing, growth, and liberation. Her message is painful, practical and above all inspirational. Primarily it will describe a blueprint for living that was found by one woman and embraced by many others including cancer victims and those who love them.

Carrie Host lives in Boulder, Colorado with her husband and three children. She serves on the Board of Directors at the Caring for Carcinoid Foundation. Since ***Between Me and the River*** was released, Carrie has made numerous radio and television appearances and is a frequent speaker and keynote speaker at events around the United States.



February

To Shangri-La & Back: A Historian's Perspective of Tibet

William Wei

Tuesday, February 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235
(Reservations and payment due February 1)

Drawing from highlights of his recent journey to Tibet, Professor William Wei's lecture will discuss the current geo-political climate of this controversial region of China. Among the topics that he will cover are: Western (mis)perceptions of Tibet, the history of Tibet's relationship to and inclusion in the Chinese empire, China's colonial policies and practices, and the corrosive effect of tourism in Tibet. At the end of his talk, Professor Wei will consider Tibet's future prospects.

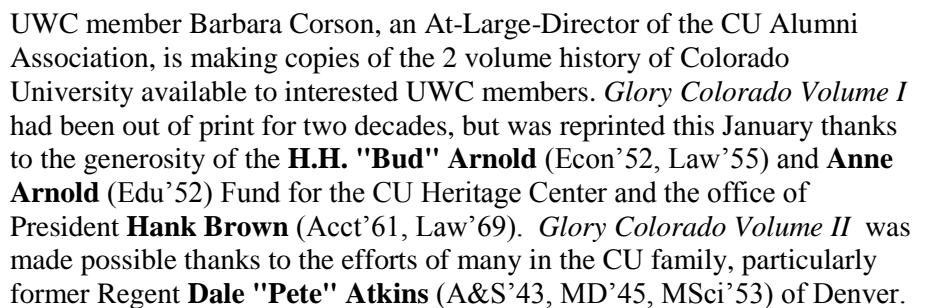
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He has held a Rockefeller Fellowship, Mellon Fellowship, and Fulbright-Hays Fellowship. In the summer of 1997, he worked as a journalist covering the historic handover of Hong Kong to China. He has participated in the Semester at Sea program, serving on the faculty in summer 2003 and as Academic Dean in summer 2006.



The award, named after the first president of the Women's Club, is presented annually to a woman who has enhanced the quality of life for women in Boulder and/or on the CU Boulder campus, is an exceptional role model, and has brought honor to all women through her accomplishments. Nominations are invited from UWC members, faculty, staff, students, and alumni of CU. Nominees may be connected to the University of Colorado in some way or be members of the Boulder community.

Generous Offer from Barbara Corson of UWC and the CU Alumni Association



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Kathy Randall
received a sincere
Thank You from Pat
Craig after his recent
Lecture Luncheon.

Pat Craig
Executive Director



KUDOS! to Georgianne Campbell and her two great helpers Beth Rauch and Joyce Spencer for publishing and distributing the Handbook and Membership Directory 2010-11. A lot of work goes into the production of such a useful volume. Thank you too to Mary Huffman, Realtor, and www.myimaginationatplay.com for sponsoring the Directory.

New Members Welcomed at Wine & Cheese Party

51 new members were welcomed into the Club this year, many of whom attended a Wine & Cheese Party hosted by Rosemary Getsie.



Left Photo (from L to R)
Arlene Gerwin, Pat Hagerty, Jeannie Hamilton, Eileen Koch, Eleanor Patten, and Meg Preo



Right Photo (from L to R)
Katalin Boros, Carolyn Burr, Kathy Campbell, Patricia Coker, Sara Cote, and Carol Dunnack



Left Photo (from L to R)
Mollie Sue Morton, Tricia Rubio, Annie Russell, Pat Thompson, Ann Vondracek, and Judy Wakeland

Get to Know Some of Our New Members!

Pat Hagerty

Pat has lived in Boulder for 37 years and lived previously in California. She was a professor in teacher education at the University of Northern Colorado and UC Denver. Pat enjoys hiking, skiing, mountain climbing, and studying Spanish.

Mollie Morton

Mollie is a CU and University of Denver College of Law graduate. She has lived in Boulder 36 years. Mollie was a labor relations specialist in Human Resources at CU for 32 years and is now retired. She is active in the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Boulder Garden Club. Mollie enjoys traveling, gardening, knitting, and scholarship projects with the DAR.

Kathy Campbell

Kathy has moved 48 times in her 63 years. She and her husband moved to the Boulder area in October 2009 after retiring from the University of Oregon, where they were both on the faculty in the School of Journalism and Communication. She is active in UWC Bridge and play-reading groups and is currently Vice-President for Special Events for the Boulder Newcomers Club.

Arlene Gerwin

Arlene has lived in Boulder eight years, having moved here from Chappaqua, New York. She is President of Bolder Insights LLC, a marketing consulting firm, and an adjunct marketing professor who has taught graduate level courses at CU and NYU. Arlene is an avid skier and hiker and is working on improving her biking skills.

Jeannie Hamilton

Jeannie has lived in Boulder since 1969. She is a CU graduate in Anthropology and has worked as a flight attendant for Western Airlines and for 8 years at the Wardenburg Health Center before becoming a Realtor in 1998. After 10 years with the ERA, Jeannie opened her own real estate brokerage, Hamilton Properties. She is an active member of Boulder Rotary, a 2-term director of the Boulder Area Realtor Association and a member of the Boulder Mountain Fire Protection District Auxiliary. She participates in the UWC biking group.

Annie Russell

Annie moved to Boulder from Ohio 15 years ago and has loved Boulder ever since. She works part-time as an Activity Director for the Carillon of Boulder Creek, a new retirement community in Boulder. Annie loves to create collages and altered books, and offers a yearly altered book workshop. She lives in Silver Sage, a senior co-housing community and is very active in the national co-housing movement.

Claire Marie Martin

Claire uses her middle name of Marie to distinguish herself from her mother, Claire Martin, also listed in the UWC Directory, who is a long-time UWC member. Claire recently moved to Boulder after living in Bangkok, Thailand for a year. She lived in Vacaville, CA while her daughter attended UC Davis and previous to that lived in Alaska for 22 years. She is a special education teacher and taught in Bush Alaska her first 7 years there. Claire enjoys hiking, contra dancing, reading and travel. She is presently taking a bridge class and learning some cooking skills.

Shirley Jin

Shirley lived in Harbour Beach, FL for 38 years, moving to Boulder in 2008 after visiting her daughters here for a number of years. She has two master's degrees, one in physics and one in architecture, and had a variety of work experiences in Florida. Shirley enjoys hiking, biking and the natural beauty of Boulder.

Carol Dunnack

Carol arrived in Boulder via Los Angeles and Fort Lauderdale. She enjoyed teaching mathematics and language arts for 40 years, 26 of them in BVSD. Carol recently retired and loves to read, write, research, hike, garden, and study genealogy. She is looking forward to UWC activities and furthering friendships.

Find the UWC Membership Form on our website: www.BoulderUWC.org



Spotlight on ... On the Road Again

On the Road Again is on the road to success. This new group, which was launched in October with a trip to the Museum of Western Art, has merged with the overlapping group Art and Antiques to be fully inclusive of any excursions its members want to plan. Karen

Diamond has agreed to be the official chair of the group, but all participants are encouraged to suggest and plan activities, taking the role of leader for that activity.

Mary Headley organized a trip to the Denver Botanical Gardens in early November, "Moore by Moonlight," which was part of the free Denver Night at the Museums. We enjoyed the lovely Moore sculptures in the garden at night, along with a dance performance by 3rd Law Dance/Theater. In this multimedia interactive "installation", the movement of the dancers was complemented by video of the garden in different seasons, and investigated themes and motifs drawn from Henry Moore's ideas on art. (See photos.)



*Moore's Reclining Figure Angles with
Kathy Randall, Mary Headley,
Bernice Bender*



*Dance Performance by
3rd Law Dance/Theater*

Jeanne Naunberg is organizing a trip on Wednesday, December 8 to the Longmont Museum. We'll view an exhibit of Nikolas Muray's photographs of Frida Kahlo. Those who want to stay will have lunch at Pinocchio's at 210 Ken Pratt Blvd in Longmont.

Nikolas Muray and Frida Kahlo were at the height of an on-again, off-again ten-year love affair when he began photographing her using the Carbro technique. Their affair had started in 1931, after Muray was divorced from his second wife and shortly after Kahlo's marriage to Mexican muralist painter Diego Rivera. The photographic exhibit at the Longmont Museum is part of a national tour containing forty-six photographic prints reproduced from the original negatives.

If you would like to join us "On the Road Again", please contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com). If you'd like to come along on the Longmont Museum visit, please contact Jeanne Nauenberg (303-499-2073; jeanne.nauenberg@colorado.edu). We'd love to see you!

Fundraising Event To Benefit The UWC Scholarship Fund

Host: Karen Diamond

Place: 712 Spruce Street, Boulder
303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com

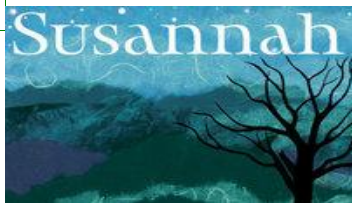
Times: Tuesday, November 30
1:00 to 7:00 p.m.

~And~ Wednesday, December 1
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Diana Jacobs, an artist in Los Angeles with a jewelry line called "Dustmuffin" has offered to bring a trunk show of her handmade jewelry items, including earrings, necklaces, eyeglass caddies, bracelets and pins, to Boulder. The materials include vintage beads, semi-precious gems, glass and crystal, sterling silver, gold plate and gold-filled findings. Diana is offering UWC members and their guests a 25% discount on any purchases and, even better, she will **donate 25% of her total sales to the UWC Scholarship Fund**. The prices begin at modestly priced pieces under \$30.

Karen Diamond has agreed to serve as hostess for this opportunity and will open her home for two days for the show and sale, and will serve refreshments as well. Please mark your calendars for November 30 and December 1 - perfect days for holiday shopping. A link to the web site where you can do some window-shopping is: www.thedustmuffin.com. Come, and bring a friend, and window-shop at the show. There will be no obligation to purchase.



University Women's Club Opera Brunch

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Mark your calendar for Sunday, March 13 at 11:00 a.m. to enjoy a delicious brunch followed by the opera, **Susannah**. Carlisle Floyd's opera is described as an 'apocryphal tale' that pits Susannah's beauty and the attention she evokes against the jealousy and societal/religious expectations of a small Tennessee town in the 1950s. Susannah is filled with 'lush, tuneful Appalachian music' that is certain to haunt and enrich the afternoon.

The brunch will be held at 11:00 a.m. in the new Center for Community on the CU campus, and the opera will be performed in Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Tamera Van Spriell, Chair
UMC Opera Brunch
vanspriell@comcast.net
303-543-7424

Reservations are required by Tuesday, March 1, 2011. Please complete the registration form below and make your check payable to UWC. Then send your reservation and check to:

Pat Thompson
2575 Otter Ct.
Lafayette, CO 80026

I would like _____ opera tickets at \$20.00 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

I would like _____ places for brunch at \$22.50 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please indicate your menu selection:

Beef

☐

Salmon

☐

Vegetarian

☐

Name and contact information: _____



Blossoming Forth

54th Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon
at Boulder Country Club

April 12, 2011 @ 11:00 a.m.

Fashion Show by Coldwater Creek, 29th Street Mall, Boulder

Save the Date!

The Scholarship Luncheon Committee members enjoyed a preview fashion show presented by Coldwater Creek at their store on 29th Street Mall, Boulder. We met with Cynthia Howard, our CC fashion show contact, and other store personnel. We're looking forward to spring and the spring fashions of 2011.

Thank you Coldwater Creek...we appreciated your hospitality; we did a little shopping, too!

~Cathy Skala and Diana King, Co-Chairs

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Art and Antiques: For lack of a chair, this group is merging with On the Road Again.

Afternoon Book Group: This group meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. In November, the group will meet a week later, on Tuesday, Nov. 30, because of Thanksgiving. We will discuss *The Mayor of Casterbridge* by Thomas Hardy. Pat Phillipson, 265 Brookside Ct. Boulder (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu will host the meeting; Ruth Shanberge will lead the discussion. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).

Evening Book Group: For December, we will read *The Secret River* by Kate Grenville for our meeting on Dec. 9 at the home of Virginia Stringi 935 Gillaspie Drive (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Charlotte Mudar will lead the discussion and Kathleen Salzberg will be the co-hostess. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744) for questions.

Bicycling: The Biking Group will be entering a winter hiatus starting in November and will only be riding if the weather is predicted to be good on a particular Thursday. You will receive an email notice if we plan to ride. Please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net).

Bridge: The first Wednesday bridge group is playing with 2 tables and will continue with their present regular and substitute members. The first Thursday bridge group is playing with 3 tables, will continue with their present regular members and would like new substitute players. A new group, which will meet on the fourth Tuesday, will start in January. A current study group has formed and an advanced study group will be formed. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).

Current Events: The Current Events Group will not meet in December. The next meeting will be January 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center on Arapahoe. We will discuss Higher Education. Call Barbara Turner (303-417-9778, golferb7@aol.com) for information.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Gardening: We hibernate over the winter, so there will be no meetings in December, January and February. We will have our next meeting at on Wednesday, March 2, just in time for spring gardening. Please contact Jyotsna Raj at jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu / 303-447-8831 or Virginia Donegan at ginnydon22@yahoo.com / 303-635-6685 for more information.

Hiking: This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September–May. During the summer, between Memorial Day–Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Investment Group: We meet once a month on the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. at a member's home. After a business meeting, we report on the stocks we follow, discuss these stocks, and report on any new stock we have studied. Please contact Mareike Ludkewycz (720-890-5802; mareike1875@yahoo.com) for more information.

Italian Conversation: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).

Music: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is Monday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. For more information, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; juerman@comcast.net).

Needlecraft: Needlecraft Group will meet Thursday, January 13 at 1:30 p.m. Contact Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com) for location and details.

On the Road Again: New Link! Arts and Antiques has merged with this group. Participants plan activities and contact group members. On December 8, the group will see a Frida Kahlo photo exhibit at Longmont Museum and then have lunch. If interested contact Jeanne Nauenberg (303 499 2073; jeanne.nauenberg@colorado.edu). For general information, contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).

Out to Lunch: We take a break in December because of the holiday season. We meet in the new year on Wednesday, January 26 at noon at Ted's Montana Grill, 1701 Pearl St. This is a western-themed restaurant chain begun by Ted Turner and new in Boulder. RSVP to Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com).

Reader's Theater 1: We meet monthly on the last Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in members' homes. Currently the group is reading plays suggested by the members of the group. Currently the membership is full; to be placed on a waiting list, please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2: Starting in January this group splits into an Evening and an Afternoon Group. Evening meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second Monday. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) for Evening. Afternoon meets at 2 p.m. on the second Sunday (note new day and time). Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com) for Afternoon. On December 13, RT2-Evening will meet at a place to be announced to read a radio version of *It's a Wonderful Life*. Claire Marie Martin will direct. On January 3, RT2 will meet at the home of Merry Bullock, 2167 Jordan Place (303-717-8063; merrybullock@mac.com) to read an as yet to be determined comedy.

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: Tea and Travel does not meet in December or January. Our next meeting will be February 15, 2011 and our program will be Christmas Markets along the Rhine River in Alice Doyle's home. To receive e-mail messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members must be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

December	7	Board Meeting
	10	NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	14	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
February	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

The Nominating Committee is pleased to announce a proposed slate of officers for 2012-2013. The election will be held in the spring (2011), at which time members can make additional nominations from the floor, provided that the person being nominated has agreed to serve if elected.

The candidates are:

President: Jeannie Thompson
Secretary: Heidi Lynch
Treasurer: Martha McGavin



The candidate elected to be President in 2012-2013 will serve as the President-Elect/Program Chair in 2011-2012 and will serve on the board, as will the other two new officers.

Members of the Nominating Committee are Ami Sadler, Chair; Karen Diamond; Caryl Kassoy; Carol Saunders; and Nurit Wolf.

Executive Board 2010-11

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Additional Member Benefits

There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).





New Bulletin Board Entries

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net).



For Sale or Recycle

- ♥ [NEW Bathroom Granite Top, Undermount Sink, and Cabinet](#)

Wanted!

- ♥ [Photoshop Expert](#)

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Saving MESSAGES



computer tips & tricks

This series offers a simple computer tip or trick each month.

MESSAGES can be long, sometimes 10 pages or more! Not everyone has time to read it the minute they receive it. So let's cover how to save your newsletter on your computer to read at a later time.

To save your newsletter, use the "Save As" command and tell it what "file name" to store your work under.

To start, click on "File", then click on "Save As". In

the "Save As" dialog box, you can tell the computer **where** to put your file and what to call it. Many computers put your files in "My Documents" or you can create your own folder to put the newsletters in, like a folder on your Desktop called "MESSAGES".

Then you have to tell the computer **what** "file name" to call your file. You should name your file according to what is in it (for example, "UWC Messages Nov 2010"). When you name your file, on computers with Microsoft Windows, there are also some computer requirements:

1. Use letters and/or numbers.
2. Your file names can contain some punctuation, but some of the punctuation characters have special meanings to the computer, and cannot be used. Your file names can contain apostrophes, dashes, underscores, commas, and spaces, but it is much easier to avoid all punctuation if possible.

If this tip didn't help you, or if this doesn't make sense, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net) for assistance.

Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund

(From October 11 — November 10)

Each month, MESSAGES will thank our members for donations to the Scholarship Fund that have been received since the previous list was published as noted at the top of the list. If you have made a donation during the noted dates but your name does not appear, please contact Beth Rauch.



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Lecture Luncheon *To Shangri-La & Back: A Historian's Perspective of Tibet*

William Wei

Tues., Feb. 8, 11:30 a.m.
UMC Room 235
(Payment due Feb. 1)

Sneak Preview:

Drawing from highlights of his recent journey to Tibet, **Professor William Wei's** lecture will discuss the current geo-political climate of this controversial region of China.

See Page 2 for Details...

Greetings and Happy New Year. After a **month's hiatus**, it is good to be back in *MESSAGES* and to be thinking about the remaining Lecture Luncheons of our 2010-11 series. I love the Lecture Luncheon aspect of UWC – what a wonderful way to enjoy a luncheon with friends, focus on intellectually stimulating or emotionally moving topics, and meet interesting and distinguished speakers. Many of our speakers can command hefty lecture fees, yet they willingly agree to join the University Women for lunch, conversation, and presentation, without payment. How good it that!

I'm very sorry to report that the renowned Colorado author, Kent Haruf, our scheduled speaker for March, is recovering from recent surgery and will be unable to appear at this time. I know you all join me in wishing him a comfortable and speedy recovery. Although we will not be able to have him as a guest this year, I encourage you, if you are not already familiar with his work, to read one or more of his books.

Along with numerous short stories, Kent **Haruf (rhymes with "sheriff") is the prize-**winning author of 4 novels: *The Tie that Binds* (1984) *Where You Once Belonged* (1990) *Plainsong* (1999) *Eventide* (2004) and, most recently, a unique collaborative work with photographer Peter Brown, *West of Last Chance* (2007).

Kent Haruf was born in Pueblo, Colorado, and although he lived in many different places in the Midwest, he returned to Colorado and his roots once he began to write full-time. All of his novels take place in the fictional town of Holt on the eastern plains of Colorado. The sense of place is central to his works and is reflected in the spare and subtle style he employs to write about fundamental truths. Haruf has said, **"In the plains, things are stripped down to the essentials."**

If you read only one of his books, I suggest *Plainsong*. You will meet characters on whom the personality of Holt itself is built. You are

President's Message



introduced to school teachers Tom Guthrie and Maggie Jones, **Tom's boys Ike and Bobby**, the troubled teenager Victoria Robideaux and the wonderful

McPherson brothers. You'll savor their interrelationships. A theme that runs through *Plainsong* and Haruf's other books is connection – whether through family or others with whom we can find comfort and support.

Another good starting place would be *West of Last Chance*, **Haruf's collaboration with Peter Brown. Peter Brown's photographs** of the Great Plains are interspersed with the observations, sketches, jokes, and short stories of Kent Haruf. About the plains, Haruf has said, **"You have to know how to look at this country. You have to slow down. It isn't pretty, but it's beautiful."** You'll find this concept illustrated not just in this **photography book, but in Kent Haruf's** novels as well.

If you don't usually attend Lecture Luncheons, please consider joining us this semester. In February, we will host William Wei, Professor of History at CU Boulder. His topic **"To Shangri-La and Back: A Historian's Perspective of Tibet"** will provide insights into the current geo-political climate of this controversial region. **Reservations for February's Lecture Luncheon are due by February 1** (see article, page 2). If you come **once, I think you'll find you want to come** again. I hope to see you there.

~Kathy
Kathy Randall
President
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2010-2011 Lecture
Luncheon Series—
Buy your tickets
now!

Please join us for the next Lecture Luncheon. Send your check for \$18 per person made out to **University Women's Club to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543**. Contact her if you have questions or special dietary requirements (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Do you want to come to a Lecture Luncheon but don't want to attend alone? We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you. Or contact Mary Ann Hartigan to set you up with a luncheon partner or a table of people. (303-905-9743; maryannhartigan@msn.com). For more information on [upcoming Lecture Luncheons](#), visit our website.



February

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Drawing from highlights of his recent journey to Tibet, Professor William Wei's lecture will discuss the current geo-political climate of this controversial region of China. Among the topics that he will cover are: Western (mis)perceptions of Tibet, the history of Tibet's relationship to and inclusion in the Chinese empire, China's colonial policies and practices, and the corrosive effect of tourism in Tibet. At the end of his talk, Professor Wei will consider Tibet's future prospects.

A Professor of History at CU, Dr. Wei's primary research interests center on modern China, especially the themes of revolution and counterrevolution. His secondary ones are on Asian America, focusing on Chinese Americans in the context of the overseas Chinese Diaspora. Reflecting these intellectual interests are his major works: *Counterrevolution in China: The Nationalists in Jiangxi during the Soviet Period* (University of Michigan Press, 1985) and *The Asian American Movement* (Temple University Press, 1993).

He has held a Rockefeller Fellowship, Mellon Fellowship, and Fulbright-Hays Fellowship. In the summer of 1997, he worked as a journalist covering the historic handover of Hong Kong to China. He has participated in the Semester at Sea program, serving on the faculty in summer 2003 and as Academic Dean in summer 2006.

Volunteer Opportunity to Help Recruit Girls into the Sciences

The AAUW is seeking volunteers to help with their Expanding Your Horizons (EYH) program for 6th, 7th, and 8th grade girls, parents, teachers, and counselors. It will be held at the Engineering Center at the University of Colorado Boulder Campus on Saturday, February 26, 2011. For the students, the conference features three hands-on workshops in science and technology fields, ranging from Physics to Veterinary Medicine, Computer Science to Meteorology. The AAUW takes over the entire Engineering Center at CU Boulder, enrolling about 275 girls from middle schools across the Front Range.

For teachers, parents, and other attending adults, the conference features three informational workshops, in topics ranging from Planning for College to Understanding Adolescent Girls. For many girls, this will be their first time on a college campus. In 2010, of the girls who reported ethnicity, 41% self-reported as Latina. About half of the attendees receive scholarships to cover the registration fee.

The AAUW needs 60 volunteers who will be assigned to a variety of tasks including:

- Posting signs throughout the campus so attendees can find the building.
- Greeting attendees as they enter the building and directing them to the check-in area.
- Checking in students, adults, volunteers and presenters.
- Setting up for the pizza lunch and helping with the post-meal clean up.
- Assisting in the workshops.



If you love to inspire teen girls in science and/or technology fields, this is a great event for you. No teaching or science experience is necessary. In general, all volunteers need to be at the Engineering Center by 9 a.m. and will be finished by 2:15 p.m. If you are interested in participating, contact Mary Humke (303-447-2669; maryhumke@hotmail.com) by February 12.

Thank You from Community Food Share



Community Food Share has sent a big thank you to the 38 UWC volunteers who spent the Sunday before Thanksgiving helping with their annual food drive. The UWC team encouraged shoppers at 11 grocery stores throughout Boulder County to donate **to the drive. This year's drive was the most successful in CFS's history, with 130,133 pounds of food and over \$18,000 in cash donated.** The UWC group met before their shift to share a delicious lunch and to listen to a

speaker from CFS who gave a very inspiring overview of how the organization helps those in need. It was a fun and productive afternoon for the participants, sore feet notwithstanding!



Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund

(From November 11, 2010 — January 10, 2011)

Each month, *MESSAGES* will thank our members for donations to the Scholarship Fund that have been received since the previous list was published as noted at the top of the list. If you have made a donation during the noted dates but your name does not appear, please contact Beth Rauch.

Anne Hearn

Elizabeth Kauffman

Barbara Christoffersen



Get to Know Some of Our New Members!

Find the UWC
Membership Form
on our website:
www.BoulderUWC.org

Katalin (Kati) Boros

Katalin moved to Boulder with her family in 1986 from Budapest, Hungary. Her husband teaches at CU. Katalin has a language school in Boulder, teaching 10 different languages. She herself teaches Hungarian. She loves to read, cook, play tennis, listen to classical music, and travel.

Ariella Hartshorn

Ariella was born in Israel, has been a US citizen for 40 years and moved to Boulder from Fort Collins three years ago. She lived and worked in the Middle East, Far East, Europe, and various locations in the US. Ariella was educated in Israel and the US, and holds degrees in nursing, political science, sociology, and anthropology with certificate studies in public relations, communications and advertising, and sales and marketing management. She has worked in obstetric/pediatric nursing, global high tech industry sales & marketing management, and community and social welfare. She loves traveling, reading, music, the outdoors, and stimulating conversation.

Eileen Koch

Eileen moved to Boulder last April from Doylestown, PA where she and her husband Chuck had lived for almost 35 years. Eileen raised a family and taught elementary school in Pennsylvania. Eileen and Chuck chose Boulder for retirement because they wanted the stimulation of a university town, a place where they could lower their carbon footprint, and a location where they could be more physically active.

Anne Vondracek

Anne first moved to Winter Park, Colorado in 1968 from Hinsdale, IL. She and her husband built the "Hernando's Hideaway" restaurant in Winter Park. After her husband passed away in 1977, Anne established first a gourmet/gift store/coffee shop and then a bookstore, "Curiosity", in the Winter Park area. Anne later became house director for Kappa Kappa Gamma at Indiana University. She returned to Colorado in 2008 as house director at Delta Gamma on the CU campus. Ann enjoys this 120 year old home, the young residents, and the wonderful community of diverse people and ideas in Boulder.

Leslie Lea

Leslie has moved back to Colorado after a 10 year sojourn in New Jersey. She is retired from marketing communications and glad to be away from the nine hour days in front of a computer screen. Leslie enjoys oil painting, bridge, mah jongg, reading, games of all kinds, music and walking. She will soon be getting a puppy and hoping to meet others with young dogs to go on dog walks and have puppy play dates, etc. They are enjoying Boulder with all its amenities, beauty, and friendly people.

June Krantz

June has lived in Boulder for a total of 37 years. Their residence in Boulder was interrupted for five years when they lived in Cincinnati but they are happy to return. In the past, June has been involved in several of the interest groups including hiking, international luncheon, and investment club as well as serving on the board. Her other interests include antiques (a Quester group), Historic Boulder, ballroom dancing, **and sewing. She doesn't attend many UWC activities at present since they are often traveling and live in Singapore during the winter semester.**

Pat Thompson

A native of Wyoming, Pat retired a few years ago after three careers: a research/clinical audiologist at Northwestern University in Chicago and UC Medical Center in Denver; a full-time mom for 15 years (her favorite career); and, most recently, an early childhood educator. Pat lives in **Lafayette and enjoys reading, hiking and bicycling, and attending performing arts concerts, especially music. Her "secret" next career goal is to write a novel.**

Heather McDonald

Heather and her husband moved to Boulder from Pennsylvania in September 2010. She previously lived in Seattle and New York. Heather has worked in Human Resources and Marketing and currently does marketing work from home. She enjoys biking, hiking, snow shoeing, travel, theater, and movies. Heather loves being in Boulder and is looking forward to getting more involved in UWC.

Judy Etschmaier

Judy and her husband moved to Boulder in 1983 after living in Germany and Montreal. From 1990 to 2007, they lived in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, returning to Boulder every summer, and moving back to Boulder permanently for retirement. Judy worked for many years as a teacher (French, Spanish, and ESL) and later as a reporter for community newspapers. She is a long time member of the UWC French group and a volunteer for the Colorado Music Festival. Judy enjoys traveling, cooking, yoga, and outdoor activities and she looks forward to exploring more UWC activities.

Mary Anna Dunn

Mary Anna and her husband lived in Boulder for over 20 years and have just returned after living seven years in Fresno. Originally from Chicago, Mary Anna first came to CU for graduate study, spent four years in Asia and five in the DC area when she began working for the CU Foundation. Originally an English teacher, her career led her into university advancement at U of Md., CU, and California State University, Fresno. Just retired, she looks forward to more hiking, gardening, creative fun, and bookish pursuits.

Linda Smith

Linda and her husband chose Boulder as a place to live and then found a way to make a living here. Linda and her husband have lived in Boulder since 1973 with the exception of a five year break from 1985 to 1991 when they lived first in Endicott, NY and then Mountain View, CA, moves which confirmed their choice of Boulder as their home. Linda has worked in marketing and public relations and now manages rental property. She loves to reading, walking, hiking, and theater.

The University Women's Club cordially invites you to the
54th Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon

Blossoming Forth

2011 Scholarship Recipients
Fashions by Coldwater Creek

Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Road
Tuesday, April 12, 2011
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.



Checks payable to UWC.

Please observe the RSVP deadline of

Tuesday, April 5, 2011 (reservations necessary).

Mail to: UWC c/o Connie Pringle, 2205 Table Mesa Drive,
Boulder, CO 80305 (303-499-2354; conlou1976@aol.com)

Name _____ Phone _____

Guest Name(s) _____

_____ luncheons @ \$37 = _____

(includes a tax deductible donation of \$10 to the UWC scholarship fund)

Additional Donation _____

Total Enclosed _____

Please select your entrée (fill in names if reservation is for more than one person):

___ Rosemary Chicken (Name _____)

___ Vegetable Wellington (Name _____)

___ Dietary restrictions (identify _____) (Name _____)



University Women's Club Opera Brunch



Mark your calendar for Sunday, March 13 at 11:00 a.m. to enjoy a delicious brunch followed by the opera, *Susannah*. Carlisle Floyd's opera is described as an 'apocryphal tale' that pits Susannah's beauty and the attention she evokes against the jealousy and societal/religious expectations of a small Tennessee town in the 1950s. *Susannah* is filled with 'lush, tuneful Appalachian music' that is certain to haunt and enrich the afternoon.

The brunch will be held at 11:00 a.m. in the new Center for Community on the CU campus, and the opera will be performed in Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Tamera Van Spriell, Chair
UMC Opera Brunch
vanspriell@comcast.net
303-543-7424

Reservations are required by Tuesday, March 1, 2011.

Please complete the registration form below and make your check payable to UWC. Then send your reservation and check to:

**Pat Thompson
2575 Otter Ct.
Lafayette, CO 80026**

I would like _____ opera tickets at \$20.00 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

I would like _____ places for brunch at \$22.50 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please indicate your menu selection:

Beef ☐

Salmon ☐

Vegetarian ☐

Name and contact information: _____



Spotlight on ...Reader's Theater 2

Our Readers' Theatre groups are like a great play—you anticipate a great evening attending the show and once you're there, you don't want the final curtain to fall!

The first Readers' Theatre was Act 1 and continues to be hugely successful, but in 2008 it had a waiting list for new members. Aspiring readers Patty Ludke and Kathy Randall thought they might find a few others to create a second group. At the Membership Coffee in 2008, a dozen others promptly signed up and Readers' Theatre 2 premiered shortly thereafter.

By the fall of 2010, membership in RT2 had doubled. When nearly everyone showed up for an evening reading of *The Dark at the Top of the Stairs* in July, the group started discussing ways to provide an offshoot that would offer more opportunities for participation but allow us to stay connected with each other. Our solution was RT2-Afternoon, a "third act" for our Readers' Theatre groups that will share plays (and readers) as needed with RT2-Evening.

Our playlist has included the classics, such as *Lysistrata*, as well as plays that are just plain fun, such as the sorority murder mystery *Nine Girls*, set in the 1940s. We've also read, among others, *Our Town*, *A Raisin in the Sun*, *The Little Foxes*, and *Enchanted April*. In November, we explored Colorado history with a lively reading of *Thunder is the Mountain's Voice*, set in Estes Park. It's the somewhat fictionalized story of Isabella Bird, an adventurous travel writer in the 1870s, and the rowdy real estate dealings of the times.



Enjoy seeing the Reader's Theater 2 Group in action with these fun video links. When prompted for a password, type in "RT2" (use caps).

Kathy as Lord Hague

<http://vimeo.com/16646002>

Becky as Mountain Jim

<http://vimeo.com/16645929>

You cur!

<http://vimeo.com/16646359>

Mareike as Isabella

<http://vimeo.com/16646144>

Patty & Eleanor

<http://vimeo.com/16646203>



Our last joint meeting of RT2-E and RT2-A in December gave us an opportunity to read *It's a Wonderful Life* from the original radio script, with sound effects provided by our inventive director Claire Marie Martin. We hope to make that an annual tradition.

At each reading of both the RT2-E and RT2-A groups, we take a little time to talk about the play. The director often casts the play in advance and briefly discusses its background. Co-hosts provide a living room and light refreshments. Plays are selected by the group and directors/hostesses volunteer several months in advance; scripts are usually provided for a small annual contribution. No acting experience is necessary!

RT2-E meets on the first or second Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m.; in February, we are reading *Uncommon Women* by Wendy Wasserstein. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).

RT2-A meets on the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. We launch our 2011 season with the over-the-top melodrama *Because Their Hearts Were Pure (Or the Secret of the Mine)* on Sunday, Feb. 13. Prospective RT2 members are welcome to join us—this play has 15 parts, and readers are needed! Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com).

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

- Afternoon Book Group:** This group usually meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. Books are available at Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).
- Evening Book Group:** **We meet the second Thursday of the month. On Feb.10, we'll read *Plainsong* by Kent Haruf. Meet at Helen Goldman's house, 2275 Bluebell Ave., Boulder, at 7:15 p.m.** Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744) for questions.
- Bicycling:** The Biking Group will be entering a winter hiatus starting in November and will only be riding if the weather is predicted to be good on a particular Thursday. You will receive an email notice if we plan to ride. Please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net).
- Bridge:** *First Wednesday Bridge 1-3 p.m.:* Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem (No new members are needed at this time). *Third Thursday Bridge:* Organizer: Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net). *Fourth Thursday Bridge:* 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem. This is a new group being formed. If interested in being a regular or substitute for this group, contact Val or Kay. An *intermediate-advanced bridge* study group will begin meeting in February. Organizers: Val Havlick, Kay Dayem. Contact them, if you are interested in participating in this group. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).
- Current Events:** We meet the second Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center on Arapahoe. Call Barbara Turner (303-417-9778, golferb7@aol.com) for information.
- French Conversation:** Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).
- Gardening:** We hibernate over the winter, so there will be no meetings in December, January and February. We will have our next meeting on Wed., March 2, just in time for spring gardening. Please contact Jyotsna Raj at (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or Virginia Donegan at (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com) for more information.
- Hiking:** This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September–May. During the summer, between Memorial Day–Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting **at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St.**, however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).
- Investment Group:** The Investment group has disbanded. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).
- Italian Conversation:** The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).
- Music:** This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is Monday, Feb.14, at 10:00 a.m. For more information, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; luerman@comcast.net).
- Needlecraft:** The Needlecraft Group will meet Jan. 27, Feb. 10 and Feb. 24 at 1:30 p.m. Contact Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com) for location and details.
- On the Road Again:** Arts and Antiques has merged with this group. Participants plan activities and contact group members. For general information or to suggest an outing, contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).
- Out to Lunch:** We meet Jan 26 at noon at Ted's Montana Grill, 1701 Pearl St. RSVP to Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com). On Wed, Feb. 23, we will meet at noon Lucile's Creole Cafe, 2124 14th St, Boulder. This is a cozy, laid back N' Orleans style breakfast place. Be there, and "laissez les bon temp roulez"! RSVP to Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com).
- Reader's Theater 1:** Currently the membership is full; to be placed on a waiting list, please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).
- Reader's Theatre 2 - Evening:** *New Link!* Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday. On February 7, we meet at the home of Eileen Koch, 5065 B Ralston St., Boulder, to read *Uncommon Women* by Wendy Wasserstein. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).
- Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon:** *New Link!* RT2-A meets on the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. We will read *Because Their Hearts Were Pure (Or the Secret of the Mine)* on Sunday, Feb. 13. Prospective RT2-A members are welcome to join us. Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com).
- Conversational Spanish Speakers:** If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). **We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela** serve as our mentor.
- Beginning Spanish Conversation:** This group meets at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).
- Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More:** The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com).
- Tea and Travel:** Tea and Travel will meet at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 15 in Alice Doyle's home, 777 Gapter Rd. Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m.. Alice will give a presentation on Christmas Markets along the Rhine River followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact Alice (303-499-9792; joehdoyle@aol.com). To receive e-mail messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).
- Occasional Winter Sports:** This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members **must be members of the University Women's Club.**

2010-11 Calendar

February	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

The election will take place at the Lecture Luncheon/General Meeting on February 8, 2011. Nominations by UWC members may also be made from the floor on the day of the election provided the consent of the nominee to serve has been obtained.

The candidates are:

President: Jeannie Thompson
Secretary: Heidi Lynch
Treasurer: Martha McGavin



Executive Board 2010-11

President	Kathy Randall
President-elect	Rosemary Getsie
Program Chair	
Secretary	Kathleen Salzberg
Treasurer	Martha McGavin
Past President	Karon Johnson
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Communications	Karen Diamond Carol Saunders
E-Mail	Kathleen Salzberg
Historian	Ginnie Ross
Honors Reception	Sharon Gabriel
Hospitality	Virginia Stringi
Interest Groups	Jill Grubb
Mailing	Joyce Spencer
Margaret Willard Award	Mary Ann Hartigan
Membership	Beth Rauch
Membership Directory	GeorgiAnne Campbell
MESSAGES	Carol Etges
Nominating Committee	Ami Sadler
Opera Brunch	Tamera VanSpriell
Scholarship Committee	Frieda Holley
Scholarship Luncheon	Cathy Skala Diana King
Service	Joanna Rosenblum
Telephone Tree	Linda Blomquist
Webpage	Carol Etges
Bulletin Board	GeorgiAnne Campbell

Remembrance


UWC Cares About You

Do you know someone in the club who is ill or has lost a loved one? UWC traditionally sends greeting cards to such members offering get-well wishes or condolences. These gestures are one of our ways of expressing care and concern for all our members. Please notify our Hospitality Chair, Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net), if you know a member who should be recognized in this manner.

Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).




New Bulletin Board Entries

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net).

- ♥ [Josh Robinson in 2 Productions](#)
- ♥ [Thank You to Karen Diamond](#)
- ♥ [NEW Bathroom Granite Top, Undermount Sink, and Cabinet](#)

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Keyboard Shortcuts



This series offers a simple computer tip or trick each month.

I love keyboard shortcuts to quickly and easily maneuver around my documents. Keyboard shortcuts are combinations of two or more keys that, when pressed, can be used to perform a task that would typically require a mouse. Keyboard shortcuts can make it easier to interact with your computer, saving you time and effort as you work with Windows and other programs.

Here are some of my favorites. Simply hold down the Ctrl key while pressing the second key.

For the Copy and Cut shortcuts, be sure to highlight the text first by holding down your mouse key and sweeping across the text. To Paste, put your cursor where you want the new text.

The Ctrl+A shortcut will highlight all the text in a document or area so you can copy, cut, or delete it.

Press this Key:	To Do This:
Ctrl+C (or Ctrl+Insert)	Copy the selected item
Ctrl+X	Cut the selected item
Ctrl+V (or Shift+Insert)	Paste the selected item
Ctrl+Z	Undo an action
Ctrl+Y	Redo an action
Ctrl+A	Select all items in a document or window
Ctrl+S	Saves your work

There are many more shortcuts. For a full list of keyboard shortcuts, visit this website...[Microsoft Keyboard Shortcuts](#).

If you have questions, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net) for assistance.

Now Accepting Nominations

The University Women's Club is soliciting nominations for the Margaret Willard Award for 2011 which will be presented at the Honors Tea on May 10, 2011.



The award, named after the first president of the Women's Club, is presented annually to a woman who has enhanced the quality of life for women in Boulder and/or on the CU Boulder campus, is an exceptional role model, and has brought honor to all women through her accomplishments. Nominations are invited from UWC members, faculty, staff, students, and alumni of CU. Nominees may be connected to the University of Colorado in some way or be members of the Boulder community.



KUDOS! Three thank yous for the Dustmuffin Jewelry Trunk Show. Thank you Karen Diamond for hosting this fund raising event for the UWC Scholarship. Thank you UWC members who supported this event and came home with unusual and eye-catching jewelry. Thank you Diana Jacobs for your generous discounts and donation to the scholarship fund. Those who attended enjoyed a good party with delicious refreshments, and UWC has more than \$700 to add to our scholarship fund.



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Lecture Luncheon *Talking with Margaret*

Margaret Coel

Tues., March 8, 11:30 a.m.
Spice of Life Event Center
(Payment due March 1)

Sneak Preview:

One of our favorite local authors, Margaret Coel, will talk with us about her work and life as a writer and will share with us some of her insights regarding the past and present history of the Arapaho.

See Page 2 for Details...

One of the ways I enjoy learning about unfamiliar places and times is by reading fiction which takes place in that area or during that time. When I moved to Colorado in 2006, I started to fill some gaps in my American History education with respect to my new state and the West. Tony Hillerman's Navajo Tribal Police mysteries, Kent Haruf's stories of life on the Colorado plains, Stephen White's psychological thriller fiction set in and around Boulder all helped me absorb the culture of my new locale.

In 2006, the very first UWC Lecture Luncheon I attended introduced me to Margaret Coel and her novels set in the Wind River Reservation, more nutrition for my sense of place. Her lecture whetted my interest in the Arapaho Nation and encouraged me to learn more. We are very happy to have Margaret Coel back with the University Women's Club for the closing Lecture Luncheon of this year's series.

As a little background for her presentation, let me give a quick summary of some of what I've learned about the Arapaho, Chief Niwot, and the Wind River Reservation.

Before explorers came into the western region, the Arapaho were living in South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, and Kansas. By 1850, the Arapaho had coalesced into two tribes - the Northern Arapaho and the Southern Arapaho. They migrated as they followed herds, living in tepees. In the winter, they split into small camps and sheltered in the foothills of the Rockies.

Chief Niwot, also known as Chief Left-Hand, (c.1825-64) was a tribal leader of the Southern Arapaho and lived along the Front Range, often spending the winter in Boulder Valley. In the fall of 1858, Chief Niwot and his deputies, camping at Valmont Butte, encountered gold seekers from Fort St Vrain, 30 miles away. Chief Niwot greeted the gold seekers peacefully, but told them to go away. He articulated the *Curse of the Boulder Valley* - "People seeing the beauty of this valley will want to stay, and their staying will be the undoing of the beauty." The gold seekers did not leave and a peaceful coexistence between the settlers and the Arapaho was maintained for several years until the disaster of the Sand Creek Massacre.

In November of 1864, Chief Niwot and his followers reported to Fort Lyon after receiving

President's Message



a message saying they would be considered hostile and ordered killed if they did not show. Upon arrival, they were wrongly accused of violence and confused, traveled far away from the fort to camp. Colonel Chivington and his battalion attacked the camp the next morning, killing an estimated 180 Arapaho, mostly peaceful elders, women, and children. Chief Niwot was mortally wounded and died a few days later.

Sand Creek was such an atrocity that President Abraham Lincoln called for a Congressional investigation. Chivington was censured and relieved of his duties, Colorado Governor Evans was removed from office, and the state was placed under martial law.

Sand Creek Massacre was a major precipitating event in three decades of Indian Wars. In 1867, the Treaty of Medicine Lodge put the Southern Arapaho on the Cheyenne and Arapaho Indian Reservation in Oklahoma. The Northern Arapaho continued to resist until being driven into the Wind River Reservation in Wyoming in 1876.

Throughout Boulder County, many places pay tribute the Chief Niwot and the Arapaho including the town of Niwot, Left Hand Canyon, Niwot Mountain, and Niwot Ridge. Arapahoe Avenue runs through Boulder. The site of the Sand Creek Massacre has been designated as a National Historic Site.

Please join us on March 8 to hear Margaret Coel provide insight into her life as a writer, and into the past and present history of the Arapaho. I hope to see you there.

~Kathy
Kathy Randall
President
303-530-1095

2010-2011 Lecture
Luncheon Series—
Buy your tickets
now!

Please join us for the next Lecture Luncheon. Send your check for **\$18 per person** made out to **University Women's Club to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder 80305-6543**. Contact her if you have questions or special dietary requirements (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Do you want to come to a Lecture Luncheon but don't want to attend alone? We encourage you to invite your spouse or a guest to attend with you. Or contact Mary Ann Hartigan to set you up with a luncheon partner or a table of people. (303-905-9743; maryannhartigan@msn.com).



March

Talking with Margaret Coel

Margaret Coel

Tuesday, March 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m.

Spice of Life Event Center

5706 Arapahoe Ave, Boulder

(Reservations and payment due March 1)



One of our favorite local authors, Margaret Coel, will talk with us about her work and life as a writer and will share with us some of her insights regarding the past and present history of the Arapaho. Many of us are familiar with Ms. Coel's mystery novels featuring Father John O'Malley and Vicky Holden set on the Wind River Reservation, but she is also the author of five non-fiction works, including *Chief Left Hand*, a biography of the leader of the Arapaho when they still lived on the plains of Colorado. It tells the story of these native people from the time of the Colorado Gold Strike through the events that led to the Sand Creek Massacre and the removal of the Arapaho people to reservations. Her most recent book is *The Spider's Web*.

Margaret Coel has won six Colorado Book Awards, The Willa Cather Award, and is the 2010 winner of The Frank Waters Award which stands for "exemplary literary achievement as well as a canon of writing that communicates a deep understanding, celebration, and love of our human nature and peoples of all races."

We Want Your Nominations

The University Women's Club is soliciting nominations for the Margaret Willard Award for 2011 which will be presented at the Honors Tea on May 10, 2011.



The award, named after the first president of the Women's Club, is presented annually to a woman who has enhanced the quality of life for women in Boulder and/or on the CU Boulder campus, is an exceptional role model, and has brought honor to all women through her accomplishments. Nominations are invited from UWC members, faculty, staff, students, and alumni of CU. Nominees may be connected to the University of Colorado in some way or be members of the Boulder community.

When making a nomination, please send your nominating letter with two other supporting letters and a brief vitae or resume. Send all materials to committee chair, Mary Ann Hartigan; 1336 Meadow Ave. Boulder, CO 80304, prior to the March 15, 2011 deadline. Alternatively, email may be used, followed by a phone call to Mary Ann (303-905-9743; maryannhartigan@msn.com) to inform her the email has been sent.

Honor's Reception



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Boulder, 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Please RSVP no later than **Tuesday, April 26**, to Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643; skgabriel@comcast.net).

RT2 Enjoys An Afternoon with *Lucky Stiff* Uncle Tony



Photo above:

Rear row: Claire Martin, Claire Marie Martin, Bernice Bender, Ellie Bertram, Sharon Gabriel, Patty Ludke.

Front row: Rosemary Cooke, Kathy Randall, Merry Bullock's sister Susan, Merry Bullock.

Photo right (L to R):

Merry Bullock's sister Susan, Merry Bullock, Bernice Bender, Lucky Stiff, Claire Martin, Claire Marie Martin, Kathy Randall.



Ten members of Readers

Theater 2 Afternoon and Evening Groups joined together for a theater outing on February 6. After a delightful Sunday brunch at Dickens Tavern on Main Street in Longmont, they saw *Lucky Stiff*, a musical performed to perfection by Longmont Theater Company. You could die laughing!

They had such a good time they are planning an encore outing to *Crimes of the Heart* in March.

Contact Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) if you'd like to be included in the email invitation list. We get a great group rate!

Get to Know Our New Members!

Heidi Todd

Heidi and her husband, Steve, moved to Boulder 2 years ago from Estes Park, where they had lived for 13 years and owned and operated a retail store/gallery selling locally made, lodge-style home furnishings and art. Their roots are in Minnesota but they like the winters in Colorado a lot more. Heidi has a BA and MA from Stanford University where she studied painting, Asian art, and art education. She has worked as a museum educator, fine artist, and Asian art gallery manager/appraiser. Heidi has performed, taught and choreographed Middle Eastern dance for 30 years, takes part in environmental activism, and enjoys skiing, biking and horse riding.

Find the UWC
Membership Form
on our website:
www.BoulderUWC.org

The University Women's Club cordially invites you to the
54th Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon

Blossoming Forth

2011 Scholarship Recipients
Fashions by Coldwater Creek

Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Road
Tuesday, April 12, 2011
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.



Checks payable to UWC.

Please observe the RSVP deadline of

Tuesday, April 5, 2011 (reservations necessary).

Mail to: UWC c/o Connie Pringle, 2205 Table Mesa Drive,
Boulder, CO 80305 (303-499-2354; conlou1976@aol.com)

Name _____ Phone _____

Guest Name(s) _____

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Please select your entrée (fill in names if reservation is for more than one person):

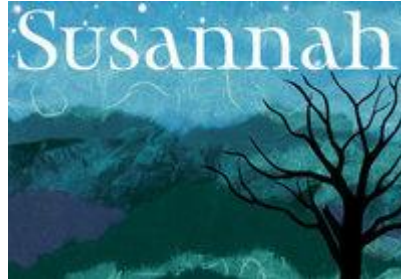
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University Women's Club Opera Brunch



Mark your calendar for Sunday, March 13 at 11:00 a.m. to enjoy a delicious brunch followed by the opera, ***Susannah***. Carlisle Floyd's opera is described as an 'apocryphal tale' that pits Susannah's beauty and the attention she evokes against the jealousy and societal/religious expectations of a small Tennessee town in the 1950s. *Susannah* is filled with 'lush, tuneful Appalachian music' that is certain to haunt and enrich the afternoon.

The brunch will be held at 11:00 a.m. in the new Center for Community on the CU campus, and the opera will be performed in Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Tamera Van Spriell, Chair
UMC Opera Brunch
vanspriell@comcast.net
303-543-7424

Reservations are required by Tuesday, March 1, 2011.

Please complete the registration form below and make your check payable to UWC. Then send your reservation and check to:

**Pat Thompson
2575 Otter Ct.
Lafayette, CO 80026**

I would like _____ opera tickets at \$20.00 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

I would like _____ places for brunch at \$22.50 each.

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please indicate your menu selection:

Beef ☐

Salmon ☐

Vegetarian ☐

Name and contact information: _____



Spotlight on...Current Events Group

Do you like to talk about what's going on in our city, our nation, and the world? Maybe Current Events Group is for you. Our evolving format involves selecting two possible topics for the next month, with someone agreeing to talk for a few minutes on each. Then there could be a large question to which each member responds in writing, at the meeting, as a basis for further

discussion. No one would be required to share. Everyone would have an opportunity to talk. We'd all listen, perhaps asking more questions of people whose views we disagreed, but there would be no uncivil responses.

Unless one of the members volunteers her house, we meet on the second Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center on Arapahoe Ave. This venue costs us \$2/person, plus \$1 for parking.

In September, we began with a discussion of the Four Mile Canyon Fire, something that just missed or touched the lives of several of our members. This set a precedent for bringing local issues to the group.

In October, Jyotsna Raj expanded our range in her discussion of immigration in America. Of course we did not exhaust this topic, and there's some interest in looking at in-state tuition for children of illegal aliens.

We continued expanding to issues national in scope with research on the billionaire Koch brothers, our subject for November, following elections that were heavily influenced by money. Virginia Stringi led a discussion on these billionaire libertarians who are behind some of the groups financing extremely conservative or libertarian candidates. There is some concern about the lack of transparency, both as to who is providing money and whether or not there are strings attached. David Koch in particular has also been a philanthropist, supporting cultural organizations in New York and elsewhere, as well as contributing to cancer research following his own bout with cancer.

After a break in December, the group discussed Higher Education, the rising costs of school and the lower wage expectancy. Barbara Turner presented facts and figures and asked provocative questions. The Dept. of Education is cracking down on for-profit schools that enroll students with government loans and have an appalling dropout rate and failure to pay back loans. Ideas spread to a consideration of the efficacy of charter schools, federal funding of medical school, and information on loan forgiveness for public interest education.

In February, events in Egypt bumped a discussion of health care reform to a future month, playing to our interest in world events. Possible Egyptian leaders, the role of the military, the expectations of the young protesters, and America's possible response were among our topics.

For March we'll discuss both K-12 education in Boulder and the qualities of a good leader, but there's no limit. Down the road, health care, the deficit, Medicare, graft, and bike trails are all possibilities. Join us with your ideas.



KUDOS! Kudos to the women who take change in stride and make lemonade. Thank you, Roxane Ruggles of UMC Catering who looked at the weather predicted for February 8 and contacted Program Chair Rosemary Getsie with the very generous offer of allowing us to reduce our luncheon reservations. Thank you Rosemary Getsie, our email guru Kathleen Salzberg, and Linda Blomquist and her telephone crew for getting the word out quickly and keeping track of numbers. Thank you, Hospitality Chair Virginia Stringi, for processing the replacement reservations, refunds, and donations resulting from the cancelled reservations. Excellent work, ladies!

UWC Officers for 2012-13 were elected at the February 8
Lecture Luncheon General Meeting.
Congratulations and Best Wishes to:

President: Jeannie Thompson
Secretary: Heidi Lynch
Treasurer: Martha McGavin



Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Afternoon Book Group: This group usually meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. Books are available at Boulder Bookstore. On Feb 22, the group will discuss *Darwin's Armada: Four Voyages* by Iain McCalman, at the home of Charlotte Corbridge, 7351 Windsor Dr., Boulder. On March 22, the group will discuss *Infidel* by Ayaan Hirsi Ali, at the home of Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).

Evening Book Group: We meet the second Thursday of the month. We will meet on March 10 at the home of Marion Selbin, 3345 16th St. (303 333-7341; mselbin@yahoo.com) to discuss *Wolf Hall* by Hilary Mantel with the discussion led by Frances Dahlberg and refreshments provided by Charlotte Mudar. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744; cmudar@yahoo.com) for questions.

Bicycling: The Biking Group will be entering a winter hiatus starting in November and will only be riding if the weather is predicted to be good on a particular Thursday. You will receive an email notice if we plan to ride. Please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, m.b.greenwald@comcast.net). Look in next month's Spotlight for information on the group.

Bridge: *First Wednesday Bridge 1-3 p.m.:* Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem (No new members are needed at this time). *Third Thursday Bridge:* Organizer: Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net). *Fourth Thursday Bridge:* 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem. This is a new group being formed. If interested in being a regular or substitute for this group, contact Val or Kay. An *intermediate-advanced bridge* study group will begin meeting in February. Organizers: Val Havlick, Kay Dayem. Contact them, if you are interested in participating in this group. Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) or Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu).

Current Events: New Link! We will meet March 9 at 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center on Arapahoe. Two possible topics are K-12 education in Boulder and/or the question of what makes a good leader. We agreed there could be impromptu discussion of other timely topics; there will not be a lecture, but Ellie Bertram and Connie Pringle are willing to talk for a few minutes on these two topics. Please contact Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com) if you have questions.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Gardening: We will have our next meeting on Wed., March 2, just in time for spring gardening. Please contact Jyotsna Raj at (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or Virginia Donegan at (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com) for more information.

Hiking: This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September–May. During the summer, between Memorial Day–Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Italian Conversation: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net).

Music: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. In March, we perform for seniors at Golden West and Frasier Meadows. If you would like to perform a short piece on the evenings of March 14 or 21, please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net). Our next regular meeting is on Monday, April 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Needlecraft: Needlecraft will meet Feb. 24 at Judy's, March 10 at Marion's, and March 24 at Ginnie's. Contact Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com) for location and details.

On the Road Again: Arts and Antiques has merged with this group. Participants plan activities and contact group members. For general information or to suggest an outing, contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).

Out to Lunch: On Wed, Feb. 23, we will meet at noon Lucile's Creole Cafe, 2124 14th St, Boulder. This is a cozy, laid back N' Orleans style breakfast place. Be there, and "laissez les bon temp roulez"! RSVP to Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com).

Reader's Theater 1: Currently the membership is full; to be placed on a waiting list, please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2 - Evening: Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday. On March 14 we meet at the home of Patty Ludke, 2938 Kalmia Ave #21, to read *The Crucible* by Arthur Miller. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).

Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon: RT2-A meets on the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. We will read *Anna in the Tropics*, a Pulitzer Prize-winning play by Nilo Cruz, on Sunday, March 20 (note change in date for March). Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com).

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: Tea and Travel will meet at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15 in Merry Bullock's home, 2167 Jordan Pl., Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m.. Merry will give a presentation on Estonia followed by tea and refreshments. Estonia is bordered to the north by the Gulf of Finland, to the west by the Baltic Sea, to the south by Latvia, and to the east by the Russian Federation. Anyone interested in attending should contact Merry (303-717-8063; merrybullock@mac.com). To receive e-mail messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: This group will meet as weather and interest permit. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members must be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting



UWC Cares About You

Do you know someone in the club who is ill or has lost a loved one? UWC traditionally sends greeting cards to such members offering get-well wishes or condolences. These gestures are one of our ways of expressing care and concern for all our members. Please notify our Hospitality Chair, Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net), if you know a member who should be recognized in this manner.

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Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

New Bulletin Board Entries

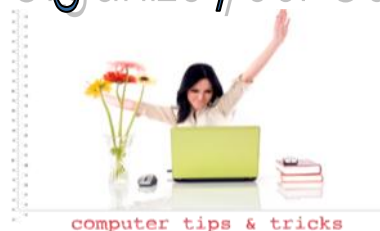
Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; Setges@comcast.net).



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Organize your Computer: Part 1



Does your home office have papers, photos, and documents littered all over the floor? Most of

us organize our office by creating a file system where everything is labeled and neatly put away so we know where to find them. You also need to get your computer organized. I'm sure you've seen those computer desktops with a bazillion shortcuts on it. That's no better than

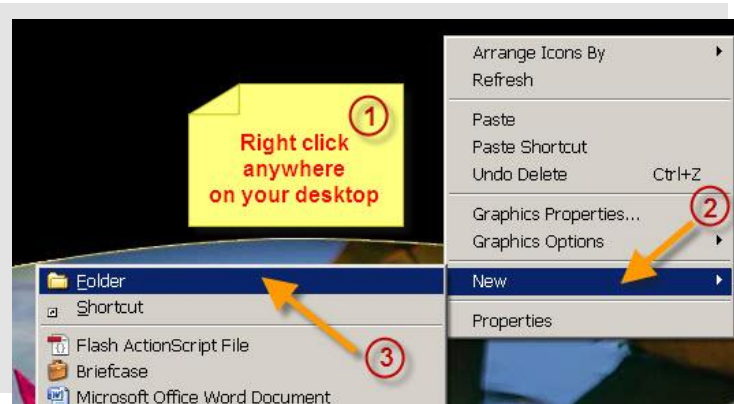
leaving papers all over your office. There's a reason geek-speak calls them files and folders. Treat them like their real world companions and they will be easier to find, work with, and be more secure all at the same time.

To start, go ahead and create a folder on your desktop. I named mine "Carol's Stuff". To do this, right-click onto an open space and select >New >Folder from the menu. Then drag-and-drop everything that clutters up your desktop into that folder. Don't worry, we will attend to the contents in Part 2 next month.

Drag-and-drop refers to moving objects on a

computer by using the mouse. Drag-and-drop objects by following these steps:

1. Move the mouse pointer until it is directly over the object you want to manipulate.
2. Hold down the left mouse button.
3. With the left mouse button held down, move the mouse to where you want to drop the object (your new folder). Notice how the object moves with your mouse pointer.
4. Drop the object by letting up on the left mouse button.



Next month I'll cover what to do with the stuff in that file.

If you have questions, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; Setges@comcast.net) for assistance.

Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund (From January 11– February 10, 2011)

Each month, MESSAGES will thank our members for donations to the Scholarship Fund that have been received since the previous list was published as noted at the top of the list. If you have made a donation during the noted dates but your name does not appear, please contact Beth Rauch.

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Spring Scholarship Luncheon Blossoming Forth

Tuesday, April 12
11 a.m.—2 p.m.
Boulder Country Club
(Payment due April 5)

Highlights:

- 2011 Scholarship Recipients
- Fashion Show by Coldwater Creek

See Page 4 for Details...

A few weeks ago I received an invitation for Charter Membership in the National Women's History Museum (NWHM) to be built on the mall in Washington, DC. I'm never sure about isolation. Part of me says women are part of history, period – we should be included in any History Museum; we shouldn't need our own. But another part of me wants special recognition for women's contributions – making up for decades and centuries of substandard status.

Along with many UWC members, I grew up in the dark ages, before Betty Friedan and NOW ushered in the second wave of Women's Liberation, before any of us even considered burning our bras, before Title 9 brought equity to the educational system. But even then, we learned about **Marie Curie**, pioneer in the field of radio activity and Nobel prize winner; **Sojourner Truth**, African-American abolitionist and women's rights activist; **Elizabeth Blackwell**, first woman to earn a degree in medicine, graduating at the top of her class in 1849; and **Catharine Littlefield Greene**, inventor of the cotton gin.

Who? Yes, there is some evidence that Catharine Greene conceived the idea of the cotton gin, and she definitely worked with Eli Whitney to develop the first working model of the machine that revolutionized an industry and brought an economic windfall to America. In those days, it was not considered appropriate for a woman to hold a patent, which may be why all the honors go to Eli Whitney.

Who else have I not heard of? **Lydia Barrington Darragh** who overheard a British plan, warned American troops of a surprise attack, and saved the day for George Washington. **Julia Lathrop**, the first woman to head a federal government agency under President Taft. **Marie Van Brittan Brown**, inventor of the first closed-circuit television security system.

Women have played crucial roles in the Labor Movement, the Women's Suffrage Movement, the Civil Rights Movement, the Women's Rights Movement, and the

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Environmental Movement. Some of the names we know – **Frances Perkins, Susan B. Anthony, Rosa Parks, Germaine Greer, Rachel Carson** – but there are so many we don't know.



March is Women's History Month. In his proclamation recognizing Women's History Month, President Barack Obama said, "...in women's centuries-old struggle to participate in society on an equal footing with men... while enormous progress has been made, there is still work to be done before women achieve true parity."

The National Women's History Project (NWHP) named the theme for 2011 to be "Our History is Our Strength." We can build on this strength in our quest for true parity. Perhaps we do need a museum of our own. The National Women's History Museum will become "a place of learning and inspiration for girls and boys – and for women and men of any age who believe in equal rights and equal opportunity."

Read more about the National Women's History Project here: www.nwhp.org.
Read more about the proposed National Women's History Museum here: www.nwhm.org.

Please enjoy the rest of National Women's History Month, and the springtime that is just arriving. See you at the Scholarship Luncheon.

~Kathy

Kathy Randall
President
303-530-1095

*Service
Opportunity
Within the UWC*

Would you like to attend a UWC event, such as the Scholarship Luncheon or the Honors Tea, but you don't have a way to get there? Let us know and we'll match you up with a driver in your neighborhood.

If you'd like a ride, please contact Joanna Rosenblum (joannarosenblum@yahoo.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) at least one week before the event.

If you'd like to volunteer as a driver, please give us your name for our driver pool. We'll contact you as needed to see if we can make a neighborhood match. Let us know your neighborhood and what events you'll be attending. Contact Joanna Rosenblum or Kathy Randall to volunteer.

Something New!

Our members enjoyed a special bonus at our March Lecture Luncheon which featured UWC favorite, author Margaret Coel. In addition to hearing a very interesting talk about Margaret Coel's experiences with the Arapaho and gaining some insight into Ms Coel's approach to writing, we had the opportunity to complement our tasty meal with a glass of wine. As an experiment, we included a cash wine bar at our Spice of Life event. Our experiment was met with approval, and we'll try it again when we can!



Honor's Reception



The Honors Reception will be on Tuesday, May 10, at the Koenig Alumni Center, 1202 University Avenue (Corner of Broadway and University),

Boulder, 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Please RSVP no later than **Tuesday, April 26**, to Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643; skgabriel@comcast.net).

UWC Supports the AAUW Expanding Your Horizon Event

Seven UWC members signed up for a day at CU in February volunteering at the AAUW Expanding Your Horizons event. Over 300 6th, 7th, and 8th grade girls, their parents, and teachers spent the day in the Engineering Center in workshops exploring science and technology fields. The goal was to pique the girls' interest in the sciences and arm their parents and teachers with the tools to successfully help them achieve their higher education goals.

We received this very nice note from the AAUW:



"Thank you, thank you for all the help we got from the UWC to make Expanding Your Horizon 2011 the best ever! Your group graciously contributed seven wonderful women. Thank you for sharing in AAUW's mission to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, and research."

Peggy Darby Brings Home the Gold!



Peggy Darby, UWC Member and fantastic figure skater, returned from the February Summit County Senior Games with four gold medals, including Individual Figure Skating, Pairs Figure Skating, Short Snowshoe Race, and Snowball Toss, and one silver medal – the Hockey Goal Shoot.

Congratulations, Peggy!



Get to Know Our New Members!

Jenifer Calloway

Jenifer grew up in Colorado Springs, lived in Minnesota and Washington state, and moved back to Colorado and to Boulder in 1991. Prior to her retirement several years ago, Jenifer's work encompassed a combination of energy-related research, management consulting and computer software (database) development. She now works part-time as principal of her company, Colorado Gardenscapes LLC, doing residential landscape design in the Boulder area, making use of her life-long passion for gardening and plants. Her hobbies include gardening, hiking, horse-back riding, fly fishing, casual mountain biking, traveling, and gourmet-ish cooking. Jenifer is also a volunteer in Boulder's quest to provide more renewable energy to the city.

Find the UWC
Membership Form
on our website:
www.BoulderUWC.org

The University Women's Club cordially invites you to the
54th Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon

Blossoming Forth

2011 Scholarship Recipients
Fashions by Coldwater Creek

Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Road
Tuesday, April 12, 2011
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.



Checks payable to UWC.

Please observe the RSVP deadline of

Tuesday, April 5, 2011 (reservations necessary).

Mail to: UWC c/o Connie Pringle, 2205 Table Mesa Drive,
Boulder, CO 80305 (303-499-2354; conlou1976@aol.com)

Name _____ Phone _____

Guest Name(s) _____

_____ luncheons @ \$37 = _____

(includes a tax deductible donation of \$10 to the UWC scholarship fund)

Additional Donation _____

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Please select your entrée (fill in names if reservation is for more than one person):

___ Rosemary Chicken (Name _____)

___ Vegetable Wellington (Name _____)

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Spotlight on...Biking Group

The University Women's Club Biking Group was started about four years ago by a few women who enjoyed bicycling but who were not road riders. We are recreational riders and use the bike paths around Boulder, and also use roads and highways with bike lanes or wide shoulders. Our rides in the past have taken us to Niwot, Hygiene, and Louisville, as well as on all the Boulder bike trails, including the 360. The trails are a combination of crushed gravel and pavement and a hybrid bike is a good choice, but road bikes and mountain bikes also work.



Since it is difficult to be very sociable riding single file, we also like to plan on a coffee stop on our rides so that members can get acquainted and have a chance to visit. We start out the season in the spring with rides of 10-12 miles and gradually work up to about 20-25 miles by the end of the summer. We meet every Thursday morning during the riding season and e-mail notices are sent out each week on Monday evening or Tuesday morning, giving the location and time of that week's ride.

During the past year, we have become aware that there is a need for a more leisurely riding group that caters to riders who may not have ridden for some time or need to work up to the distance of the regular group. Therefore, starting this spring, we will begin an "Easy Riders" group which will ride mainly on the bike trails in Boulder, with a shorter and slower route. We anticipate that this group will ride on Wednesday mornings for about an hour. So, if you are interested in this group, please mark your calendars now to save Wednesday mornings starting in May.

If you are not a member of the regular group and wish to be added to the e-mail list, please let me know. If you signed up earlier in the season to be part of the Easy Rider group, I should already have your address. Anyone else who is interested in either riding group, please let me know at: m.b.greenwald@comcast.net.



★ **KUDOS!** Thank you Joanna Rosenblum, Service
★ Chair, for doing such a great job revitalizing one of
★ UWC's constitutional objectives: "To promote
★ service to the community through UWC's specific
★ service projects." As a result of her organization,
★ members representing UWC took part in the United
★ Way's Day of Caring in August, volunteered at the
★ Community Food Share's Thanksgiving food drive in
★ November, and helped out at "Expanding Your
★ Horizons", the AAUW program to increase girls'
★ interest in the sciences, in February. In addition,
★ kudos to all the UWC women who give to our
★ community by volunteering – whether individually
★ or with our group.

Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Afternoon Book Group: This group usually meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. Books are available at Boulder Bookstore. On March 22, the group will discuss *Infidel* by Ayaan Hirsi Ali, at the home of Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder. On April 26, the group will meet at Ami Sadler's, 603 Kalmia Ave., Boulder (303-938-8406; amisadler@earthlink.net). We will discuss *In an Antique Land: History in the Guise of a Traveler's Tale* by Amitav Ghosh. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).

Evening Book Group: We will meet at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Carly Kassoy, 2000 Kohler Drive, Boulder (303-494-9017; cfkassoy@colorado.edu) to discuss *Zeitoun* by Dave Eggers. Linda Toomre will review the book and Kathy Randall will provide the refreshments. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744; cmudar@yahoo.com) for questions.

Bicycling: New Link! *UWC Biking Group:* Warm weather is coming soon so watch your email for time and meeting place of rides on Thursday mornings. Notify Mary Greenwald (m.b.greenwald@comcast.net) to get your name on the list or get more information about the group. *UWC Easy Riders:* We will start riding in May so sign up if you are interested in a shorter/slower ride on Wednesday mornings. See contact information above.

Bridge: *First Wednesday Bridge* 1-3 p.m.: Organizers: Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu) and Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) No new members are needed at this time. *Third Thursday Bridge:* Organizer: Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net). *Fourth Thursday Bridge:* 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem. This is a new group being formed. If interested in being a regular or substitute for this group, contact Val or Kay. An *Intermediate-Advanced Bridge* study group is being organized, but space is limited. Contact organizers, Kay Dayem or Val Havlick.

Current Events: We meet Sept. through May for nine meetings a year, with more than one topic per meeting. Jyotsna will host in April 13 at 2 p.m. at 863 14th St. (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) *April topics:* 1) Being Muslim in America Today-Kathy Randall. 2) Leadership in Arab Countries. *May topics:* 1) Polarization of Political Parties in America-Liz Schmidt. 2) Contemporary India-Jyotsna Raj. *Possible Topics for next year:* 1) Mexican Drug War. 2) Haiti Elections. 3) Jobs being taken away by computers, future education for jobs. Please contact Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com) if you have questions.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Gardening: Please contact Jyotsna Raj at (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or Virginia Donegan at (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com) for more information.

Hiking: This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September–May. During the summer, between Memorial Day–Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Italian Conversation: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619; maxene@earthlink.net).

Music: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is on Monday, April 11 at 7:30 p.m. Please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net).

Needlecraft: Needlecraft will meet March 24 at Ginnie's, April 14 at Kathy's and April 28 at Karon's. Contact Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com) for location and details.

On the Road Again: Our next outing on Wed., March 23, will be to the Denver Art Museum. We will meet at 9:15 a.m. at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th Street. Car pools will leave at 9:30 a.m. for the 11:00 a.m. museum tour. Email me ASAP to let me know if you will join our group and if you are able to drive. We will eat lunch at the museum and leave around 3 p.m. And also mark your calendars for our Wed, May 25 event at the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg. (Our lecture luncheon October, 2010 was Pat Craig, Director of the Sanctuary.) I have reserved a 10:00 a.m. tour for our group. More details to follow. For general information or to suggest an outing, contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).

Out to Lunch: We meet on Wednesday, March 30, at 12 noon for lunch in one of the new Italian style pizza places, Pizzeria Locale, at 1730 Pearl St. This is authentic Neopolitan-style pizza, so Viva Italia! Contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).

Reader's Theater 1: Currently the membership is full; to be placed on a waiting list, please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2 - Evening: Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday. On April 11 we meet at the home of Kathy Randall, 4620 Chestnut Lane to read *I'm Not Rappaport* by Herb Gardner. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).

Readers' Theatre 2 - Afternoon: RT2-A meets on the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com).

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303-530-1860; diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: Tea and Travel will meet at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19 in Carol Saunders' home, 1076 Westview Dr., Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m. Carol will give a presentation on Egypt/Jordan followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact Carol (303-499-3731; carol.saunders@comcast.net). To receive e-mail messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: Winter Sports has been suspended for the remainder of the year and will resume when the snow flies next winter.

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members must be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

April	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	12	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting



UWC Cares About You

Do you know someone in the club who is ill or has lost a loved one? UWC traditionally sends greeting cards to such members offering get-well wishes or condolences. These gestures are one of our ways of expressing care and concern for all our members. Please notify our Hospitality Chair, Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net), if you know a member who should be recognized in this manner.

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Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

Organize your Computer: Part 2



New Bulletin Board Entries

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; Setges@comcast.net).



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Clear out your old, unnecessary files!

So how long should you keep old files on your hard drive? If you haven't used a particular file for several months, you can probably delete it or store it somewhere else.

How can you tell how old a file is? In the folder where the file is stored (remember last month you created a folder on your desktop?), rest your mouse pointer over the file name to see when it was last modified. For more information,

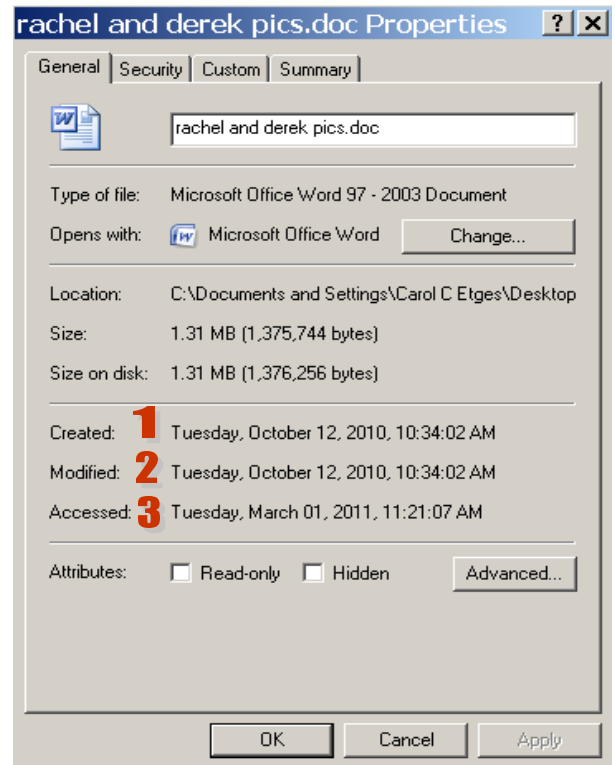
right-click the file name and choose **Properties**. You can see **1**) when the file was created, **2**) last modified, and **3**) most recently accessed. If a file is old and hasn't been accessed in more than six months, it might be time to clear it out. If you're not certain, it's a good idea to open it just to be sure you won't need it soon.



One more quick and easy way to clear out files is to empty your Recycle Bin. All the files that you have deleted still exist on your computer until you empty your Recycle Bin. To empty the bin, right-click the **Recycle Bin** icon on your desktop and then click **Empty Recycle Bin**.

Note: If you're concerned that, in your efforts to clean up your computer, you might have deleted files that you still need, click **Open** and then review the files in the bin before you empty it. To get back deleted files that you removed by mistake, select those files, and then click **Restore** to put them back to their original locations.

If you have questions, we offer technical help, one-on-one. Contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; Setges@comcast.net) for assistance.



Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund (From February 11–March 10, 2011)

Each month, *MESSAGES* will thank our members for donations to the Scholarship Fund that have been received since the previous list was published as noted at the top of the list. If you have made a donation during the noted dates but your name does not appear, please contact Beth Rauch.

Sandra Moriarty

Jeanne Wehner Collins and Allan Collins





MESSAGES

A Publication of the University Women's Club of CU Boulder

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Honors Tea

Tuesday, May 10
3 p.m.—5 p.m.
Koenig Alumni Center
(RSVP by April 26)

Highlights:

- ☼ **Margaret Willard**
Award Winner
- ☼ **President's Award**

See Page 2 for
Details...

As I wind up my year as president of the University Women's Club I want to include in my last "Message" a review of some of our endeavors of the last year, and a look to the future. This has been an exciting year for me and a major challenge in my first experience of serving as president of a large and lively group. I would have floundered without the support, advice and friendship of the members of the UWC Board. To them I extend my heartfelt praise and thanks.

I think we've had a good year. We had record donations to our Scholarship Fund so we were able to distribute \$12,000 to our four outstanding winners ([link to scholarship story](#)). We've added a monthly "Thank You" column to **MESSAGES** to thank all of our donors and have formalized our procedure of acknowledging the larger donations in writing. Remember, all of your donations to UWC, including your membership dues, are tax deductible.

Two other records this year are the number of members and the number of new members. The mini-biographies of the new members which have appeared in **MESSAGES** (a great idea from our Membership Chair Beth Rauch) demonstrate the interesting and diverse personal histories of our membership. The pink name tags (courtesy of Hospitality Chair Virginia Stringi) helped us identify our new members so we could be sure to welcome them to our club.

We added some interest groups and split *Readers Theater 2* into an afternoon and evening group when it became so popular we were bursting at the seams. *On the Road Again* is flourishing ([link to Wild Animal Sanctuary Story](#)). *Current Events Group* is finding its niche and membership, and *Needlework Group*, besides offering a congenial atmosphere in which to share skills turns into a second current events discussion group (or sometimes just a gab fest) ([link to Spotlight On Needlecraft](#)).

President's Message

We've experimented: We tried a partnership with an art jewelry retailer for a scholarship fundraiser, we tested a cash wine bar at one of our Lecture Luncheons, and, reinstating an activity from the past, we undertook three UWC group service projects under the leadership of our Service Chair Joanna Rosenblum.

At our Honors' Tea in May ([link to reservation info](#)) I will "pass the gavel" to Rosemary Getsie, UWC President for 2011-12. Rosemary is already planning for next year. A committee is reviewing our Constitution to ensure it reflects our current interests and objectives. Rosemary has also formed a committee to review our experimentation with Service and suggest any changes that could make it more relevant to our membership. Rosemary also wants to focus on emphasizing the connection between the University Women's Club and the University community.

As we make plans for next year we want your input. If you have an idea you'd like to share or if you want to take a more active role in the UWC by serving on a committee, please contact us, the sooner the better – contact me and I will pass on the information or contact Rosemary directly. We would love to hear from you.

Please make your reservations for the Honors' Tea. They're due by Tuesday April 26. I look forward to seeing you there.

~Kathy Randall



*The University Women's Club Of the
University of Colorado at Boulder*

**Cordially Invites You to Attend
The Honors Reception
and Margaret Willard Award Presentation**



tuesday
May 10, 2011

3:00pm



Koenig Alumni Center
1202 University Avenue
(Corner of Broadway & University)
Boulder, Colorado
3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Please RSVP
No Later than April 26, 2011
Sharon Gabriel
303-494-7643
skgabriel@comcast.net



Lynne Fetterman is our Margaret Willard Award Recipient for 2011.

During the early stages of the Four Mile Fire, Lynne conceived the idea of a community store where fire victims could find necessities. Lynne found vacant stores, established a non-profit, organized volunteers, and created a "home away from home" for many people.

Would you like to attend the Honor's Tea, but you don't have a way to get there? Let us know and we'll match you up with a driver in your neighborhood.

If you'd like a ride, please contact Joanna Rosenblum (joannarosenblum@yahoo.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com) at least one week before the event.

If you'd like to volunteer as a driver, please give us your name for our driver pool. We'll contact you as needed to see if we can make a neighborhood match. Let us know your neighborhood and what events you'll be attending. Contact Joanna Rosenblum or Kathy Randall to volunteer.

*Service
Opportunity
Within the UWC*

Last October, Pat Craig, Executive Director of The Wild Animal Sanctuary, inspired us with remarkable rescue stories of some of nature's most magnificent as well as mistreated creatures. With Pat's most recent rescue story, however, he may have actually outdone himself!

An emergency plan was put into action with ADI and the Wild Animal Sanctuary forming a cooperative agreement to save the lions. In the agreement, ADI would provide transportation from Bolivia to Colorado, as well as offset the costs for their lifetime care. The sanctuary agreed to provide 80 acres of land for the lions to live freely in multiple large habitats, as well as work with ADI to construct a 15,000 square-foot shelter because they were set to arrive in mid-February. The brisk winds ripping across the Colorado plains would be too harsh on any creature coming from hot and humid Bolivia.



Watch a video of the lion transfer

Upon arrival at the sanctuary, the lions were slowly released one at a time. This was the first time they had felt grass under their feet or had room to romp and play.

Today, visitors to the sanctuary might watch as Kiara opens her jaw for a lazy yawn as she glances over at her four-month old lion cubs, Bob, Nancy, and Percy. They are also likely to hear 15-year-old Kimba let out a roar from behind a nearby fence. Across the way, dad Bam Bam, sisters Marta and Morena, and Morena's young adult children Rosita, Rosario, and Rosa relax in their comfortable home. While observing these 25 beautiful lions, it is hard to imagine what they had endured before Pat Craig came into their lives. All were malnourished and were found in conditions with as many as eight lions living in a cage that was too small for them to move. Now with the warm weather fast approaching, the lions are free to be outdoors breathing fresh air rather than exhaust fumes, they are learning to trust humans, and for the first time in their lives, they can finally relax.

On May 25, the "On the Road Again" interest group will be visiting the Bolivian lions and other animals at the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg. The group will meet at 10 a.m. and a carpool will be formed. Please contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com) for more information.

Congratulations Scholarship Winners!

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Left to Right:

Andrew Margolin, Christine Nakwa, Ashlee Adams, Ingrid Torales Rios



Ashlee Michelle Adams Ashlee has selected International Affairs as her major at CU. She came to CU last fall having graduated Magna Cum Laude from Front Range Community College in the spring of 2010. Neither of her parents attended college; both worked long hours at low paying jobs to provide the bare necessities. Her father became disabled when Ashlee was young, and her parents divorced when she was in middle school. Ashlee started working while she was in high school and has continued to work while attending school. She volunteered as an ESL teacher at Intercambio de Comunidades from 2008 to 2010. Although raised in a poor family by American standards, after working with non-English speaking immigrants and reflecting on her studies in International Affairs, she realizes that she has had opportunities denied to others around the world. Her plans are to help those more disadvantaged than she achieve a better life.

Andrew Reynolds Margolin Andrew has decided to major in Chemistry and minor in Geology and Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences. Immediately after graduating from high school he spent two years in the AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps. His experiences helped him focus his interests, and in 2006 he decided to move to Boulder and attend CU. In 2009 he became a member of the Fox-Kemper Research Group at the Cooperative Institute for Research in Environmental Sciences (CIRES) at CU, where he learned about eddy circulation in the oceans. His work was used in six oceanography conference presentations, and he was awarded a 2010 Colorado Science Scholarship for his research contributions. He has now started a new project at the Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research (INSTAAR) at CU where he is studying the change in pH of the Southern Ocean. He has accepted an offer to contribute to a research expedition in the Drake Passage in May, sampling seawater, sediments, and deep-sea corals aboard an icebreaker. He plans to pursue a Ph.D. in Oceanography with a career goal of doing research and teaching at a university with an atmospheric and oceanic science program.

Christine Abuba Nakwa Christine has selected Sociology as her major and Women Studies as her minor. She was born in a small village in Southern Sudan where her father was chief. It was a period of civil war, and her father's position put the family in danger. When she was seven, her parents sent her to a refugee camp in Kenya. While at the camp she connected with a missionary nun who provided her and other displaced children with food, housing, and an education. In 2001, the United States began resettling displaced young adults, and Christine came to America when she was 16. She worked full time and attended high school, graduating with a high GPA and receiving a Governor's Scholars Award. At CU she has received several scholarships including one for undergraduate students who are single parents. Christine has a daughter. Christine finds the time to volunteer every Sunday at Colorado Friendship, an organization that provides emergency food, shelter, and clothing to those in need. Christine's goal is to obtain a doctorate in sociology and to work to promote gender equality in Sudan by building and promoting women's development and activities in her Sudanese community.

Ingrid Elaine Torales Rios Ingrid has chosen to major in Environmental Design. She began her studies at the University of Panama, but because her mother lost her job, Ingrid moved to the United States to help her mother. Before coming to CU, she attended the Community College of Denver. While at CCD, Ingrid was Vice President of La Mission, an organization of students who raise money to help those in need. As VP, she was involved with fundraising and event activities. Ingrid hopes to learn how to design better buildings for people around the world with little or no income, hopefully using recycled materials. An important component of the buildings would be to make them suitable for both children and the elderly. Ingrid has completed over 113 hours of sustainable service with AmeriCorps in Boulder, working on projects such as bilingual transcriptions for children, youth and the environment, and recycling. Ingrid is married and has a daughter for whom she hopes to be a role model by completing her education.

Thank You to the following who donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund

(From March 11— April 10, 2011, by first name)



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Gabrielle Sattler	Margaret Peterson	Susan Peterson
Gail Kagy	Marge DeFries	Tamera VanSpiell
Gail Varner	Margrit Staehelin	Val Havlick
Gale Gwin	Marion Emmanuel	Victoria Ruwitch
GeorgiAnne Campbell	Marion Sauer	Virgina Stringi
Ginnie Ross	Marion Selbin	Virginia Patterson
Ginny Donegan	Mary Ann Dover	Virginia Ross
Helen Goldman	Mary Ann Hartigan	Zetta Feder
	Mary Behr	



Spotlight on...Needlecraft

Needlecraft, which meets on the second and fourth Thursdays, is composed of ladies practicing ancient crafts. Presently those being practiced most in the group are knitting and embroidery.

In addition to keeping hands busy, there are snacks and wide-ranging conversation covering such topic as books, theatre, education, politics, and even comments and advice about a needlecraft project.



Scholarship Luncheon a Huge Hit

A record turn-out, inspirational speeches from our scholarship winners, a delicious lunch and fine music, and colorful fashions from Coldwater Creek were the highlights of this year's Scholarship Luncheon.

UWC models, L to R: Jeannie Thompson, June Saunders, Carol Saunders, Anne Vondracek, and Karon Johnson



Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)

Afternoon Book Group: This group usually meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. Books are available at Boulder Bookstore. The April 26 meeting will be at the home of Ami Sadler, 603 Kalmia Avenue, Boulder (amisadler@earthlink.net; 303-938-8406) to discuss *In An Antique Land: History in the Guise of a Traveler's Tale*, by Amitav Ghosh. The May 24 meeting will be at the home of Nicki Haller, 1600 Yellow Pine Ave, Boulder (nickichaller@q.com; 303-339-0458). We will discuss *The Lacuna*, by Barbara Kingsolver. The June meeting will be at 10:30 a.m. on June 7, location TBA. There will be a selection of books for 2011-2012 followed by a potluck lunch. For questions, please contact co-chairs Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) or Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net).

Evening Book Group: We will meet at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Heidi Lynch (hslynch@comcast.net; 303 499-5779), 7310 Panorama Drive, Boulder, to discuss *Cutting for Stone* by Abraham Verghese. Ellen Gille will review the book and Virginia Stringi will provide the refreshments. Books are available on the UWC Evening Book Group shelf at the Boulder Bookstore. Call Linda Toomre (303-443-3310; linda.toomre@comcast.net) or Charlotte Mudar (303-494-1744; cmudar@yahoo.com) for questions.

Bicycling: *UWC Biking Group:* We will be riding every Thursday, weather permitting, so watch your email for time and place. *For Easy Riders:* We will be riding on Wednesday mornings starting in May, weather permitting, so watch your email for time and place. For either group, contact Mary Greenwald (m.b.greenwald@comcast.net) to get your name on the email list.

Bridge: *First Wednesday Bridge 1-3 p.m.:* Organizers: Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu) and Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu) No new members are needed at this time. *Third Thursday Bridge:* Organizer: Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net). *Fourth Thursday Bridge:* 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Organizers: Val Havlick and Kay Dayem. If interested in being a substitute for this group, contact Val or Kay. An *Intermediate-Advanced Bridge* study group meets on Mondays. Contact organizers, Kay Dayem or Val Havlick. Summer bridge group schedule is organized by members for each group.

Current Events: We meet Sept. through May for nine meetings a year, with more than one topic per meeting. In May, we also have two topics: Polarization of Political Parties in America-Liz Schmidt and Contemporary India-Jyotsna Raj. *Possible Topics for next year:* 1) Mexican Drug War. 2) Haiti Elections. 3) Jobs being taken away by computers, future education for jobs. Please contact Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com) if you have questions.

French Conversation: Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; jillgrubb44@yahoo.com).

Gardening: We meet on Wednesday, May 18 at 11 a.m., at Long's Iris Gardens, 3240 Broadway, for a tour. Kathy Long will talk about the history of the gardens and answer all your iris questions. We will have lunch afterwards at China Gourmet, 3970 Broadway. Please RSVP to Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com). We continue to meet in summer. In June, we tour a Boulder garden; in July, we visit the Lavender Farm; in August, we visit the Betty Ford Alpine Garden in Vail. You will be informed of dates and program details via email.

Hiking: This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September-May. During the summer, between Memorial Day and Labor Day, the hiking group meets at 8:30 a.m. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather and preferences of the members. SUMMER NOTE: Longer hikes in the mountain areas, starting earlier and ending later, are planned frequently during the summer. Emails are sent the week of such a hike. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th St., however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net).

Italian Conversation: The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Ave., Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619; maxene@earthlink.net).

Music: This social group is open to performers and those who love to listen to music. Our next meeting is on Monday, April 11 at 7:30 p.m. Please contact Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com) or Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; juerman@comcast.net).

Needlecraft: New Link! Needlecraft will meet at 1:30 p.m. on April 28 at Karon's, May 12 at Linda's and May 26 at Ginnie's. Contact Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) or Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com) for location and details.

On the Road Again: Mark your calendars for our Wed, May 25 event at the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg. (Our lecture luncheon October, 2010 was Pat Craig, Director of the Sanctuary.) I have reserved a 10:00 a.m. tour for our group. More details to follow. For general information or to suggest an outing, contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; karen.diamond@mac.com).

Out to Lunch: We will meet for lunch at an interesting restaurant in North Boulder, Restaurant 4580, at 4580 Broadway # D-1, at noon on Wednesday, April 27. Contact Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu). Our group continues to meet in summer, and you will receive information via email about future get-togethers.

Reader's Theater 1: Currently the membership is full; to be placed on a waiting list, please call Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com).

Reader's Theatre 2 - Evening: Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday. On May 9, we will read *The Miracle Worker* by William Gibson. Contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com).

Readers' Theatre 2 - Afternoon: RT2-A meets on the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. Contact Kathy Campbell (541-912-0750; campbeka@gmail.com).

Beginning Spanish Conversation: This group meets at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday. Classes cost \$12/person per session. Contact Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

Conversational Spanish Speakers: If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela serve as our mentor.

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More: The group meets each month, year-round, usually on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time, and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattyckake.21@juno.com).

Tea and Travel: We will meet at 1:00 p.m. on May 24 in June Saunders' home, 2810 Juilliard St., Boulder. The meeting will start at 1:15 p.m. and the program will start at 1:30 p.m. June Saunders will give a presentation on Vietnam/Cambodia followed by tea and refreshments. Anyone interested in attending should contact June: (303-494-6273; tjsaunders@comcast.net). To receive e-mail messages concerning T&T contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net).

Occasional Winter Sports: Winter Sports has been suspended for the remainder of the year and will resume when the snow flies next winter.

To start a new group, you must have five members. All group members must be members of the University Women's Club.

2010-11 Calendar

May	10	Honors Tea
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Did You Know?

Ralphie the buffalo, CU-Boulder's popular college mascot, first appeared in 1934, three weeks after a contest to select an official school nickname by the *Silver & Gold* newspaper had come to an end and "Buffaloes" was the winning entry. For the final game of the '34 season, a group of students paid \$25 to rent a buffalo calf along with a real cowboy as his keeper. It took the cowboy and four students to keep the calf under control on the sidelines, a 7-0 win at the University of Denver on Thanksgiving Day.

[For a complete history, visit CUBuffs.com.](http://CUBuffs.com)



UWC Cares About You

Do you know someone in the club who is ill or has lost a loved one? UWC traditionally sends greeting cards to such members offering get-well wishes or condolences. These gestures are one of our ways of expressing care and concern for all our members. Please notify our Hospitality Chair, Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net), if you know a member who should be recognized in this manner.

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Additional Member Benefits

There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).



New Bulletin Board Entries

Anyone can submit an entry! Click the picture of the bulletin board to the right, fill out the form, and email it to either GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com) or Carol Etges (720-207-3980; 5etges@comcast.net).



♥ [Boulder Garden Club Annual Plant Sale-Saturday, May 7](#)

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How to Defeat Spam



It's a rare computer user who hasn't been bothered by Spam at some stage. By Spam, I mean unsolicited emails that try to sell you things of a dubious nature that you certainly didn't ask for and, in all probability, don't need. Everybody hates spam. It can clog up your email box, threaten the security of your PC, try to trick you into opening dangerous

attachments, and even render the mail box entirely unusable. You can defeat spam (well, most of it). Here's a few ways.

- ⊗ Don't post your email address on a web page, unless you're disguising it in some way. As an example, an email address in this format is very difficult for a Spider to read, but quite easy for a human:
carol. etges @ colorado. edu (add spaces to your address)
- ⊗ Be wary of giving your email address to websites. Ask yourself, is there a privacy statement anywhere on the site? Can you easily opt-out if they send an email or newsletter to you? Do you trust them?
- ⊗ Create an email address that you *only* use for websites, not friends, family, or business.
- ⊗ Never reply to a email sent to you by a spammer. If you do, you're telling the spammer that the email address is live and active - the very thing that he was looking for! (Remember: the spammer probably bought his list off someone else, and has no idea whether an address is active or not.)
- ⊗ Careful when opening attachments. Save the attachment to your hard-drive first, scan with your (up-to-date) Anti Virus software, and only then consider opening it. If you weren't expecting an email with an attachment, it's safer to just delete the entire email!
- ⊗ Set your email software to view message as text and NOT as HTML. In Outlook Express you can do this by clicking Tools > Options from them menu bar. From the Options dialogue box, click the Read tab. Put a tick in the box "Read all messages in plain text". The reason you'd want to do this is because HTML emails can be very helpful to spammers. They insert an image that tells them the email has been read, and thus that it's a live email box.
- ⊗ Consider getting some Anti-Spam software. The best of these are very good at detecting spam from the genuine emails.



KUDOS! Thank you Cathy Skala, Diana King, and all the many volunteers on the Scholarship Luncheon Committee for arranging such a beautiful event.

Thank you Frieda Holley and the Scholarship Committee for selecting such exceptional recipients.

Thank you, Membership, for your generosity.