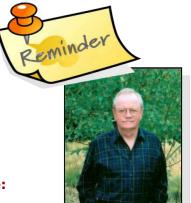
# University Women's Club

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## October Lecture Luncheon

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### A Conversation with Kent Haruf

Author of *Plainsong & Eventide* Tuesday, October 11, 2011, 11:30 a.m. Boulder Country Club, 7350 Clubhouse Rd. (Reservations and payment due October 4)

Kent will do an informal talk and reading. He will tell how he "*came to try to write fiction*," his experiences, and he will read something that he's written. He enjoys responding to questions, so please come prepared to ask some. Both books mentioned above will be available for purchase and signing.



## Fall Membership Coffee

Tuesday, September 13, 2011 9:30–11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Aspen Rooms

This event is for both old and new members as a way for everyone to `meet & greet,' sign up for interest groups, and preview the Lecture Luncheons and year's activities. Tasty refreshments will be served.

Learn about:

- The 2011-12 Lecture Luncheons. The five lectures lined up have something for everyone. Purchase individual tickets today, or save time 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.
- Provide the Board with your thoughts about UWC group service by filling out a brief service survey.

You may also renew your membership at the Coffee. Dues must be paid by October 15 in order to have your name in the directory. See Membership form found in this issue of *MESSAGES*.



The Current Events Interest Group invites **all** interested UWC members to attend September's Current Events discussion. Ken Regelson, a sustainable energy analyst, will discuss Boulder's energy future. Mark your calendar for Wednesday, September 14 at 2:00 p.m. We'll send an email with further details around the first of September.

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## <mark>Pres</mark>ídent's Message

"Membership has its privileges." If this statement is true of a credit card, it is certainly true of membership in the University Women's Club! The privileges accorded a UWC member are many and accessed in a number of ways. For instance:



Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

#### **Interest Groups**

With 23 Interest Groups, there is literally something for everyone. "Interests" include hiking, needlecrafts, current events, and bridge. The groups meet at various times of the day and are small, large or something in between. You may join as many as your schedule permits. If by chance you can't find one that suits your needs, you may start your own. It only takes five like-minded women to form an interest group.

#### **Lecture Luncheons**

Program Chairperson, Jeannie Thompson, has labored well to put together a lineup of impressive speakers for this year's Lecture-Luncheon Series. After a tasty lunch in a venue suited to members and speakers alike, we have the privilege of sharing the specialized knowledge of experts in their fields. The Series of five can be purchased for \$90 or individually at \$18 each.

#### Scholarships

It is truly a privilege to be part of a robust scholarship program. Through the generosity of its members, UWC awarded in excess of \$11,000 in scholarships last year. This amount is projected to increase this year despite ongoing economic challenges. The unique aspect of our scholarship program is the fact that we have the opportunity to put a face to the name of recipients. Each year the recipients are invited to meet and share their stories with us at the Annual Scholarship Luncheon. These exceptional individuals eagerly accept our invitation and inspire us with their resilience, passion, ambition, and talent.

In all that we do at the UWC, we hold true to the values and mission of the organization established 93 years ago. We are committed to providing our members with friendship, hospitality, and support of the university. Please join your long-standing, new and about-to-be new friends at the Membership Coffee on September 13. I promise that this will be a great way to learn about the privileges of UWC membership and have a delicious breakfast as well!

Notes of Interest

### **About** *Payments*...from Jeannie Thompson

Could we make a few requests related to Membership payments and those for the Lecture Luncheons:

- Member checks for both Membership and Lecture Luncheon submissions will be sent to the UWC US PO Box this year. Because several people access this mailbox to retrieve mail, *please* MAKE SURE that we know WHAT your money is FOR so that the checks go only to the person responsible for those areas. Notation on both the outside of the envelope and on the checks themselves would be most effective. Envelope examples: "Attention: Membership" or "Attention: Lecture Luncheon."
- **Timely payment** for Lecture Luncheons— As in the past, please make sure to send in your Lecture Luncheon payments so that they *arrive* in our mailbox at least 7 days prior to the event specified. We need to be able to notify the caterers in a timely fashion, and, more importantly, we don't want to turn members away.
- **Membership Coffee** We look forward to seeing everyone at the free coffee which will be in the UMC Aspen Rooms the morning of September 13 at 9:30 a.m.

### About Sponsorship Ads. from GeorgiAnne Campbell

Placing a Sponsorship Ad in the UWC Handbook/ Directory is a very beneficial way for UWC members who own a business and/or would like to promote any business to make a donation to the club, receive recognition for the donation, and receive advertising in the directory. Also, sponsorship is not limited to just members, but is open to any business or organization that would like to advertise in the directory. There are \$100 and \$50 levels for placing ads in the UWC Handbook/Directory. At the \$100 level, a half page ad is placed; at the \$50 level, a quarter page ad is placed. Both levels receive mention in the UWC newsletter, **MESSAGES**.

So, if you or someone you know would like to participate, contact GeorgiAnne Campbell (303-499-2798; <u>campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com</u>). All Sponsorship Ad donations go toward raising funds for scholarships at the University of Colorado at Boulder. Submit your Sponsorship Ad information by October 15, 2011.

### Sneak Previews of Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

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; reserve the whole series for \$90. Mail checks to UWC Attention: Lecture Luncheon, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844. Please notate "Lecture Luncheon" on your check. Contact Virginia (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net) with questions.

## November

A Woman is Not a Small Man

Leslie Leinwand Tuesday, November 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m. Spice of Life Events Center, 5706 Arapahoe Avenue (Reservations and payment due November 1)



There is benefit in tailoring medicine to each gender. As an example, women suffering from heart attacks might have different, and sometimes milder, symptoms than men. One of the preeminent researchers on the Boulder campus, sponsored by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI), Leslie will entertainingly

describe her fascinating findings. If we're lucky, we may hear a bit about her work with pythons in relation to human cardiac therapeutics.

Leslie Leinwand is a CU Professor in the MCD Biology department.

## February Kids, Cartoons and Cookie Consumption Meg Campbell

Tuesday, February 14, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due February 7)



As written on the web in <u>HealthDay</u>: Seeing overweight people can cause you to choose unhealthy foods and to eat more of them unless you consciously focus on your health goals. Images of overweight people can affect the eating habits of children and can also thwart a diet, according to Meg's research. Through her work

with children and adults, Meg delves into the psychological aspects of our relationship with food.

Meg Campbell is Associate Professor of Marketing in Leeds School of Business.

## December

### Islam as a Medía Spectacle

### Nabil Echchaibi

Tuesday, December 13, 2011, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due December 6)



Have the media compounded a minor conflict with the debate around the building of a Muslim community center in lower Manhattan, or have they simply chronicled a rampant fear of Islam and Muslims in American society? How can we have a sensible and constructive conversation about the place of Muslims in America? Nabil is a

scholar doing important and very interesting work.

Nabil Echchaibi is a CU Assistant Professor in the Journalism & Mass Communication Graduate School.

## March

### Through Soviet Jewish Eyes— Photography, War and the Holocaust

#### **David Shneer**

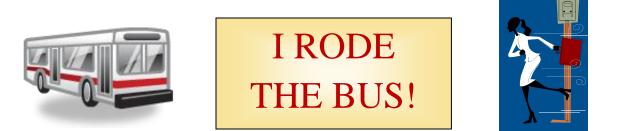
Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due March 6)



David passionately tells the stories and highlights the work of an elite group of Soviet-Jewish photographers—never-beforepublished photographs from families, collectors, and private archives. These artists participated in a social project they believed in and with which they were emotionally and intellectually

invested—they were charged by the Stalinist state to tell the visual story of the unprecedented horror we now call the Holocaust. Books for purchase and signing will be available.

David Shneer is a CU Associate Professor of History.



Do you love UWC events but hate the hassle of parking? Try taking the bus! It is easy and convenient once you know how, so here's the drill.

### **General Info about Riding the Bus**

Bus stops are marked with a red sign that says "The Ride". You don't need to flag the bus down, just stand there looking like you are waiting for a bus.

It costs \$2.25 for each trip if you are under age 65; \$1.10 if you are 65 or older. You must have the correct fare as the bus driver cannot give you any change. You put your money into the fare collection box by the driver. If your trip is going to take more than one bus, you ask the driver for a transfer. When you get on the second bus, show the driver your transfer.

As you approach the stop where you want to get off, pull the cord above you or press the strip on a vertical support. This will produce a red sign at the front of the bus which says "Stop Requested".

### What Bus Route to Take

If you are within walking distance of a bus route, you can go directly from home but don't give up if you're too far away. You can park your car in a free parking lot, and take the bus from there.

#### From anywhere in North Boulder near Broadway:

Park at Broadway and Quince in the lot by Lucky's Market. Walk out to Broadway, cross the street and look for the bus shelter with The Ride sign. Wait for the southbound **Skip** bus. In the middle of the day, the bus runs every 10 minutes. The bus will take you south on Broadway to the corner of Euclid, right across Broadway from the University Memorial Center. Pull the cord after you have passed the stop near College Avenue. On the way home, pull the cord after you pass Poplar Avenue.

#### From anywhere in South Boulder near Broadway:

Park at Table Mesa Shopping Center. Cross Broadway and look for the bus shelter and The Ride sign. Wait for the northbound **Skip** bus or **Dash** bus. In the middle of the day, the Skip runs every 10 minutes. The bus will take you north on Broadway to the corner of Euclid, right across Euclid from the University Memorial Center. Pull the cord after you have passed 17<sup>th</sup> Street.

#### From anywhere convenient to 29<sup>th</sup> Street Mall:

Park in the parking garage. Go to street level at the north end of the mall near Macy's. You will catch the **Hop** bus. There is a Hop that goes clockwise around the route and one that goes counterclockwise. To get to the University Memorial Center you will want to take the **clockwise Hop** because it will be quite a bit quicker. For the clockwise route go to the bus stop on the west side of the street very near the store called *Black and White*. During the middle of the day the bus runs every 7-10 minutes. It will take you along Canyon, Folsom and Colorado to Euclid and will let you off right in front of the University Memorial Center. Pull the cord after you turn the corner onto Euclid. To go back to the mall, catch the counterclockwise **Hop** on 16<sup>th</sup> Street (Euclid) on the west side of Broadway.

#### From your own home:

Use the Trip Planner at the RTD website <u>http://www.rtd-denver.com/</u>. Type in your address and the address you want to get to (Broadway and Euclid if you are going to the University Memorial Center) and fill in the rest of the required information. RTD will figure out the best bus route for you.

#### **Membership Coffee**

The Membership Coffee is coming up September 13, starting at 9:30 a.m. This is a good opportunity to try the bus and see how easy it is. We'll have some "I rode the bus!" stickers at the coffee so you can show off how ecologically green you are.



**resident:** Rosemary Getsie is a retired industrial-organizational psychologist with a Ph.D. from CU. She is a "Boulder retread," having moved here a second time from Tokyo, Japan. Married to a retired IBM employee, she has made good on the I've Been Moved acronym by living in a number of exotic and not-so-exotic places. She has two adult children, one granddaughter, a cat and a dog. Her interests include reading, playing competitive bridge, and doing anything outdoors. Being a member of UWC feeds her primary life focus, meeting and befriending people.



resident-elect/Program Chair: Jeannie Thompson and her husband, Jack, returned in 2002 to Boulder, where they had both been undergraduates. It's been a good decision to come back. Jeannie continued her management and consulting career for a number of years but found that her real interest was in returning to the academic environment where she had spent much of her life and career. She put her energies into volunteer efforts with the University, becoming chair of the CU Foundation board and serving on a number of other school and



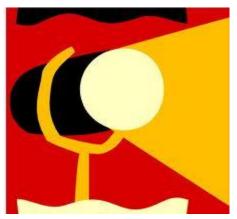
college boards. Other highlights of her recent 'avocational' time in Boulder have been serving on the search committee that named Bruce Benson President, receiving an Alumni Recognition Award (2007), hiking with the UWC women, and being awarded the Margaret Willard Award (2010). The Thompsons love having their son, daughter-in-law and two "cutest ever" grandkids nearby--Jack, 4 and Bella, 3.

**mail Communications: Kathleen Salzberg** came to Boulder in 1967 to work at CU Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research. With an academic and work background in geography and school atlas publishing, she was managing editor of the international journal *Arctic, Antarctic, and Alpine Research* for 33 years until her retirement in 2002. A native of Scotland, she intended Boulder to be a stop off on her world tour, but met her husband Joel, a now-retired CU Denver English professor, in Boulder and settled in the best possible place. Her two Boulder-born children now live in the Northwest and the



Northeast, providing opportunities to get back to the ocean and occasionally fit in some sailing. Kathleen has been a member of UWC since 1974 and active in the Evening Book Group; since her retirement has also been active in the Hiking and Winter Sports groups

## Spotlight on ... Bridge



Formed in September 2009, the Bridge Interest Group began as two groups and added another last year. Each group meets once a month to play Rubber Contract Bridge, the kind encountered in informal settings. Each group has regular members who play almost every month and substitute members who are asked to play when a regular member cannot. For play, tallies are used to determine partners for 3 or 4 rounds, and contract bridge or Chicago bridge scoring is used to determine the winner, who receives a small prize.

All our members, regular and substitute, have experience playing bridge. We have a wonderful blend of players who enjoy playing with other members who may play at another level of experience, and we

are always trying to learn from playing. Some members are advanced players who have played bridge for many years. Other members, who played in the past, have found a group to play with again.

In addition to our three bridge groups, when there is interest, we have formed study groups. Our study groups address the level of study desired by the members, intermediate to advanced. Study group members decide when and how often to meet.

At the September Membership Coffee, we hope to learn if there is interest in forming another bridge group and in forming study groups.

Information for our current bridge groups is as follows:

**Third Thursday** group meets monthly at 10:30 a.m. to approximately 2:00 p.m. at the Eggcredible Café. There are 12 regular members for 3 tables and substitute members.

**First Wednesday** group meets monthly 1:00-3:00 p.m. at members' homes. There are 8 regular members for 2 tables and substitute members. Hostesses provide light refreshments.

**Fourth Tuesday** group, added last year, meets monthly 12:30-2:30 p.m. at members' homes. There are 8 regular members for 2 tables and substitute members. Hostesses provide light refreshments.

Bridge Interest Group Organizers are Val Havlick (303-494-0664; <u>havlickv@colorado.edu</u>) and Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; <u>kdayem@colorado.edu</u>).

### **Get to Know Some of Our New Members!**

#### Joy Michalek

Joy has lived in the Boulder area for 23 years, though her hometown is Scottsbluff, NE and she lived in Chicago for 8 years prior to moving to Boulder. Joy worked at the CU Foundation for 15 years; nine years in the Law School Development Office, then in Central Administration and eventually in the Stewardship Office. She stopped working 8 years ago and enjoys her free time with gardening, cooking, reading, painting, camping, hiking and biking. Joy also enjoys traveling whenever possible.

## Congratulations to Ginnie Ross



Long time UWC member Virginia Ross received the President's Award from Kathy Randall at the 2011 UWC Honors Reception in May. This award, bestowed annually, recognizes exemplary contributions to the University Women's Club. The recipient is selected by the current UWC President.

Ginnie Ross has been contributing to the success of the UWC for a remarkable 52 years – as a participant, as an Interest Group chair, and as a member of the UWC Executive Board. Many of our members recognize Ginnie by her ever present camera. From 2007-08 through 2010-11, she recorded UWC accomplishments and activities as UWC Historian. She kept our archives up to date and produced handsome albums for the record and for our enjoyment. Prior to her tenure as Historian, Ginnie served on the board as Publicity Chair.

For many years until 2010, Ginnie chaired the Tea and Travel Group. She arranged travelogue programs giving members a taste – both cultural and gustatory - of the area presented by the traveler. In 2010, along with co-chair Judy Wakefield, Ginnie launched the Needlecraft Group. Since last fall, the group has more than doubled in size and has become a forum for discussion – touching on everything from politics to current theater - as well as a meeting place for working on needlecraft projects and sharing skills. Ginnie's most current project is knitting mini dolls portraying the royal wedding of William and Kate! Ginnie also has participated for decades in the French Conversation Group.

We appreciate all the knowledge, skills and accomplishment Virginia Ross has brought to the University Women's Club.



## 2011-12 Calendar

September	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Membership Coffee
October	4	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	11	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
	16	New Member Wine & Cheese
November	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
December	6	Board Meeting
	10	NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	13	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	7	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	14	Lecture Luncheon
March	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	18	Opera Brunch
April	3	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	10	Scholarship Luncheon
Мау	15	Honors Reception
	22	Tri-Board Meeting

## Executive Board 2011-12

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President	Rosemary Getsie
President-elect Program Chair	Jeannie Thompson
Secretary	Patty Ludke
Treasurer	Martha McGavin
Past President	Kathy Randall
Advisory/ Parliamentarian	Claudine Garby
Communications	Carol Saunders
E-Mail	Kathleen Salzberg
Historian	Karen Diamond
Honors Reception/MWA	Pat Hagerty
Hospitality	Virginia Stringi
Interest Groups	Mary Anna Dunn
<b>Mailing/Publications</b>	Joyce Spencer
Membership	Beth Rauch
Membership Directory	GeorgiAnne Campbell
MESSAGES	Carol Etges
Nominating Committee	Val Havlick
Opera Brunch	Pat Thompson
Scholarship Committee	Frieda Holley
Scholarship Luncheon	Carol Dunnack Bobbi Vischi
Service	Ami Sadler
Telephone Tree	Linda Blomquist
Webpage Bulletin Board	Carol Etges GeorgiAnne Campbell
Secretary Elect	Heidi Lynch
Treasurer Elect	Martha McGavin

## Addítíonal Member Benefíts



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 exert with an electronic count of the electronic first for the electronic dial up access to find the electronic dial up access to

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; <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u>).

## Interest Groups

### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-666-7447; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	9/27: Meet at the home of Lois Linsky, 1645 Bear Mountain Drive, Boulder (303-499- 2689; <u>Iflinsky@hotmail.com</u> ) to discuss Dancing to the Precipice: The Life of Lucie de la Tour Pin, Eyewitness to the Era by Caroline Moorhead.
Evening Book Group 7:30 p.m Second Thursday Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, martha.andrews@colorado.edu); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128, kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu)	9/8: Hostess: Lois Linsky, 1645 Bear Mountain Dr., Boulder (303-499-2689). September book: <i>Women in Love,</i> by D. H. Lawrence. Reviewer Kathy Randall. October book: <i>Come with Me to Babylon,</i> by Paul M. Levitt.
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; <u>m.b.greenwald@comcast.net</u> )	Email provides time and place.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; <u>m.b.greenwald@comcast.net</u> )	Email provides time and place.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu)	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. At the Fall Membership Coffee, if there is interest, new groups will be formed. Come sign up.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 10:30 a.m. First Thursday The Eggcredible Cafe	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	We can add new names to the substitute list.
Current Events 2 p.m.; Second Wednesday West Senior Center, 909 Arapahoe Ave.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; claudinegarby@comcast.net)	9/14: Boulder's energy future. Our speaker is Ken Regelson, a sustainable energy analyst. RSVP to Claudine.
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening 8 a.m. carpool: Meadows Shopping Center in front of the Elevations Credit Union	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	8/25: Visit Betty Ford Alpine Garden in Vail. Email provides details.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Sign-ups on Sept. 13 at the Coffee.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; <u>GolferB7@aol.com</u> )	Hikes will be planned and announced in advance, 3 miles long, within a 15-minute drive from Boulder.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

## Interest Groups

### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
<b>Music</b> 7:30 p.m. Second Monday For Location, contact chairs	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	Our next meeting is on Monday, September 12. Group is open to performers and listeners.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com	Anyone interested in attending should contact the hostess. 9/8: Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; <u>katherineran@gmail.com</u> ); 9/22: Anne Burke (303-997-7317; <u>annepburke@gmail.com</u> )
<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; 11 a.m. carpool: Meadows Shopping Center in front of the Elevations Credit Union or meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	8/31: Le Central, 112 E. 8th Ave., Denver, a French style bistro. Email provides details.
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Members' Homes	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com)	9/12: Meet at the home of Merry Bullock, 2167 Jordan Place, to read a short play and select titles for the coming season.
<b>Spanish – Beginning Conversation</b> 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Classes begin Sept. 20 and cost \$12 per person per session.
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.
Tea and Travel Meets Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u> )	9/20: Kathy Randall will present on "My Walk in the Woods: Section Hiking on the Appalachian Trail". RSVP to Virginia for location.

## A Note from the Membership Chair

elcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is important that we verify all the information presently in the database. Please print clearly, especially your email address. Our newsletter, *MESSAGES*, will be emailed to our membership.

Looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events. Beth Rauch, Membership Chair 303-442-2704; <u>etrauch@comcast.net</u>

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<b>NEW MEMBERS:</b> Please indicate UWC interest groups you might be interested in joining. <b>Continuing members:</b> Please contact group chair.			
Books	Gardening	Needlecraft	Tea and Travel
Bicycling	Hiking	On the Road Again	Winter Sports
Bridge	☐ Italian Conversation	Out to Lunch	Other Interest
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## November Lecture Luncheon A Woman is Not a Small Man

Leslie Leinwand

Tuesday, November 8, 2011, 11:30 a.m. <u>Spice of Life Events Center</u>, 5706 Arapahoe Avenue (Reservations and payment due November 1)

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<u>Upcoming Lecture</u> <u>Luncheons</u> Take a peek at what's around the corner <u>See Page 4 for Details...</u> There is benefit in tailoring medicine to each gender. As an example, women suffering from heart attacks might have different and sometimes milder symptoms than men. One of the preeminent researchers on the Boulder campus, sponsored by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI), Leslie will entertainingly describe her fascinating findings. If we're lucky, we may hear a bit about her work with pythons in relation to human cardiac therapeutics.

Dr. Leinwand is a Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology and Chief Scientific Officer of the Colorado Initiative in Molecular Biotechnology at the University of Colorado, Boulder. She received her Bachelor's degree from Cornell University, her Ph.D. from Yale University and did post-doctoral training at Rockefeller University. She joined the faculty at Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York and remained there until moving to Colorado.

While at Albert Einstein, she became a Full Professor and was Director of the Cardiovascular Research Center. Once moved to Colorado, along with Michael Bristow, Eric Olson, and she co-founded Myogen, Inc. which was recently sold to Gilead Pharmaceuticals. The interests of Dr. Leinwand's laboratory are the genetics and molecular physiology of inherited diseases of the heart and how gender and diet modify the heart. The study of these diseases and physiological processes has required multidisciplinary approaches, involving molecular biology, mouse genetics, mouse cardiac physiology, and the analysis of human tissues. To accomplish this, Dr. Leinwand has developed a highly collaborative group, bringing together specialized basic scientists and clinical cardiologists.

Her laboratory's efforts are well funded and her teaching is recognized by funding from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute's Professor Program. She is also the Program Director of the HHMI program, the Biological Sciences Initiative, which supports undergraduate research, K-12 outreach and educational programs for high school teachers.



Don't forget to pay your dues for the 2011-12 year by October 15!

Membership Form

## <mark>Presi</mark>dent's Message

Fall is my favorite time of year. For me, it's a time to renew friendships and activities that have been on hold during the summer months. It's a time to plan and organize. This fall, it is a pleasure to work with the UWC Board to plan and organize club activities and events for the 2011-2012 academic year. With



*Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President* 

exceptional energy and enthusiasm, the Board is focused on creating a club culture that is welcoming and stimulating. To this end, a number of initiatives have been put in place.

#### Membership

We will continue to identify new members by their pinkcolored nametags. In addition, some Board members will have "Ambassador" printed on their nametags. These Ambassadors are in place to ensure everyone's comfort at every event. Feel free to seek them out if you have a need, concern, question or feedback. Also, new members mark your calendars for a special event to be held for you on Sunday, Nov. 6.

#### Service

Ami Sadler and her committee want to hear your thoughts on our current survey charter as described in the Constitution. You will find a short, anonymous survey to share your thoughts on the topic at the October Lecture Luncheon. Please participate if you haven't already done so. Your input is important!

#### Margaret Willard Award

Pat Hagerty and her committee have given a great deal of thought to the process of granting the Margaret Willard Award. Although this prestigious honor is not awarded until the spring, you will find a streamlined nominating form available now. You will be hearing much more about the MWA over the next weeks and months.

#### Nominating

Val Havlick and her committee are responsible for presenting to you a slate of officers for the 2012-2013 term. You will be asked to vote on this slate at the March Lecture Luncheon. Your input in identifying potential candidates is vitally important. With a membership of well over 300 women, it is impossible to know everyone. You can help. There are five members of the Nominating Committee. Their nametags will identify them as such. Please feel free to approach them in person, by phone, or by email. They will be delighted to hear from them.

The above list is not exhaustive of the work your Board is doing. I have highlighted these now so you will be on the lookout for the people responsible for getting these things done in the way you want them done. Notes of Interest About...

### Scholarship Luncheon Date Change

The **date** for our Annual Scholarship Luncheon has been changed from April 10 to **April 24** to avoid conflict with CU's Conference on World Affairs. It will still be held at the lovely Boulder Country Club beginning at 11 a.m. Please make a note of this date change in your calendar.

### Volunteer Opportunities from Heidi Lynch

**R & R Care:** Volunteers provide in-home care for newborns of first-time moms. This program supports new mothers who have infants with special developmental and health care needs. Must be family-oriented, patient, caring, and nurturing. Strong verbal communication skills and ability to work independently with minimal supervision are required. Current certifications in basic first aid and infant CPR are mandatory. Boulder County Public Health In-Home R&R Care program. Donna Koehler. 303-441-1163. <u>dkoehler@bouldercounty.org</u>.

### Important Correction about Riding the Bus

The article in the September *MESSAGES* about riding the bus to UWC events contained a major error regarding parking.

The lots around businesses are private lots and are meant to be used by the patrons of the businesses. For example, parking at Lucky's Market is private and restricted to "Parking while doing business with merchants of North Boulder Village Shops." **Please do not park in Lucky's lot or other business lots while taking the bus to campus.** Instead, choose a parking spot that is available to the public, such as legal unrestricted on-street parking or a Park-and-Ride lot. Many of the private lots for shopping have restrictions and time limits and can result in a "boot" on the car or the car being towed.

We apologize for any inconvenience caused by this error.

## It's Good Tolicy ... from President Rosemary Getsie

It is always a good policy to periodically remind our members of the University Women's Club policy on the use of directory information. Recently, we have received a number of requests to use our directory information to notify members of outside events. Some of these events center around divisive issues and some do not. To the UWC, it really does not matter. Article VI, Sec.1 of our Constitution states, "The UWC membership list may not be used for commercial solicitation, political activities, or ideological purposes without the express consent of the Executive Board of the UWC."

As much as we want to be good citizens of the community, we cannot use our communication tools as a Community Bulletin Board. There are numerous logistical as well as ideological reasons why this is so. Also, please remember that our electronic and printed materials, including emails and *MESSAGES*, are intended for the use of current and prospective members.

Please respect your fellow member's privacy in all that you do. If you have comments or concerns, direct them to Rosemary Getsie, <u>rgetsie@comcast.net</u>.

## The Case of the Missing Teapot ... from Carol Saunders

Some time ago at a "happening" at our home, when there was a lot going on and hubbub abounded, someone asked to borrow my Grandmother's Havilland cocoa pot. I don't remember who took it and I really want it back now. If you are the one or if you know who it was who needs this reminder, please respond to: Carol Saunders, 1076 Westview Dr., 303-499-3731 or <u>carol.saunders@comcast.net</u>.

Thank you so much. Carol Saunders



## Where, oh where, should my envelopes go?



There are dues to pay, money to donate, and Lecture Luncheons to attend, but where do I send everything and how? *Easy!* 

- 1. Get 2 envelopes. Not one, but two.
- 2. In one, put in your check for dues and donations along with your membership form. Write "Dues" on the outside of the envelope.
- 3. In the other envelope, put your check for the Lecture Luncheons. Write "Lecture Luncheon" on the outside of the envelope.
- 4. Don't you dare put both checks in one envelope. Bad girl!

Now, mail both envelopes separately to: UWC, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844

See? I told you that was easy!

### Sneak Previews of Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

Please join us for this year's great lineup of speakers. The price of the luncheons remains the same as last year at \$18; reserve the whole series for \$90. Mail checks to UWC Attention: Lecture Luncheon, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844. Please notate "Lecture Luncheon" on your check and envelope. Contact Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net) with questions.



## December

Islam as a Medía Spectacle

#### Nabil Echchaibi

Tuesday, December 13, 2011, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due December 6)

Have the media compounded a minor conflict with the debate around the building of a Muslim community center in lower Manhattan, or have they simply chronicled a rampant fear of Islam and Muslims in American society? How can we have a sensible and constructive conversation about the place of Muslims in America? Nabil is a scholar doing important and very interesting work.

Nabil Echchaibi is a CU Assistant Professor in the Journalism & Mass Communication Graduate School.



### February Kíds, Cartoons and Cookie Consumption

#### Meg Campbell

Tuesday, February 14, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due February 7)

As written on the web in <u>HealthDay</u>: Seeing overweight people can cause you to choose unhealthy foods and to eat more of them unless you consciously focus on your health goals. Images of overweight people can affect the eating habits of children and can also thwart a diet, according to Meg's research. Through her work with children and adults, Meg delves into the psychological aspects of our relationship with food.

Meg Campbell is Associate Professor of Marketing in Leeds School of Business.



March

### Through Soviet Jewish Eyes—Photography, War and the Holocaust

David Shneer

Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due March 6)

David passionately tells the stories and highlights the work of an elite group of Soviet-Jewish photographers—never-before-published photographs from families, collectors, and private archives. These artists participated in a social project they believed in and with which they were emotionally and intellectually invested—they were charged by the Stalinist state to tell the visual story of the unprecedented horror we now call the Holocaust. Books for purchase and signing will be available.

David Shneer is a CU Associate Professor of History.



**ast-President: Kathy Randall** UWC Past President and former administrator with the New York State Office of Mental Health, moved to Boulder 5 years ago to be nearer to her 2 children and 2 grandchildren located in Colorado Springs and Fort Collins. In Boulder, she discovered the joys of blue skies and mountains and the time to pursue her many interests – she is a participant in 9 UWC interest groups! She has embarked on a retirement career as President and Creative Director of My Imagination at Play, a specialty online retail company which she developed along with 3 other women in her family.



**dvisory/Parliamentarian:** Claudine Garby I began "LifeafterHighSchool" as a country schoolmarm in Michigan, and eventually got college degrees including a Ph.D. from C.U. Moved here with my late husband Louis Garby, Professor of Aerospace Engineering Sciences, from California. Had two children within three weeks of our arrival in Boulder, and two more in the next four years. Have nine grandchildren and one grandchild-in-law. Was a school administrator for many years. Love people, history, reading. Objectives: enjoy nature's bounties, laugh a lot, live to be 100, and see my youngest grandchildren graduate from college.



**ommunications: Carol Saunders** How does one make a brief bio for <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of a century of living? Loving 2 families with a total of 2 husbands, 5 children, 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild would be enough. But along the way there have been offices held in the League of Women voters, Toastmistress, Unitarian Universalist Church and UWC; volunteer work reading for the blind, with the homeless shelter, Boulder Reads, mentoring teens and Meals on Wheels, to mention a few. I have owned my own tutoring business and worked in public schools as a speech/language specialist. At the present, my husband and I run a VRBO (vacation rental by owner) business enjoying the fascinating people we meet from all over the world. I am still out in the sports world cycling, double black skiing and skiing into huts. I have climbed



all the 14er's, 1/3 of them more than once. Travel has been on all the major continents with the most recent life threatening adventure on Kilimanjaro in a rock fall that killed one of our CMC group and 7 of the Appalachian Hiking Club. There was one successful Nepal trek and two in Peru, one of which was a 2 week Inca Trail trek that I lead, crossing 4 passes over 16,000 feet.

Being on the UWC Board is definitely one of my life's joys. Working with lively minded, talented women to help raise money for scholarships is the best! (Plus the bonus of all our wonderful Interest Groups.)

## Spotlight on ... Italian Conversation



A group of UWC women who love Italy formed the Italian Conversation group eight years ago. Today, some eight to ten women meet every Wednesday afternoon to chat—chiacchierare—in Italian, to read, translate and discuss Italian stories and articles and, every so often, to tackle some challenging topic of Italian grammar.

Through the years, the group has become familiar with some wonderful Italian authors, such as Italo Calvino, Gianni Rodari and Natalia Ginsburg. Articles from Italian newspapers, *Corriere della Sera* and *La Repubblica*, have served to familiarize us with Italian politics, history, culture and current happenings.

Participating in this group has given our members more confidence in our ability to speak and understand the Italian language, enabling many of us to travel beyond the wellworn tourist paths to those parts of Italy where English is rarely spoken. Members have also reinforced their study of Italian by taking language courses both in Italy and right here in Boulder at the University of Colorado. We all benefit from their studies when they share their new knowledge with the rest of the group. We are fortunate to be able to come together each week to enjoy friendships forged by our common interest in and love for Italy.



The Italian Conversation group meets every Wednesday from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Y, 2850 Mapleton Avenue in Boulder.

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

Sherry Bruff Sue Collard Betty Culp Frances Dahlberg Cheryl Dorsey Mary Anna Dunn Kitty Edwards Inge Peate Engdahl Arlene S. Gerwin Mary Greenwald Pat Hagerty (Through September 10, 2011)

Catherine Hewins Ellen Holland Frieda Holley Libby Lipstreu Betty Lipstreu Joy Michalek Sara Michl Barbara R. Miller Marilyn Peltzer Beth Rauch Marian Safran Kathleen Salzberg Carol Saunders Beverly Schumacher Yael Sears Marion K. Selbin Ruth Smith Kathryn Terrill Eloise Timmons Helen Wasley Stephanie Wrotny Winnie Young





## Margaret Willard Award

### 2012 Award Nomination

The University Women's Club gives the Margaret Willard Award annually at the spring Honors Reception. The woman who receives the award must fulfill some or all of the following criteria:

- Demonstrate outstanding work in her field of endeavor
- Enhance the quality of life for women on the Boulder campus and/or in the Boulder community
- Be an exceptional role model
- Elevate women's performance

Bring honor to all women and to the University/Boulder community through her accomplishments

To the Nominator: Please complete this form and include it with your letter of support and at least one additional letter of support. Please address the above criteria in those letters. The selection committee also encourages nominators to submit a current bio and/or resume of the nominee.

Name of Nominee
Address
Phone (home) (work)
Email
Institutions attended and degrees received (if applicable)
Nominee's current position (if retired, position held until retirement)
Please provide information outlining Nominee's service to the University and/or to the Boulder community (please use additional paper if needed)
Nominator/Submitted by
Address
Phone (home) (work )
Email

## Please send application information to Pat Hagerty, 3224 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Boulder, CO 80304 by March 1, 2012. Information may also be emailed to <u>pat.hagerty@comcast.net</u>. If the Nominee does not receive the award in 2012, she may be considered for 2013. In this case, an updated statement about the Nominee may be requested. Note: In the past, winners have come from the University community (volunteers, faculty, or staff) as well as from the Boulder community.

## Interest Groups

### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	10/25: at the home of Jyotsna Raj, 863 14th St, (303-447-8831; <u>jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu</u> ) Mary Anna Dunn will lead the discussion of <i>1000 Chestnut Trees</i> by Mira Stout.
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:30 p.m Second Thursday Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	10/13: Hostess: Judy Reid, 604 Mapleton Ave., Boulder (303-440-6040; judy.reid@comcast.net). October book: <i>Come with Me to Babylon</i> by Paul M. Levitt. Discussant: Author.
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	Email provides time and place.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	Email provides time and place.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu)	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. New groups will be formed if there is interest.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 10:30 a.m. First Thursday The Eggcredible Cafe	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	We can add new names to the substitute list.
Current Events 2 p.m.; Second Wednesday West Senior Center, 909 Arapahoe Ave.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; <u>claudinegarby@comcast.net</u> )	10/12: Boulder County Ballot Issues and Candidates. Leader: Barbara Turner at home of Jyotsna Raj. RSVP to Jyotsna.
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening 8 a.m. carpool: Meadows Shopping Center in front of the Elevations Credit Union	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	9/21 Tour of orchid nursery, followed by lunch at a nearby restaurant. Email provides details.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Sign-ups on Sept. 13 at the Coffee.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; <u>GolferB7@aol.com</u> )	Hikes will be planned and announced in advance, 3 miles long, within a 15-minute drive from Boulder.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

## Interest Groups

## Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
<b>Music</b> 7:30 p.m. Second Monday For Location, contact chairs	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; <u>owensj4@mac.com</u> ); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; <u>jluerman@comcast.net</u> )	10/10: Group is open to performers and listeners. We especially welcome new performers.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com	Anyone interested in attending should contact the hostess. 10/13: LInda Blomquist (303-939-9169, <u>lindegren@comcast.net</u> ) 10/27: Marion Emmanuel (303-440-4171, <u>emmanuel4171@msn.com</u> )
<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; 11 a.m. carpool: Meadows Shopping Center in front of the Elevations Credit Union or meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	9/28: Martini Bistro, 543 Terry St., Longmont, an American style bistro. Email provides details.
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Members' Homes	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	10/16: Next reading to be held on Oct 16 at Pat Coker's home. (720-524-3931; <u>pat@thecokerfamily.com</u> ). Chair will send directions to those who respond.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com)	10/3: Meet at the home of Patty Ludke, 2938 Kalmia Ave, #21, Boulder, to read <i>Auntie Mame</i> .
<b>Spanish – Beginning Conversation</b> 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Hour-long class weekly with Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session.
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.
Tea and Travel Meets Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net)	10/18: Jyotsna Raj will present "The Once and Future India: How the Ancient and Modern Co- Exist". Presentation at Jyotsna Raj's home, 863 14th Street, Boulder. RSVP to Jyotsna (303-447- 8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu).

### A Note from the Membership Chair

elcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is important that we verify all the information presently in the database. Please print clearly, especially your email address. Our newsletter, *MESSAGES*, will be emailed to our membership.

Looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events. Beth Rauch, Membership Chair 303-442-2704; etrauch@comcast.net Phone\_\_\_\_\_ Name Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email address for newsletter (please print clearly) I am enclosing my annual dues of \$30. I am a  $\prod$  returning or  $\prod$  new member. I am enclosing an additional tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund. \$100 other \$\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 \$50 Make all checks payable to UWC (may combine dues and donations; please *do not* combine with luncheons. Send your luncheon checks in a separate envelope from your dues checks.) Mail to: UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844. Payment deadline for name printed in Membership Directory: October 15, 2011 I have a friend who might like to join the UWC. Please send membership information to:

Name	Phone

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Email\_\_\_\_\_

<b>NEW MEMBERS:</b> Please indicate UWC interest groups you might be interested in joining. <b>Continuing members:</b> Please contact group chair.			
Books (Afternoon or Evening) Please circle choice	Gardening	Needlecraft	Tea and Travel
Bicycling	Hiking (Regular or Lite) Please circle choice	On the Road Again	
Bridge	Italian Conversation	Out to Lunch	Other Interest Group Suggestions:
Current Events	Music	Reader's Theatre (Afternoon or Evening) <i>Please circle choice</i>	
French Conversation	Movies	Spanish (Beginning or Conversational) Please circle choice	

## 2011-12 Calendar

October	4	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	11	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
	16	New Member Wine & Cheese
November	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
December	6	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	13	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	7	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	14	Lecture Luncheon
March	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	18	Opera Brunch
April	3	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	24	Scholarship Luncheon
Мау	15	Honors Reception
	22	Tri-Board Meeting

### Executive Board 2011-12

President	Rosemary Getsie
President-elect Program Chair	Jeannie Thompson
Secretary	Patty Ludke
Treasurer	Martha McGavin
Past President	Kathy Randall
Advisory/ Parliamentarian	Claudine Garby
Communications	Carol Saunders
E-Mail	Kathleen Salzberg
Historian	Karen Diamond
Honors Reception/MWA	Pat Hagerty
Hospitality	Virginia Stringi
Interest Groups	Mary Anna Dunn
Mailing/Publications	Joyce Spencer
Membership	Beth Rauch
Membership Directory	GeorgiAnne Campbell
MESSAGES	Carol Etges
Nominating Committee	Val Havlick
Opera Brunch	Pat Thompson
Scholarship Committee	Frieda Holley
Scholarship Luncheon	Carol Dunnack Bobbi Vischi
Service	Ami Sadler
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Webpage Bulletin Board	Carol Etges GeorgiAnne Campbell
Secretary Elect	Heidi Lynch
Treasurer Elect	Martha McGavin

The nominating committee for selecting the University Women's Club President-elect, Secretary and Treasurer for academic year 2012-13 will be meeting in late October. If you are interested in serving in one of these positions or know of people whom you think would be a fine fit for one of these roles, please contact one of the following committee members by mid-October.

Val Havlick, chair: 303-494-0664, <u>havlickv@colorado.edu</u> Jacquie Kilburn: 303-444-2574, <u>jvkilburn@yahoo.com</u> Carol Saunders: 303-499-3731, <u>carol.saunders@comcast.net</u> Cathy Skala: 303-953-0321, <u>catherine.skala@yahoo.com</u> Virginia Stringi: 303-955-1860, <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u>

## Addítíonal Member Benefíts

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; <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u>).

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Dr. Leinwand is a Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology and Chief Scientific Officer of the Colorado Initiative in Molecular Biotechnology at the University of Colorado, Boulder. She received her Bachelor's degree from Cornell University, her Ph.D. from Yale University and did post-doctoral training at Rockefeller University. She joined the faculty at Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York and remained there until moving to Colorado. While at Albert Einstein, she became a full professor and was Director of the Cardiovascular Research Center. Once moved to Colorado, along with Michael Bristow and Eric Olson she co-founded Myogen, Inc. which was recently sold to Gilead Pharmaceuticals. The interests of Dr. Leinwand's laboratory are the genetics and molecular physiology of inherited diseases of the heart and how gender and diet modify the heart. The study of these diseases and physiological processes has required multidisciplinary approaches, involving molecular biology, mouse genetics, mouse cardiac physiology, and the analysis of human tissues. To accomplish this, Dr. Leinwand has developed a highly collaborative group, bringing together specialized basic scientists and clinical cardiologists.

Her laboratory's efforts are well funded and her teaching is recognized by funding from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute's Professor Program. She is also the Program Director of the HHMI program, the Biological Sciences Initiative, which supports undergraduate research, K-12 outreach and educational programs for high school teachers.



### <mark>President's</mark> Message

With the arrival of colder weather, my thoughts turn to the fast-approaching holidays. Thanksgiving prompts me to take inventory and give thanks for all the goodness and bounty in my life. The list is long and includes family, friends and good health. At the same time, the



Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

daily news reports remind me that others are not as fortunate as I am. Too many people are suffering the dire consequences of the current economic downturn. The consequences are not just financial but psychological as well. For me, the question and challenge have become one of figuring out how I can help. A solution for me is found in the UWC scholarship program.

As you know, our scholarship program is designed to contribute to the financial support of highly qualified undergraduate students at CU. What is unique about our program is that the students we support are older (23+) and either returning to complete their degree or just beginning the process. These students recognize that today, more than ever, a college degree is a must for competing in today's difficult employment market.

If you are like me, you are now expecting a plea for a hefty donation, the kind we receive everyday in the mail, on television, or by telephone. The causes we are asked to support are worthy and appeal to our emotions and desire to help. The problem is how to support all of them, particularly at the suggested donation levels. The plights of UWC's scholarship applicants not only pull on our heartstrings but strike a close-to-home note. My suggestion for how you and I can help our scholars is to ask you to join me in what I am calling the "Round-Up." If each of our members were to round up her check for any of our events, the amount over the year would be truly significant. If rounding were added to what you had intended to donate without this appeal, the impact would be amazing! Keep in mind that in most cases, the rounding would be less than a cup of coffee at one of the local shops.

Your contributions will be recognized and receipts issued at the end of the year once the IRS threshold has been reached.

Please, dust off your hats and boots and join me in the UWC Round Up. I promise you will find it painless and immensely gratifying!



Notes of Interest About...



### New Member Wine & Cheese

If you joined the UWC after **Oct 31, 2010**, then expect to see an invitation to the New Member event to be held on Nov. 6 from 2-5 p.m. If you don't see your invitation and would like to attend, please contact New Member chair Mary Huffman (303-786-7013; <u>mary@maryhuffman.com</u>).

### Hiking Lite from Barbara Turner

Hiking Lite invites you to try our group even if you have never been a hiker. Our primary goal is to be outside and enjoy the wonderful fall weather. We are not in a rush to get anywhere, but rather to savor the views and colors around us in the Boulder County Open Space.

Come and join us - you will be glad you did. See the Interest Group page for more information.

### Thanks! from Beth Rauch

A big thank you to all the UWC members who provided their renewal of dues on time this year. The UWC board members are all volunteers and your timely renewal of dues not only makes all of our jobs easier, it also enables you to be listed in the UWC directory for the year. We hope you will make the most of your membership and enjoy the many programs and interest groups that UWC has to offer.

Beth Rauch, Membership Chair

### Directory Pickup from Georgianne Campbell

The 2011-2012 UWC Handbook/Directory is printed and ready for distribution. Paid members will be able to pick up their copy at the November Lecture Luncheon.

### Some Information about our Lecture Luncheons ... from Jeannie Thompson

First of all, thanks to all of you who attended the Kent Haruf Lecture Luncheon on October 11, our first lecture of the year. It was a great session. Kent was terrific and everyone seemed to appreciate his spontaneity and warmth with our audience. He told me that he thoroughly enjoyed our group. I'm so glad that we persisted and got him here *this* year (thanks, Kathy Randall and Rosemary Getsie, for starting the process last year of getting Kent to join us). We enjoyed meeting his lovely daughter, Sorel, who joined us, also.

I think we have a fine lineup for the next four Lecture Luncheon events this year. We hope to see you all here. I did want to pass on a couple of bits of information about the series, in general:

- A word about our **SPEAKERS**: Each speaker comes at his or her <u>own expense</u>. We don't subsidize in any manner and there is no fee paid to *any* speaker. Our net revenues from these events go to our scholarship fund.
- October's FOOD theme was Western BBQ (in honor of Kent Haruf)--there may be a few 'thematic' foods at some of the upcoming sessions, too. Please stay tuned.
- My goal in selecting and ordering our **MEALS** is that they be appealing and of good value. For the future luncheons, the Special Meals--for those who have dietary restrictions--that will be available will be as follows: Gluten-Free, Dairy-Free or Vegetarian. Although not encouraged, one of the three can be specified when making your reservation.

## The Continuing Saga of the Missing Teapot ... from Carol Saunders

Some time ago at a "happening" at our home, when there was a lot going on and hubbub abounded, someone asked to borrow my Grandmother's Havilland cocoa pot. I don't remember who took it and I really want it back now. If you are the one or if you know who it was who needs this reminder, please respond to: Carol Saunders, 1076 Westview Dr., 303-499-3731 or <u>carol.saunders@comcast.net</u>.

Thank you so much. Carol Saunders



## New Interest Group Ideas... from Mary Anna Dunn

At our coffee gathering on September 13, members suggested a few new interest group ideas. Because forming a group requires at least five interested members, I wanted to alert everyone so that like-minded women can join forces. Here are the possible topics:

- Photography
- Birdwatching
- Mahjong
- Out to Theater
- Music Appreciation listening to music with guidance from an expert
- French Conversation, Group 2 Because the existing group is full, this would be an opportunity for new participants. Three people signed the list at the coffee.

If you have an interest in exploring one or more of these possibilities, please contact me (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>). Here's to maximum fun and involvement for all!

### Sneak Previews of Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

Please join us for this year's great lineup of speakers. The price of the luncheons remains the same as last year at \$18 per lecture. **Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder 80305-6543.** Contact Virginia (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u>) with questions.



## December

Islam as a Medía Spectacle

### Nabil Echchaibi

Tuesday, December 13, 2011, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due December 6)

Have the media compounded a minor conflict with the debate around the building of a Muslim community center in lower Manhattan, or have they simply chronicled a rampant fear of Islam and Muslims in American society? How can we have a sensible and constructive conversation about the place of Muslims in America? Nabil is a scholar doing important and very interesting work.

Nabil Echchaibi is a CU Assistant Professor in the Journalism & Mass Communication Graduate School.



### February Kíds, Cartoons and Cookie Consumption

### Meg Campbell

Tuesday, February 14, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due February 7)

As written on the web in <u>HealthDay</u>: Seeing overweight people can cause you to choose unhealthy foods and to eat more of them unless you consciously focus on your health goals. Images of overweight people can affect the eating habits of children and can also thwart a diet, according to Meg's research. Through her work with children and adults, Meg delves into the psychological aspects of our relationship with food.

Meg Campbell is Associate Professor of Marketing in Leeds School of Business.



March

### Through Soviet Jewish Eyes—Photography, War and the Holocaust

David Shneer

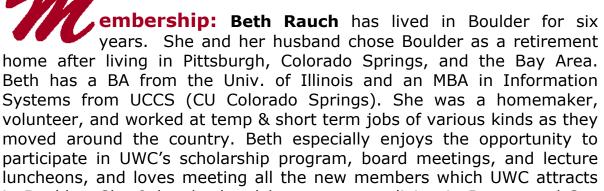
Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due March 6)

David passionately tells the stories and highlights the work of an elite group of Soviet-Jewish photographers—never-before-published photographs from families, collectors, and private archives. These artists participated in a social project they believed in and with which they were emotionally and intellectually invested—they were charged by the Stalinist state to tell the visual story of the unprecedented horror we now call the Holocaust. Books for purchase and signing will be available.

David Shneer is a CU Associate Professor of History.



nterest Group Chair: Mary Anna Dunn and her husband lived in Boulder for over 20 years and returned in late December after living seven years in Fresno. Originally from Chicago, Mary Anna first came to CU for graduate study, then spent four years in Asia and five in the DC area. Originally an English teacher, her career led her into university advancement at U. of Maryland, CU, and California State University, Fresno. Recently retired, she looks forward to more hiking, gardening, creative fun, bookish pursuits and time with family (two sons, two grandchildren).





in Boulder. She & her husband have two sons living in Boston and San Francisco, and two grandchildren. Her interests include reading, genealogy, piano, mahjong, cooking, biking, hiking, birds and travel.

o-chair Scholarship Luncheon: Carol Dunnack is a relatively new UWC member and a relatively new retiree, following 40 years as a secondary educator. Learning and educating have always been her passions. Carol and her husband Smith found their way to the Rocky Mountains and Boulder/Niwot by way of North Carolina, Southern California and South Florida. Following college, they left their home states of New York and Maine, respectively, returning only for visits. They love every minute of their Colorado experience, and are thankful their daughter, son (in-law), and three granddaughters live nearby in Greenwood Village. Carol loves reading and being a UWC member; she also enjoys writing, hiking, genealogy, volunteering, cuddling with Baxter



the cat, and, last but not least, eating Asian, Mexican and Italian foods (she is hungry at this writing)!

## Spotlight on ... Afternoon Book Group



The Afternoon Book Group is composed of vivacious, loquacious and knowledgeable women who meet monthly to discuss books. We usually meet at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. One of our members hosts the group in her home and provides light refreshments; another leads the discussion. The number of attendees varies widely from month to month but invariably we have a lively conversation and we always welcome guests.

Each year we get together in June to decide on the book list for the following season that runs from September to June. Half our chosen titles are fiction, half non-fiction. Within these categories we include one memoir/biography and one classic. This year we are reading such

diverse books as One Thousand Chestnut Trees and Just Like Us. The former book is a semi-

autobiographical novel by a Korean-American; the latter is by the journalist wife of our governor.

All our members are encouraged to make suggestions and can propose a book without having read it. Perhaps a friend has praised it or it has received great reviews. Finally a vote takes place and our list is set for the following season. The meeting culminates with a potluck lunch.

If you are interested in joining us or examining our 2011-2012 list of books to be discussed, contact one of the co-leaders: Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u>) or Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u>).



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

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## Margaret Willard Award

#### 2012 Award Nomination

The University Women's Club gives the Margaret Willard Award annually at the spring Honors Reception. The woman who receives the award must fulfill some or all of the following criteria:

- Demonstrate outstanding work in her field of endeavor
- Enhance the quality of life for women on the Boulder campus and/or in the Boulder community
- Be an exceptional role model
- Elevate women's performance

Bring honor to all women and to the University/Boulder community through her accomplishments

To the Nominator: Please complete this form and include it with your letter of support and at least one additional letter of support. Please address the above criteria in those letters. The selection committee also encourages nominators to submit a current bio and/or resume of the nominee.

Name of Nominee	
Address	
Phone (home)	(work)
Email	
Institutions attended and degrees received (if applicable)	
Nominee's current position (if retired, position held until retirem	ent)
Please provide information outlining Nominee's service to the U additional paper if needed)	
Nominator/Submitted by	
Address	
Phone (home)	
Email	

## Please send application information to Pat Hagerty, 3224 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Boulder, CO 80304 by March 1, 2012. Information may also be emailed to <u>pat.hagerty@comcast.net</u>. If the Nominee does not receive the award in 2012, she may be considered for 2013. In this case, an updated statement about the Nominee may be requested. Note: In the past, winners have come from the University community (volunteers, faculty, or staff) as well as from the Boulder community.

## Interest Groups

### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	Nov. 29: at the home of Shirley Deeter, 3902 Promontory Ct., Boulder. Ami Sadler will lead the discussion of <i>The Age of the Unthinkable:</i> <i>Why the New World Disorder Constantly</i> <i>Surprises and What We Can Do About It</i> by Joshua Copper Ramos
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:15 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start; Second Thursday meeting in Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	Nov. 10: Hostess: Virginia Stringi, 953 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u> ) Book: <i>All Quiet on the</i> <i>Western Front</i> by Erich Maria Remarque. Reviewer: Kathleen Salzberg
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	The Bicycling and Easy Riders groups will be on a hiatus until April. Please watch for an announcement then. If you are interested in joining or receiving information about either group, please contact Mary Greenwald.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	See Special Notes under Bicycling group.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu)	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. New groups will be formed if there is interest.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 10:30 a.m. First Thursday The Eggcredible Cafe	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	We can add new names to the substitute list.
Current Events 2 p.m. Second Wednesday	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; claudinegarby@comcast.net)	Nov. 9: Place and program to be determined. Email will provide details.
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening Usually Third Wednesdays from April to October	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	We are hibernating for the winter; no meetings until April.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Every Friday at 9:30 a.m.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; GolferB7@aol.com)	Hikes will be planned and announced in advance. Hikes are 3 miles long and within a 15-minute drive from Boulder.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

## Interest Groups

### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
<b>Music</b> 7:30 p.m. Second Monday For location, contact chairs	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	Nov. 14: Our next meeting is at 7:30 p.m. We especially welcome new performers.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com	Anyone interested in attending should contact the hostess. Nov. 10: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> ). Nov. 24: Thanksgiving: no meeting
On the Road Again Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips. Contact chair for more information.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; Meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	Oct. 26: Q's in the Hotel Boulderado, 2115 13 <sup>th</sup> St. Email provides details.
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Members' Homes	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	Next reading to be held on Nov. 20 at Ellie Bertram's home. Chair will send directions to those who respond.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com)	Nov. 7: Meet at the home of Eleanor Patten, 5365 Centennial Trail, to read the final scenes of <i>Auntie</i> <i>Mame</i> .
<b>Snowshoeing NEW!</b> Probably on Wednesdays. Start date is weather dependent.	Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	This is a new interest group. Currently have 14 members. Looking for trail leaders and a co-chair.
<b>Spanish – Beginning Conversation</b> 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Hour-long class weekly with Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session. Our wonderful and very patient teacher is willing to form a new very- beginners group in her home if four or more are interested. Contact Sherry.
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.
Tea and Travel Meets Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Contact Virginia to be placed on the T&T email list and receive a monthly reminder a week before the meeting.	Nov. 15: Virginia Stringi will present The Hamptons: One of the Historical Summer Colonies of the American Northeast. Presentation in Virginia's Home, 935 Gillaspie Drive, Boulder. RSVP to Virginia.

## A Note from the Membership Chair

elcome! Please fill out the membership form completely, even if you were a member last year. It is important that we verify all the information presently in the database. Please print clearly, especially your email address. Our newsletter, *MESSAGES*, will be emailed to our membership.

Looking forward to seeing you at our wonderful events. Beth Rauch, Membership Chair 303-442-2704; <u>etrauch@comcast.net</u>

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Books (Afternoon or Evening) Please circle choice	Gardening	Needlecraft	Tea and Travel
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French Conversation	Movies	Spanish (Beginning or Conversational) Please circle choice	

## 2011-12 Calendar

November	1	Board Meeting
	6	New Member Wine & Cheese
	8	Lecture Luncheon and Directory Distribution
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
December	6	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	13	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	7	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	14	Lecture Luncheon
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	10	MESSAGES Deadline
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April	3	Board Meeting
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	22	Tri-Board Meeting

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There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an email account through CU, which will provide a CU email 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. A library card may also be obtained without getting an email address or Buff One card. To take advantage of the email 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; <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u>).

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December Lecture Luncheon I slam as a Media Spectacle Nabil Echchaibi Tuesday, December 13, 2011, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due December 6)

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Nabil Echchaibi is an assistant professor of journalism and media studies and associate director of the Center for Media, Religion and Culture at the University of Colorado-Boulder. His research is situated at the crossroad of important contemporary issues such as identity, religion, and the role of media in shaping and reflecting modern religious subjectivities among Muslims in the Middle East and in diaspora. His work on diasporic media and the leveling of religious authority through the proliferation of Islamic media has appeared in various international publications such as Javnost, International Communication Gazette, Journal of Intercultural Studies, Nations and Nationalism, Journal of Arab and Muslim Media Research, and Media Development. Dr. Echchaibi is currently working on his book, Formations of the Muslim Modern: Islam, Media and Alternative Modernity, which explores how Muslims engage, through their own media production, modernity as a source of both contention and identification. Using a multilayered analysis of six case studies of Muslim media in Cairo, Los Angeles, Dubai, San Francisco, London, and Austin, the book examines how transnational satellite television and digital media have become prime discursive and performative stages where young individuals and institutions debate and contest what it means to be "modern" in the Muslim context.

Dr. Echchaibi is also directing a project funded by the Social Science Research Council, which will compile a cultural history of Muslims in the Mountain West region of the United States. The project will produce an interactive web resource and a documentary film. His book Voicing Diasporas: Ethnic Radio in Paris and Berlin Between Culture and Renewal is forthcoming with Lexington Books in 2011. His coedited book International Blogging: Identity, Politics and Networked Publics was published in 2009 by Peter Lang Publishing. Prior to joining CU, Dr. Echchaibi taught at Franklin College in Lugano, Switzerland, where he helped set up the international communication department, the University of Louisville and Indiana University-Bloomington. A native of Morocco, he earned his BA from Mohammed V University in Rabat and his MA and PhD from Indiana University-Bloomington.

The price of the luncheon is \$18. Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder 80305-6543. Contact Virginia (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u>) with questions.

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### President's Message

Since 1919, when the University Women's Club was formally organized, friendship, hospitality and service have been identified as common themes and continue to serve us well as guiding principles in all that we do. We have a tradition of



Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

philanthropic work while maintaining our mission to foster friendship among members, individual expression through interest groups, and intellectual stimulation through the sharing and gaining of knowledge via the Lecture Luncheon series.

Although these principles have remained constant, the expression of the service principle has been varied. This variability has been due largely to shifts in external conditions and to changes in the demographics of our membership. What has not changed is our concern for people and our willingness to give freely of our time and talents to assist them. Over the years this concern has fueled service projects ranging from milk funds for school children to substantial scholarships for returning university students.

As has happened more than once in our history, we are in the process of redefining the term service as it applies to members of UWC. You are helping us immensely in the redefinition process. Approximately one third of our members have responded to the Service Survey, a number that survey designers would find impressive. The results have told us clearly that service is a value you embrace. The majority of respondents reported that they were involved in volunteer/service work outside of the UWC. The majority also reported that UWC is an important source for identifying volunteer opportunities. They also do not see the need to be involved in UWC group volunteer activities and projects. These findings are interesting and along with written comments will be used as a guideline for redesigning our current interpretation of service as set forth in the Constitution.

In closing, I would like you to consider the concept of service as it is manifested within the University Women's Club. I am humbled by the energy and enthusiasm of our members who say "yes" to requests for any level of participation. Your Board, Interest Group Chairs, and guest lecturers work long, sometimes hard, and always unpaid hours. Many donate their expenses to the scholarship fund. All are available 24/7 for consultation and problem solving. They are truly amazing! Treat them kindly. They are doing it for you! Notes of Interest About...

### Support Our Sponsors from Georgianne Campbell

The UWC is proud to announce our 2011-2012 sponsors who gave generously to our club. Please support our sponsors. Thank you!

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### Save the Date!

## UWC Spring Scholarship Luncheon

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## Incredible Journeys: Treks to Transformations

Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. Boulder Country Club

Fashion Presentation by Nordstrom

### New and Returning Members (Oct 17 to Nov 5)

The UWC would like to recognize and thank the following members for their commitment to the club:

- Irene Bock
- Marge Bubany
- Judy Etschmaier
- Marty Coffin Evans
- Janet C. Freeman
- Liz Hinebauch
- Susannah Jordan

For more information, please contact GeorgiAnne Campbell at <u>campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com</u>.

- Carrol Kalafus
- Alice Korenblat
- Mareike Ludkewycz
- Edith I. Morris
- Virginia Patterson
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## Spotlight on ... Out to Lunch Group



### Jur name says it all!

We are a group of food lovers who meet once a month in various restaurants in the greater Boulder area to try offerings at new restaurants or return to old favorites to enjoy their cuisine.

Boulder is a foodie town. We were named the foodiest town in America by *Bon Appetit* magazine, and our group certainly takes full advantage of the culinary skills of area chefs. In recent months, we have enjoyed lunches at the Kitchen and Q's in downtown Boulder and have ventured further afield to the Martini Bistro in Longmont. We are a very democratic group when it comes to restaurants and member suggestions are

welcome - how else would we find such

great restaurants to visit!!!

The best thing about our group is that it allows us to get to know each other over a good meal and a glass of wine and form friendships with the women we meet.

We meet on the fourth Wednesday of the month in the restaurant of our choice. If we are going out of town we arrange to carpool. All UWC members are welcome to join us.

If you are interested in joining us, contact one of the coleaders: Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831;

jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) or Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com).



## How the Broadway Construction Project Impacts Parking

How the <u>Broadway and Euclid Transportation Improvement Project</u> impacts attendees' access to the UMC vicinity via transit depends on where they are coming from and which bus route they are arriving on. From a transit perspective, there are 15 different bus routes that operate in that vicinity and that will be impacted by the project.

#### ACCESS VIA BROADWAY TRANSIT ROUTES

Now through December 18: For the people arriving via one of the 10 routes operating on Broadway (AB, BV/BF/BX, DD, DM, GS, DASH, SKIP, 203, 204, 225) and travelling toward downtown Boulder (north and east on Broadway) there are two options to <u>the now closed bus</u> <u>stop</u> on Broadway between the UMC and Euclid Avenue:

- ⇒ The bus stop on Broadway, just north of Regent, near the University Administrative Center at 914 Broadway.
- ⇒ The bus stop on Broadway, just before the College Avenue underpass, near the Museum Collections Building.

Beginning between December 19 – 25, the <u>bus stop</u> across Broadway from the UMC, next to the Uni-Hill Elementary School (serving buses south bound on Broadway) will also be closed. Once this stop is closed, the two nearest options are the corresponding, south-bound bus stops across the street from those listed above (a) & b)):

- ⇒ The <u>bus stop</u> on south-bound Broadway, just north of 20<sup>th</sup> Street and across Broadway from the <u>University Administrative Center</u> at 914 Broadway.
- ⇒ The <u>bus stop</u> on south-bound Broadway, just north of College Avenue, next to the College underpass and across Broadway from the <u>Economics Building</u>.

#### ACCESS VIA TRANSIT ROUTES TRAVERSING CAMPUS

Five transit routes traverse campus (HOP, Buff Bus, 209, J and STAMPEDE). The north-bound Buff Bus, J and STAMPEDE routes formerly stopped at <u>the now closed bus stop</u> on Broadway between the UMC and Euclid Avenue. The nearest two options for north-bound riders on these three routes now are:

- $\Rightarrow$  The <u>bus stop</u> on north-bound 18<sup>th</sup> Street next to the <u>IMIG Music Building</u> at 1020 18<sup>th</sup> Street.
- ⇒ The <u>bus stop</u> on south-bound Broadway, just north of 20<sup>th</sup> Street and across Broadway from the <u>University Administrative Center</u> at 914 Broadway.

If you have any questions relative to the Broadway/Euclid project, please contact either Rich Deborski with CU Boulder's Facilities Management department: <u>Richard.Deborski@Colorado.EDU</u> or Noreen Walsh with the city of Boulder: <u>WalshN@bouldercolorado.gov</u>. Another great resource for information is the city's cone zone website: <u>http://www.boulderconezones.net/</u> or call 303-441-3266.

#### Get to Know Some of Our New Members!



Gail Lurie Susan Katz Carolyn Hart Phyllis Applebaum Linda Smith Judith Phillips Michelle Francois Lynne Dean Sandra Moriarty Joan Reid

#### Sandra Moriarty

Sandra has lived in Boulder since 1984 where she volunteers at Community Food Share and is on the Board of Directors for Habitat for Humanity. A retired CU School of Journalism faculty member, she taught advertising, public relations, and visual communication and was co-founder and director of the School's Integrated Marketing Communication master's program. She loves reading, travel, bridge, and enjoys the mountains in all seasons.

#### Carrol Kalafus

Carrol moved here from Pennsylvania 40 years ago and fell in love with Colorado. She raised two daughters in the Boulder area and now enjoys helping out as a grandmother to two grandchildren. Carrol graduated from CU in the areas of Education/Recreation and then went on to work at CU, retiring from the College of Engineering. Carrol enjoys tennis, hiking, light biking, reading, and loves to paint in oils. She is looking forward to UWC activities.

#### **Catherine Hewins**

I was born in Scotland and, after graduating from Aberdeen University, lived in South America and Canada before settling in New Jersey where I taught High School French for 21 years. I retired from teaching in 2001, moved to Boulder and became a photographer which is what I enjoy doing now, along with hiking, playing bridge and scrabble. I also enjoy traveling and taking photos in the western states.

#### Carolyn Hart

Carolyn lived in Ohio for 54 years, has two children, a masters in education degree, and taught challenged learners for 30 years. Upon retiring, she traveled the world and frequently stopped in Boulder for a respite. She now lives in Boulder where she is a life coach, training leader for The Awakening the Dreamer Symposium and is writing a book, Step Up Step Out. She will be published in May 2012 in the anthology, Pebbles in the Pond, Transforming the World One Person at a Time. Her website premiering January 1 will be: <u>www.carolynrosehart.com</u>. She loves photography, hiking, skiing, and facilitating groups to step up and step out.

# Meet Your Board

Ominating Committee Chair: Val Havlick has held various positions in UWC including President in 1981-82. Val is a retired BVSD Biology and Physical Science teacher and is married to Spense, a retired CU professor. They moved to Boulder a second time in 1975 after interim times in Milwaukee, Ann Arbor and San Jose. She and Spense have 3 adult children, 6 grandchildren and are very lucky to have all living nearby. Val's interests include travel (2 round the world trips on Semester at Sea and then a 2009 trip to Antarctica are highlights), numerous work trips to New Orleans and Guatemala, tennis, bicycling, gardening and Nordic skiing. She is an active



volunteer with Habitat for Humanity and the Master Gardening program and loves the UWC Spanish and bridge interest groups. To make a positive difference in the lives of those she meets is her guiding principle.

*ESSAGES* & Webpage Editor: Carol Etges moved to Boulder in 1994 from North Carolina with her husband of 30 years, Dave. She

started her career in Biology and Chemistry, working at Vanderbilt in their Blood Bank and at the Red Cross in the Research & Reference Lab. After a 12-year break to raise her 3 sons, she went back to work to help Dave manage his veterinary practice in Boulder. This experience, along with her hobbies of webpage design, creative writing, and being a self-professed computer nerd, led her to her new job at MWH Global as an Executive Assistant in the Consulting Solutions Center. She has previously served as President of the UWC, and has held the editor position for a few years. Carol also currently volunteers as the President of PEO, Chapter IN in Louisville, and VP/Program Chair of the Boulder



Chapter of the International Association of Admin Professionals. She enjoys decorating her home (shades of her mother) and has a love of remodeling that she learned by shadowing her engineer father.

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

(From Oct. 11 through Nov. 10, 2011)

Merry Bullock Michele Francois Anne Hearn Liz Hinebauch Martha Jones Susannah Jordan Rhea Little Mareike Ludkewycz Colleen Tucker Anne White Marilyn Whittaker



# Interest Groups Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group		unn.maryanna@gman.com)
Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	<ul> <li>Dec: The Afternoon Book Group will not meet this month.</li> <li>Jan. 24: At the home of Virginia Stringi, 953</li> <li>Gillaspie Dr., Boulder (303-955-1860;</li> <li>vstringi@comcast.net</li> <li>Lois Linsky will lead the discussion of Warmth of Other Suns: Epic Story of America's Great Migration by Isabel Wilkerson.</li> </ul>
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:15 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start; Second Thursday meeting in Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499- 3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	<b>Dec. 8:</b> Hostess: Ellen Gille, 1730 Ithaca Dr., Boulder (303-499-3134; jcgefg@dim.com) Book: <i>A Death in the Family</i> by James Agee Reviewer: Martha Andrews <b>Jan. 12:</b> Hostess: Marion Selbin, 3345 16th Street, Boulder (303-444-7341; mselbin@yahoo.com) Book: <i>The Hare with Amber Eyes</i> by Edmund de Waal. Reviewer: Charlotte Mudar
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; <u>m.b.greenwald@comcast.net</u> )	The Bicycling and Easy Riders groups will be on a hiatus until April; we'll send an announcement then. If you are interested in joining or receiving information about either group, please contact Mary Greenwald.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; <u>m.b.greenwald@comcast.net</u> )	See Special Notes under Bicycling group.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; havlickv@colorado.edu); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; kdayem@colorado.edu)	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. New groups will be formed if there is interest.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 10:30 a.m. First Thursday The Eggcredible Cafe	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	<b>Dec. 1:</b> The UWC 1st Thursday Bridge will be at the Eggcredible Café at 10:30 a.m.
Current Events 2 p.m. Second Wednesday	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; <u>claudinegarby@comcast.net</u> )	<b>Dec:</b> No meeting in December <b>Jan. 11:</b> Republican Presidential Candidates at home of Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr. (303- 955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u> )
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening Usually Third Wednesdays from April to October	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	We are hibernating for the winter; no meetings until April.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies Every Friday at 9:30 a.m.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; GolferB7@aol.com)	We got off to a slow start this Fall. With the holidays and winter weather, I won't schedule hikes until March. But please call if you want to hike before then, and in the Spring we'll gear up for wild flowers.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

# Interest Groups Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Meeting Time and Place		
<b>Music</b> 7:30 p.m. Second Monday For location, contact chairs	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	<b>Dec. 12:</b> Our next meeting is at 10:00 a.m. We especially welcome new performers.
<u>Needlecraft</u> 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com	Dec. 8: Georgi Campbell (303-499-2798; <u>rpcampbell@att.net</u> ) Dec. 22: no meeting Jan. 12: Karon Johnson (303-499-5056; <u>karon.johnson@colorado.edu</u> ) Jan. 26: Anne Burke (303-997-7347; <u>annepburke@gmail.com</u> )
<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips. Contact chair for more information.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; Meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	Nov. 30: (so as not to conflict with thanksgiving) Salt, 1047 Pearl St., an American bistro. RSVP: Linda Blomquist (303-939-9169; <u>lindegren@comcast.net</u> ) or Kathy Randall (303-530- 1095; <u>katherineran@gmail.com</u> ) Dec: No meeting in December. Jan. 25: Brasserie Ten Ten, 1011 Walnut St. RSVP: Jyotsna Raj or Ginny Donegan.
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Members' Homes	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	<b>Dec. 5:</b> A special radio version reading of <i>"It's a Wonderful Life"</i> at 6:30 p.m. in conjunction with the RT-2 Evening group. The host will be Rosemary Cooke at her condo clubhouse. Chair will send directions to those who respond.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; <u>pattycake.21@juno.com</u> ) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; <u>katherineran@gmail.com</u> )	<b>Dec. 5:</b> A special radio version reading of <i>"It's a Wonderful Life"</i> at 6:30 p.m. in conjunction with the RT-2 Afternoon group. The host will be Rosemary Cooke at her condo clubhouse. Chair will send directions to those who respond.
<b>Snowshoeing NEW!</b> Probably on Wednesdays. Start date is weather dependent.	Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	This is a new interest group. Currently have 16 members. Looking for trail leaders and a co-chair.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Hour-long class weekly with Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session. Our wonderful and very patient teacher is willing to form a new very- beginners group in her home if four or more are interested. Contact Sherry.
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.
Tea and Travel Meets Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Contact Virginia to be placed on the T&T email list and receive a monthly reminder a week before the meeting.	<b>DecJan.:</b> Tea and Travel will break for December and January and resume in February.

## SAVE THE DATE : Sunday, MARCH 18, 2012

# UWC OPERA BRUNCH

UWC Opera Brunch is back at the University Memorial Center this year, followed by CU Opera's production of two delightful one-act operas by Puccini. The brunch starts at 11:15 in the Aspen Room, at UMC. An elegant meal is planned, followed by special entertainment from the music school. Then, off to Macky Auditorium for the 2:00 p.m. performance. *Suor Angelica* is a drama of desire set in a 17<sup>th</sup> century convent. *Gianni Schicchi* is a farce based on an incident in Dante's *Divine Comedy*. The two operas show the breadth of Puccini's work, from his haunting melodic talent to his comic skill.



Reservations must be <u>received</u> by Friday, Feb 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Checks payable to UWC. Send check and form to: Pat Thompson, 2575 Otter Ct., Lafayette CO 80206

\*Pat will also be available at the Feb 14<sup>th</sup> Lecture Luncheon to take your reservations/payment.

I would like \_\_\_\_\_opera tickets at \$20.00 each Amount Enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

I would like\_\_\_\_\_places for brunch at \$26.00 each Amount Enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your menu selection:

Salmon\_\_\_\_\_ Beef\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian (Wild Mushroom Risotto)\_\_\_\_\_

Name and contact information:

Feel free to contact Pat with any questions: stelibsco@mac.com or 303-926-4210

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#### 2011-12 Calendar

December	6	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	13	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	7	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	14	Lecture Luncheon
March	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	18	Opera Brunch
April	3	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	24	Scholarship Luncheon
Мау	15	Honors Reception
	22	Tri-Board Meeting



Have a Joyous Holiday and see you in February with our next issue of *MESSAGES*. ~Carol

#### Executive Board 2011-12

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## Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an email account through CU, which provides a CU email address; and 2) a CU guest BuffOne card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library.

A library card may also be obtained without getting an email address or BuffOne card. To take advantage of the email account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in these benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u>).

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# February Lecture Luncheon

Kids, Cartoons and Cookie Consumption Margaret Campbell Tuesday, February 14, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due February 7)

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<u>President's Message</u> Hear from our 2011-12 President, Rosemary Getsie See Page 2 for Details...

Opera Brunch See two operas for one low price. See Page 8 for Details... As written on the web in <u>HealthDay</u>: Seeing overweight people can cause you to choose unhealthy foods and to eat more of them unless you consciously focus on your health goals, according to Meg's research. Images of overweight people can affect the eating habits of children and can also thwart a diet. Meg delves into the psychological aspects of her work with children and adults.

Margaret C. Campbell is an associate professor of marketing at the Leeds School of Business, University of Colorado Boulder. Professor Campbell received her A.B. in psychology and economics with honors and distinction, at Stanford University, where she earned entrance to Phi Beta Kappa. She later returned to Stanford to earn her Ph.D. in marketing at the Graduate School of Business. She was a member of the faculty at the Anderson Graduate School of Management at UCLA from 1992-2000.

Professor Campbell's research focuses on questions of how consumers interpret the marketplace and how their interpretations influence their responses to companies and brands. Her research has been published in several journals including the *Journal of Consumer Research*, the *Journal of Marketing Research*, and the *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*. She currently serves on the editorial review boards of the *Journal of Consumer Research*, *Journal of Retailing*, *Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science*, and the *International Journal of Research in Marketing*. She has been appointed Associate Editor at the *Journal of Consumer Research* beginning in June 2011.

Professor Campbell teaches in the undergraduate, MBA, and PhD programs. She has taught classes on advertising and promotion, integrated marketing communications, brand management, consumer behavior/psychology, and principles of marketing.

The price of the luncheon is \$18. Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder 80305-6543. Contact Virginia (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u>) with questions.

#### President's Message

It is a pleasure to wish you all a Happy New Year and a hearty welcome to the 2012 half of the 2011-2012 UWC year. Even though the holidays are exciting and the January break



refreshing, it is good to be back to the UWC.

Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

As in previous years, our second half promises to be eventful. We begin on February 14 with another mustbe-there Lecture Luncheon. Perhaps you will find, like me, that the topic *Weight Prime Research-Adults & Children* by Professor Meg Campbell is very timely after the holidays eat-a-thon.

In March, we will once again have the opportunity to dine sumptuously at brunch and be wonderfully entertained at the opera. This year the Opera Brunch will be on Sunday, March 18 and will feature Puccini's Gianni Schicchi & Suor Angelica.

Then, on April 24 we will once again have the privilege of honoring our scholars. In addition to honoring scholars, this year's Scholarship Luncheon will take a somewhat different twist on the fashion show. Be sure to join us to greet the scholars, enjoy the company of friends, and be thoroughly entertained.

Finally, we will formally close our UWC year with one of my favorite events, the Honors Reception. This event always creates a wonderful afternoon where the focus is on recognizing the women among us who make a difference. The most notable recognition of the afternoon is the presentation of the Margaret Willard Award.

We are currently seeking nominations for the Margaret Willard Award. This award is bestowed annually to a woman or women who are exemplary role models and who bring honor to the University and Boulder community.

This year, Pat Hagerty and her committee have revised the nomination process and form. The revisions, while maintaining the integrity of the award, will make the process less cumbersome for nominators. Please consider nominating an outstanding woman who embodies the qualities of the award and deserves recognition. The <u>nominating form</u> is available in *MESSAGES*, at the Lecture Luncheons, on our website, or by contacting Pat Hagerty.

I am looking forward to seeing all of you in the new year.

Notes of Interest About...



### Upcoming March Speaker is Honored!

Congratulations to David Shneer, professor of History and director of the Program in Jewish Studies at the CU Boulder as his recent book, *Through Soviet Jewish Eyes: Photography, War and the Holocaust* was selected as a finalist for the 2011 National Jewish Book Award in the Holocaust category!

Hear Professor Shneer's topic *Through Soviet Jewish Eyes* on March 13 at our Lecture Luncheon.

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- Mary Candis Cooke
- Marianne de Alwis
- Kimberly Ezzell
- Hope Getman
- Eleanor Holley
- Rachel Homer

For more information, please contact GeorgiAnne Campbell at <u>campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com</u>.

Best Wishes, *Rosemary* 

- Angelyn Konugres
- Rita Kotter
- Linda McMullen
- Diana Shepard
- Mary Nagle Street
- Judith Thompson



# Spotlight on ... ??? Group

Do you belong to any of these wonderful interest groups? Our members would love to learn more about you! Submit your Spotlight article to Carol Etges to be included in upcoming issues of *MESSAGES*.

- ✤ Evening Book Group
- Bridge on Thursdays
- French Conversation
- Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies
- Music

- Readers' Theatre
- Snowshoeing
- Spanish Beginning Conversation
- Spanish Conversational
- ✤ Sunday Afternoon at the Movies

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

(From Nov. 10, 2011–Jan. 9, 2012)

Linda McMullen



### Broadway Construction Project Continues

During the university winter break, construction continued on the Broadway (Euclid-18th) Transportation Improvement Project.

Campus pedestrian and traffic impacts for winter break included: The existing Euclid Avenue closed to vehicular traffic and the newly re-routed Euclid Avenue is open for right turns in and out of campus for busses only. The detour for vehicular traffic entering and exiting campus via Broadway Street will be 18th Street.

The HOP and Stampede bus routes will continue serving stops on Broadway Street and on 18th Street at the Imig Music Building. The HOP bus stop on westbound Euclid at the UMC has been removed; this stop has been temporarily relocated to westbound 18th Street at Broadway Street. For more information concerning bus stop outages and bus re-routes due to construction visit RTD's Rider Alert page on their website: <u>http://www.rtd-denver.com</u>.



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For more information regarding the project visit: <u>http://www.boulderconezones.net</u> or call 303-441-3266. The Cone Zones information page contains a link to the Broadway (Euclid-18th) Transportation Improvements Project website and also offers subscription options for E-News related to this project and other city of Boulder road and path closures.



o-chair Scholarship Luncheon: Bobbi Vischi moved to the Boulder area in the spring of 2009 from Arlington, VA, and joined the UWC in the fall of that year. Bobbi received her BFA and MFA from the University of Utah where she performed with Ballet West and taught at the University. She later taught in performing arts programs in California, New York, and the DC area for 15 years. When she and her husband, Tom, started a family, she became, among other things, a full-time swim and soccer mom. Eventually, she took classes in kilnformed glass and that launched her into a career as a glass artist. She founded and ran the Art Glass Center at Glen Echo, MD, and she

now owns Bobbi Vischi Art Glass Studio. She and Tom love their new lives in Colorado. They are thrilled that their daughter has moved to Denver, and they hope they can lure their son here too, from Prague.

Get to Know Some of Our New Members!

#### Yael Sears

Yael and her husband moved to Boulder in May 2011 after residing for 45 years in NJ. She is a graduate of Hebrew University in Jerusalem having graduated with M.Sc. degree in Chemistry. After graduation, Yael moved to USA and worked for 10 years in various research positions in industry before becoming a teacher of science and mathematics in NJ Private and Public schools. Yael is still trying to adjust to Boulder and its environs. She enjoys reading, traveling, gardening and hiking. She is looking forward to get involved in UWC activities.

# The Rocky Mountains may be celebrating Black History Month

famous for gold and silver, but the Gold Rush of 1859 brought more than material treasures to Colorado. In 1859, "Aunt" Clara Brown, a newlyfreed slave from Kentucky, made the long journey westward to start a new life in Colorado. Reportedly the first black woman to arrive in Colorado during the Gold Rush, Aunt Clara helped pave the way for generations of outstanding Coloradoan women.

On a gold-rush frontier where everyone dreamed of striking it rich, Clara Brown gave a fortune away. A humble laundress when she got to Central City in 1859, she amassed her wealth the old-fashioned way,

through hard work and shrewd investments. But she used most of her money to help others: out-of-luck miners, religious organizations, schools, and former slaves getting their first taste of freedom after the Civil War. The latter cause had special meaning for Clara Brown for she herself had been a slave. She spent the first fifty-plus years of her life in bondage on Kentucky plantations, purchasing her freedom for \$120 in 1856. But in the 29 years that remained to her, this remarkable woman made the most of her liberty, building a new life for herself and helping countless other Colorado pioneers do the same. Read more on YourHub...

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Name of Nominee	
Address	
Phone (home)	(work)
Email	
Institutions attended and degrees received (if applicable)	
Nominee's current position (if retired, position held until retirement)	
Please provide information outlining Nominee's service to the Universe additional paper if needed)	
Nominator/Submitted by	
Address	
Phone (home)	
Email	

Please send application information to Pat Hagerty, 3224 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Boulder, CO 80304 by March 1, 2012. Information may also be emailed to <u>pat.hagerty@comcast.net</u>. If the Nominee does not receive the award in 2012, she may be considered for 2013. In this case, an updated statement about the Nominee may be requested. Note: In the past,

winners have come from the University community (volunteers, faculty, or staff) as well as from the Boulder community.

# Interest Groups

Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group Meeting Time and Place	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; ruth.harvey@comcast.net) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; ssdeeter@comcast.net)	<b>Feb. 28:</b> Hostess: Charlotte Corbridge, 7351 Windsor Dr., Boulder (303-530-0955, <u>charlotte.corbridge@colorado.edu</u> ). Please let Charlotte know if you plan to attend. Johanna Renouf will lead the discussion of Toni Morrison's <i>Beloved</i> .
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:15 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start; Second Thursday meeting in Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499- 3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	<b>Feb. 9:</b> Helen Goldman, 2275 Bluebell Ave., Boulder (303-443-4953; <u>hgoldman@colorado.edu</u> ). Book: <i>American Pastoral</i> by Philip Roth. March book: <i>Saint Maybe</i> by Anne Tyler Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore.
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	The Bicycling and Easy Riders groups will be on a hiatus until April; we'll send an announcement then. If you are interested in joining or receiving information about either group, please contact Mary Greenwald.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	See Special Notes under Bicycling group.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; <u>havlickv@colorado.edu</u> ); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; <u>kdayem@colorado.edu</u> )	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. New groups will be formed if there is interest.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 10:30 a.m. First Thursday The Eggcredible Cafe	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	<b>Feb. 2:</b> The UWC 1st Thursday Bridge will be at the Eggcredible Café at 10:30 a.m., hosted by Jane Allen.
Current Events 2 p.m. Second Wednesday	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; claudinegarby@comcast.net)	<b>Feb. 8:</b> Program and venue to be determined. Information available from the co-chairs Claudine Garby and Jyotsna Raj.
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening Usually Third Wednesdays from April to October	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; <u>jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu</u> ) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; <u>ginnydon22@yahoo.com</u> )	We are hibernating for the winter; no meetings until April.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Every Friday at 9:30 a.m.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; <u>GolferB7@aol.com</u> )	We got off to a slow start this Fall. With the holidays and winter weather, I won't schedule hikes until March. But please call if you want to hike before then, and in the Spring we'll gear up for wild flowers.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

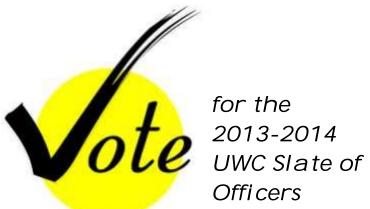
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Meeting Time and Place Music Second Mondays of most months. Time varies. Members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; <u>owensj4@mac.com</u> ); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; <u>jluerman@comcast.net</u> )	<b>Feb 13:</b> Our next meeting is at 10:00 a.m. We especially welcome new performers.
<u>Needlecraft</u> 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com)	Feb. 9: Maryanna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> ) Feb. 23: Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; <u>katherineran@gmail.com</u> )
<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips. Contact chair for more information.
<u>Out to Lunch</u> 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; Meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	<b>Feb. 22:</b> Shine, 2027 13th. St., Boulder, a new restaurant by the sisters who owned Trilogy.
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Rosemary Cooke's Clubhouse for the remainder of the season	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	<b>Feb. 19:</b> <i>Tongue of a Bird</i> . Connie Pringle, director; Rosemary Cooke, refreshments.
<b>Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening</b> 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com)	<b>Feb. 6:</b> Meet at the home of Heather McDonald to read <i>Toys in the Attic</i> by Lillian Hellman. <b>Mar. 12:</b> Meet to read <i>Twelve Angry Women</i> by Reginald Rose.
<b>Snowshoeing <u>NEW!</u></b> Wednesdays. Weather dependent.	Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	Looking for trail leaders and a co-chair.
<b>Spanish – Beginning Conversation</b> 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Hour-long class weekly with Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session. Our wonderful and very patient teacher is willing to form a new very- beginners group in her home if four or more are interested. Contact Sherry.
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, <u>diana s king@yahoo.com)</u>	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.
<b>Sunday Afternoon at the Movies</b> Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.
Tea and Travel Meets Third Tuesday Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Contact Virginia to be placed on the T&T email list and receive a monthly reminder a week before the meeting.	Feb 21: Mary Anna Dunn will present "Crafts and Curiosities: Off the Beaten Path in Asia". Japan, Korea, and Thailand will be the primary locations of most of the craftspeople at work in Mary Anna's slides. Presentation at Mary Anna's home, 7290 Mt. Sherman Rd. Longmont. RSVP to Mary Anna (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )

#### 2011-12 Calendar

February	7	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	14	Lecture Luncheon
March	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	18	Opera Brunch
April	3	Board Meeting
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	22	Tri-Board Meeting



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## Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an email account through CU, which provides a CU email address; and 2) a CU guest BuffOne card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library.

A library card may also be obtained without getting an email address or BuffOne card. To take advantage of the email account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in these benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

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Reminder

March Lecture Luncheon Through Soviet Jewish Eyes: Photography, War and the Holocaust (books available) David Shneer Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 11:30 a.m. University Memorial Center, Room 235 (Reservations and payment due March 6)

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<u>President's Message</u> Hear from our 2011-12 President, Rosemary Getsie See Page 2 for Details...

<u>Scholarship Lunch</u> It's time to sign up for our big event! See Page 6 for Details... David passionately tells the stories and highlights the work of an elite group of Soviet-Jewish photographers—never-before-published photographs from families, collectors, and private archives. These artists participated in a social project they believed in and with which they were emotionally and intellectually invested—they

were charged by the Stalinist state to tell the visual story of the unprecedented horror we now call the Holocaust. *His latest book will be available for purchase.* 

Bio:

David Shneer is professor of history and director of the Program in Jewish Studies at the University of Colorado at Boulder. Called a "taboo-breaking scholar" by Tikkun magazine, Shneer's work concentrates on modern Jewish society and culture. His books include *Queer Jews*, finalist for the Lambda Literary award, *Yiddish and the Creation of Soviet Jewish Culture*,

finalist for the National Jewish Book Award, and *New Jews: The End of the Jewish Diaspora*, that has sparked discussion in publications like the Economist and the Jerusalem Post. His newest book, *Through Soviet Jewish Eyes: Photography, War, & the Holocaust*, looks at the lives and works of two dozen World War II military photographers to examine what kinds of photographs they took when they encountered evidence of Nazi genocide on the Eastern Front.

He has lived and worked as a scholar and writer in Russia, Germany, and Israel and has written for the New York Times, Huffington Post, Rocky Mountain News and the Denver Post as well as magazines dedicated to Jewish life and culture, including Forward, Pakntreger, Jewcy, and Nextbook. Shneer has taught or been a scholar-in-residence at the University of California campuses at Berkeley and Davis, and at the University of Illinois, the National Yiddish Book Center, the University of Wisconsin, the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum, serving as the Pearl Resnick Fellow, and the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley. He serves as consultant to numerous Jewish agencies on questions of contemporary Jewish identity, and serves on the board of directors of the Association for Jewish Studies. He has won prestigious fellowships from the Social Science Research Council, the International Research and Exchange Council, and the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum.

The price of the luncheon is \$18. Mail checks to Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie Dr., Boulder 80305-6543. Contact Virginia (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u>) with questions. Service

Corner

I have included service at the UWC in other letters to you and the topic has been discussed at Board meetings for a number of months. The amount of time spent on the topic reflects how important service to the Boulder community and to the university has been to our members.

President's

Message



*Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President* 

For over 90 years, UWC women have given freely of the themselves to a

variety of causes. I have thoroughly enjoyed reading our history of "sharing and caring." The written materials have described selfless acts for the good of our country, the university, and the community. Our service heritage can make us all proud of who were, who we are, and who we will become.

The results of the Service Survey, completed by over one third of our members, have given the Board a clear picture of how service manifests itself at the UWC. The summary here is intended to give you an overview of the results. If you would like more detail, please contact me.

1) 55% of respondents do not see the UWC as a referral source to help them find volunteer projects.

2) 44% indicate that they do not rely on UWC as a volunteer referral source.3) 38% do not consider it important to volunteer with other UWC

members on group projects.

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It appears that our members are committed to service activities and find that there are opportunities outside of the UWC. At the same time, more than half of this sample want to be involved in UWC groups on service projects and use the club as a referral source for service opportunities.

The Board has asked Linda Blomquist to act as our referral resource. She will be responsible for keeping a catalogue of Boulder and community service groups and their activities. Please contact her to both give and receive information. In addition, the Board is looking for an individual with a passion for service who would be willing to serve as Service Chair. This is a Board position. This person could create or find group activities/events or opportunities for individuals,

such as tutoring or reading to the blind. Please contact me directly if you are interested.

Finally, I would encourage any member who is involved in a service group to encourage participation by other UWC members by highlighting your group and upcoming events in *MESSAGES*. We will reserve space in the remaining issues for this purpose.

Please keep the tradition of service alive in the ways described above or let us know of other ideas. As always, your input is welcome!

Rosemary Getsie, UWC President



New and Returning Members (Jan 1—Feb 10)

The UWC would like to recognize and thank the following members for their commitment to the club:

- Kristy Webber
- Anitta Frant
- Nancy Kellet Nelson

For more information, please contact GeorgiAnne Campbell at campbellgeorgie@yahoo.com.

#### Rides for Scholarship Recipients

There is a possibility that one or two of the scholarship recipients may need a ride to the Scholarship Luncheon from the CU campus. If you live in the South Boulder/University area and would be able to pick up recipients in front of UMC, please contact Frieda Holley at holleyf@mscd.edu by April 3 – and thanks in advance for volunteering!



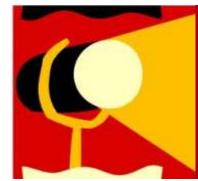
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That leaves time afterwards to adjourn to a nearby restaurant to discuss the movie. Usually we go to California Pizza Kitchen (CPK), just a block or so from the movie theater. CPK is great for our group - we are able to sit around a round table, or they put tables together for us. Some people have just a drink, others a snack or a full meal, and CPK provides separate checks for each of us with a smile.

Sometimes only 3 or 4 members meet for the movie, sometimes 8 to 10, but whether the group is large or small we can count on a lively, interesting discussion as we each bring our separate sensibilities to the movie we've watched together. Sometimes it seems like we didn't see the same film!

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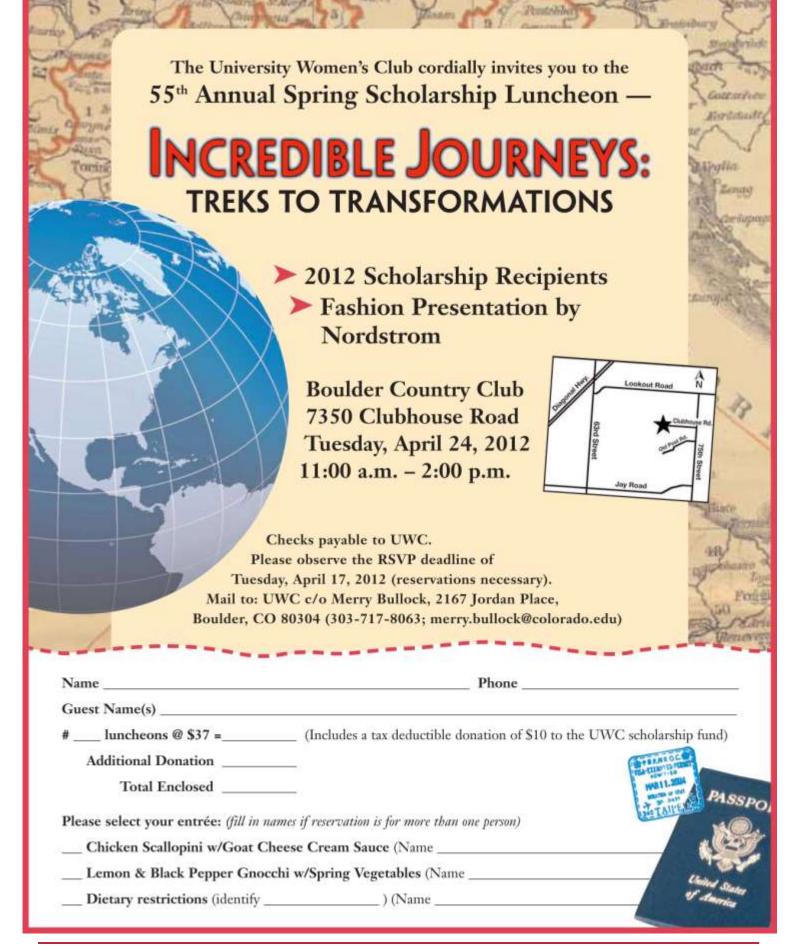
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Institutions attended and degrees received (if applicable)
Nominee's current position (if retired, position held until retirement)
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Nominator/Submitted by
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# Please send application information to Pat Hagerty, 3224 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Boulder, CO 80304 by March 1, 2012. Information may also be emailed to <u>pat.hagerty@comcast.net</u>. If the Nominee does not receive the award in 2012, she may be considered for 2013. In this case, an updated statement about the Nominee may be requested. Note: In the past, winners have come from the University community (volunteers, faculty, or staff) as well as from the Boulder community.

# Interest Groups

#### Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

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Afternoon Book Group 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	<b>Mar. 27:</b> Hostess: Ellen Gille, 1730 Ithaca Dr., Boulder (303-499-3134; jcgefg@dim.com). Pat Thompson will lead the discussion of William Faulkner's <i>As I Lay Dying</i> .
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:15 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start; Second Thursday meeting in Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499- 3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	Mar. 8: Hostess: Christy Baggett, 1407 Cedar Ave., Boulder (303-443-5680; <u>christycsweet@msn.com</u> ). Book is <i>Saint Maybe</i> by Anne Tyler. Heidi Lynch will review. The April book is Lark and Termite by Jayne Anne Phillips.
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	The Bicycling and Easy Riders groups will be on a hiatus until April; we'll send an announcement then. If you are interested in joining or receiving information about either group, please contact Mary Greenwald.
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<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Every Friday at 9:30 a.m.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; <u>GolferB7@aol.com</u> )	We got off to a slow start this Fall. With the holidays and winter weather, I won't schedule hikes until March. But please call if you want to hike before then, and in the Spring we'll gear up for wild flowers.
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<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips. Contact chair for more information.	
<u>Out to Lunch</u> 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; Meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	<b>Mar. 28:</b> Oakatfourteenth, 1400 Pearl St., Boulder, a new addition to the downtown restaurant scene featuring New American Cuisine.	
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.	
Readers' Theatre 2 – Afternoon 1:30 p.m. Second Sunday Rosemary Cooke's Clubhouse for the remainder of the season	Claire Marie Martin (303-941- 9666; <u>ringerpup@gmail.com</u> )	Mar. 18: Smoking Lesson. Rosemary Cooke, director; Kathy Campbell, refreshments	
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Spanish – Beginning Conversation 10-11am Tuesdays at the Bramford Condominiums, 500 Mohawk Drive, Fairview Meadows.	Sherry Bruff (303-415-9970; sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)	Hour-long class weekly with Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session. Our wonderful and very patient teacher is willing to form a new very- beginners group in her home if four or more are interested. Contact Sherry.	
<b>Spanish – Conversational</b> 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana s king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.	
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Tea and Travel Meets Third Tuesday Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u> ). Contact Virginia to be placed on the T&T email list and receive a monthly reminder a week before the meeting.	<b>Mar. 20:</b> Frieda Holley will present "Wildlife of Madagascar" in her home, 830 Columbia PI., Boulder. RSVP to Frieda (303-499-3733; holleyf@mscd.edu)	

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	10	MESSAGES Deadline	
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March is here... Springtime is right around the corner!

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## Additional Member Benefits



There are additional benefits for UWC members: 1) an email account through CU, which provides a CU email address; and 2) a CU guest BuffOne card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. A library card may also be obtained without getting an email address or BuffOne card. To take advantage of the email account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in these benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu).

# University Women's Club

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Scholarshíp Lunch Incredíble Journey Incredíble Event! <u>See Page 3 for Details...</u> The University Women's Club cordially invites you to the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon —

# TREKS TO TRANSFORMATIONS

## 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

May 15, 2012

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Koenig Alumni Center 1202 University Avenue (Corner of Broadway & University) Boulder, Colorado 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Flease RSVP No later than May 1 to Pat Hagarty pat.hagerty@comcast.net 303-443-2972



#### President's Message

For me, one of the most rewarding benefits of UWC membership is the opportunity to work and play with many talented and interesting women. Since many of you have heard me say this



Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

before I may sound like a broken record. Rather than apologize for repeating myself, I have to tell you I can not say it enough. Without all of our members' individual skills and willingness to share them, the UWC would not be what it is today. Because of what I do, I have the privilege of seeing our members up close and personal at Board meetings, committee meetings, interest groups and club events. I am always impressed!

All of this comes to mind as we prepare for next year. President-elect, Jeannie Thompson is busily assembling the 2012-13 Board of Directors. With a combination of new and returning members, the Board line up is impressive. There are still a few open positions however, most notably the one responsible for MESSAGES and our website. This position has been held for a number of years by Carol Etges. Carol has done an outstanding job. There are possibilities for filling her shoes, albeit big ones, but Jeannie and the present Board are very open to entertaining other ones. If you or someone you know has an interest in publication and editing, please contact Jeannie Thompson at jeant@earthlink.net or at 303-444-5060. Carol is willing to take the new person under her wing and has established processes, practices, and programs to ensure the seamless continuation of MESSAGES. I would also encourage any of you to become involved at the board and/or committee level. New faces and ideas are always welcome! Please contact Jeannie or me at rgetsie@comcast.net for more information.

With three of our loveliest events scheduled in the spring, it is a great time to be a UWC member. There is still time to sign up for two of the three, the Scholarship Luncheon on April 24 and the Honors Reception on May 15. Please refer to information about these events in this edition of *MESSAGES*. You will not want to miss them!

Notes of Interest About...



### **UWC Member Sherry Bruff Wins Modeling Contest**

Imagine opening your email one morning and reading a congratulatory email saying you'd won an all-expensepaid trip to New York City, a \$2,500 gift certificate for designer Eileen Fisher clothing and the honor to model for the line.



This "dream come true" was a reality for UWC member, Sherry Bruff.

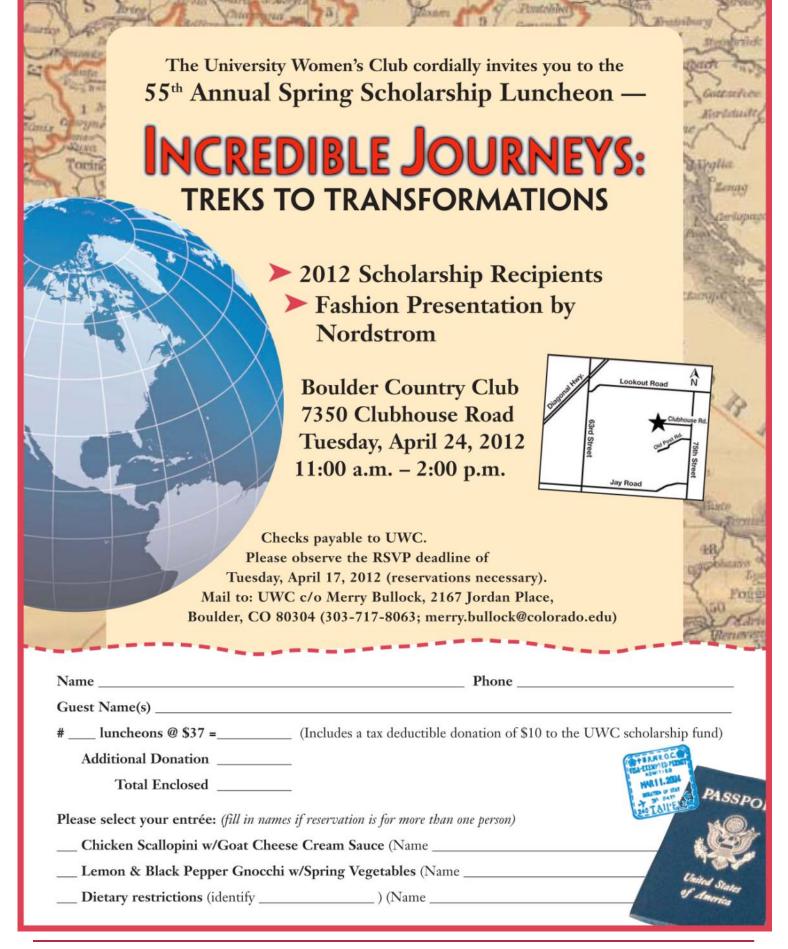
"I had to read it over again three or four times," laughs Sherry. "I was elated, excited, surprised and disbelieving."

Back in December, Sherry -- a homemaker, mom and UWC volunteer -- entered a Facebook contest for fans of Eileen Fisher. She confesses that she was already an "Eileen aficionado."

Bruff's beauty is elegant, mature and worldly, with silky silver hair and smooth, golden skin. She's outright beautiful, in a healthy, natural, inside-and-out way. Which meshed just right with Eileen Fisher's style of clothing, known for being high-quality, classic designs that are simple, versatile and comfortably elegant.

Bruff, along with the other two winners of the Facebook contest, Michelle Sarju of Seattle, Wash., and Yuki Murata of Santa Fe, N.M., flew to New York the last week of February for a weekend at the Carlton Hotel, shopping in SoHo and a photo shoot, complete with makeup, hair and wardrobe stylists at the Eileen Fisher studios.

Read more about Sherry in <u>Local Facebook Fan Wins</u> <u>Wardrobe Prize</u> in the Boulder Camera



# Spotlight on ... Spanish Group



#### **UWC "Spanish Speakers" Conversation Group**

The Spanish Speakers Conversation Group is in its third year. We currently have fourteen members and meet two to three times a month to practice our Spanish conversation for about an hour on Monday afternoons at 3:30 p.m. We have been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller, as our mentor. Gloria is originally from Venezuela and provides us invaluable assistance as the only native speaker. Gloria has experience volunteering this type of assistance in the past to

those others wanting to become more fluent in Spanish. We appreciate her greatly, and have a lot of fun practicing.

We usually pick a topic of interest to discuss. Several times we have met to view and later discuss a Spanish language movie. Though we are not all on the same level, we have all had enough Spanish to be able to follow most of the conversation.

Si puedes entender esta frase sin dificultad y si quieres practicar hablar en español y divertirte mucho, entonces vén a hablar con nosotros.

This has helped us a lot with relaxing more when we speak and being able to hear and understand more all the time. If this interests you, please join us. No charge is involved. You can contact <u>diana s king@yahoo.com</u>.



Spanish Speakers engage in lively conversation with mentor Gloria Garcia de Miller (center).

#### **UWC Beginning Spanish**

The Spanish Speakers Conversation Group seemed to be having so much fun that a group of us decided to start a Beginning Spanish Group two years ago. We found a wonderful teacher in Rosalie Olson, with whom we've been taking lessons for two years. Rosalie had a son, Magnus, six months ago, and we enjoyed his company at our lessons, but she decided to retire to spend more time with him at the end of January. We were lucky to find Scott Spanbauer, our new teacher, who is a Spanish professor at CU. Scott has lived in various Central and South American countries and promises to be a lively and interesting teacher.

Because we're starting with a new instructor, we've opted to take the time to review our lessons through conversations, practicing vocabulary, sentence structure, verb forms. None of us do quite enough homework, but we laugh and have fun, occasionally go to lunch at a Mexican restaurant to practice, and are often quite surprised at how much Spanish we really do know. Our goal is to be able to be understood by Spanish speakers and to understand them when we travel.



Our classes are held in the Conference Room at The Bramford at 500 Mohawk each Tuesday 10-11 a.m. Lessons are \$12 each when you attend. Our group averages seven or eight women per class, though there are 12 of us signed up. If you might be interested in joining us, please contact Sherry (sherry.bruff@colorado.edu).

"Thank You and Farewell" lunch for our teacher of two years, Rosalie Olson, who is also Claudine Garby's "honorary niece". We have enjoyed Rosalie as our teacher, seeing her through her pregnancy, vying to hold now seven month-old Magnus at our classes, and appreciating her excellent, gentle and extremely patient teaching. We will miss her, but we are also enjoying our new teacher Scott Spanbauer. Here many of us are, pictured at lunch at Zolo's on February 28. We would welcome anyone who would like to join our group.

# **ALLY Youth Services**

Why are young people living on the streets? Some are escaping abusive parents or stepparents. Others are thrown out for being gay. Parents addicted to methamphetamines, unable to provide support for their children, are behind other homeless kids. Sometimes kids think it will be an adventure. Well, it is, but not the kind one would want to have.

They are immediately thrown into survival mode, seeking food and a place to stay out of the cold or rain. Within 48 hours many have turned to prostitution to survive. Others crash with friends, a short-term solution. Increasingly hungry, dirty, and lonely, they lose the energy to think of the future.

Here's where ALLY Youth Services, or ALLY, can help. Staffed by former volunteers with StandUp for Kids, ALLY works with youth 24 and under. Four evenings a week, we provide meals, clothing, showers, and a sense of family to these young people. Beyond that, we seek to help them lead purposeful lives, off the streets. We link them to services: medical, educational, legal or others depending on their needs. Youth advocates help with goals, visit them in jails, aid with jobs, housing, and education, and provide a reliable friend.

Two of our clients have earned their GED's while in jail. When we visited one young man and said we'd been worried about him, he said, "Of course. That's what family does." We are his only family.

A young woman from Russia lived in her car, worked at Subway and volunteered in a dentist's office while putting herself through dental hygiene school. She now works for a dentist in Denver. We gave her meals, clothes, and a sense of community. One young man helps with the BOHO (Boulder Outreach for Homeless Overflow) warming centers, and another works in a bike shop. Several have gotten their IDs for job applications, schools, and housing, and are applying for jobs. A few reconciled with family.

Our new quarters are smaller but cozier in the First Baptist Church on Pine. Having lost our former food providers, we are in need of people willing to bring in dinner for about ten, one night a week or a month. We're allowed to use the church kitchen, so if you feel like volunteering to come in and cook, perhaps teaching one or two young people to cook at the same time, you'd be welcome. If you have a different skill you'd like to share, you'd be welcome.

UWC member Jill Grubb, a volunteer with StandUp for five years, has moved to ALLY, a totally local new organization. The Colorado Non-Profit Development Center is helping to review grants and watch our money, and the Director of Housing and Human Services is supportive. A volunteer's father donated our first six months of rent, and Boulder Friends Meeting will provide some funds, but otherwise we are seeking financial assistance and/or donations of food, backpacks, tents, and sleeping bags. Those interested in volunteering can contact Jill at jillgrubb44@gmail.com or Exec. Director Anna Pirone at AnnaP@allyyouthservices.org.

# An Invitation to Readers from Kathy Randall

Servíce Corner

Now that the Reader's Theatre 2-Afternoon group has disbanded, if any of you would like to rejoin the evening group, please contact me (303-530-1095; <u>katherineran@gmail.com</u>) and I'll include you in the email for the meeting of April 2. If we end up with too large a group (we're at about 20 now, but usual attendance is only about 10) perhaps we can come up with another scheme that will work, for example, have two meetings at two houses. We can discuss it at April's meeting if it looks like we'll have overflow crowds.

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# What Spring Means to Me

...by Carol Etges

- Birds singing
- Trees with spring-green leaves
- The smell of the dew-covered grass
- Jelly beans!
- Kids playing outside
- Rain and thunder!
- Babies: bunnies, chicks, lambs, calves
- Spring Scholarship Luncheon
- Bright colors
- Flowers, flowers, flowers!



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# **MWA Recipient Val Havlick**

One of the criteria for the Margaret Willard Award is to be an exceptional role model for women. The winner of this year's Margaret Willard Award, Val Havlick, is a role model for all of us. Val is a hands-on volunteer who has donated many hours to the Boulder and university communities.

She volunteers for Flatirons Habitat for Humanity in jobs ranging from building houses to coordinating the grocery card program. She mentors families starting gardens, cleans up median strips in Boulder and helps coordinate the Boulder City Community Clean-Up. She has volunteered in New Orleans to help victims of Katrina and has traveled to Guatemala to build stoves in Mayan homes. Val has served as president, historian and chair of the Nominating Committee for the University Women's Club.



Be sure to attend the Honors Reception on May 15, beginning at 3:00 at the Koenig Alumni Center, to hear more about Val's contributions to our community.



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

May 15, 2012

Koenig Alumni Center 1202 University Avenue (Cerner of Broadway & University) Boulder, Colorado 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Flease RSVP No later than May 1 to Pat Hagarty pat.hagerty@comcast.net 303-443-2972

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#### <mark>Presi</mark>dent's Message

For the better part of a year, I have been living the adage that "time goes by when you're having fun." It is hard for me to believe that shortly my time as president of the University Women's Club will be a fond memory. It has been not only a fun year for me personally but a good one for the UWC and for me as president.



Rosemary Getsie, 2011-12 President

From my behind-the-scenes vantage point, we have accomplished much that we can be proud of. Financially, we are sound. We are sound to the point that we have increased our individual scholarship awards substantially. In these difficult economic times this is no easy feat. I am humbled by our members' sustained spirit of generosity and commitment to higher education. Thank you.

In a number of ways we have reaffirmed our values of scholarship, friendship, and service. The revisions to our constitution this year ensure that our values will endure. The Lecture Luncheons continue to support our goals. Under Jeannie Thompson's leadership they were robust, current, and entertaining. They provided a forum for us to learn and grow together. The Interest Groups with Mary Anna Dunn at the helm remain central to our goal of building friendship among members based upon common interests. We now have 23 interest groups and that number will no doubt increase. Also this year, Ami Sadler helped us study service and through her efforts, we learned what service means to our members and how we should operationalize the concept moving forward. Once again, Frieda Holley and her committee have identified an impressive group of scholarship recipients.

I have mentioned only four of the current board members but want to acknowledge and thank all of them for their dedication, support, and hard work. Without the following women we would not have achieved our goals: Linda Blomquist, GeorgiAnne Campbell, Karen Diamond, Mary Anna Dunn, Carol Dunnack, Carol Etges, Claudine Garby, Pat Hagerty, Val Havlick, Frieda Holley, Heidi Lynch, Patty Ludke, Martha McGavin, Kathy Randall, Beth Rauch, Mary Huffman, Ami Sadler, Kathleen Salzberg, Carol Saunders, Joyce Spencer, Virginia Stringi, Jeannie Thompson, Pat Thompson, and Bobbi Vischi.

Our final opportunity to gather as a group will be at the Honors Reception on May 15. We are honored and delighted that this year's recipient of the Margaret Willard Award is one of our own, Val Havlick. Please join me in celebrating Val's accomplishments and in demonstrating our admiration and gratitude for this outstanding woman.

It has been a privilege to serve as president of this group of very special women. I have appreciated your kindness and support. Please have a glorious summer and I'll be looking for you in the fall.

~Rosemary Getsie



### Help a Cellíst Fínd a Home

A very long time cellist at the Colorado Music Festival, Greg Sauer, is looking for a home or apartment for his family. He has stayed each summer at homes in Boulder but, this summer, due to his reduced time at the Festival the previous homes are not available. The family in the past has either rented or house sat.

Greg is based at Florida State University in Tallahassee and lives with his wife Mandy, the Executive Director of the Tallahassee Symphony, and their son, 10, and daughter, 8. References from their previous hosts can be made available. They will be in Boulder from June 19th to July 9th.

Please e-mail Caryl Kassoy (UWC 42-year member) at: <u>cfkassoy@colorado.edu</u> or phone 303-494-9017.

> Thank You for donating to the UWC Scholarship Fund

A complete list of all donors will be listed in the September 2012 issue of *MESSAGES*.

In the meantime, please accept a heartfelt *thank you!* 

### See You in September!

*MESSAGES* will go on summer vacation and be back in September for the start of the school year.

*MESSAGES* will also have a new editor beginning this fall, Karon Johnson, who will bring her new, fresh ideas for our newsletter.

I will remain on the board, helping to keep the Website up-to-date and "pretty".

It's been a true pleasure to be your newsletter editor all these years. I so appreciated all your kind comments and encouragement. I know I'm leaving our newsletter in the very capable hands of Karon.

Best Regards, Carol Etges

# Making History Come Alive!

If you are interested in history, Boulder County Parks and Open Space has volunteer opportunities for you. These two opportunities can bring history to life for you.

#### Volunteers at the Walker Ranch

**Homestead** dress in clothing styles of the late 1800s and demonstrate daily chores of a working western ranch including cooking on a wood-burning stove, churning butter, making roof shingles, practicing roping skills, and doing laundry the old fashioned way with a scrub board, wringer & tub.

For those whose schedules allow, there are also opportunities to help with special presentations for school groups that visit the ranch on field trips.



Training is required to volunteer at Walker Ranch and is scheduled for Thursday, May 3 from 6-9 p.m. and Saturday,

May 5th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Training will include topics on local history, lifestyles of the 1880s, historical ranch activities, and interpretive techniques. Later trainings will be offered.

So, grab a friend and sign up for this great volunteer opportunity! Application deadline is April 25. (Children must be at least 9 years old to participate.)

A second volunteer opportunity is at **Longmont's Agricultural Heritage Center** where volunteers teach visitors about agricultural life on the Front Range between 1900 and 1925.

Tours at the farm include two historic barns, multiple granaries, a silo, garage, a working blacksmith shop, interactive exhibits and a 1909 farmhouse decorated with furnishings from the period. Farm animals are also a part of the interpretive Training for both includes topics on local history, lifestyles of the 1880s, historical ranch



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activities, and interpretive techniques.

Training occurs regularly to get a volunteer application, call Sheryl Kippen, Cultural History Program Coordinator at 303-776 -8848 or email <u>skippen@bouldercounty.org</u>. Her office is located at the Agricultural Heritage Center, 8348 Ute Hwy 66, Longmont, CO 80503, 303-776-8848. Summer office hours, Sunday - Thursday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

UWC member Mollie Morton volunteers at the Walker Ranch, dressing up in 1800s dress to demonstrate butter churning and

washing laundry. The extensive training manual details the history of Boulder County and its early residents and itself is wonderful to have. Other one-time opportunities for volunteering and visiting area historical sites are available throughout the year.

# **Interest Groups** Chair: Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u>)

Interest Group	Chair(s)	Special Notes
Meeting Time and Place		May 22: The book to be discussed will be <i>Welsh</i>
<u>Afternoon Book Group</u> 2 p.m. Fourth Tuesday Members' Homes	Ruth Harvey (303-975-6614; <u>ruth.harvey@comcast.net</u> ) Shirley Deeter (720-564-1509; <u>ssdeeter@comcast.net</u> )	<i>Girl</i> by Peter Ho Davies. Meeting place and discussion leader will be determined at the 4/24 meeting which will be at the home of Liz Hinebauch.
<b>Evening Book Group</b> 7:15 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start; Second Thursday meeting in Members' Homes	Martha Andrews (303-444-3757, <u>martha.andrews@colorado.edu</u> ); Kathleen Salzberg (303-499- 3128, <u>kathleen.salzberg@colorado.edu</u> )	<b>May 10:</b> Hostess: Inger Bell, 7682 34th Court, Boulder 80202 (303-499-0551) Reviewer: Venita Kruse. Book selection: <i>No Life for a Lady</i> by Agnes Morley Cleaveland. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore.
Bicycling Every Thursday, weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	We will be biking on Thursday mornings. If you aren't on our email list, please contact me. I will send out an email a couple of days before the ride with the time and meeting place.
Bicycling-Easy Riders Every Wed., weather permitting Various venues	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478; m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)	We will ride on Wednesday mornings starting the first of May. If you aren't on our email list, please contact Mary. I will send out an email 2 days before the ride with the time and meeting place.
Bridge Various times and days	Val Havlick (303-494-0664; <u>havlickv@colorado.edu</u> ); Kay Dayem (303-834-0984; <u>kdayem@colorado.edu</u> )	Groups currently full. Current afternoon bridge groups will continue with their present membership. New groups will be formed if there is interest.
<b>Bridge on Thursdays</b> 11:00 a.m. First Thursday Carelli's; 30th & Baseline; 303-938-9300	Alice Allen (303-494-8050; alicedon7@comcast.net)	May 3: Hostess, Marge Bubany Jun. 7: Hostess: Sara Cote
Current Events 2 p.m. Second Wednesday	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Claudine Garby (303-499-4062; claudinegarby@comcast.net)	May 16: 'China, the new superpower', discussion led by Virginia Stringi at her home, 935 Gillaspie Drive. RSVP to Virginia (303-955-1860; <u>vstringi@comcast.net</u> ).
French Conversation	Group currently full.	If interested in forming a new group, contact Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184; <u>dunn.maryanna@gmail.com</u> )
Gardening Usually Third Wednesdays from April to October	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; <u>jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu</u> ) Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; <u>ginnydon22@yahoo.com</u> )	<b>May 12:</b> at 10 a.m, meet at the Boulder Garden Club Plant Sale, Eisenhower Elementary school,1220 Eisenhower Drive. Lunch to follow at a nearby restaurant.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; hslynch@comcast.net); Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; nwolf@colorado.edu)	This year-round group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September to May. Summer start time is 8:30 a.m.
<b>Hiking Lite for Laidback Ladies</b> Every Friday at 9:30 a.m.	Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; <u>GolferB7@aol.com</u> )	It's time to look for Pasque flowers and Sand Lilies on the Mesa Trail and elsewhere. I will be contacting members of Hiking Lite for resumption of our Friday hikes.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday YMCA, 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, maxene@earthlink.net)	Contact the group chair for more information.

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Music Second Mondays of most months. Time varies. Members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196; owensj4@mac.com); Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	<b>In May</b> , we celebrate the end of our season with a potluck & performances by members and significant others. Regular meetings resume in September.	
<u>Needlecraft</u> 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays Members' Homes	Judy Wakeland (303-485-7350; judypaints@gmail.com) Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; <u>vross921@q.com</u> )	May 10: Linda Blomquist (303-939-9169; lindegren@comcast.net) May 24: Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014; vross921@q.com)	
<u>On the Road Again</u> Various Times Various Venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; <u>karen.diamond@mac.com</u> )	Email provides details of planned trips. Contact chair for more information.	
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday; Meet at restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu); Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685; ginnydon22@yahoo.com)	<b>May 23:</b> Tossa, an Italian eatery, at 2400 Arapahoe Ave. (in the shopping center, opposite Massage Envy). Please RSVP to Jyotsna or Ginny.	
Readers' Theatre	Ruth Warkentin (720-890-0272; rjwark@indra.com)	Group is currently full. Contact Chair to be placed on waiting list.	
<b><u>Readers' Theatre 2 – Evening</u></b> 6:30 p.m. First or Second Monday Members' Homes	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com) Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; katherineran@gmail.com)	<b>May 8</b> : Meet at a home (TBA) to read a short play and make play selections for the coming months. RT2 meets year round and will meet 6/11, 7/9, and 8/13.	
<b>Snowshoeing</b> Wednesdays. Weather dependent.	Julia Luerman (303-938-8084; jluerman@comcast.net)	Small group snowshoe hikes close to Boulder.	
Spanish – Beginning Conversation 10:00 a.m. Every Tuesday Bramford Condos, 500 Mohawk	Kim Ezzell (303-449-4535; <u>kimezzell@yahoo.com</u> )	Our engaging, conversational-style Beginning Spanish classes meet every Tuesday morning. Classes are structured to work on a drop-in basis, in a fun and nurturing environment, so come give it a try! Hour-long class weekly with CU Spanish professor. \$12 per person per session Contact Kim.	
Spanish – Conversational 3:30 p.m. Occasional Mondays Local Restaurant	Diana King (303 530-1860, diana_s_king@yahoo.com)	Contact Chair for next meeting time and place.	
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local Movie Theatre	Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; peggyb80020@yahoo.com) Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; pattycake.21@juno.com)	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time.	
Tea and Travel Meets Third Tuesday Sept.– Nov. and Feb – April. Meetings at 1:15 p.m.; Programs at 1:30 p.m.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860; vstringi@comcast.net). Contact Virginia to be placed on the T&T email list and receive a monthly reminder a week before the meeting.	Tea and Travel's next meeting is in Sept. 2012. Those that did not sign an attendance sheet this season will be removed from the email list. If you would like to remain on the list even though you did not attend a meeting this year, email Virginia Stringi.	

## 2011-12 Calendar

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