



Fall Membership Coffee

Kick-off Event for Current and Future UWC Members

**Tuesday, September 8, 2015, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235**

Renew friendships

Meet new members

Hear about upcoming programs

Sign up for Interest Groups

Meet the new board

Pay your membership dues

Join us and bring a friend! (No Charge).

Questions? Contact Patty Ludke, pattycake.21@juno.com; 303-440-9590

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October Lecture Luncheon - Save the Date

The Maven Mission to Mars
Bruce Jakosky

**Tuesday, October 13, 2015; 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235**



Bruce Jakosky, a CU Professor of Geological Sciences and Faculty Research Associate for Laboratory for Atmospheric and Space Physics (LASP), is the principal investigator for the MAVEN, which will give scientists insight into the history of Mars' atmosphere and climate, liquid water, and planetary habitability.



Lecture Luncheon payment must be postmarked **NO LATER than October 6**. Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020, (wolfkern2725@gmail.com) 720-887-3417. Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance: gluten-free, vegetarian, or dairy-free options available.

Pay your dues by October 15 to be listed in the Directory.

President's Message
*Hear from our
2015-16 President, Diana
King
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**Upcoming Lecture
Luncheons**
*Take a peek at what's
around the corner
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President's Message



We look forward to seeing many of you at the **Member's Coffee, 9:30-11:30 am, Tuesday, September 8 at the University Memorial Center in Room 235.** You may pay your dues and any scholarship donations there or send them in before October 15 to UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844.

Patty Ludke's Program Committee has a terrific line up of speakers for our Lecture Luncheons. Nancy Liggett met with Interest Group Coordinators to get updates and input. **Please note that we had to move the November Luncheon to be November 3—the first Tuesday of November.**

Our Board met in May to say goodbye to last year's Board and to welcome members to the 2015-16 Board. Many thanks to our departing Board members who have served us well: Jane Allen, Karen Diamond, Karon Johnson, Caryl Kassoy, Kathy Randall, Kathleen Salzberg, and Jeannie Thompson.

This year the Board also has some new faces: A.D. Chesley, Janet Kern, Jane Massie, Karen Morgan, Linda Norberg, Becky Palmer, Rita Riis, and Tamera Van Spriell.

We also had a delightful reception in May honoring Professor Dayna Bowen and her work in law and medical health for low income populations. Patty Ludke and Arlene Gerwin were honored with the President's Award for their hard work for our membership.

In June several members met for a Strategic Planning Session. Our Mission involves friendship, assistance to the University community, service through scholarships and promotion of service to the community. We discussed UWC growth as well as outreach to the University and visiting faculty. In future newsletters, we hope to offer additional thoughts in these areas.

In July, Secretary-Elect Barbara Colby moved to the Seattle area when her husband was selected for a position at a college in Edmonds. The Nominating Committee put forth Kathy Terrill as Secretary-Elect. At our August Board meeting, Kathy's nomination was accepted. If members have additional nominations, please contact the Nominating Committee Chair, Janet Brewer (dtbjhb@aol.com). The election will be held at the November 3 Lecture Luncheon.

Last year we had an increase in our member contributions to the scholarship fund. It makes such a difference. I hope you will consider adding a contribution or even increasing a contribution as you make out your membership check between now and October 15.

Welcome back to our fall activities! Plus note the parking situation on page 3...

Diana King

President 2015-16

Membership Courtesy

If anyone knows of a member who would appreciate a card, note or any personal contact due to illness, death or other reasons of support please inform Mollie Morton, 303-494-5486 or mollie.morton@colorado.edu.

Membership Dues

\$30 annual dues are due by October 15. That is the cutoff deadline to be included in this year's directory. Please send your dues in early so that we can include you. Checks made out to UWC can be sent to **P.O. Box 18844, Attn. Membership, Boulder CO 80308-1844.** We encourage you to consider including your scholarship fund donation and increase your check amount accordingly. Dues can also be paid at the Membership Coffee on Tuesday, September 8 at 9:30 a.m. at UMC Room 235. If you have questions regarding your UWC Membership please email Karen Morgan, UWC Membership Chair at uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com. Please see the Membership Form on page 10.

Important Notice re: PARKING near UMC

DRIVE and PARK or PARK and RIDE? HOW TO ATTEND EVENTS AT UMC

Euclid Parking Update

As some of you may know, CU is planning a major remodel of the Euclid Parking Garage. At the time of this writing, the Euclid Garage remains open and you will be able to park there for the Membership Coffee and upcoming Lecture Luncheons. However, the payment scheme for parking there has changed. The lot is no longer manned. Instead, you purchase parking at a paystation located near each pedestrian exit. Following the prompts at the paystation, you enter your car license plate number and pay in cash or by credit card. The parking price is \$2.00 per hour for up to 3 hours and can be purchased in increments. You do not need to put the receipt onto your car dashboard.

Consider Taking the Bus

Unless you are carpooling and sharing the cost of parking, it may be more cost effective to take the bus. Several bus routes, including the SKIP, the 204, and the DASH, stop on Broadway very close to the University Memorial Center (UMC). Other buses, including the STAMPEDE and the HOP, stop on 18th Street just behind UMC.

You can figure out the best route from your house by using the RTD Trip Planner

<http://www.rtd-denver.com/GoogleTripPlanner.shtml>.

You enter the address from which you are starting (your house), enter the address at which you want to end (Broadway and Euclid Ave, Boulder) and the time at which you want to arrive. Click "Plan Your Trip" and RTD will figure out your choice of routes including any transfers you have to make. Some bus stops have shelters, many bus stops have benches, and all bus stops are marked by a red and white sign that lists all routes that stop at that location.

If there is no easy bus route from your house, you can start at a Park and Ride or plan some shopping at the 29th Street Mall before or after the UWC event and park there. The HOP is an easy ride from the mall and runs about every 10 minutes. Catch the clockwise bus on 29th Street just across from Macy's entrance. It will take you to 18th Street behind UMC. When you return, take the counter-clockwise bus from the east side of 18th Street. The HOP goes in a loop, so either direction will get you there, but it is a shorter route on the south side of the loop.

The one-way fare on the bus is \$2.25 but for Seniors it is only \$1.10. You need to pay with the exact amount or use a ticket from a 10-ride booklet which you buy at the bus station (\$20 regular; \$10 Senior).

If you are riding two different buses, **be sure to ask for a transfer**, which you show the driver on the second bus. If you are lucky enough to have an EcoPass, you ride for free.

If you are still a little nervous about riding the bus, see RTD's six steps for "How To Ride Bus."

<http://www.rtd-denver.com/HowToRideBus.shtml> or find Kathy Randall at a UWC event and ask her for the scoop.

Nomination of Secretary-Elect

Though we are very happy for Barbara Colby's husband to be taking a terrific new job in Seattle, we are very sorry that Barbara, our Secretary-Elect, is leaving us. Barbara Colby resigned her position in June and moved to Seattle in July. The Board has approved the nomination of a new Secretary-Elect, **Kathy Terrill**. An election will be held at the November 10th Lecture Luncheon.

If anyone has any additional names to submit for any of the above positions, would you please forward them to me at dtbjhb@aol.com. Thank you.

Janet Brewer, Chair Nomination Committee

Preview of Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

The price of the luncheons is \$22; reserve the whole series for \$110. Make checks payable to "UWC" and note "Lecture Luncheon" in the memo. Please send payment or questions to: **Jane Kern, Attention: UWC Lecture Luncheon, 2725 Overlook Drive Broomfield, CO 80020 or 720 887-3417.** Please do not combine lecture lunch payments with dues payments. [Lecture Luncheon Registration Form is on Page 11.](#)

November

Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People



NOTE DATE and location!!!

Elizabeth Fern

Tuesday, November 3, 2015
11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center
Center Ballroom
(Reservations and payment due October 27)

Elizabeth Fern is the Chair of the History Department at CU Boulder. The "Encounters" book won the 2015 Pulitzer Prize for History.

December

An Insider's View of a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda



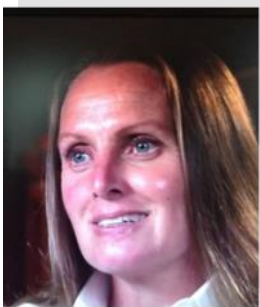
Aimee Heckel

Tuesday, December 8, 2015
11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center;
Room 235
(Reservations and payment due December 1)

Aimee Heckel is an award-winning columnist for the Daily Camera.

February

How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking



Beth Klein

Tuesday, February 9, 2016,
11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center
Room 235
(Reservations and payment due February 2)

Beth Klein is an accomplished lawyer who chooses to dedicate her life and legal skills to end human trafficking. She will explain the effects of kindness in human trafficking.

March

Bees' Needs and Our Environment



Dr. Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016
11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center
Room 235
(Reservations and payment due March 1)

Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History and Science Discovery.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	September 22: Empress Dowager Cixi: The Concubine Who Launched Modern China by Jung Chang. Meeting at the home of Zetta Feder. Please contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	September 10: <i>Daughter of Time</i> by Josephine Tey and (optional) <i>Richard III</i> by William Shakespeare. Hostess Susan Wine (917-626-5535; susan.wine@yahoo.com) RSVP to Hostess. October 8: <i>Lady in Gold: The extraordinary Tale of Gustav Klimt's Masterpiece, Portrait of Adele Bloch-Bauer</i> by Anne-Marie O'Connor. Hostess Beth Rauch. Books available at Boulder Bookstore.
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Please contact chair for details.
Book Group - Fiction	Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact Kathy Randall to start a new book group.
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper (302-421-4382) hpharvco@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact chair to be put on a waiting list.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Please contact chairs for details.
Downhill Skiing Wednesdays in the wintertime, weather permitting	Arlene Gerwin (303-494-1307) asgerwin@comcast.net	Emails will provide details. Please contact the chair to be added to the list.
French Conversation	Dot Thompson (303-494-4423) thompsondot@hotmail.com Ruth Stern (303-499-6995) ruthdstern@gmail.com	Group is currently full.
French Conversation 2	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Gardening Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details. We will be meeting at 7:30 p.m. on September 14 at the home of Norma Schattke.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vrross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	This interest group is seeking a new chairperson for 2015-16.	Contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) for further information.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email.
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth Wasmuth27@comcast.net	Group is currently full. See Readers' Theatres 2 or contact chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Clubhouse at Villa Del Prado	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month Contact chair for time and place.	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Tea and Travel 1:15 p.m. Meets Oct.-Nov. and Jan.-March, usually on the third Tuesday of the month, members' homes.	This group is currently on hiatus awaiting a chair.	Contact Nancy Liggett if interested at 970- 596-4353 or neliggett@gmail.com
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com	The Theater Goers group is at capacity. Contact chair for upcoming activity details.

To start a new interest group requires at least 5 members and a chair person.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neilerts@gmail.com) for more information.

Learn more about our interest groups at the
September 8th Membership Coffee.



Interest Group Chairs 2015-16



Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 2016



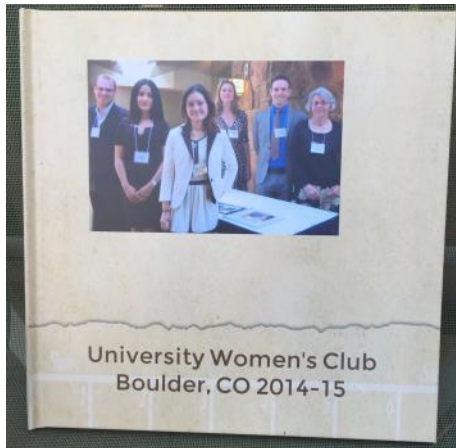
Mark your calendars for **April 19, 2016** for the Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon to be held at the Boulder Country Club.

This is an opportunity to support and celebrate the UWC scholarship winners, to share a delightful lunch and conversation with friends, and to enjoy seeing the latest spring fashions from a local retailer.

Watch future UWC *MESSAGES* for more detailed information regarding this popular event.



Historian Scrapbook



The Historian Scrapbook for UWC 2014-15 was printed as a bound book. It will be available for viewing at our annual Membership Coffee on September 8. Orders for copies may be registered by contacting Kathy Terrill at wakaterrill@ecentral.com through October.

The book contains wonderful pictures of our interest groups and events from the past year.

The original copy cost approximately \$40. It is possible that the cost will be somewhat less per scrapbook when several copies are ordered at one time. Those who order will split the shipping cost among themselves.

A one-time order will be placed in November.

Opera Brunch - Coming in March 2016



Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13, 2016, for our annual Opera Brunch, starting at 11:30 a.m. at the University Memorial Center, and followed by CU's Opera presentation of Francis Poulenc's *Dialogues of the Carmelites* at Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Dialogues of the Carmelites grapples with such timeless human emotions as fear, despair, and faith. It is a dark, intense opera based on the persecution of nuns at the convent at Compiègne during the French Revolution.

Reservation forms will be printed in subsequent *MESSAGES* newsletters.

Membership Renewal



Dues. It's that time of year again to be filling out a membership form and renewing your membership in UWC for the 2015-2016 year. The annual dues are still just \$30. Dues can also be paid at the Membership Coffee on September 8 (9:30 a.m. at UMC Room 235).

Directory Due Date. The due date for inclusion in the UWC Directory is **October 15**.

A membership form is included in this issue of *MESSAGES*. Please print the form, fill it out, and include it with your dues. Checks are made out to UWC and should be mailed to P.O. Box 18844, Attn. Membership Chair, Boulder, CO 80308-1844. The electronic directory will be mailed to all those who have paid their dues.

Benefits. Benefits for UWC members include: 1) a CU email account; 2) a CU guest BuffOne card, which provides library borrowing privileges and option to apply cash which can be used for copy machines and discounted meals at Center for Community and UMC cafeterias (cost \$5 per year); 3) a free library card (without a BuffOne card) for borrowing books. Please contact A.D. Chesley (303-938-8150; adiches@aol.com) if interested in any of these benefits.

Donations. Since 1982, the UWC has provided more than \$200,000 in scholarship to nontraditional CU-Boulder students. Your donation supports this most important project. This is a good time of year to be thinking ahead about scholarships and *including a donation for the UWC scholarship recipients* along with your dues. The names of those donating to the scholarship fund will be published monthly in *MESSAGES* as they come in. We hope to receive your renewal in the very near future and look forward to seeing you at UWC functions this year.

See [Membership Form on Page 10](#).

Karen Morgan, UWC Membership Chair
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Tell Me More... About Vanessa Frambes Barbarisi

Vanessa Frambes received a UWC Scholarship for the 2008-2009 academic year. Vanessa credits the support of Boulder's University Women's Club with helping to build her self-esteem. She had gone back to school as a single mother and was working to balance care for her son, a part-time job, and school. She says that being recipient of the UWC scholarship pushed her to do her best. She did not want to let down a group that had shown such faith in her. Her years at CU were an especially tight time for Vanessa financially, and the UWC funds were important in reducing the financial burden of tuition and books.

Vanessa demonstrated leadership, initiative and service early in her life. While still in high school she co-founded an anti-violence campaign. As a single mother balancing childcare and work, Vanessa still found time to continue her activist start, volunteering with a superfund cleanup, MESA (Moving to End Sexual Assault), DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) and the Special Olympics. In her scholarship application she stated, "I came from a poor family but I have a rich life."

Vanessa has continued her rich life. She graduated in August 2010 with a degree in Distributive Studies. The part-time job she had while at CU turned into a very successful career as a consultant for energy efficiency programs across the US. She works as a Project Manager with The Cadmus Group, interacting with commissions, regulatory bodies, and electric and gas utilities to help evaluate the effectiveness of their energy efficiency and conservation programs. She loves her job and feels that she is working toward leaving the planet in a better condition than it was when she came into it.



Vanessa feels that her family life is where she is extra fortunate. She met a man she describes as amazing who took on her son, James, now 8, as his own. They were married in 2014 and now have a baby, Eli, 6 months old. Vanessa's husband stays at home with their two sons which allows Vanessa to continue to grow the career that she is so passionate about. In their spare time the family enjoys fly fishing, camping, biking, skiing and visiting their families on opposite coastlines.

The UWC is proud of Vanessa's accomplishments and wish her continued success.

UWC Membership Form - 2015-16

Welcome! 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. **MESSAGES** will be emailed to our membership. The UWC membership year runs from June 1 to May 31.

Karen Morgan, Membership Chair
720-938-2304
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Kathy Terrill, New Member Chair
303-530-9438
wakaterrill@ecentral.com

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email address for newsletter _____

(please print clearly) ☐ new email address

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

☐ I am enclosing an additional tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund.
☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ Other \$ _____

Make all checks payable to UWC (may combine dues and donations; please do not combine luncheons)

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

PAYMENT DEADLINE OCTOBER 15, 2015 for inclusion in Membership Directory

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

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

These are the current interest groups. Please see the interest group chairperson if you wish to join. (The chairpersons will be on the website, www.boulderuwc.org, and in MESSAGES.)

Bicycling	French Conversation	Out to Lunch	Tea and Travel
Bicycling – Easy Riders	Gardening	Reader's Theater (full)	
Book Group – Afternoon	Hiking	Reader's Theater 2- Evening	
Book Group – Evening	Italian Conversation	Snowshoeing	
Book Group - fiction	Music	Spanish - Beginning	
Bridge	Needlecraft	Spanish – Conversational	
Current Events	On the Road Again	Sunday Afternoon at the Movies	

Other interest group suggestions please contact Nancy Ligget , neilerts@gmail.com

Registration Form for **UWC Lecture Luncheons**

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (\$22 per luncheon per person) for the following luncheon (s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the UWC scholarship fund:

# including guests	Name of Guest(s)	Date (Tues.)	Speaker/Topic
		10/13/15 UMC 235	Dr. Bruce M. Jakosky The MAVEN Mission to Mars
		11/3/15 UMC Glenn Miller Ballroom	Dr. Elizabeth Fenn Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People
		12/8/15 UMC 235	Aimee Heckel Insider's View of Being a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda
		2/9/16 UMC 2235	Beth Klein How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking
		3/8/16 UMC 235	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

(Please print):

Your Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City, State: _____

Special Diet Meal needed (please specify type and for whom)

Please make check payable to UWC.

Lecture luncheon checks are **due 1 week before each luncheon.**

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

Janet Kern
2725 Overlook Drive
Broomfield, CO 80020

2015-16 Calendar

September	1	Board Meeting
	8	Membership Coffee
	10	<i>MESSGES</i> deadline
October	6	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
November	1	New Member Wine & Cheese
	3	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO <i>MESSAGES</i> IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	<i>MESSAGES</i> Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Reception
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Executive Board 2015-16

President	Diana King
President-elect	Janet Brewer
Secretary	Carol Dunnack
Treasurer	Arlene Gerwin
Past President	Joyce Spencer
Advisory/ Parliamentarian	Mary Huffman
Communications	Mollie Sue Morton
EMail	A.D. Chesley
Historian	Kathleen Newton
Honors Reception	Rita Riis
Hospitality	Janet Kern
Interest Groups	Nancy Liggett
Margaret Willard Award	Jane Massie
Membership	Karen Morgan
New Members	Kathy Terrill
Membership Directory	Kathryn Wardell
<i>MESSAGES</i>	Joyce Spencer
Nominating Committee	Janet Brewer
Opera Brunch	Virginia Stringi
Program Chair	Patty Ludke
Scholarship Committee	Becky Palmer
Scholarship Luncheon	Tamera Van Spriell Londa Norberg
Telephone Tree	Linda Blomquist
Webpage	Carol Etges
Secretary Elect	TBD
Treasurer Elect	Arlene Gerwin

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Dr. Bruce Jakosky, a CU Professor of Geological Sciences and the Faculty Research Associate for the Laboratory for Atmospheric and Space Physics (LASP), is the principal investigator for the Mars Atmosphere and Volatile Evolution mission (MAVEN), which gives scientists insight into the history of Mars' atmosphere and climate, liquid water, and planetary habitability. In April 2015, MAVEN had made 1,000 orbits. By the 2030's, it is expected that a man will be sent to Mars.

Jakosky has been involved with many spacecraft missions including Viking, Explorer, and Clementine, and he is involved in planning future spacecraft missions. He has published the books *The Search for Life on Other Planets* and *The Search for Life in the Universe*. He is an expert on extraterrestrial life. He heads CU's team in the NASA Astrobiology Institute. He serves on numerous national advisory committees.

MAVEN, launched on November 18, 2013, arrived in the orbit of Mars on September 21, 2014. What have we learned since? What do we hope to learn in the future?

[Click here for more about the "MAVEN project".](#)

The Maven program was just selected as one of the Governor's 2015 awards for High-Impact Research—a winner in the "Earth Systems and Space Sciences" category. The award will be presented at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science on October 8.

GUESTS ARE WELCOME (as usual) to attend this very exciting Lecture Luncheon. We suggest you make your reservation(s) early as we are anticipating a larger crowd than usual for this Lecture Luncheon, and seating is limited because of fire codes.

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Lecture Luncheon payment must be postmarked **NO LATER than October 6**. Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020, (wolfkern2725@gmail.com), 720-887-3417. Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance: gluten-free, vegetarian, or dairy-free options available.

Pay your dues by October 15 to be listed in the Directory.

President's Message



Once again—welcome back!

We had a very successful Membership Coffee on September 8 with nearly 100 in attendance. I'd like to extend a special thanks to Patty Ludke and her team, Kathy Randall and Linda Groth, for helping plan and prepare for the venue. Another special thanks to Kathryn Wardell, Kathy Terrill, Mary Huffman, Linda Groth, and A.D. Chesley for helping members with check-in, dues, donations, and Lecture Luncheon payments. The turnout was such that we ran out of chairs and had to get more. Hurray! (See photos on page 7.)

We have an excellent start for our scholarship donations this year. There is still time to donate and provide even more opportunity for our mature students to finish their last two years of a Bachelor's degree program at CU Boulder. Our help is so very much appreciated.

Please pay your dues by October 15 to remain on our roster for the year, and of course, donations are welcome. As you know, membership is necessary to continue in our Interest Groups. Our November directory will include all paid members.

We have another opening on the Board. If you haven't participated in the Board I encourage you to consider nominating yourself. We have a lot of fun at Board meetings. It's definitely a good way to get to know folks well. For this year we are in need of a Membership Chair. For next year Janet Brewer (email: dtbjhb@aol.com) will be pleased to take your self-nomination or nomination of a friend.

Our October Lecture Luncheon is coming up. The week before, our luncheon speaker is receiving a special Governor's award for High-Impact Research for the MAVEN Mission to Mars. Be sure to get your tickets early since we expect to have a large turnout. We are reserving two rooms with food in an adjacent room so that we can have more tables and chairs available in the dining room. Please offer assistance to carry a plate or beverage for others with mobility issues.

We look forward to another year of friends, fun, growth, and education.

Diana King

President 2015-16

Membership Courtesy

If anyone knows of a member who would appreciate a card, note, or any personal contact due to illness, death, or other reasons for support please inform Mollie Morton, 303-494-5486 or mollie.morton@colorado.edu.

Membership Dues

\$30 annual dues are due by October 15. That is the cutoff deadline to be included in this year's October directory. Please send your dues in early so that we can include you. Checks made out to UWC can be sent to **P.O. Box 18844, Attn. Membership, Boulder CO 80308-1844**. We encourage you to consider including your **scholarship fund donation** and increase your check amount accordingly.

If you have questions regarding your UWC Membership please email Kathryn Wardell, Acting UWC Membership Chair at uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com.

Please see the Membership Form on page 12.

Important Notice re: PARKING near UMC

DRIVE and PARK or PARK and RIDE? HOW TO ATTEND EVENTS AT UMC

Euclid Parking Update

As some of you may know, CU is planning a major remodel of the Euclid Parking Garage. At the time of this writing, the Euclid Garage remains open and you will be able to park there for upcoming Lecture Luncheons. However, the payment scheme for parking there has changed. The lot is no longer manned. Instead, you purchase parking at a paystation located near each pedestrian exit. Following the prompts at the paystation, you enter your car license plate number and pay in cash or by credit card. The parking price is \$2.00 per hour for up to 3 hours and can be purchased in increments. You do not need to put the receipt onto your car dashboard.

Consider Taking the Bus

Unless you are carpooling and sharing the cost of parking, it may be more cost effective to take the bus. Several bus routes, including the SKIP, the 204, and the DASH, stop on Broadway very close to the University Memorial Center (UMC). Other buses, including the STAMPEDE and the HOP, stop on 18th Street just behind UMC.

You can figure out the best route from your house by using the RTD Trip Planner

<http://www.rtd-denver.com/GoogleTripPlanner.shtml> .

You enter the address from which you are starting (your house), enter the address at which you want to end (Broadway and Euclid Ave, Boulder), and the time at which you want to arrive. Click "Plan Your Trip" and RTD will figure out your choice of routes including any transfers you have to make. Some bus stops have shelters, many bus stops have benches, and all bus stops are marked by a red and white sign that lists all routes that stop at that location.

If there is no easy bus route from your house, you can start at a Park and Ride or plan some shopping at the 29th Street Mall before or after the UWC event and park there. The HOP is an easy ride from the mall and runs about every 10 minutes. Catch the clockwise bus on 29th Street just across from Macy's entrance. It will take you to 18th Street behind UMC. When you return, take the counter-clockwise bus from the east side of 18th Street. The HOP goes in a loop, so either direction will get you there, but it is a shorter route on the south side of the loop.

The one-way fare on the bus is \$2.25, but for Seniors it is only \$1.10. You need to pay with the exact amount or use a ticket from a 10-ride booklet, which you buy at the bus station (\$20 regular; \$10 Senior).

If you are riding two different buses, **be sure to ask for a transfer**, which you show the driver on the second bus. If you are lucky enough to have an EcoPass, you ride for free.

If you are still a little nervous about riding the bus, see RTD's six steps for "How To Ride Bus."

<http://www.rtd-denver.com/HowToRideBus.shtml> or find Kathy Randall at a UWC event and ask her for the scoop.

Nomination of Officers for 2016-17

The Nominating Committee has been formed and includes Janet Brewer, Frieda Holley, and Mary Huffman.

Their task this year is to identify possible candidates for the President Elect, Secretary Elect, and Treasurer Elect for 2016-2017.

If you have any nominees for these positions, or would like to volunteer yourself, please contact one of the members of the Nominating Committee prior to October 3, 2015. Please send comments or nominations to Janet Brewer dtbjhb@aol.com.

Janet Brewer, Chair Nominating Committee

Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

The price of the luncheons is \$22; reserve the whole series for \$110. Make checks payable to "UWC" and note "Lecture Luncheon" in the memo. Please send payment or questions to: **Janet Kern, Attention: UWC Lecture Luncheon, 2725 Overlook Drive Broomfield, CO 80020 or 720 887-3417**. Please do not combine lecture lunch payments with dues payments. [Lecture Luncheon Registration Form is on Page 12](#).

November

Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People



NOTE DATE and location!!!

Elizabeth Fenn

Tuesday, November 3, 2015
11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center

**Glenn Miller Center
Ballroom**

(Reservations and payment
due October 27)

Elizabeth Fenn is the Chair of the History Department at CU Boulder. The "Encounters" book won the 2015 Pulitzer Prize for History.

December

An Insider's View of a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda



Aimee Heckel

Tuesday, December 8, 2015
11:30 a.m.

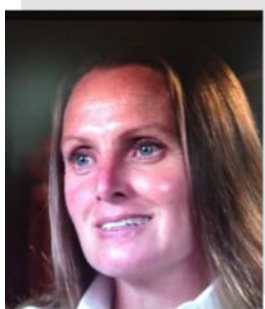
University Memorial Center;
Room 235

(Reservations and payment
due December 1)

Aimee Heckel is an award-winning columnist for the Daily Camera. Her Uganda assignment ended up changing the course of her life.

February

How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking



Beth Klein

Tuesday, February 9, 2016
11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center
Room 235

(Reservations and payment due
February 2)

Beth Klein is an accomplished lawyer who chooses to dedicate her life and legal skills to end human trafficking. She will explain the effects of kindness in human trafficking.

March

Bees' Needs and Our Environment



Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016
11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center
Room 235

(Reservations and payment due
March 1)

Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History and Science Discovery.

Maybe you will be convinced to be her next volunteer in the Bees' Needs Project.

Tell Me More... About Alan Cass



After 47 years as curator of the Glenn Miller Archive, Alan Cass retired on July 1, 2015. Alan Cass was a speaker at our Lecture Luncheon of October 9, 2012, entertaining us with background and information about Glenn Miller, one of the best known and widely acclaimed leaders of the Big Band Era, and an alumnus of the University of Colorado.

Alan Cass spent much of his career building and maintaining memorabilia of Glenn Miller. Beginning with a simple Glenn Miller display at UMC in 1969, the archive grew beyond even Mr. Cass's expectations. The relationships developed with musicians, broadcasters, producers, collectors, friends, and music lovers from around the world resulted in the 56 collections that comprise the extensive Glenn Miller Archive, serving scholars, students, and the public.

Thomas Riis, director of the American Music Research Center at CU said that "Alan has worked tirelessly for most of his life in Boulder to get the message out that Glenn Miller's home and heart were in Colorado and at CU. We need to appreciate this fact and help to preserve Alan's work and the music of the Big Band era."

In addition to being curator of the Glenn Miller Archive, Alan Cass was director of the Coors Events Center and served as public address announcer for the Buffs and the Broncos.

UWC wishes him well in his retirement.

Tell Me Even More...

About Andrew Margolin:

Andrew Margolin, who was featured in the May *MESSAGES*, continues to excel. He is currently participating in the U.S. GEOTRACES Arctic Expedition and is writing a blog about his adventures. Read it and see some wonderful pictures here:

<http://arctic-andy-usaos2015.blogspot.com/>



About the KEPLER Mission:

NASA announced in July that the Kepler spacecraft has spotted "Earth's bigger, older, cousin" – the first nearly Earth-sized planet to be found in the habitable zone of a star similar to our own.

See more here: <https://www.nasa.gov/keplerbriefing0723>

About Clay Evans, Searching for My Grandfather



Clay Evans spoke at our March 2015 Lecture Luncheon about the search for the remains of his grandfather, killed in action at Tarawa during WWII. This summer these remains were recovered along with those of dozens of other fallen Marines.

See more here:

<http://www.marinecorpstimes.com/story/military/2015/07/02/moh-recipient-remains-battle-tarawa/29613679/>

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Tell Me Even More... (Continued)

About the Wild Animal Sanctuary in Keenesburg, CO

The November 2014 *MESSAGES* updated you about the amazing rescue of 25 abused Bolivian circus lions by the Wild Animal Sanctuary. Executive Director Pat Craig was speaker at our October 2010 Lecture Luncheon.

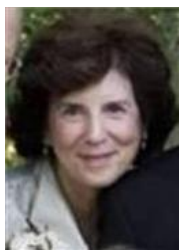
The Wild Animal Sanctuary is in the news again due to a change in their visit charge and donation structure. There will no longer be "entrance fees" to visit the Sanctuary. Instead, "Active Supporters" – those who donate a minimum of \$200 per year – and their guests, will be allowed unlimited entry.

Persons who are not yet Active Supporters can make an "Evaluation Donation" of \$50 for their first visit. Craig explained that the actual cost per visitor is nearly \$30 per visit, not nearly covered by the previous entrance fees.

He reminds us that the institution was never created for display of animals, but was always a sanctuary for rescued animals and was closed to the public for its first 22 years.

Persons over 70 years of age who are interested in becoming Active Supporters can make their first visit free of charge. See more here: <http://www.wildanimalsanctuary.org/>

Obituary Notice



Margaret Peterson died peacefully August 24, 2015 at the Boulder Community Hospital, surrounded by family and friends.

[For more from the obituary in the Daily Camera, please click HERE](#)

THANK YOU to those of you who donated to the UWC scholarship fund in her memory.

Constitution - Recommended Change

The Advisory Planning Committee proposed a simplification change to the UWC Constitution and Bylaws, to be presented to the general membership at November's Lecture Luncheon.

The proposed changes are in Article II Section 2 of the Constitution and involve striking the words "and to advance matters of university interest" and adding, after the word 'university', the words "and university community".

The Article currently reads:

Article II

Section 2. To provide assistance to the university as the UWC so desires, and to advance matters of university interest.

The change will have the article read:

Article II

Section 2. To provide assistance to the university and the university community as the UWC so desires.

Mary Huffman, Advisory Planning Committee Chair

Special Announcement:

Jyotsna Raj regrets the inadvertent use of the UWC mailing list for campaign literature mailing. She apologizes for the error. This has been corrected.

September Membership Coffee

The Membership Coffee was held in UMC Room 235 on September 8.

Members and potential members learned about the UWC programs for the year and about the interest groups.



Virginia Stringi introduces the opera Brunch on March 13



Nancy Liggett speaks about the many UWC Interest Groups available to members



Patty Ludke talks about the five speakers for our season's Lecture Luncheons.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	October 27 we will discuss <i>The Age of Innocence</i> by Edith Wharton. The location is TBD. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	October 8: <i>Lady in Gold: The Extraordinary Tale of Gustav Klimt's Masterpiece: Portrait of Adele Bloch-Bauer</i> by Anne-Marie O'Connor. Hostess Beth Rauch: 303-442-2704; etrauch@comcast.net) Books available at Boulder Bookstore.
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Contact chair for details.
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact Kathy Randall to start a new book group.
Book Group Small—Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett (970-596-4353) neliggett@gmail.com	
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper (302-421-4382) hpharvco@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact chair to be put on a waiting list.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
Downhill Skiing Wednesdays in the wintertime, weather permitting	Arlene Gerwin (303-494-1307) asgerwin@comcast.net	Emails will provide details. Contact the chair to be added to the list.
French Conversation	Dot Thompson (303-494-4423) thompsondot@hotmail.com Ruth Stern (303-499-6995) ruthdstern@gmail.com	Group is currently full.
French Conversation 2 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All speaking levels.
Garden Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details. No Garden Group Meeting in September.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The “Y,” 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. September 23rd group will meet at noon at the Dining Hall at Chautauqua on Baseline Road. Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth Wasmuth27@comcast.net	Group is currently full. See Readers' Theatres 2 or contact chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Clubhouse at Villa Del Prado	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meet- ing time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Tea and Travel 1:15 p.m. Oct.-Nov. and Jan.-March, usually on the third Tuesday of the month	This group is currently on hiatus awaiting a chair.	Contact Nancy Liggett if interested at 970-596-4353 or neliggett@gmail.com Group meets in members homes.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com	The Theater Goers group is at capacity. Contact chair for upcoming activity details.
Theater Goers 2	Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) Kathleen_n@comcast.net	The Theater Goers 2 group is looking for a co-chair.

To start a new interest group requires at least 5 members and a chairperson.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

Membership Renewal

Dues. It's that time of year again to be filling out a membership form and renewing your membership in UWC for the 2015-2016 year. The annual dues are still just \$30.

Directory Due Date. The due date for inclusion in the Electronic UWC Directory is **October 15.**

A membership form is included in this issue of *MESSAGES*. Please print the form, fill it out, and include it with your dues. Checks are made out to UWC and should be mailed to P.O. Box 18844, Attn. Membership Chair, Boulder, CO 80308-1844. The electronic directory will be mailed to all those who have paid their dues.

Benefits. Benefits for UWC members include: 1) a CU email account; 2) a CU guest BuffOne card, which provides library borrowing privileges and option to apply cash which can be used for copy machines and discounted meals at Center for Community and UMC cafeterias (cost \$5 per year); 3) a free library card (without a BuffOne card) for borrowing books. Please contact A.D. Chesley (303-938-8150; adiches@aol.com) if interested in any of these benefits.

Donations. Since 1982, the UWC has provided more than \$200,000 in scholarship to nontraditional CU-Boulder students. Your donation supports this most important project. This is a good time of year to be thinking ahead about scholarships and *including a donation for the UWC scholarship recipients* along with your dues. The names of those donating to the scholarship fund will be published monthly in *MESSAGES* as they come in. Donations may also be designated in Honor of or in Memory of an individual.

We hope to receive your renewal in the very near future and look forward to seeing you at UWC functions this year.

See Membership Form on Page 12.

Kathryn Wardell, Acting UWC Membership Chair

Donors May 15 through September 8, 2015

Thank you to all of you who have added a donation to our scholarship fund along with your annual dues since May 15. As of September 8 we have received almost \$5000.

Joyce Albersheim	Linda Groth	Pat Moncrieff	Rebecca Roser
Arlene Blewitt	Isabelle Henderson	Gail Moyes	Virginia Ross
Linda Blomquist	Ellen Holland	Marcy Munson	Ame Sadler
Janet Brewer	Mary Huffman	Jana Murphy	Marian Safran
Helen Brown	Patricia Erwin	Jean Nelson	Barbara Sanford
Georgianne Campbell	Karon Johnson	Rhoda Nozik	Marion Sauer
Julianne Cassady	Janet Kern	Judith Owens	Carol Saunders
Peggy Cha	Diana King	Becky Palmer	Nancy Schwiesow
Charlotte Corbridge	Elaine Krupnick	Marilyn Peltzer	Beverly Sears
Carol Crow	Nancy Liggett	Gloria Phillips	Yael Sears
Frances Dahlberg	Lois Linsky	Judith Ramsey	Karen Shay
Marjorie DeFries	Betty Lipstreu	Kathy Randall	Carol Smoot
Alice Doyle	Rhea Little	Susan Rapp	Joyce Spencer
Mary Anna Dunn	Mareike Ludkewycz	Beth Rauch	Kathryn Terrill
Anitta Frant	Mellissa Mahaney	Judy Reid	Tamera VanSpriell
Srlene Gerwin	Diana Maiden	Judy Richtel	Cynthia Warshaw
Ellen Gille	Lucy Maret	Marge Riddle	
Doris Goodrich	Mary McClanahan	Jean Rohrschneider	

Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 2016



Mark your calendars for **April 19, 2016**, for the Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon to be held at the Boulder Country Club.

This is an opportunity to support and celebrate the UWC scholarship winners, to share a scrumptious lunch and lively conversation with friends and to enjoy seeing the latest spring fashions from one of our favorite clothiers, **Chico's**.

Watch future UWC *MESSAGES* for more detailed information regarding this popular event.



Historian Scrapbook



The Historian Scrapbook for UWC 2014-15 was printed as a bound book.

Orders for copies may be registered by contacting Kathy Terrill at wakaterrill@ecentral.com through October.

The book contains wonderful pictures of our interest groups and events from the past year.

The original copy cost approximately \$40. It is possible that the cost will be somewhat less per scrapbook when several copies are ordered at one time. Those who order will split the shipping cost among themselves.

A one-time order will be placed in November.

Opera Brunch - Coming in March 2016



Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13, 2016, for our annual Opera Brunch, starting at 11:30 a.m. at the University Memorial Center, and followed by CU's Opera presentation of Francis Poulenc's *Dialogues of the Carmelites* at Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Dialogues of the Carmelites grapples with such timeless human emotions as fear, despair, and faith. It is a dark, intense opera based on the persecution of nuns at the convent at Compiègne during the French Revolution.

Reservation forms will be printed in subsequent *MESSAGES* newsletters.

UWC Boulder Membership Form - 2015-16

Welcome! 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 and check if it is an update.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership.

The UWC membership year runs from June 1 to May 31.

Kathryn Wardell, Acting Membership Chair
303-494-3285
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Kathy Terrill, New Member Chair
303-530-9438
wakaterrill@ecentral.com

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email address for newsletter _____

(please print clearly)

☐ new email address

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

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

☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ Other \$ _____

☐ I am enclosing this tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund in **Honor/Memory** of:

Make all checks **payable to UWC** (may combine dues and donations; please **do not combine with luncheons**)

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

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

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

UWC Interest Groups

These are some of the current interest groups. Please see the interest group chairperson if you wish to join. (The chairpersons will be on the website, www.boulderuwc.org, and in MESSAGES pages 8 and 9.)

Bicycling	French Conversation (Full)	Readers' Theatre (Full)
Bicycling—Easy Riders	French Conversation 2	Readers' Theatre 2—Evening
Book Group—Afternoon	Garden	Snowshoeing
Book Group—Evening	Hiking	Spanish—Beginning
Book Group—Fiction	Italian Conversation	Spanish—Conversational
Book Group—Third Monday	Music	Sunday Afternoon at the Movies
Book Group—Classics Plus	Needlecraft	Tea and Travel
Bridge	On the Road Again	Theater Goers (Full)
Downhill Skiing	Out to Lunch	Theater Goers 2

For other interest group suggestions please contact Nancy Liggett, neliggett@gmail.com.

Please see updated list of interest groups on pages 8 and 9. They are expanding as we go to print.

Registration Form for **UWC Lecture Luncheons**

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (**\$22 per luncheon per person**) for the following luncheon(s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the scholarship fund. Guests are always welcome to attend for the same price as members.

UWC Member Name: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Number of Reservations	If bringing a guest, name of guest	Date/Location	Speaker/Topic
		10/13/15 UMC 235	Dr. Bruce Jakosky The MAVEN Mission to Mars
		11/3/15 UMC Center Ballroom	Dr. Elizabeth Fenn Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People
		12/08/15 UMC 235	Aimee Heckel Insider's View of Being a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda
		02/09/16 UMC 235	Beth Klein How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking
		03/08/16 UMC 235	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

***Special Diet Meal* needed (gluten-free, vegetarian, dairy free); please specify type and for whom)**

Lecture Luncheon checks are due one week before each luncheon.
Please make check payable to UWC.

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

Janet Kern
2725 Overlook Drive
Broomfield, CO 80020

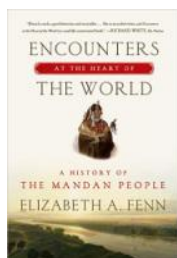
2015-16 Calendar

September	1	Board Meeting
	8	Membership Coffee
	10	MESSGES deadline
October	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
November	1	New Member Wine & Cheese
	3	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Reception
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Executive Board 2015-16

President	Diana King
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Honors Reception	Rita Riis
Hospitality	Janet Kern
Interest Groups	Nancy Liggett
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November Lecture Luncheon - November 3, 2015



Dr. Elizabeth Fenn Receiving Pulitzer Prize

Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People Dr. Elizabeth Fenn

Tuesday, **November 3, 2015; 11:30 a.m.**

University Memorial Center, **Glenn Miller Center Ballroom**

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Dr. Elizabeth Fenn received her BA in History from Duke University and her Master's from Yale. She left her doctoral project at Yale to enter the auto mechanical program at Durham Technical Community College and worked as a mechanic for a while. Her PhD dissertation, *Pox Americana*, covered the 1775-82 North American smallpox epidemic. She was interviewed on multiple national news outlets about biological warfare after the 9/11 attacks.

She taught at George Washington University and Duke before joining CU in 2012 where she is now Chair of CU's History Department and Associate Professor of Ethnic Studies.

One of American journalism's highest honors, the **2015 Pulitzer Prize for History**, was awarded to Dr. Fenn for her book, *Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People*. A native American tribe, the Mandans, had villages in what is now known as North Dakota and with whom the Louis and Clark expedition camped in its first winter of 1804-05. Dr. Fenn says, "My pitch is that stories like this need to be a part of the early American canon. We need to think of early America as far bigger and more interesting than the thirteen English colonies. I am so pleased that the Mandans are getting the historical recognition they are due."

She worked on this book for ten years. She is now working on a book about Sacajawea.

Dr. Fenn will have the "Encounters..." book and also the *Pox Americana: The Great Smallpox Epidemic of 1775-82* book for sale at the luncheon (for cash/check only).

GUESTS ARE WELCOME (as usual) to attend this very educational Lecture Luncheon.

President's Message
Hear from our
2015-16 President, Diana
King
See Page 2 for Details...

Upcoming Lecture
Luncheons
Take a peek at our
speakers this season.
See Page 4 for Details...



Lecture Luncheon payment must be postmarked

NO LATER than **October 27**. Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020, (wolfkern2725@gmail.com), 720-887-3417. Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance: gluten-free, vegetarian, or dairy-free options available. See Luncheon Registration Form Page 12.

Pay your dues to be listed in the UWC electronic Directory and receive future MESSAGES.

President's Message



The fall is in full swing, and the holidays will soon be upon us. The days are shorter and daylight savings ends. Our November membership directory will reflect all of those who have renewed for the year and the forty new members who have joined us in the past twelve months. We have an excellent start for our scholarship donations this year with over \$6,000 already donated.

I am pleased to announce that Nancy Sheffield has joined our Board. She will be assuming the job of Membership Chair at the start of November. She's already had a bit of training and seems ready to meet the challenge. Having filled those shoes with the help of Kathryn Wardell for the past few weeks, I'm more than delighted to have Nancy on Board. Thank you, Kathryn and Nancy.

Our Board has a lot of fun together. Janet Brewer, our President-Elect, who will serve in 2016-17 will be seeking new members to join us next year. Please let her know if this is something you'd like to consider or learn more. (Janet's email: dtbjhb@aol.com).

Our November Lecture Luncheon by Dr. Elizabeth Fenn on the Mandan people is scheduled for the first Tuesday on **November 3** instead of our usual second Tuesday. It will be held in the Glenn Miller Ballroom.

Be sure to get your reservations in by **October 27**. We already have a number of people signed up.

It is invigorating to be on campus with the students this time of year. If you haven't already found them there are a few "hidden gems" of locations on campus. If you have time after one of our luncheons, you should explore them. On the very top of the UMC student center, take the elevator to a small lounge with a terrace and a beautiful view of the flatirons. At the top of Old Main is a very small but fascinating museum.

The Natural history museum has dinosaurs as well as more recent Colorado history. When CU was created Old Main was a lonely building atop a cliff above the town with almost no trees around it, and a gorge that has now become a pond called Varsity Lake just west of Mackey Auditorium. Both Canyon City and Boulder vied for the University of Colorado to locate in their towns.

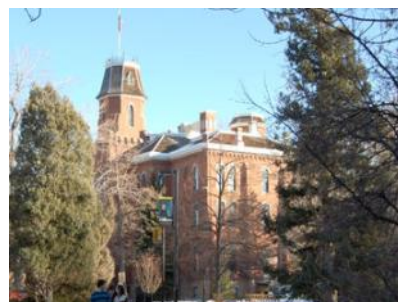
Enjoy the fall and our University Women's Club friends.

Diana King

President 2015-16



Views of Old Main



Membership Dues

\$30 annual dues are due.

Checks made out to UWC can be sent to

P.O. Box 18844, Attn. Membership, Boulder CO 80308-1844. We encourage you to consider including your **scholarship fund donation** and increase your check amount accordingly.

If you have questions regarding your UWC Membership please email Kathryn Wardell, Acting UWC Membership Chair at uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com.

Constitution - Recommended Change

The Advisory Planning Committee proposed a simplification change to the UWC Constitution and Bylaws, to be presented to the general membership at November's Lecture Luncheon.

The proposed changes are in Article II Section 2 of the Constitution and involve striking the words "and to advance matters of university interest" and adding, after the word 'university', the words "and university community".

The Article currently reads:

Article II

Section 2. To provide assistance to the university as the UWC so desires, and to advance matters of university interest.

The change will have the article read:

Article II

Section 2. To provide assistance to the university and the university community as the UWC so desires.

We will vote on this change at the November lecture luncheon.

Mary Huffman, Advisory Planning Committee Chair

Theater Goers Group

Theater Goers had our first event for 2015/16 at The Dairy on October 4 to see *Outside Mullingar* presented by BETC. The performance was excellent. A special thanks to Marilyn Moses for this first suggestion.

The next event on our calendar is *The 39 Steps* to be held on campus, [Sunday November 1](#), matinee. The tickets are free but must be obtained on the internet. The link is posted below. This is a Show and Go event. If you have any difficulty getting your ticket, contact Gail Moyes or Annie Runnel. Our email addresses and phone numbers are listed below.



Hitchcock meets hilarious! Patrick Barlow's adaptation of Alfred Hitchcock's original film follows the story of Richard Hannay – a bored man searching for something to spice up his life. He gets more than he asks for when he meets a mysterious female spy with a thick accent.

Eventually the girl ends up murdered, and Hannay is on the run. He must evade his pursuers and clear his name, always driven by one question: What exactly are "The 39 Steps?"

The original source of Hitchcock's and other's adaptations is the book by John Buchan of the same title.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Park on the street and be aware this is in the Acting Studio inside the University Theater and not Macky.

Link to tickets <http://www.colorado.edu/theatredance/events-tickets/theatre-events/39-steps>

Gail Moyes gpmoyes@gmail.com 303-7869142

Annie Russel annie@annierussel.com 303-868-7052

Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

The price of the luncheons is \$22; reserve the whole series for \$110. Make checks payable to "UWC" and note "Lecture Luncheon" in the memo. Please send payment or questions to: **Janet Kern, Attention: UWC Lecture Luncheon, 2725 Overlook Drive Broomfield, CO 80020 or 720 887-3417**. Please do not combine lecture luncheon payments with dues payments. Lecture Luncheon Registration Form is on Page 12.

December

An Insider's View of a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda



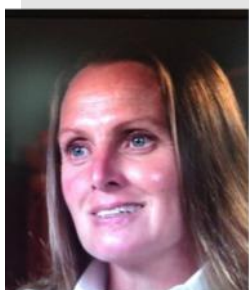
Aimee Heckel

Tuesday, December 8, 2015 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center; Room 235
(Reservations and payment due December 1)

Aimee Heckel is an award-winning columnist for the Daily Camera. Her Uganda assignment ended up changing the course of her life.

February

How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking



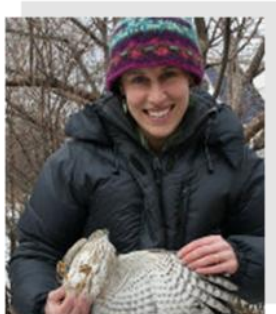
Beth Klein

Tuesday, February 9, 2016 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center Room 235
(Reservations and payment due February 2)

Beth Klein is an accomplished lawyer who chooses to dedicate her life and legal skills to end human trafficking. She will explain the effects of kindness in human trafficking.

March

Bees' Needs and Our Environment



Dr. Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center Room 235
(Reservations and payment due March 1)

Dr. Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History and Science Discovery. Maybe you will be convinced to be her next volunteer in the Bees' Needs Project.

Tell Me More... About Fredy Albarran



Fredy Albarran grew up in a small village in Mexico where he had completed all available schooling at age 12. His family moved to Amarillo, Texas where he was able to learn a new language and a new culture and graduate from high school. He worked full time and received an AAS from Amarillo College before transferring to CU Boulder. Fredy was a UWC Scholarship recipient for his senior year, 2013-14, majoring in Environmental Design with an emphasis in Architecture.

He took a year to get some work experience and return to Texas to spend time with his family before continuing his education. Fredy has a young son and says it was well worth taking the break to spend time with him. He interned at an architectural firm in Fort Collins and one in Amarillo, TX.

This fall Fredy has taken another step toward pursuing the dream he had at CU – he has begun working toward a Master's Degree in Architecture at CU Denver with plans to become a Licensed Architect.

UWC admires Fredy's persistence in overcoming difficult situations and is confident he will succeed in reaching his goals.

Tell Me More... About Jennifer Donnelly

Jennifer Donnelly was a UWC Scholarship recipient for her senior year, 2007-08, majoring in psychology. She worked hard in her studies, striving to be a good role model for her school-age children. She graduated summa cum laude and as president of the CU chapter of the Psi Chi Psychology National Honor Society the same year her daughter graduated from high school. Her daughter has since received a bachelor's degree from CSU, magna cum laude.



Taking a break from higher education, Jennifer has worked at several jobs since graduation. She is currently employed as a school bus driver by the Boulder Valley School District transportation department where she was named employee of the month in May 2015. She says her knowledge of psychology really comes in handy in her job! Jennifer is considering the possibility of obtaining an MSW from Metro State University, but for now, she loves her current work.

Jennifer lives in Jamestown and was evacuated by helicopter during the devastating flood of 2013, but was fortunate that her rental home was not in the flood path. She is very pleased that her family has been selected to partner with Habitat for Humanity to build and buy a home in the city of Boulder.

She is proud that she was recognized as a deserving woman by UWC and says the award allowed her to persevere and reach her educational goals. She loved being a student at CU, she is proud of her children, and is most excited for her family to finally have a home of their own. UWC is excited too!

NOTE: If you have news of a previous UWC Scholarship recipient or a former Lecture Luncheon speaker, please send the information to Kathy Randall katherineran@gmail.com.

Scholarship Donations—Cost of Tuition

Recent headlines in the Daily Camera were “**Freshman face sticker shock with first bill**” and “**Soaring student loan burden poses risk to economic growth.**” These articles emphasize the financial need of today’s college students and their families as they struggle to get a basic undergraduate education.

The cost of tuition and fees at CU this year for an in-state student in Arts and Sciences, taking 30 credit hours is \$11,091. Coupled with the minimum of \$13,000 for room and board the total **is nearly \$25,000.** Remember, this is for an IN-STATE student. Shockingly expensive!!

But it isn’t over when the student graduates. Many are faced with years of debt, repaying student loans that average \$29,000 per student. This negatively impacts the economy affecting all of us because those with the loan burdens often cannot buy a home, start a business, perhaps even afford car payments as they join the work force. Their buying power is restricted by their high loan payments.

This is why the UWC Scholarship Program is so important. Each awarded scholarship helps a student in need achieve his or her academic goals and lessen the burden of starting off in deep debt. Thank you to all of you who have donated with your membership dues and please consider sending an extra check to be added to our fund. It is tax deductible and a wise investment in our future.

Donors September 9 through October 6, 2015

Thank you to all of you who have added a donation to our scholarship fund along with your annual dues.

Also many thanks to those members who donated to this fund in memory of Margaret Peterson:

Sue Collard, Carol Crow, Liz Hinebauch, Karon Johnson, Jacquie Kilburn, Heidi Lynch and Kathleen Salzberg.

Dolores Afainer
Jane Allen
Judith Auer
Elizabeth Black
Muriel Briggs
Anne P. Burke
Jane Byers
Sue Collard
Betty Culp
Sharon Cundiff
Karen Diamond
Virginia Donegan
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Bobbi Vischi
Kathryn Wardell
Maxene H. Wilson
Nurit Wolf
Stephanie Wrotny



On the Road—at the Denver Art Museum

The On the Road interest group spent a lovely morning at the In Bloom Exhibit at the Denver Art Museum on October 7. The exhibit ended October 11. Here are some photos in case you missed it.

The exhibit included paintings of flowers from famous artists which had been loaned to the exhibit from museums all over the USA and Europe.



In Bloom wall outside exhibit



Patty Ludke in special shirt with artist who designed it.



Members attending exhibit



Karen Diamond in "Monet's Garden"



Renoir



Van Gogh



In Bloom Gift shop

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	Nov 12: <i>Dancing Fish and Ammonites: A Memoir</i> by Penelope Lively. Hostess Judy Thompson, 608-469-6883; jethompson@pharmacy.wise.edu . Dec. 10 <i>Far from the Madding Crowd</i> by Thomas Hardy. Hostess: Ellen Gille 303-499-3134 jqcfeq@dimcom.net . Books available at Boulder Bookstore.
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Contact chair for details.
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact Kathy Randall to start a new book group.
Book Group Small—Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett (970-596-4353) neliggett@gmail.com	
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper (302-421-4382) hpharvco@gmail.com	Group is at capacity. Contact chair to be put on a waiting list.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
Downhill Skiing Wednesdays in the wintertime, weather permitting	Arlene Gerwin (303-494-1307) asgerwin@comcast.net	Emails will provide details. Contact the chair to be added to the list.
French Conversation	Dot Thompson (303-494-4423) thompsondot@hotmail.com Ruth Stern (303-499-6995) ruthdstern@gmail.com	Group is currently full.
French Conversation—All Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All speaking levels.
Garden Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details. No Garden Group Meeting October till Spring.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The “Y,” 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth Wasmuth27@comcast.net	Group is currently full. See Readers' Theatres 2 or contact chair to be placed on waiting list.
Readers' Theatre 2 First or Second Monday	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meet- ing time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Tea and Travel 1:15 p.m. Oct.-Nov. and Jan.-March, usually on the third Tuesday of the month	This group is currently on hiatus awaiting a chair.	Contact Nancy Liggett if interested at 970-596-4353 or neliggett@gmail.com Group meets in members homes.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com	The Theater Goers group is at capacity. Contact chair for upcoming activity details.
Theater Goers 2	Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) Kathleen_n@comcast.net	The Theater Goers 2 group is looking for a co-chair.

To start a new interest group requires at least 5 members and a chairperson.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 19 2016

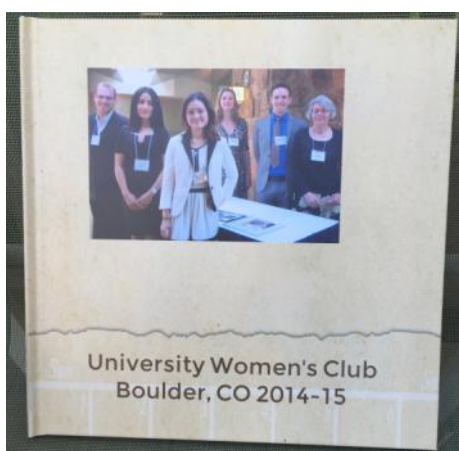


Mark your calendars for **April 19, 2016**, for the Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon to be held at the Boulder Country Club.

This is an opportunity to support and celebrate the UWC scholarship winners, to share a scrumptious lunch and lively conversation with friends and to enjoy seeing the latest spring fashions from one of our favorite clothiers, **Chico's**.

Watch future UWC MESSAGES for more detailed information regarding this popular event.

Historian Scrapbook



The Historian Scrapbook for UWC 2014-15 was printed as a bound book.

Orders for copies may be registered by contacting Kathy Terrill at wakaterrill@ecentral.com through October.

The book contains wonderful pictures of our interest groups and events from the past year.

The original copy cost approximately \$40. It is possible that the cost will be somewhat less per scrapbook when several copies are ordered at one time. Those who order will split the shipping cost among themselves.

A one-time order will be placed in November.

Opera Brunch - Coming in March 2016



Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13, 2016, for our annual Opera Brunch, starting at 11:30 a.m. at the University Memorial Center, and followed by CU's Opera presentation of Francis Poulenc's *Dialogue of the Carmelites* at Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Dialogues of the Carmelites grapples with such timeless human emotions as fear, despair, and faith. It is a dark, intense opera based on the persecution of nuns at the convent at Compiègne during the French Revolution.

Reservation forms will be printed in subsequent MESSAGES newsletters.

Interest Groups—General

Note that interest groups do not all meet throughout the year.

The Garden Group does not meet again until Spring. The winter sports groups meet when the weather is conducive. The On the Road Again and the Theater Goers groups meet for special activities.

Please check the Interest Groups Chair person if you have questions, or suggestions (see pages 8 and 9).

UWC Membership Form - 2015-16

Welcome! 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.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership. The UWC membership year runs from June 1 to May 31.

Nancy Sheffield, Membership Chair
303-447-8016
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Kathy Terrill, New Member Chair
303-530-9438
wakaterrill@ecentral.com

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email address for newsletter _____
(please print clearly) **NOTE: Returning members only need to indicate changes**

☐ new email address

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

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

☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ Other \$ _____

☐ I am enclosing this tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund in **Honor/Memory** of:

Make all checks payable to UWC (may combine dues and donations; please do not combine luncheons)

Mail to: **UWC Membership, PO Box 18844, Boulder, CO 80308-1844**
PAYMENT DEADLINE OCTOBER 15, 2015 for inclusion in Membership Directory

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

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Please look for current interest groups on our website, www.boulderuwc.org, and in our MESSAGES newsletter. Please contact the interest group chairperson if you wish to join. Our groups activities include:

Bicycling

Book Groups

Bridge

Downhill Skiing

French Conversation

Gardening

Hiking

Italian Conversation

Music

Needlecraft

On the Road Again

Out to Lunch

Reader's Theater

Snowshoeing

Spanish Conversation

Sunday Afternoon at the Movies

Tea and Travel

Theater Goers

Other interest group suggestions please contact Nancy Liggett , neliggett@gmail.com

Registration Form for **UWC Lecture Luncheons**

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (**\$22 per luncheon per person**) for the following luncheon(s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the scholarship fund. Guests are always welcome to attend for the same price as members.

UWC Member Name: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Number of reservations	If bringing a guest, name of guest	Date/ Location	Speaker/Topic
		11/03/15 UMC Center Ballroom	Dr. Elizabeth Fenn Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People
		12/08/15 UMC 235	Aimee Heckel Insider's View of Being a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda
		02/09/16 UMC 235	Beth Klein How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking
		03/08/16 UMC 235	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

***Special Diet Meal* needed (gluten-free, vegetarian, dairy free); please specify type and for whom)**

Lecture Luncheon checks are due one week before each luncheon. Please make check payable to UWC.

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

**Janet Kern
2725 Overlook Drive
Broomfield, CO 80020**



Margaret Willard Award 2016 Award Nomination

The University Women's Club presents the Margaret Willard Award annually at the spring Honors Reception. The woman receiving 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 biography 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) _____

Information outlining Nominee's service to the University and/or the Boulder community

(please use additional paper if needed) _____

Nominator/Submitted by _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ **(work)** _____

Email _____

**Please mail nomination information to Jane Massie, 178 S. Buchanan Ave.,
Louisville, CO 80027, by March 1, 2016, or email to sjanemassie@me.com.**

If the Nominee does not receive the award in 2016, she may be considered for 2017. In this case, an updated statement about the Nominee may be requested. Previous winners have been selected from the University community (volunteers, faculty, or staff) or from the Boulder community.

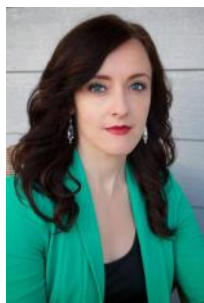
2015-16 Calendar

September	1	Board Meeting
	8	Membership Coffee
	10	MESSGES deadline
October	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
November	1	New Member Wine & Cheese
	3	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
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December Lecture Luncheon - December 8, 2015



An Insider's View of a Female Reporter In a Refugee Camp in Uganda **Aimee Heckel**

Tuesday, December 8, 2015; 11:30 a.m.
University Memorial Center, Room 235

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Aimee Heckel graduated from Colorado State University with a degree in journalism and German and attended the University of Heidelberg in Germany with a concentration in international media.

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Aimee Heckel is a professional journalist and storyteller who writes a weekly fashion column and fitness column, and who also covers pop culture, health, music, religion, food, home and garden, family, arts, and youth for the Boulder *Daily Camera*. She is a travel contributor for *USA Today* and has been the editor-in-chief of multiple women's magazines. She is a leader in digital journalism and has edited and contributed to more than twenty books including several Amazon best-sellers and award-winners. She teaches college-level workshops about mobile journalism, filming and editing videos, and blogging. She has won dozens of state and national writing awards.

In 2007, Aimee went on a dangerous assignment as a reporter in a Ugandan refugee camp that ended up changing the course of her life and many others. She learned about the plights of some of the neediest people in the world. The end result of her risky choice was surprising and took a completely different turn from what she would have ever expected.

Recently, Aimee returned from China, and perhaps she will tell us about that experience since it was different from Uganda and challenging in other ways.

After Aimee's presentation, a non-profit (Think-Humanity-African Handmade-Products) to which Aimee is affiliated, will **sell articles such as purses, toys, jewelry, etc. made by African women**. Profits are used for malaria prevention, students' education, and other health care. 100% goes to the non-profit. Only cash or checks will be accepted. Any donation is accepted. A donation of \$10 is suggested.

GUESTS ARE WELCOME (as usual) to attend this interesting Lecture Luncheon. Seating is limited,, so please get your check in promptly. (See form on page 14).



Lecture Luncheon payment must be RECEIVED

NO LATER than December 1. Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020, (wolfkern2725@gmail.com), 720-887-3417. Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance: gluten-free, vegetarian, or dairy-free options available. The regular meal includes chicken **PEANUT** curry in a sauce of coconut milk, fish sauce, and garlic. It is gluten-free and dairy-free.

President's Message



As the days get shorter, I hope the brightness of friends who surround you and your loved ones bring you joy.

Our membership is over 300 again this year. In November, Kathy Terrill was elected as Secretary-Elect for 2015-16. She will serve as secretary next year.

We have Board positions available next year that involve events planning, working with figures or records, communicating with folks, and recognizing accomplishments. Our Board has a lot of fun together. Janet Brewer, our President-Elect, who will serve in 2016-17 will be seeking new members to join us next year. Please let her know if this is something you'd like to consider or learn more. (Janet's email: dtbjhb@aol.com).

Both our October and November Lecture Luncheons were very well subscribed successes. Both speakers were outstanding. In November we tried a new venue of the Glenn Miller Ballroom at the UMC.

The December luncheon will have a "cap" on the number of available seats, so please note the December 1 deadline for RECEIPT of your check and reservation and send in your check early so you can get one of the remaining seats to hear Aimee Heckel, an award-winning columnist for Boulder's *Daily Camera*.

This issue of *MESSAGES* covers December and January. The first Lecture Luncheon of the new year will be February 9.

As the year wraps up and taxes are due, I hope you will consider a donation to the scholarship fund. We have supported three to five non-traditional students in the past few years who are at least 24 years of age with 2 years of study toward a bachelor's degree. Our scholarship winners are seeking to finish their undergraduate studies at the University of Colorado Boulder.

We will be trying something new in December to increase our scholarship fund. If you'd like to bring a check with your end-of-year tax deductible donation (**marked "donation" and made out to UWC**), we will be asking for the checks to be deposited in the same bags as our name tags at the December 8 Lecture Luncheon. What a great way to ring in the New Year!

Have a great set of holidays!

Diana King

President 2015-16

UWC Scholarship Donations—Be Ready to "Bag Your Check"



What a great time of year for FUN and FUNDING (our scholarship efforts). Now it will be easier than ever to help our CU scholars by dropping your check for the scholarship fund into the "name tag" bags on the tables at the next lecture luncheons.

As you know, tuition is currently ten times what it was when UWC first started giving scholarships in 1983 and you probably saw the *Daily Camera* headline recently that said, "Big Tuition Increases Grow Likely".

Our donations for this year are running slightly ahead of last year at this point, and we currently have about 37% of our members contributing to our effort. We know we can do better and feel great being a part of this worthwhile endeavor while we are enjoying all the groups and activities that UWC sponsors.

Don't forget that you can designate your donation to be given in someone's memory or to mark a special occasion. (Note donation form Page 13).

Thanks so much to those of you who have contributed at this point! Your generosity is very much appreciated! We can all take advantage of this easier way to contribute at upcoming luncheons whether we have already contributed or not!

Becky Palmer

Scholarship Chair



New Member Wine and Cheese Reception November 1

The New Member reception was held at the home of UWC President, Diana King, on Sunday afternoon, November 1, 2015.

Eighteen Board members and 30 new members who attended—perhaps a record number for this event.

Board members explained their jobs and new members introduced themselves and spoke of “their passions”.

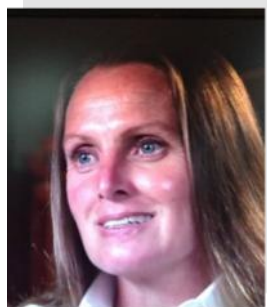


Upcoming Lecture Luncheons

The price of the luncheons is \$22 per person, per luncheon. Make checks payable to "UWC" and note "Lecture Luncheon" in the memo. Please send payment or questions to: **Janet Kern, Attention: UWC Lecture Luncheon, 2725 Overlook Drive Broomfield, CO 80020 or 720 887-3417**. Please do not combine lecture lunch payments with dues payments. Lecture Luncheon Registration Form is on Page 14.

February

How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking



Beth Klein

Tuesday, February 9, 2016
11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center
Glenn Miller Ballroom
(Reservations and payment due
February 2)

Beth Klein is an accomplished lawyer who chooses to dedicate her life and legal skills to end human trafficking. She will explain the effects of kindness in human trafficking.

March

Bees' Needs and Our Environment



Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016
11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center
Glenn Miller Ballroom
(Reservations and payment due
March 1)

Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History and Science Discovery. Maybe you will be convinced to be her next volunteer in the Bees' Needs Project.

Previous Lecture Luncheons—October 2015

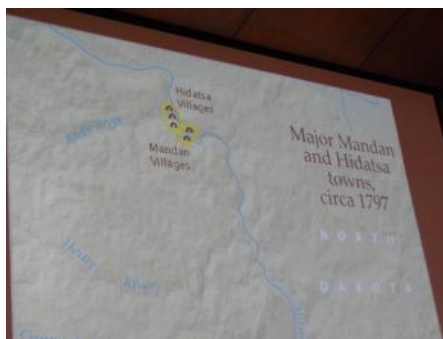
October 2015—Bruce Jakosky, Principal Investigator for the MAVEN Project.



Previous Lecture Luncheons— November 2015

Dr. Elizabeth Fenn, Pulitzer Prize (History) winner 2015 for her book *Encounters at the Heart of the World: A History of the Mandan People*, spoke in November about her research and book.

The luncheon was held in the Glenn Miller Center Ballroom. Over 140 members and their guests attended.



The Mandan tribes lived in North Dakota.



Interest Groups—Theater Goers

November was a brilliant month for Theater Goers. The Theater Goers attended two performances.



The first was *The 39 Steps*, presented and directed by the students of CU. Comedy is hard to do, but the four performers nailed every line. Amongst them they played several roles with minimum props. We laughed and enjoyed every minute of this Free Performance. This performance was truly a testament to the talent of CU students in the Theater Arts Department.

The second performance was *The Few* presented by BETC at the Dairy Center. The performance was excellent but this is not a “feel good” play. It was troubling and grim.

The two theater groups have now been combined, and we are looking forward to hearing your suggestions for future performances. If you have an idea, contact Annie Russell, Kathleen Newton, or Gail Moyes. (See contact information under Interest Groups.)



Tell Me More... About what goes into our planning for our Lecture Luncheons

Planning for the five Lecture Luncheons is one of the primary responsibilities of the UWC Program Chair and her committee. Planning for the next year's Lecture Luncheons begins in the spring when the Program Chair is named. We are lucky to be in a community with a large pool of excellent speakers with interesting topics. The chair collects suggestions from UWC board and members, articles in the *Daily Camera*, personal knowledge, and proposals from previous years. She tries to include representatives from many fields and from both the University and the larger Boulder community.

Some UWC members have questioned the price for attending our Lecture Luncheons. Our Lecture Luncheons are not a fund-raising activity for UWC. The UWC Annual Budget sets the Program Committee's income to be equal to expenditures.

The food served at our Lecture Luncheons is not the only cost we must consider. In addition to the basic catering costs (food and drink, special meals, catering staff, table linens), we must cover the audio-visual equipment rental costs, hourly wages of AV technical staff, and the rental charges for podium and lectern, entry and display tables, easels, and coat racks. Our budget does not allow for payment to our speakers; they are all volunteers receiving only their meals, the meals of their guests, and our heartfelt thanks. Because UWC is considered a part of the University community, the rental costs for the room and tables and chairs at UMC are waived. When circumstances require the use of an outside venue, we must pay a room rental fee which greatly increases our costs.

We must provide our caterer with accurate counts of total expected attendance including exact numbers of the special meals. This is why we require advance reservations and advance orders for special meals. Some extra places are set – a few more than our expected attendance – not for walk-in guests, but so that late-comers can easily find a place to sit.

The Program Committee meets with our caterer to select menus. We try to pick interesting and varied luncheon choices. We also take note of our members' preferences. While many of us found the beef stew in October to be absolutely delicious, there were many others who chose not to eat it at all. So beef stew is off the menu for the future. We also know that our members enjoy the salads and take smaller portions of entrées, so we have requested additional salad to be available on the buffet, cutting back a bit on the entrée.

We learn as we go. We apologize for the long line at the November Lecture Luncheon. As Diana King noted, we are victims of our own success. For any future luncheons where our guest count is high, we will have two buffet lines, each serving on two sides. We have also changed the meeting venue to the Glenn Miller Central Ballroom for February and March to provide us with extra needed space. December's Lecture Luncheon must be held in Room 235 as the ballroom is unavailable. Seating will be somewhat limited, so be sure to get your reservation in early or we may reach capacity before your request is received.

Regardless of how carefully we plan, things do occasionally go awry. Our lines were too long in November, occasionally a speaker has to cancel and be replaced at the last minute, perhaps we run out of dessert, or there is a mix up in someone's reservation listing. The Program Committee and Hospitality do their best to make things right, and we all appreciate the patience and understanding of our members.



Table of Special Diet Offerings

Interest Groups—Bicycling

Both UWC biking groups just finished their seasons after six whole months of pedaling in and around Boulder. Sharon Howrey started our forays about seven years ago then handed the leadership over to our intrepid leader, Mary Greenwald.

Twice a week, with just a few interludes for her international travel, Mary sends us an email detailing the rides for the week. We use a very simple online response program to let her know who can make it for any given outing and then rendezvous at the appointed time. What is particularly appealing to anyone who likes to ride bicycles is that there are two groups available.

If you are just getting into riding you can go on Wednesday mornings with the **Easy Riders** who start gently in the spring and work up to ten (usually flat) miles on bike paths with lots of time to talk and stop for coffee after the ride.

If you have been riding for a while and prefer more mileage, the Thursday group usually goes about 20 miles and still has time to chat and stop for coffee.



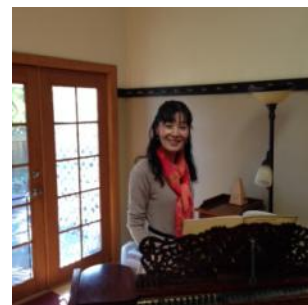
We have been very fortunate to have Carol Saunders invite us to her Frisco condo the last few summers to do some high country challenges. Because of the opportunities afforded over the years by our weekly outings, a few of us even rode from Frisco to Copper Mountain and then on up to Vail Pass this summer! We really can choose our own adventure with Mary in the lead!

One other thing that made this a particularly interesting season is that Barbara Hau is producing a documentary about our group. She shot lots of video this summer and will have the final product ready to show next spring.

If you would like to receive information about our riding which will resume in May, feel free to contact Mary Greenwald. We are always happy to have new riders and we never leave anyone behind. There is always someone riding sweep (behind everyone else) to make sure no one gets lost and we have an amazing safety record! Jump on your bike and join us! (Note that biking group meets May—October.)

Interest Groups—Music

The Music Club has been meeting and enjoying each other's performances for nearly fifty years. We usually meet in a member's home on the second Monday of the month at 1:15 p.m.



<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	Dec. 1: <i>A Tale for the Time Being</i> by Ruth Ozeki. Jan 26: <i>The Gift of Rain</i> by Tan Twan Eng. Books available at Boulder Bookstore. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	Dec 10: <i>Far from the Madding Crowd</i> by Thomas Hardy. Hostess Ellen Gille (303-499-3134, jcgefg@dimcom.net). Jan. 14: <i>The Children Act</i> by Ian McEwan. Hostess Lois Linsky (303-499-2689, lfinksy@hotmail.com).
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Contact chair for details.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
Downhill Skiing Wednesdays in the wintertime, weather permitting	Arlene Gerwin (303-494-1307) asgerwin@comcast.net	Emails will provide details. Contact the chair to be added to the list.
French Conversation - All Speaking Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All levels of French speaking ability accepted and welcome.
Garden Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details. Group is on hiatus until April 2016.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vrross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Clubhouse at Villa Del Prado	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and de- tails.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Tea and Travel 1:15 p.m. Oct.-Nov. and Jan.-March, usually on the third Tuesday of the month	This group is currently on hiatus awaiting a chair.	Contact Nancy Liggett if interested at 970-596- 4353 or neliggett@gmail.com Group meets in members homes.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com Annie Russell (303-786-8070) annie@annierussell.com	Contact one of the co-chairs for upcoming ac- tivity details.

The following Interest Groups are part of the UWC, but currently do not have openings:

Interest Group	Chair(s)
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall
Book Group Small— Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper
French Conversation	Dot Thompson, Ruth Stern
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth

To start a new interest group requires at least **five members and a chairperson**.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

NOTE: There may be renewed interest in forming a **Mah Jongg** group. Please let Nancy Liggett know if you are interested.

Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 19, 2016



Mark your calendars for **April 19, 2016**, for the Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon to be held at the Boulder Country Club.

This is an opportunity to support and celebrate the UWC scholarship winners, to share a scrumptious lunch and lively conversation with friends and to enjoy seeing the latest spring fashions from one of our favorite clothiers, **Chico's**.

Watch future UWC MESSAGES for more detailed information regarding this popular event.

Scholarship Donation—Tax Planning

As year-end approaches and thoughts of planning our tax strategy emerge, we are all asked to make donations to benefit local organizations. Why not put the University Women's Club Scholarship Fund on the top of your list of beneficiaries? This fund provides you with the opportunity to make a better life for a deserving student who is dedicated to achieving his or her education goals.

You now have the opportunity to make your donation as a tribute "in honor of" or "in memory of" a deserving friend or loved one; how about the gift for someone who has everything? The honoree (or family) will be notified of the gift and the donor will be recognized in MESSAGES. Please see donation form on page 13.

Donations of \$50 or greater will receive a letter for tax purposes.

Scholarship Donors (since last MESSAGES)

Inger Bell	Jill Grubb	Patty Ludke	Dayle Sarasohn
Therese Clemens	Val Havlick	Diana Maiden	Francie Sinton
Sue Collard	Helen Hooper	Ann McBryan	Ruth Stern
Tessa Davis	Susan Jones	Barbara Miller	Vinita Sturgeon
Shirley Deeter	Susannah Jordan	Marilyn Moses	Susan Thomas
Zetta Feder	Sheryl Kuempel	Karen Neff	Barbara Zable
Sharon Gabriel	Pat Law	Margaret Perez	George D and Angelyn K Coupunas Fund

MANY THANKS to all of you who have donated to the UWC Scholarship efforts.

Opera Brunch - March 13, 2016



Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13, 2016, for our annual Opera Brunch, starting at 11:30 a.m. at the University Memorial Center, and followed by CU's Opera presentation of Francis Poulenc's *Dialogues of the Carmelites* at Macky Auditorium at 2:00 p.m.

Dialogues of the Carmelites grapples with such timeless human emotions as fear, despair, and faith. It is a dark, intense opera based on the persecution of nuns at the convent at Compiègne during the French Revolution.

Reservation forms will be printed in subsequent MESSAGES newsletters.

Margaret Willard Award

Margaret Willard began her career at CU as an English instructor, wife of an history professor, and became the first president of the Faculty Wives' Club, which has evolved into a more encompassing group, our University Women's Club.

Though the original group liked to chat and sip tea, they grew in involvement in philanthropic matters. According to Sylvia Pettem, a Boulder local historian, these included providing eye-glasses and books to needy students, milk funds for schools, implementing student loans, and more.

The social aspects of their lives turned more and more to helping others as the world progressed through the Great Depression and World War II. By 1957, they added fund-raising and expanded the philanthropic work by providing financial scholarships for women, non-traditional females, to help them to continue their education. We continue this tradition and recently have included men for scholarship consideration.

Since 1993, the UWC has presented the Margaret Willard to a woman or women who have exemplified the traits of our predecessors, and in doing so honor all women.

The University Women's Club presents the Margaret Willard Award annually at the spring **Honors Reception**. The woman receiving 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

There have been 36 previous recipients, including Patricia Limerick, Val Havlick, Carlen Penfold, Ruth M. Wright, Claudine Garby, and Ceal Barry. There is a complete list in the UWC Handbook, which was distributed electronically.

All our honorees are exemplary role models who exercise initiative in their endeavors and in doing so bring honor to all women and to our University.

Please submit a nomination (form on page 15) by March 1.

Honors Reception—May 10, 2016

The Honors Reception will be held on May 10, 2016, at the Koenig Alumni Center on the CU campus.

The Margaret Willard Awardee will be presented, the new UWC President will be handed the gavel, roses will be given to past Margaret Willard awardees, past Presidents, and past Presidents' awardees.

Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. This is a FREE social activity for UWC members.



UWC Boulder Membership Form - 2015-16

Welcome! 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 and check if it is an update.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership.

The UWC membership year runs from June 1 to May 31.

Nancy Sheffield, Membership Chair
303-447-8016
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Kathy Terrill, New Member Chair
303-530-9438
wakaterrill@ecentral.com

Name _____ Phone _____

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

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

☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ Other \$ _____

☐ I am enclosing this tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund in **Honor/Memory** of:

Make all checks **payable to UWC** (may combine dues and donations; please **do not combine with luncheons**)

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

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

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

UWC Interest Groups

These are some of the current interest groups. Please see the interest group chairperson if you wish to join. (The chairpersons will be on the website, www.boulderuwc.org, and in MESSAGES.)

Bicycling	Hiking	Reader's Theater
Book Groups	Italian Conversation	Snowshoeing
Bridge	Music	Spanish Conversation
Downhill Skiing	Needlecraft	Sunday Afternoon at the Movies
French Conversation	On the Road Again	Tea and Travel
Gardening	Out to Lunch	Theater Goers

UWC SCHOLARSHIP DONATION FORM



I am enclosing a tax-deductible donation to UWC Scholarships for non-traditional students to help them in their quest for a first-time bachelor's degree at CU Boulder. (Please *print* information below).

DONOR Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

email: _____

Amount of donation: \$ _____

Please make check payable to UWC.

Thank you so much for your support.

Mail this form and your check to:

UWC Scholarships

P.O. Box 18844

Boulder, CO 80308-1844

(Optional)

This donation is ☐ In Honor of ☐ In Memory of

Name of person or family: _____

Name of person for notification: _____

Address of person for notification: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Registration Form for UWC Lecture Luncheons

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (**\$22 per luncheon per person**) for the following luncheon(s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the scholarship fund. Guests are always welcome to attend for the same price as members.

UWC Member Name: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Number of reservations	If bringing a guest, name of guest	Date/ Location	Speaker/Topic
		12/08/15 UMC 235	Aimee Heckel Insider's View of Being a Female Reporter in a Refugee Camp in Uganda
		02/09/16 UMC Center Ballroom	Beth Klein How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking
		03/08/16 UMC Center Ballroom	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

The main dish for December's Lecture Luncheon is Chicken Peanut Curry and Basmati Rice. This is both gluten-free and dairy-free. Please select vegetarian if you have an issue with peanuts or peanut butter.

Special Diet Meal needed (gluten-free, vegetarian, dairy-free); please specify type and for whom.

Lecture Luncheon checks are due one week before each luncheon. Please make check payable to UWC.

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

**Janet Kern
2725 Overlook Drive
Broomfield, CO 80020**



Margaret Willard Award 2016 Award Nomination

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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 University and/or the Boulder community
(please use additional paper if needed) _____

Nominator/Submitted by _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ **(work)** _____

Email _____

Please mail nomination information to Jane Massie, 178 S. Buchanan Avenue, Louisville, CO 80027 by March 1, 2016, or email to sjanemassie@me.com.

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Name _____ Email _____

Guest name(s) _____

_____ opera tickets @ \$23.00 each ... Plus # _____ places for brunch \$27.00 each

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Please select entrée: (add names if reservation is for more than one person)

_____ Salmon with pistachio lemon sauce Name(s) _____

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2015-16 Calendar

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	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
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	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Reception
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

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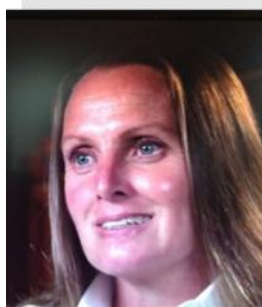


Lecture Luncheon - February 9, 2016

How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking

Tuesday, February 9, 2016; 11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center, Glenn Miller Center Ballroom



Human trafficking is the fastest-growing criminal industry in the world, second only to the drug trade. And Boulder, Colorado is not immune to this criminal activity.

Beth Klein is an accomplished lawyer who chooses to dedicate her life and legal skills to end human trafficking. Every year she has been voted by over 13,000 lawyers as a Super Lawyer in the State of Colorado and one of the top women lawyers.

She has won many awards, including *More Magazine* naming her as one of the 50 Women That You Want On Your Side along with Michelle Obama, Oprah Winfrey, Hillary Clinton and many other women world leaders. She received the "Woman who Changed the Heart of the City of Denver" award. She has been nominated as a CNN Hero. The Denver Post named her as one of the 12 Women of Influence in the State of Colorado.

In 2010, Beth Klein wrote a breakthrough anti-human trafficking law for Colorado, which led her to consulting to over 30 states and even to other countries, helping them to understand and create solutions to end human trafficking. She has worked all over the world, many times for free, trying to end human trafficking.

GUESTS ARE WELCOME (as usual) to attend this informative and important Lecture Luncheon. You will find the reservation form on page 11.

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Lecture Luncheon payment must be RECEIVED

NO LATER than **February 2**. Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020, (wolfkern2725@gmail.com), 720-887-3417.

Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance: gluten-free, vegetarian, or dairy-free options available. The regular meal includes boneless Rocky Mountain Trout sautéed in butter, potatoes, and red velvet cake with cream cheese icing. It is gluten-free except for the roll and dessert.

President's Message



May your friendships and activities in the University Women's Club bring you joy this winter season. Here are some quotes on friendship and human interactions that will hopefully bring you warmth this season:

"One kind word can warm three winter months." ~Japanese Proverb

"People don't notice whether it's winter or summer when they're happy." Anton Chekhov

We are pleased to announce our slate of officers for next year. Our election will be held at the March Lecture Luncheon. See the article from Janet Brewer, chair of our Nominating Committee. If you have other nominations or are interested in joining next year's Board please contact Janet (email: dtbjhb@aol.com). Many thanks to Janet and the committee.

We have been very fortunate at the high quality of the presentations and the outstanding qualifications of our guest speakers this year. Aimee Heckel, columnist for the Boulder Daily Camera delivered an amazing, compelling and deeply personal discourse of how she and her parents have become profoundly and irrevocably involved in Africa with humanitarian efforts to ward off malaria, educate young girls, and more. In addition to Aimee, her mother, Beth, provided an impromptu but in-depth understanding of the needs and on-going efforts. Many people in the audience were moved. More information on the program is available and donations can be made at the website: <http://ThinkHumanity.org>.

Our February Lecture Luncheon will be our second time in the Glenn Miller Ballroom of the University Memorial Center. Be sure to get your reservations in **by February 2** so that you can join us to hear lawyer Beth Klein's presentation on "How Kindness Ends Human Trafficking."

One of the offerings of UWC Membership has been the ability to obtain a University of Colorado email address. In the past several years, the University has changed its servers and it has been a challenge to assist our members with CU emails to make the transition to changing technology used by the University.

The Board is working with the CU Help Desk to assist with transition for the 10% of our Members who have CU email addresses. If you are experiencing difficulties, please contact the CU Help Desk (303-735-4357) to request the transition—you may receive a resolution sooner if you contact them directly.

The Board is considering a proposal to no longer offer CU email addresses. Now that other free options such as "gmail" are available, there has been less demand and need than in the past. We may make a "grandfather" arrangement to keep the emails that exist, but not offer new CU emails in the future. If you have an opinion or wish to weigh in on this issue, please write to me as President dianaking.boulder@gmail.com.

May the warmth of friendship of fellow women sustain you through the coming months.

Diana King

President 2015-16



Audience of UWC Members and Guests at Lecture Luncheon December 2015

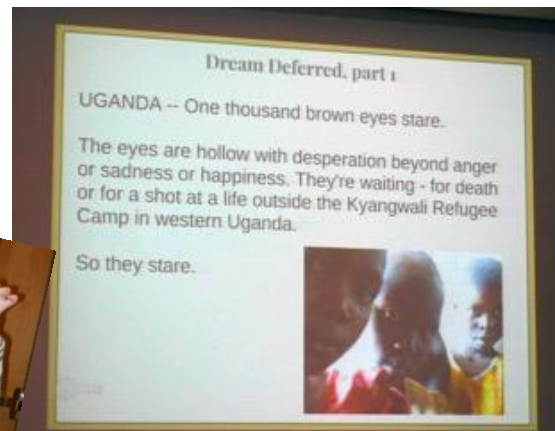
Photos from Lecture Luncheon December 2015

The December Luncheon was a full-capacity event. As noted in the President's Message, Aimee Heckel gave a passionate talk about how she came to be involved with refugee girls in Africa. Her mother also spoke on how they organized the delivery of mosquito netting and other life-saving equipment to the jungle camp for refugees. Additionally they have set up a system to help educate the young women.

After the luncheon they sold ornaments, jewelry and other items made by the refugees to benefit their cause.



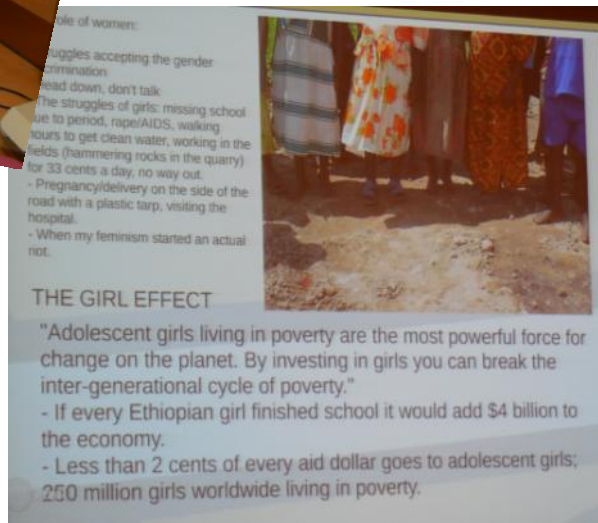
Aimee Heckel



Baby Aimee (named after Ms. Heckel)



Beth Heckel



Nominating Committee Candidates

The UWC Executive Board has approved the Nominating Committee recommendations for the University Women's Club elected offices:

Frieda Holley: President-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as President in 2017-18)

Frieda has been a member of UWC for 8 years. Three of these years she was a Board member, serving as Chair of the Scholarship Committee. She also served previously on the Scholarship Committee.

She is co-chair of the Hiking Group and is also a member of the Garden Group.

Arlene Gerwin: Treasurer-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as Treasurer in 2017-18)

Arlene has been active in UWC for 6 years. She has served on the Scholarship Luncheon committee and the Board - first as *MESSAGES* editor (1 year) and then Treasurer (current position.)

She will continue as Treasurer in the 2016-17 year, as she is the current Treasurer-Elect.

She belongs to the Spanish Conversation, Easy Riders, and Snowshoeing groups and last year organized the Downhill Ski group.

Kathleen Newton: Secretary-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as Secretary in 2017-18)

Kathleen is in her third year of membership in UWC. She has served on the Board as editor of *MESSAGES* (1 year) and as historian (current position.) She participates, or has participated, in the Sunday at the Movies Group (co-chair), Evening Book Club, the Third Monday Book Group, and Theater Goers groups.

The election will be held at a General Meeting at the March 8th UWC Lecture Luncheon to be held at the University Memorial Center, Glenn Miller Ballroom.

Nominations can be made from the floor or sent in advance to Janet Brewer <dtbjhb@aol.com> with the nominee's consent.



Frieda Holley



Arlene Gerwin



Kathleen Newton

Upcoming Lecture Luncheon

The price of the luncheons is \$22 per person, per luncheon. Make checks payable to "UWC" and note "Lecture Luncheon" in the memo. Please send payment or questions to: **Janet Kern, Attention: UWC Lecture Luncheon, 2725 Overlook Drive Broomfield, CO 80020 or 720 887-3417**. Please do not combine lecture lunch payments with dues payments. Lecture Luncheon Registration Form is on Page 14.

March

Bees' Needs and Our Environment

Dr. Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016

11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center

Glenn Miller Ballroom

(Reservations and payment due

March 1)



Dr. Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History and Science Discovery.

Why has the Western honey bee population been disappearing? What is the effect of the decline of native bees who pollinate flowering plants in North America?

Maybe you will be convinced to be the next volunteer in the Bees' Needs Project.

CU Opera—March 13, 2015

The Opera Brunch deadline is **February 15, 2016!**

Maestro Carthy is the Music Director of the Eklund Opera Program and an Associate Professor of Opera. Once again he will be speaking at our opera brunch in the Aspen Room of the UMC before the Opera on March 13, 2015. We are honored that he gives his time right before the Sunday performance to introduce us to the opera he directs.

Don't miss *Dialogues of the Carmelites* by Francis Poulenc, sung in English, and a delicious brunch of Salmon, Chicken or Fettuccine Primavera, served in the Aspen Room at UMC.

You can attend just the opera, of course, or if you have tickets to the opera already, you may also want to come to the luncheon and hear Maestro's talk,

Nicholas Carthy

Voice and Opera: Music Director, Eklund
Opera Program
Associate Professor of Opera



See the Opera Registration Form on page 13 for further information.

Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 19, 2016



Mark your calendars for **April 19, 2016**, for the Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon to be held at the Boulder Country Club. The luncheon starts at 11 a.m. and goes until 2 p.m.

This is an opportunity to support and celebrate the UWC scholarship winners, to share a scrumptious lunch and lively conversation with friends and to enjoy seeing the latest spring fashions from one of our favorite clothiers, **Chico's**.

You will need to choose your main entrée. Guests are welcome.

Please see [page 14](#) for the Registration Form which is due by **April 12**.

Scholarship Donors (since last MESSAGES)

Diana Glover
Diana Maiden

Maryann Grundmann
Lucy Maret

Susan Katz
Carol Ponton

Melissa Mahaney
Mary Price

MANY THANKS to all of you who have donated to the UWC Scholarship efforts.

Margaret Willard Award

Since 1993, the UWC has presented the Margaret Willard to a woman or women who have exemplified the traits of our predecessors, and in doing so honor all women.

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Please submit a nomination (form on page 12) by March 1.

Honors Reception—May 10, 2016

The Honors Reception will be held on **May 10, 2016**, in the tent outside the University Memorial Center.

The Margaret Willard Awardee will be presented, the new UWC President will be handed the gavel, roses will be given to past Margaret Willard awardees, past Presidents, and past Presidents' awardees.

Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. This is a FREE social activity for UWC members.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	Jan 26: <i>The Gift of Rain</i> by Tan Twan Eng. Books available at Boulder Bookstore. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	Feb. 11: <i>Orphan Train</i> by Christina Baker Kline. Hostess: Frances Dahlberg (303-447-2893, Frances.Dahlberg@colorado.edu).
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Contact chair for details.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
French Conversation - All Speaking Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All levels of French speaking ability accepted and welcome.
Garden Group Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details. Group is on hiatus until April 2016.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. Plan to meet on Feb 24 at noon at "Span-ish" 1143 13th St., on the Hill. Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Meeting Room at Presbyterian Manor Senior	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and de- tails.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Tea and Travel 1:15 p.m. Oct.-Nov. and Jan.-March, usually on the third Tuesday of the month	This group is currently on hiatus awaiting a chair.	Contact Nancy Liggett if interested at 970-596- 4353 or neliggett@gmail.com Group meets in members homes.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com Annie Russell (303-786-8070) annie@annierussell.com	Contact one of the co-chairs for upcoming ac- tivity details.

The following Interest Groups are part of the UWC, but currently do not have openings:

Interest Group	Chair(s)
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall
Book Group Small— Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper
French Conversation	Dot Thompson, Ruth Stern
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth

To start a new interest group requires at least **five members and a chairperson**.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

UWC Boulder Membership Form - 2015-16

Welcome! 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 and check if it is an update.

MESSAGES will be emailed to our membership.

The UWC membership year runs from June 1 to May 31.

Nancy Sheffield, Membership Chair
303-447-8016
uwcmembershipchair@gmail.com

Kathy Terrill, New Member Chair
303-530-9438
wakaterrill@ecentral.com

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email address for newsletter _____

(please print clearly)

☐ new email address

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

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

☐ \$25

☐ \$50

☐ \$100

☐ Other \$ _____

☐ I am enclosing this tax-deductible contribution for the scholarship fund in **Honor/Memory** of:

Make all checks **payable to UWC** (may combine dues and donations; please **do not combine with luncheons**)

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

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

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

UWC Interest Groups

These are some of the current interest groups. Please see the interest group chairperson if you wish to join. (The chairpersons will be on the website, www.boulderuwc.org, and in MESSAGES.)

Bicycling	Italian Conversation	Snowshoeing
Book Groups	Music	Spanish Conversation
Bridge	Needlecraft	Sunday Afternoon at the Movies
French Conversation	On the Road Again	Theater Goers
Gardening	Out to Lunch	
Hiking	Readers' Theater	

For other interest group suggestions please contact Nancy Liggett, neliggett@gmail.com. Please see updated list of interest groups on pages 7 and 8.

UWC SCHOLARSHIP DONATION FORM



I am enclosing a tax-deductible donation to UWC Scholarships for non-traditional students to help them in their quest for a first-time bachelor's degree at CU Boulder. (Please *print* information below).

DONOR Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

email: _____

Amount of donation: \$ _____

Please make check payable to UWC.

Thank you so much for your support.

Mail this form and your check to:

**UWC Scholarships
P.O. Box 18844
Boulder, CO 80308-1844**

(Optional)

This donation is ☐ In Honor of ☐ In Memory of

Name of person or family: _____

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City, State, Zip: _____

Registration Form for UWC Lecture Luncheons

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (**\$22 per luncheon per person**) for the following luncheon(s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the scholarship fund. Guests are always welcome to attend for the same price as members.

UWC Member Name: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Number of reservations	If bringing a guest, name of guest	Date/ Location	Speaker/Topic
		02/09/16 UMC Cen- ter Ball- room	Beth Klein How Kindness Ends Human Traf- ficking
		03/08/16 UMC Cen- ter Ball- room	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

The main dish for February's Lecture Luncheon is Rocky Mountain Boneless Trout sautéed in butter. This is gluten-free. March's main dish is Honey Chipotle Chicken. It is both gluten-free and dairy-free.

***Special Diet Meal* needed (gluten-free, vegetarian, dairy-free); please specify type and for whom.**

Lecture Luncheon checks are due one week before each luncheon. Please make check payable to UWC. Note February Lecture Luncheon due date for checks is **February 2**.

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

**Janet Kern
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Broomfield, CO 80020**



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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 University and/or the Boulder community

(please use additional paper if needed) _____

Nominator/Submitted by _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ **(work)** _____

Email _____

Please mail nomination information to Jane Massie, 178 S. Buchanan Avenue, Louisville, CO 80027 by March 1, 2016, or email to sjanemassie@me.com.

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Questions: Contact Virginia at vstringi@comcast.net or 303-955-1860

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Guest name(s) _____

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presents the 59th Annual
Spring Scholarship Luncheon

Oh, the Places You'll Go!

Tuesday, April 19, 2016
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Road



★ Fashion Show
by Chico's

★ 2016 Scholarship
Recipients

Checks payable to UWC. Please observe the RSVP deadline of Tuesday, April 12, 2016 (reservations necessary).
Mail to: UWC c/o Karen Johnson, 2724 N. Torreys Peak Drive, Superior, CO 80027, Karen.Johnson@colorado.edu

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Guest Name(s) _____

_____ luncheons @ \$40 = _____ (Includes a tax deductible donation of \$10 to the UWC scholarship fund)

Additional Donation: _____ \$100 _____ \$50 _____ \$25 _____ Other _____

Total Enclosed _____

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

_____ Chicken (Name _____)

_____ Vegetable Entree (Name _____)

_____ Dietary restrictions (identify _____)

(Name _____)

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Lecture Luncheon - March 8, 2016

Bees' Needs and Our Environment

Dr. Alexandra Rose

Tuesday, March 8, 2016; 11:30 a.m.

University Memorial Center, Glenn Miller Center Ballroom



Dr. Alexandra Rose is the Citizen Scientist Coordinator at the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History. She has a PhD in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology from the University of California Santa Cruz.

She works for CU Science Discovery, a program focused on K-12 science education. Dr. Rose is also the Director of Education and Outreach for the Niwot Ridge Long-Term Ecological Research program at the Mountain Research Station, Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research (INSTAAR), University of Colorado, near Nederland.



As you may know, in recent years, the popular media in the U.S. has been buzzing with news of mysteriously disappearing native bee populations and Western honey bees. These bees are responsible for pollinating over 75% of fruits, nuts, and vegetables grown the U.S.



Dr. Rose is excited about (and having fun) working alongside The Bees' Needs participants, a group of 500 individuals and families across the northern Front Range of Colorado, collecting bees' nesting blocks which provide information concerning the disappearance of these bees.

Who knows? Maybe some of you will want to become a volunteer with Bees' Needs. [Click here to watch a 5-minute YouTube video about this project.](#)

GUESTS ARE WELCOME (as usual) to attend this informative and important Lecture Luncheon. You will find the reservation form on page 12.

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Lecture Luncheon payment must be **RECEIVED**
NO LATER than **March 1.**

Please send payment of \$22 or questions to Janet Kern, 2725 Overlook Drive, Broomfield, CO 80020,
(wolfkern2725@gmail.com), 720-887-3417.

Special lunches are available and must be requested in advance:
Please see reservation form on page 12.

President's Message



Spring is upon us even though March is typically our snowiest month averaging nearly 18 inches (20% of our snowfall)..but the crocuses start peaking through.

Our February speaker, Beth Klein, delivered a very important message to our membership about Human Trafficking and "At Risk" women and youth in Colorado, the U.S. and world at large. She has devoted her life and her law practice to helping those swept up in this web. She argued a very strong case of what a difference kindness can make in the lives of people with whom we have contact and for whom we can serve as an example.

For information on the **Attention Homes** (rather than "Detention" Homes), effort in Boulder and Longmont, please visit their website at: <http://attentionhomes.org>.

Our March 8 Lecture Luncheon will continue in the Glenn Miller Ballroom of the University Memorial Center. Reservations are due by March 1. Dr. Alexandra Rose will address *Bees' Needs and our Environment*".

I am pleased to report that the University of Colorado Help Desk has assisted our members with CU email addresses to successfully make the transition to the new University servers. In earlier days of the Internet having a CU email address was an advantage when fewer email hosts were available. We will continue to assist those members who already have email addresses, but will not likely continue the practice of seeking new CU email addresses since there is very little demand for this service among our new members.

We are trying a new section in the newsletter this month featuring "Service Opportunities" and "Community Interest" items for our members. Please check it out on page 8.

I was privileged along with Becky Palmer and Karon Johnson, to attend CU's Scholarship Luncheon on January 31 and to sit with two current UWC scholarship recipients:

- Corwin Sheahan is studying Aerospace Engineering and still has at least another year and a half to go. He had a successful paid part-time position programming with a Boulder software company last semester.
- Brandon Heald is studying Environment Architecture with an emphasis and interest in Public Health facilitations and accommodation of LGBTQ populations.

All recipients expressed their appreciation for the assistance that UWC has offered to them. In addition we received this thank you email from Christian Elier Ortiz Torres (a 2014 winner): "As a scholarship recipient I am thankful for the opportunity to continue with my education with the help of this scholarship. The motivation from this scholarship award allowed me to complete my degree in Aerospace Engineering. I am very excited of this accomplishment and I (started) a career with Boeing as a systems engineer in Oklahoma City this December."

Thank you sincerely to our members for their generous donations to our Scholarship fund. Please come meet our new recipients at the April 19 Scholarship Luncheon. Reservations are due by April 12.

Diana King

President 2015-16



Corwin Sheahan



Brandon Heald

2015 recipients:

Photos from Lecture Luncheon February 2016



Beth Klein



Red Velvet Cake



In the lovely Glenn Miller Ballroom, set with a Valentine theme, a large crowd listened intently to Beth Klein speaking about Human Trafficking and how kindness can change the lives of those trapped in such circumstances.



Colorful (and tasty) meal.

Nominating Committee Candidates

The UWC Executive Board has approved the Nominating Committee recommendations for the University Women's Club elected offices to be voted on at the March 8 Lecture Luncheon:

Frieda Holley: President-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as President in 2017-18)

Frieda has been a member of UWC for 8 years. Three of these years she was a Board member, serving as Chair of the Scholarship Committee. She also served previously on the Scholarship Committee.

She is co-chair of the Hiking Group and is also a member of the Garden Group.

Arlene Gerwin: Treasurer-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as Treasurer in 2017-18)

Arlene has been active in UWC for 6 years. She has served on the Scholarship Luncheon committee and the Board - first as *MESSAGES* editor (1 year) and then Treasurer (current position.)

She will continue as Treasurer in the 2016-17 year, as she is the current Treasurer-Elect.

She belongs to the Spanish Conversation, Easy Riders, and Snowshoeing groups and last year organized the Downhill Ski group.

Kathleen Newton: Secretary-Elect 2016-17 (to serve as Secretary in 2017-18)

Kathleen is in her third year of membership in UWC. She has served on the Board as editor of *MESSAGES* (1 year) and as historian (current position.) She participates, or has participated, in the Sunday at the Movies Group (co-chair), Evening Book Club, the Third Monday Book Group, and Theater Goers groups.

The election will be held at a General Meeting at the March 8th UWC Lecture Luncheon to be held at the University Memorial Center, Glenn Miller Ballroom.

Nominations can be made from the floor or sent in advance to Janet Brewer <dtbjhb@aol.com> with the nominee's consent.



Frieda Holley



Arlene Gerwin



Kathleen Newton

Interest Groups News and Photos

Our many varied Interest Groups provide extra opportunities for our members to enjoy their time together.

The list of such groups can be found on subsequent pages of this newsletter.

To form a new group requires a volunteer chairperson and at least 5 members. Please contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) if you have such a group in mind.

Readers' Theatre 2

Readers' Theatre 2 has been active (tee hee "act" ive) since 2008. We meet monthly to read plays together, taking parts, and occasionally using a few props. We don't rehearse and usually the reading is done "cold," i.e., without pre-reading. We've changed our format this year so that we are reading shorter plays, many as short as six or seven minutes, others as long as a typical one act play. We read one to five plays each meeting, and have plenty of time to socialize and to discuss the plays we read.

We gather at 6:30 on the first or second Monday evening of the month and, through the sponsorship of Rosemary Cooke, one of our founding members, we are able to meet at her residence, Presbyterian Manor Senior.

If you enjoy reading aloud, are tolerant of first-time-through errors, and enjoy a good laugh, sometimes at your own expense, you might like to join us. Contact Patty Ludke (pattycake.21@juno.com 303 440 9590) or Kathy Randall (katherineran@gmail.com 303 530 1095), co-chairs, if you'd like further information.



Snowshoeing

The Snowshoeing Group gets together every 3-4 weeks on a Thursday. This year we have visited the Caribou Ranch Open Space and lately hiked Coot Lake Trail, after our recent heavy snow. Other destinations include Brainard Lake snowshoe trail, Hessie Trail near Eldora, and Peaceful Valley.



We gather at the parking garage east of Macy's and car pool to our destination. We snowshoe at a moderate pace with frequent rest/water stops. The total time is from 2-2 1/2 hours and then we usually go out for lunch before returning home. We welcome anyone who is interested in enjoying our beautiful Colorado winter weather! Contact Mary Greenwald at m.b.greenwald@comcast.net or telephone 303-443-6478 if you need more information.



Interest Groups Photos—Continued

In January the **Theater Goers** braved the cold weather for dinner at Turley's Kitchen and the Diavolo Performance at Macky Auditorium.



The **Book Group Third Monday** is full at this time. This is the group from January's meeting.



To start another book (or any new Interest Group) group, see "Interest Groups" on page 10.

Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 19, 2016



Please join us in celebrating our 2016 scholarship winners on April 19 at the Boulder Country Club! We'll learn about their many accomplishments (*the places they've been*) and hear about their future plans (*the places they'll go*). Each scholar will be awarded a monetary gift that will assist them in fulfilling their goals and dreams. This is all made possible by your generous contributions!

In addition to meeting our scholars, we will be treated to a three-course lunch, enjoy conversation with old and new-found friends, and be introduced to the latest spring fashions provided by **Chico's....**the perfect formula for a delightful event! Please see 13 for the Registration Form which is due by **April 12**.

Scholarship Winners from April 2015



Scholarship Donors (since last MESSAGES)

Sue Collard

Lucy Meret

Beth Roser

Many Thanks to all who have donated to the Scholarship Program for 2015-16.

Honors Reception—May 10, 2016

The Honors Reception will be held on **May 10, 2016**, in the tent outside the University Memorial Center.

The Margaret Willard Awardee will be presented, the new UWC President will be handed the gavel, roses will be given to past Margaret Willard awardees, past Presidents, and past Presidents' awardees.

Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. This is a **FREE** social activity for UWC members. Questions can be directed to Rita Riis, 303-818-6547, rita.riis@me.com.

Tell Me More... About Dr. Patty Limerick

At our Lecture Luncheon of February 2015, Dr. Patty Limerick, Professor of History at CU and the co-founder, Faculty Director, and Chair of the Board of the Center for the American West at CU, presented to us some of her adventures while touring the state to present a balanced understanding on the subject of fracking, "FrackingSENSE: The Adventures of a Historian in a Tense Terrain." She has dedicated her career to bridging the gap between academics and the general public and to demonstrating the benefits of applying historical perspective to contemporary dilemmas and conflicts.



Already admired and credited with multiple awards and tributes, Patty Limerick has recently been granted two additional honors.

In January, the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) appointed Dr. Limerick to its advisory board, the National Council on the Humanities. Nominated by President Obama and confirmed by the US Senate, she joins just 25 other members to make recommendations on grant applications. NEH grants, totaling \$120-\$130 million annually, typically go to cultural institutions, such as museums, archives, libraries, colleges, universities, public television and radio stations, and to individual scholars.

Regarding her appointment Patty Limerick said, "...this appointment to the National Council for the Humanities gives me a chance ... to cheer for the under-utilized power of the humanities to benefit the nation and the world. This is a cause I have believed in since the bookcases of my hometown public library provided my habitat of preference..." [See her full letter by clicking here.](#)

Also in January, Governor Hickenlooper named Dr. Limerick as the new Colorado State Historian. The appointment strengthens the collaborative partnership between CU and History Colorado, the state agency that runs its major museums and maintains its archives.



On the History Colorado website, Patty Limerick has asked for input from interested residents of Colorado. She writes in an open letter to Colorado friends, "As I begin my term, I ask for your help... Is there a particular story about an event, a place, a person, or anything else, that you believe would anchor a compelling museum exhibit? Is there a topic that you believe our state history museum should engage, puzzle over, and call to the attention of the state's residents and visitors? Is there a particular physical object or a group of objects in our collection that you think should be displayed? "

"Please share your ideas for History Colorado's future exhibits by filling out the form we have set up at www.historycolorado.org/colorados-story-form ... Please share your ideas by February 29. Since we are hoping for a great cascade of suggestions, we shouldn't give the impression that every idea you have is on its way to a display case. But the suggestions we receive will give us our GPS system, as we map our way into the future of History Colorado's museums around the state."

If you have suggestions for our State Historian, please submit them by February 29.

Congratulations to Dr. Patty Limerick.

Service Opportunities and Community Interest

This is a new section of *MESSAGES* where we will occasionally list information that we have received related to Service Opportunities for our members or items that may be of Community Interest. Items in this section will not include solicitation of donations. Questions and comments about this section or future items that would be of particular interest to our membership can be sent to our UWC email address: boulderuwc@gmail.com

MESA (*Moving to End Sexual Assault*) is looking for volunteers to serve as Advocate Counselors. Volunteers must complete a 40-hour training session. MESA advocate counselors accompany survivors of sexual assault to the hospital, police department, or wherever needed.

Website: www.movingtoendsexualassault.org ,

Email: info@movingtoendsexualassault.org or Volunteer Coordinator: gosia@movingtoendsexualassault.org

HOMEWORK CLUB for Whittier International Elementary:

Volunteers one or two days a week to help students in the 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades are needed in school, 2:45-3:45 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays to get help in Math, Reading, and Writing. A licensed teacher runs the club, so volunteers do not need to plan anything or manage the students.

The current session runs until March 16 and then continues March 29-May 10. Volunteers would need to pass a background check. If interested, please contact: Lauren Hager (FRS Assistant at Whittier International Elementary School) Email: hagerL@bouldercolorado.gov or phone: 720-561-2463 Her hours are Monday-Thursday 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

UWC Lecture Luncheon Volunteers

RIDES: Some of our members occasionally need a ride to our Lecture Luncheons. If you are interested in offering a ride, please let us know by emailing boulderuwc@gmail.org If you are in need of a ride, please let us know as well. We'll see if we can match up needs with offers.

GREETERS: At each Lecture Luncheon we have several people who serve to greet new guests at our Lecture Luncheons. If you would like to serve as a greeter, please let Janet Kern, our Hospitality Chair know. Email: wolfkern2725@gmail.com Phone: 720-887-3417

Boulder Friends of International Students

Boulder Friends of International Students is seeking locals to participate in the 2016-2017 academic year. The program is operated by University of Colorado and matches international students with local families as a way to ease their transition to the United States. It is a great way to make a positive impact and learn about a new culture.



Participating families include people of all ages, single-person households, and couples with and without children. All family structures are welcome. Since students don't actually live with the families the time commitment is quite low. We only expect that families and students get together at least once a month.

Students and families are matched based on common interests so it's easy to find things to do together. We also host a lot of social events which are open to all BFIS participants and anyone interested in joining.

For more information please contact Sam Cosgrove. Email: sam.cosgrove@colorado.edu Work: 303-735-7687

Website: <http://www.colorado.edu/oie/clubs-activities/bfis>

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	Feb. 23: <i>The Mathematician's Shiva</i> by Stuart Rojstaczer/ Mar. 22: <i>Isabela: The Warrior Queen</i> by Kirsten Downey. Books available at Boulder Bookstore. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	Mar. 10: <i>All the Light We Cannot See</i> by Anthony Doerr. Hostess: Helen Goldman (303-443-4963, hgoldman@colorado.edu). Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore.
Book Group – Classics Plus	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net	Contact chair for details.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
French Conversation - All Speaking Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All levels of French speaking ability accepted and welcome.
Garden Group Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Contact chair for details. Group is on hiatus until April 2016.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. We plan to meet on March 22 at noon at Per La Gente, 1724 Broadway. Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Meeting Room at Presbyterian Manor Senior	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com Annie Russell (303-786-8070) annie@annierussell.com	Contact one of the co-chairs for upcoming activity details.

The following Interest Groups are part of the UWC, but currently do not have openings:

Interest Group	Chair(s)
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall
Book Group Small— Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett
Book Group – Third Monday	Helen Hooper
French Conversation	Dot Thompson, Ruth Stern
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth

To start a new interest group requires at least **five members and a chairperson**.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

UWC SCHOLARSHIP DONATION FORM



I am enclosing a tax-deductible donation to UWC Scholarships for non-traditional students to help them in their quest for a first-time bachelor's degree at CU Boulder. (Please *print* information below).

DONOR Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

email: _____

Amount of donation: \$ _____

Please make check payable to UWC.

Thank you so much for your support.

Mail this form and your check to:

**UWC Scholarships
P.O. Box 18844
Boulder, CO 80308-1844**

(Optional)

This donation is ☐ In Honor of ☐ In Memory of

Name of person or family: _____

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Registration Form for **UWC Lecture Luncheons**

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (**\$22 per luncheon per person**) for the following luncheon(s) plus added (optional) donation of \$_____ for the scholarship fund. Guests are always welcome to attend for the same price as members.

UWC Member Name: _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Number of reservations	If bringing a guest, name of guest	Date/ Location	Speaker/Topic
		03/08/16 UMC Center Ballroom	Dr. Alexandra Rose Bees' Needs

The menu for March's Lecture Luncheon includes Farfalle Primavera and Honey Chipotle Chicken. There will not be any special vegetarian entrée. There will be some gluten-free alternatives.

***Special Diet Meal* needed (gluten-free, dairy-free); please specify type and for whom.**

Lecture Luncheon checks are due March 1. Please make check payable to UWC.

Mail check and this completed form to our Hospitality Chair:

**Janet Kern
2725 Overlook Drive
Broomfield, CO 80020**

The University Women's Club
presents the 59th Annual
Spring Scholarship Luncheon

Oh, the Places You'll Go!

Tuesday, April 19, 2016
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Road



★ Fashion Show
by Chico's

★ 2016 Scholarship
Recipients

Checks payable to UWC. Please observe the RSVP deadline of Tuesday, April 12, 2016 (reservations necessary).
Mail to: UWC c/o Karen Johnson, 2724 N. Torreys Peak Drive, Superior, CO 80027, Karen.Johnson@colorado.edu

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Guest Name(s) _____

_____ luncheons @ \$40 = _____ (Includes a tax deductible donation of \$10 to the UWC scholarship fund)

Additional Donation: _____ \$100 _____ \$50 _____ \$25 _____ Other _____

Total Enclosed _____

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

_____ Chicken (Name _____)

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Please plan to join us for the **Spring Scholarship Luncheon - April 19, 2016**



**At the Boulder Country Club
7350 Clubhouse Rd., Boulder**

**11:00 a.m. gather and mingle
11:30 a.m. lunch**

- *Meet the 2015-16 Scholarship Winners**
- *Enjoy a delicious 3-course lunch**
- *Be entertained by Chico's latest Spring fashions**

Chico's from Flatirons Mall will present the latest Spring fashions and accessories for our enjoyment. A discount coupon will also be given to each attendee.

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Scholarship Luncheon payment must be
RECEIVED NO LATER than **April 12.**

Please send payment of **\$40** (or questions) to:

Karon Johnson
2724 N. Torreys Peak Drive
Superior, CO 80027
Karon.johnson@colorado.edu
303-499-5056

**See registration form Page 10
(or on Page 11 which is in color).**

\$10 of the cost of the luncheon is donated to the UWC Scholarship Fund. If you are able, please consider adding a bit more to the UWC Scholarship Fund, given that it costs \$26,000 per academic year for a Colorado student to attend CU.

President's Message



The University of Colorado 2015-16 academic year is ending. The last day of classes is April 29.

The CU Conference on World Affairs runs April 4 to 8 and is free and open to the public.

Our UWC Lecture Luncheon Series ended in March with a fascinating and informative presentation by Dr. Alexandra Rose. We learned there are 19,500 species of bees worldwide and Boulder County has the highest variety of species in the state of Colorado (over 950). We also learned that not all bees sting and that many are single-nesters not in a hive. More information on saving bees is available at <http://beesafe.org>. You can build or buy a bee house for "single nesters" and install it in a garden, yard, field, or woods near you.

Our 2016-2017 Officers-Elect will serve their "elect" terms next year and take their offices in 2017-18. Congratulations to: President-elect Frieda Holley, Secretary-elect Kathleen Newton and Treasurer-elect Arlene Gerwin.

We have had a very high attendance at our Lecture Luncheons this year thanks to our Program Chair and her team. If you believe you would like to join this team and help us continue with high quality offerings, please contact Janet Brewer (720-562-8254, dtbjhb@aol.com) This involves help to plan five Lecture Luncheons next year (October, November, December, February, and March.) We may be looking for at least two Lecture Luncheon sites off campus next year.

April 19 is our **Scholarship Luncheon** reservations are due in hand by April 12. Please sign up early since we must make final arrangements with the catering at Boulder Country Club the week before the event. This luncheon will honor and give us an opportunity to meet our new UWC Scholarship Recipients. The Board has increased scholarship amount to \$24,000 from \$20,000 last year. This increase is possible with the combined donations of our members, budgeted monies and \$8,000 from the CU Foundation UWC's Endowment fund.

Our final membership event this year will be the **Honors Reception** on May 10. There is no charge for this event honoring our Margaret Willard Awardee and those who have contributed to make this a successful year. Advanced reservations are required. (More information coming in May *MESSAGES*).

Coming ahead *UWC Facebook*: The Board has decided to offer a University Women's Club Facebook page that may be easier to both attract new members, and engage current members. It reinforces a sense of community. It also brings us into the 21st century. This will be a way to find out more about us. According to a 2014 poll, 65% of people between 50-64 used social media; 49% ages 65 and up. For more information, please contact Mary Huffman (303-902-4842, marymhuffman@gmail.com).

May will be our last issue of *MESSAGES*. If you have **photos** to share of UWC activities this year, please email them to either our newsletter editor Joyce Spencer (jjandbobs@msn.com) and/or Historian Kathleen Newton (kathleen_n@comcast.net).



Diana King

President 2015-16

Photos from Lecture Luncheon March 2016



Dr. Alexandra Rose



Lovely flowers centerpiece on food table



Honey dessert—Baklava



Another outstanding turn-out for the Lecture Luncheon.



Dr. Alexandra Rose captured our interest about bees. She explained to us their great diversity, the way they build nests, and how we can help with research for this much-needed pollinator of our fruits and flowers. There is a need for research with which WE can help.



For more information on saving bees go to <http://beesafe.org>

Interest Groups News and Photos

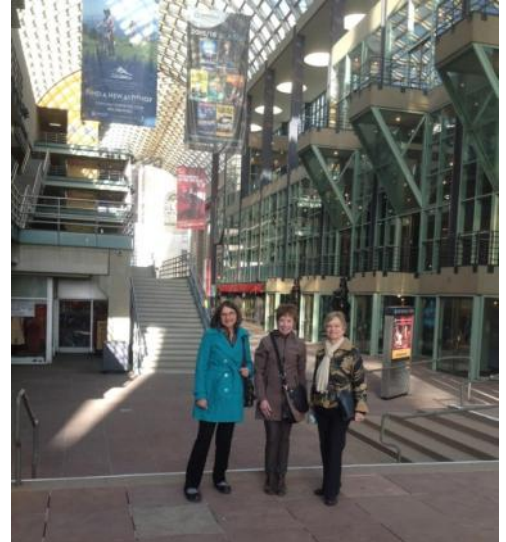
Our many varied Interest Groups provide extra opportunities for our members to enjoy their time together.

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Theater Goers

Theater Goers went to the Denver Center for the Performing Arts. On February 27 we rode to Denver on the new bus, the FlatironFlyer. We had lunch at The Limelight, and then enjoyed the Buell's presentation of *The Nest*.



Theater Goers are planning an outing on Sunday, April 10 at 2 p.m. to see **Sylvia**, a comedy by the Longmont Theater Company.

"I can only call it one of the most involving, beautiful, funny, touching and profound plays I have ever seen...." NYTimes

"Sylvia" is the doggone funniest play of the season
Larry Murray / July 17, 2011



Empty nesters Greg and Kate have moved back to Manhattan after twenty-two years in the suburbs. As Kate tells Greg: "The dog phase of my life is definitely over." But life has a way of giving you what you think you don't want. Greg finds Sylvia, a street-smart lab/poodle mix, and brings her home. She promptly becomes a bone of contention between Greg and Kate, testing their marriage to hilarious and touching effect.

We'll plan a happy hour after the play and possible carpooling for those who are planning to attend.

Gail and Annie will be in D15-16. For tickets and other information see <http://longmonttheatre.org/>

Please let Annie Russell know if you have purchased tickets so she can coordinate with everyone (303-868-7053) annie@annierussell.com.

Tell Me More... About Heart Health

At our Lecture Luncheon of November 2009, Dr Nelson Trujillo presented “How to Prevent Cardiac Death – the Number One Killer of Women”. His discussion focused on ways to keep our hearts healthy, including tips about diet, exercise, and stress. Today, heart disease remains the number one killer of women, causing one of every three deaths in women annually. Even with the best of intentions and healthful activities, some of us, or persons we love, will fall victim to this peril. **So what can we do to improve the chances of surviving a heart attack or cardiac arrest?**

First, we need to be aware that these terms are not interchangeable. **Heart attack** is a circulatory problem where a blocked artery prevents nourishment to the heart. Experts recommend the following steps to survive a heart attack:

1. Recognize the symptoms. They can be different for women and can include shortness of breath, nausea/vomiting, sweating, and back or jaw pain.
2. Call 911. Don't waste time looking up symptoms on the internet or calling your primary care physician.
3. Chew and swallow a 325 milligram aspirin and wait for the EMT. If possible, call someone to wait with you.
4. Be assertive. Tell the EMT you think you are having a heart attack. Tell the EMT the medications you take.
5. Don't feel bad if it was a false alarm. For emergency rooms to catch all heart attacks, there are going to be some situations where nothing serious is wrong.

Cardiac arrest is an “electrical” problem that disrupts the pumping action of the heart. Cardiac arrest can result from a heart attack, but there are other causes. Unless treatment occurs within minutes, the victim will die. More than 90% of cardiac arrests that occur outside a hospital result in death. Immediate cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) doubles or triples the chance of survival, and anyone can do it, even without training.

Steps to save a life:

1. Call 911 or send someone to call.
2. With the heel of your hand, push hard and fast at the center of the chest. Push 100-120 compressions per minute. Appropriately, you can do this to the disco beat of “Staying Alive”.
3. Keep going until help arrives.

With the new CPR, mouth to mouth breathing is no longer recommended, and you don't need formal training. For a person in cardiac arrest you can't possibly hurt them by trying, even if you were to break his or her rib. If you don't try, the person will die. You just might save a life.

To see a video of how to perform CPR, go here:

http://cpr.heart.org/AHA/ECC/CPRAndECC/Programs/HandsOnlyCPR/UCM_475516_CPR-Demos-and-Videos.jsp

To get further information about heart disease and symptoms of heart attack, go here

<http://www.webmd.com/heart/features/12-tips-for-better-heart-health> or www.heart.org or google “heart health”.

Service Opportunities and Community Interest

Boulder Friends of International Students

Boulder Friends of International Students is seeking locals to participate in the 2016-17 academic year. The program is operated by University of Colorado and matches international students with local families as a way to ease their transition to the United States. It is a great way to make a positive impact and learn about a new culture.



Participating families include people of all ages, single-person households, and couples with and without children. All family structures are welcome. Since students don't actually live with the families the time commitment is quite low. We only expect that families and students get together at least once a month.

Students and families are matched based on common interests so it's easy to find things to do together. We also host a lot of social events which are open to all BFIS participants and anyone interested in joining.

For more information please contact Sam Cosgrove. Email: sam.cosgrove@colorado.edu Work: 303-735-7687

Website: <http://www.colorado.edu/oie/clubs-activities/bfis>

Honors Reception—May 10, 2016

The Honors Reception will be held on **May 10, 2016, 3-5 p.m.** in the tent outside the University Memorial Center.

The Margaret Willard Awardee will be presented, the new UWC President will be handed the gavel, roses will be given to past Margaret Willard awardees, past Presidents, and past Presidents' awardees.

Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. This is a FREE social activity for UWC members. Questions can be directed to Rita Riis, 303-818-6547, rita.riis@me.com.

Registration is required, and more information about that will appear in May's *MESSAGES*.

Scholarship Winner's Gratitude



Grazina Dagte, shown here with President-Elect Janet Brewer, spoke to those assembled at the March Lecture Luncheon.

Grazina was a UWC scholarship recipient in 2013 who spoke of her gratitude to our organization for this award which helped her so much to achieve the success she now has.

Come to our April Scholarship Luncheon on April 19 to hear about this year's wonderful winners!

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	Apr. 26: <i>The Girl at the Lion d'Or</i> by Sebastian Faulks. Books available at Boulder Bookstore. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	Apr 14: <i>Empty Mansions</i> by Bill Dedman. Hostess Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779, hslynch@comcast.net). Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
French Conversation - All Speaking Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All levels of French speaking ability accepted and welcome.
Garden Group Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raji@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) Ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Planning meeting at home of Jyotsna Raj, 863 14th Street, Boulder at 11 a.m. on Wed., April 27. Pot luck lunch to follow meeting. Please RSVP to both chairs if you plan to attend.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	Meeting dates provided by email. We plan to meet April 20 12 noon at 740 Front Street in Louisville Please contact a chairperson.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Meeting Room at Presbyterian Manor Senior	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com Annie Russell (303-786-8070) annie@annierussell.com	Contact one of the co-chairs for upcoming activity details.

The following Interest Groups are part of the UWC, but currently do not have openings:

Interest Group	Chair(s)
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall
Book Group Small— Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett
Book Group – Second Monday	Helen Hooper
French Conversation	Dot Thompson, Ruth Stern
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth

To start a new interest group requires at least **five members and a chairperson**.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

UWC SCHOLARSHIP DONATION FORM



I am enclosing a tax-deductible donation to UWC Scholarships for non-traditional students to help them in their quest for a first-time bachelor's degree at CU Boulder. (Please *print* information below).

DONOR Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

email: _____

Amount of donation: \$ _____

Please make check payable to UWC.

Thank you so much for your support.

Mail this form and your check to:

UWC Scholarships

P.O. Box 18844

Boulder, CO 80308-1844

(Optional)

This donation is ☐ In Honor of ☐ In Memory of

Name of person or family: _____

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City, State, Zip: _____

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Boulder Country Club
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by Chico's

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Mail to: UWC c/o Karon Johnson, 2724 N. Torreys Peak Drive, Superior, CO 80027. Karon.Johnson@colorado.edu
(Note: Chicken Dish is Gluten-Free)

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Guest Name(s) _____

_____ luncheons @ \$40 = _____ (Includes a tax deductible donation of \$10 to the UWC scholarship fund)

Additional Donation: _____ \$100 _____ \$50 _____ \$25 _____ Other

Total Enclosed _____

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

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2015-16 Calendar

September	1	Board Meeting
	8	Membership Coffee
	10	MESSGES deadline
October	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
November	1	New Member Wine & Cheese
	3	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Reception
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

Executive Board 2015-16

President	Diana King
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Interest Groups	Nancy Liggett
Margaret Willard Award	Jane Massie
Membership	Nancy Sheffield
New Members	Kathy Terrill
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Opera Brunch	Virginia Stringi
Program Chair	Patty Ludke
Scholarship Commit- tee	Becky Palmer
Scholarship Luncheon	Tamera Van Spriell Linda Norberg
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The Honors Reception

Tuesday May 10, 2016

In the Tent on the Patio of the University Memorial Center

Meet the recipient of the Margaret Willard Award



Please RSVP for the honors reception by April 24.

The reception is free but we need to have an accurate count for the food order.

RSVP to Rita Riis
rtariis@yahoo.com

Also see reservation form on **Page 15**.

This is the last issue of MESSAGES until September.

Enjoy your summer and plan to join us again next Fall.

We are pleased to announce that the recipient of the 2016 Margaret Willard Award is Lorrie Shepard, Distinguished Professor and Dean of the University of Colorado School of Education. Lorrie was nominated by Karon Johnson. See <http://www.colorado.edu/education/sites/default/files/attached-files/Spring2016newsletterfinal.pdf>

One can trace the path of Dr. Shepard through the School of Education and see the parallel growth and recognition of the institution in academic circles. Dr. Shepard earned a MA in Counseling, and PhD in Research and Evaluation Methodology at CU. After graduation and working for the California Department of Education, Lorrie joined the faculty of the School of Education. She has been Chair of Research and Evaluation Methodology from 1975 to the present, the Director of Graduate Studies, and is Dean of the School of Education. *US News and World Reports* 2016 ranks the School of Education 28th and the graduate program, Education Policy, 10th in the nation.



Lorrie Shepard

Lorrie has led the effort to bring top research and teaching faculty to the school. Under her leadership, exemplary programs are improving K-12 education and teacher training in local schools. The faculty scholarly productivity is ranked 10th. The number of grants has increased. She has secured funding for faculty and student research, allowing graduate students to study full time. STEM has increased cooperation with other departments. Partnerships with pre-K to 12 local schools have been strengthened, utilizing master teachers and graduate students in undergrad teacher education. Other community partnerships include CU Engage and the BUENO Center.

Lorrie has been president and received awards from the major education groups including AERA, NCME, ETS, AACTE. She has conducted extensive large-scale studies on learning disabilities, grade retention, kindergarten screening and teacher testing, and use/misuse of tests in educational settings. Most recently her research studies have addressed use of classroom assessment to support teaching and learning.

Lorrie is a role model for students and faculty, professionally and personally. She leads through example, encouragement, and being part of a working group. Faculty and students are enabled to do their best and to improve research, teaching, and learning.

President's Message



Looking back at this year, we have had some of the largest attendance at our Lecture Luncheons in any recent history with an average attendance of nearly 130. A few years ago it was closer to 80. Our speakers have been outstanding. We continue to be fortunate to have access to such talent at the University and in our community. We very much appreciate their willingness to share with our community, and we have a special round of thanks to our Lecture Luncheon Committee: Patty Ludke, Kathy Randall, and Linda Groth for their efforts along with Hospitality Chair, Janet Kern.

Some of our initiatives this year have included the recent launch of a UWC Facebook page, an increase to our scholarship fund, and a page in our newsletter to share opportunities of community interest and service.

The Opera Brunch this year ended up with a smaller than usual attendance. Those who attended the brunch were treated to an enjoyable and informative presentation by maestro Nicholas Carthy. Thank you, Virginia Stringi, for all your work in making these arrangements.

Under direction of Becky Palmer the Scholarship Committee has made their selection of four women and one man to each receive \$4,800 for a total of \$24,000 in scholarship funding for the 2016-17 academic year. Thank you to Becky and committee members: Merry Bullock, Diana Maiden, Janet Evans, Janet Freeman, and Pat Thompson.

The Scholarship luncheon was held on April 19 at the Boulder Country Club to announce and celebrate their selections. The luncheon was a success due to the efforts of Linda Nordberg and Tamera Van Spriell.

Our final general membership event of the year will be the Honors Reception on May 10th. Our Margaret Willard awardee has been selected and notified, and has accepted with pleasure. Please see the article on page 1 and make your RSVP for this event. Members are encouraged to celebrate together. There is no cost to attend.

All year our Board members and Coordinators of our 24 interest groups have continued to help our club activities run smoothly. We've enjoyed each other's company and given support to the University community through generous donations of our members. Thank you, for your contributions and active participation.

On May 17, the out-going and incoming Boards will meet to "pass the gavel" and plan for the year ahead. It's been a pleasure for me to serve this year.

Diana King

President 2015-16



UWC Board Members at board meeting April 2016

Photos from the April Scholarship Luncheon



Co-Chairs Tamera VanSpriell
and Linda Nordberg



Fashions were from Chico's
at Flatirons who provided
coupons for everyone and
prizes for some lucky ones.



Peter Divine at piano



The meal was delicious.



Lovely centerpieces.



The Boulder Country Club was the setting
for the Scholarship Luncheon.
Our members and guests filled the room.



Cece Cotton



Carol Etges



Carol Green



Mary Huffman



Janet Kern



Diana Maiden

Our Models were lovely.

Kudos and THANKS to the Scholarship Luncheon committee: Karon Johnson, Lois Kraft, Gloria Phillips, Joan Podgorski, and Carol Ziegenhagen, and to the co-chairs Tamera and Linda (shown above)

Scholarship Winners 2016

The Scholarship Committee is proud to announce the following winners for this year's scholarship awards (totaling \$24,000). **THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR DONATIONS** to this exciting group of donors for this amazing group of recipients..

Jessica Albarian

Many women and girls feel isolated and without role models when they discover an interest in high tech areas – indeed, the percentage of women in high tech is at its lowest since the 1980's. Jessica Albarian is working to change that by helping empower girls and women to participate in technology and engineering interests, education and careers. The goal of her involvement – in extracurricular activities to teach app development, in co-founding a 24-hour, grassroots women's "Hackathon" to promote technology and give women a voice, and in her tutoring – is to educate, inspire and make a difference.

Julianna Bourgeois

Julianna Bourgeois loves science, particularly physics, and experienced a childhood filled with art and poetry. Though her family economics were difficult, her mother's creativity immersed her in art and literature while her inner scientist waited to bloom. On her own at an early age, she has had a circuitous path to higher education after years of service jobs. Realizing that her service jobs offered little for her future she enrolled at Red Rocks Community College and throughout her ensuing work and educational achievement, she has demonstrated her sense of a "larger obligation" to contribute to a sustainable, ecologically sound society. Her academic achievement at Red Rocks and her creative promotion of STEM students led to a Jack Kent Cook scholarship that enabled her to transfer to CU as an engineering and physics major. Thanks to the UWC scholarship Julianna can finish her undergraduate degree and focus on graduate school, hopefully at CU.

Brooks Christensen

Having lived in ten different states and attending three different colleges by the age of 24, Brooks was on an odyssey that he didn't fully understand. Fortunately, his epiphany came through a doctor who diagnosed his significant thyroid disorder. Subsequent treatment allowed him to become the strong and fully capable young man he is today. Brooks is an aspiring physicist who strives to make a difference in the world. His leadership in student government at his community college helped pass a \$15M referendum to fund a new recreation center while becoming a Level III certified math and physics tutor and maintaining a 4.0 GPA. He understands and firmly believes that with power comes responsibility. From dressing up as the school mascot to conducting physics research for publication, Brooks has shown that his journey continues toward his goals of being a positive force in his community.

Emily Hayden

University of Colorado Dean's List and Colorado Mountain College President's List recipient, Emily Hayden, is no stranger to honors for her academic achievement. But when Emily initially transferred into CU's Physics program, she had to overcome the difficult transition from a small community college into a major university environment. She found success at CU with help from a mentoring program called CU Prime. CU Prime is a student-driven effort led by Physics department graduate and undergraduate students to increase inclusion in Physics/STEM fields through mentorship and community building. Now Emily "pays it forward" by mentoring other students who might also be struggling with the shift from a small college environment into a major university. Thanks to CU Prime, peers and advisors, Emily looks forward to her second year at CU, an exciting biophysics research position at Hough Lab and an excellent GPA.

Myrlinda Huff

From a young age, Myrlinda was a successful student, confident and happy. However, in her sophomore year in high school, a close friend died from osteosarcoma. Myrlinda's sadness spiraled into clinical depression. By the time she finished high school, she had gained weight and lost her academic focus. After four years, life finally began to look hopeful. Myrlinda committed to exercise and a healthy diet, lost weight and became an avid cyclist and hiker, who will run her first 10K at the BolderBoulder next month. Myrlinda returned to school and while taking a biology course, she learned about nutritional genomics, a relatively new study of dietary influences on genetic expression and suppression. She fell in love with the subject. Subsequently, she graduated with an Associate Degree and as valedictorian of her class from her community college with several other honors. She expects to graduate from CU in 2017 with a degree in biological sciences with a focus on nutritional genomics.

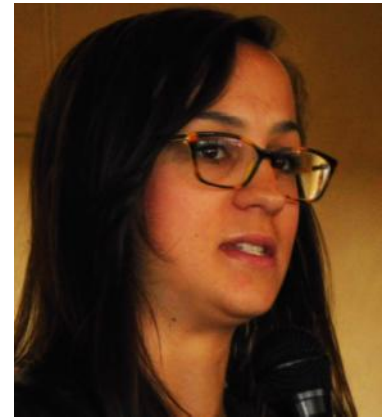
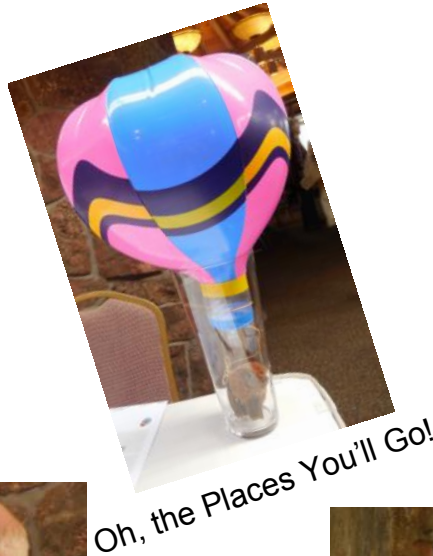
THANK YOU ALL for your donations to these wonderful winners of our scholarships.



Scholarship Winners and Committee



Jessica Albarian



Emily Hayden



Brooks Christensen



Myrlinda Huff



Scholarship Awardees
plus Julianna Borgeois not pictured



Winners and Scholarship Committee members Janet Freeman, Janet Evans, Merry Bullock, Pat Thompson, and Becky Palmer—Chair.

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To form a new group requires a volunteer chairperson and at least 5 members. Please contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) if you have such a group in mind.

Theater Goers

Theater Goers went to the Longmont Theater on April 9 to see *Sylvia*. In the group were Sharon Gabrielle, Mary Headley, Mary Greenwald, Gail Moyes, Annie Russell, Margaret Riddle, Nancy Liggett, Joyce Spencer, and (not shown) Bob Spencer and Marilyn Whittaker.

After the delightful performance the group went to *Samples World Bistro* for a “happy hour.”



Music Group

The Music Group has been meeting monthly for almost fifty years. Traditionally in March our musicians do a community outreach by going to two senior living centers to present a musical program to the residents. This March we went to Frasier Meadows and Brookdale, North Boulder. Two of our members who have been active since the very beginning were part of the program. Jane Byers sang and Jean Wainwright played the Marimba. (by Pat Phillipson)



Jane Byers and Jean Wainwright



Jean Wainwright performing on the marimba

Interest Groups News and Photos - Continued

Out to Lunch Bunch



The ladies who love to lunch together met at a restaurant in the North Broadway shopping center for lunch.

This group meets during the summer. See Interest Groups for more information.

Photos from the Opera Brunch

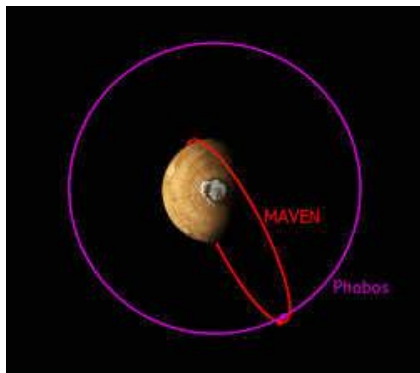


The Dialogues of the Carmelites Opera was held in Macky Auditorium on a lovely sunny day. A brunch was held in the Aspen Room at UMC.

Maestro Carthy gave an introduction to the opera, with some special notes, such as the watermelon incident at one performance (not at CU) where the chopping of a watermelon (sound effect at a beheading) flew into the audience! You need to be at the brunch to get such insights.



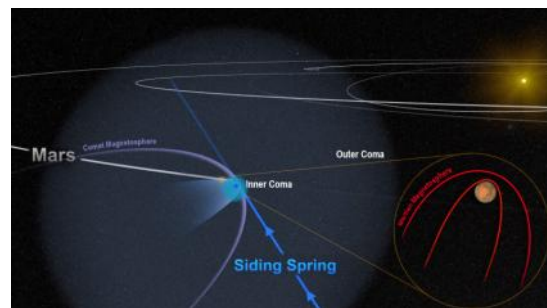
Tell Me More... About the MAVEN mission



At our Lecture Luncheon in October 2015, Dr. Bruce Jakosky fascinated us with the adventure of the MAVEN spacecraft which had just completed its first year in orbit and second year in space, a culmination of the previous decade of effort and planning. For those who missed the lecture, see a short summary video at <http://mars.nasa.gov/maven/>. Scroll down the page and click on “Investigating the Martian Atmosphere”. On the website you’ll find a lot of other neat stuff, including coloring pages for the grandkids.

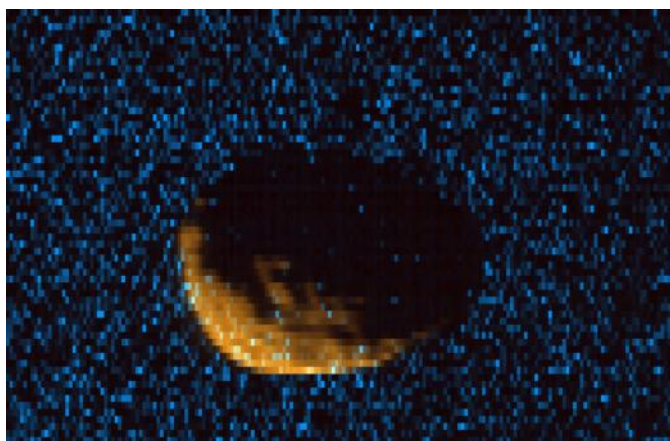
Because of the great success of its primary mission, the year of orbit that began 10 months after MAVEN was launched at Cape Canaveral and included five “deep dip campaigns” and a close encounter with the comet Siding Spring, NASA approved MAVEN for an extended mission of additional science operations. If all continues to go as hoped, MAVEN has plenty of fuel to continue 29 additional months in its original orbit pattern after which it could operate for another six years, performing a combination of science operations and Rover communications relay in orbit at a further distance from Mars in order to delay its final demise.

The close encounter with Siding Spring gave scientists a bird’s eye view of the havoc wreaked on Mars as the comet streaked by only 87,000 miles from the planet (this is “only” in astronomical terms!). The MAVEN team believes “the encounter blew away part of Mars’ upper atmosphere, much like a strong solar storm would.” Mars’ magnetic field was in complete chaos. “With MAVEN, we’re trying to understand how the sun and solar wind interact with Mars. By looking at how the magnetosphere of the comet and Mars interact with each other, we’re getting a better understanding of the detailed processes that control each one,” said Bruce Jakosky.



Toward the end of 2015, MAVEN made several passes within 300 miles of the Mars’ moon Phobos. The spectral images collected in the flybys may allow MAVEN scientists to determine the composition of Phobos, whose origin is unknown. It may help them determine if Phobos is a captured asteroid or was formed in orbit around Mars. The data will also help them look for organic molecules on the surface.

Read more about the amazing MAVEN Mission on the NASA website noted above and on the CU MAVEN site <http://lasp.colorado.edu/home/maven/>



Phobos as observed by MAVEN's Imaging Ultraviolet Spectrograph.
Credit: NASA/CU/LASP

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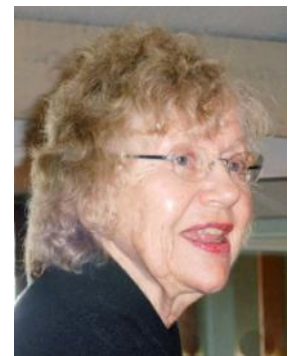
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Missing from photos—Nancy Sheffield



To match photos with Board positions, please see page 16, Executive Board.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
Bicycling Meets every Thursday from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Bicycling – Easy Riders Wednesdays from May through October.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	An email prior to the ride will provide time and meeting place. Please contact the chair for more information.
Book Group – Afternoon 2:00 p.m. Fourth Tuesday, members' homes	Ami Sadler (303-938-8406) amisadler@earthlink.net Mary Anna Dunn (303-530-0184) dunn.maryanna@gmail.com	May 24: <i>My Brilliant Friend</i> by Elena Ferrante. Books available at Boulder Bookstore. Contact chairs for details.
Book Group - Evening 7:15 p.m. Second Thursday, members' homes.	Virginia Stringi (303-955-1860) vstringi@comcast.net Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128) Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu	May 12: <i>Mink River</i> by Brian Doyle. Hostess Kathy Randall (303-530-1095, kath-erineran@gmail.com). Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. This is the last meeting until September 2016.
Bridge on Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. First Wednesday, members' homes.	Barbara Turner (303-471-9778) Barbara-Turner@centurylink.net Sharon Gabriel (303-494-7643) skgabriel@comcast.net	Contact chairs for details.
French Conversation - All Speaking Levels 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.—noon at Panera Bread in the 29th Street Mall	Gisele Berzins (303-408-0366) gigiberzins@gmail.com	Please contact chair for details. All levels of French speaking ability accepted and welcome.
Garden Group Usually meets third Wednesdays from April to October.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) Jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Karon Johnson (303-499-5056) Karon.Johnson@Colorado.edu	Planning to meet on May 18. Details TBD. Please contact co-chairs for information.
Hiking Every Friday Meet east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage.	Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779) hslynch@comcast.net Frieda Holley (303-499-3733) holleyf@msudenver.edu	This year-round group meets at 9:00 a.m., September to May and at 8:30 a.m., June to August.
Italian Conversation 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. Every Wednesday The "Y," 2850 Mapleton Avenue	Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619) maxene@earthlink.net	Contact chair for details.
Music Time varies Second Mondays of most months, in members' homes.	Judy Owens (303-494-0196) owensj4@mac.com Pat Phillipson (303-443-9839) phillipp@colorado.edu	We especially welcome new performers. Contact chairs for details.
Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays, members' homes.	Ginnie Ross (303-442-6014) vross921@gmail.com Georgianne Campbell (303-499-2798) rpcampbell@att.net	An email will be sent to members with details prior to each meeting.

<i>Interest Group Meeting Time and Place - Continued</i>	<i>Chair(s) Information</i>	<i>Special Notes</i>
On the Road Again Various times, various venues	Karen Diamond (303-939-8656) Karen.diamond@mac.com	Contact chair for details.
Out to Lunch 12:00 p.m. Fourth Wednesday Meet at the restaurant at noon.	Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831) jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu Virginia Donegan (303-635-6685) ginnydon22@yahoo.com	We plan to meet May 25 12 noon at Pasta Jay's, 1001 Pearl St. Boulder. For summer schedule, check future emails.
Readers' Theatre 2 6:30 P.M. First or Second Monday Meeting Room at Presbyterian Manor Senior	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathy Randall (303-530-1095) katherineran@gmail.com	Email will provide details.
Snowshoeing Thursdays, to be determined.	Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478) m.b.greenwald@comcast.net	Contact chair for details.
Spanish – Beginning Conversation Mondays, 3:45 to 4:45, twice a month	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair to join a group session to learn or improve your beginning Spanish. Contact chair for time and place.
Spanish – Conversational 3:45 p.m. Most Mondays Local restaurant	Diana King (303-530-1860) dianaking.boulder@gmail.com	Contact chair for meeting time, place and details.
Sunday Afternoon at the Movies Matinee Fourth Sunday Local movie theatre	Patty Ludke (303-440-9590) pattycake.21@juno.com Kathleen Newton (720-548-8661) kathleen_n@comcast.net	Email provides details of movie selection and meeting time. Contact chairs to join the list.
Theater Goers	Gail Moyes (303-786-9142) gpmoyes@gmail.com Annie Russell (303-786-8070) annie@annierussell.com	Contact one of the co-chairs for upcoming activity details.

The following Interest Groups are part of the UWC, but currently do not have openings:

Interest Group	Chair(s)
Book Group - Small	Kathy Randall
Book Group Small— Fiction, Nonfiction	Nancy Liggett
Book Group – Second Monday	Helen Hooper
French Conversation	Dot Thompson, Ruth Stern
Readers' Theatre	Marilyn Wasmuth

To start a new interest group requires at least **five members and a chairperson**.
Contact Nancy Liggett (neliggett@gmail.com) for more information.

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September	1	Board Meeting
	8	Membership Coffee
	10	MESSGES deadline
October	6	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Lecture Luncheon
	15	Membership Deadline for Name to Appear in Directory
November	1	New Member Wine & Cheese
	3	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	10	Board Meeting
December	1	Board Meeting
		NO MESSAGES IN JANUARY
	8	Lecture Luncheon
January		No Planned Meetings or Events
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
February	2	Board Meeting
	9	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
March	1	Board Meeting
	8	Lecture Luncheon
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	13	Opera Brunch
April	5	Board Meeting
	10	MESSAGES Deadline
	19	Scholarship Luncheon
May	10	Honors Reception
	17	Tri-Board Meeting

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