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April General Meeting

DATE: Monday, April 4, 2016

TIME: 7:30 p.m.

PLACE: Riverside United Church/

Anglican Church of the

Resurrection,

3191 Riverside Drive, Ottawa, ON K1V 8N8

(across from Mooney's Bay)

SPEAKER: Prof. Elizabeth Sheehy, LL.B.,

LL.M., LL.D. (Hon. Causa), FRSC, Vice-Dean Research and Shirley Greenberg Chair for Women and the Legal Profession, Faculty of Law,

University of Ottawa

TOPIC: Intimate Femicide Is

Predictable: Why Are We Failing to Prevent It?

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Prof. Elizabeth Sheehy has taught at the University of Ottawa's Faculty of Law since 1984 and

has been described as a pioneer and an innovator in her field. She designed and taught the first course on Women and the Legal Profession in a Canadian law school. She has acted as a consultant and advisor to government and other organizations on issues of criminal law reform, both within Canada and abroad. Throughout her career, she has worked actively with women's organizations to generate research, disseminate information, and advance women's rights.

Prof. Sheehy is described as a very modest person, a hard worker, and a prolific publisher. In 2013, she was awarded the Canadian Bar Association (CBA) Ramon

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

CHARLOTTE RIGBY

Did you know that CFUW members are being asked to decide on what kind of CFUW we want for the future? Here is a very brief outline of our current situation as I understand it:

At our CFUW national AGM in St. Catherine's (June 23-25), delegates will be asked to vote on a motion to amend the CFUW Articles and Bylaws to strike Article 4. Membership in the International Federation of University Women (IFUW). (IFUW's name was changed to Graduate Women International in 2015, and we now refer to it as GWI.) If the motion is passed, CFUW will withdraw from GWI. Because CFUW is a major financial supporter, our withdrawal would almost certainly lead to the collapse of GWI. At the same time, CFUW has pressing financial issues of our own to address.

Would you like to learn more? We are holding a special information session at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 15. Club member Susan Russell, who is a Vice President of GWI, will provide information about GWI and host a discussion on the issue. I urge you to come, learn more about our choices and options, and make your own decisions. We are extending the invitation to other CFUW clubs in our Ontario East region, and will have a light lunch available prior to the meeting. You will find more information inside this issue. Please join us for this important meeting.

Locally, March has been another busy month. Once again, our club demonstrated its generosity and support for young women, starting on March 8 with our International Women's Day (IWD) celebration, "Moving Forward — One Step at a Time". This year's event, in partnership with the CFUW clubs of Nepean and Kanata and the Ottawa Council of Women, was a successful fundraiser celebrating indigenous women (see more inside).

Our share of the proceeds from the IWD event will support CFUW-Ottawa's Scholarship Trust Fund scholarships for young women in the Ottawa area, and specifically our new Sherrylyn Sarazin Scholarship for an indigenous woman student at Algonquin College. This award, given for the first time this year, honours Sherrylyn Sarazin, an Algonquin of the Pikwàkanagàn First Nation and a 2004 graduate of Algonquin College's Office Administration Executive program.

Our "Scholarship Evening" General Meeting on March 14 was another great

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John Hnatyshyn Award for Law, which recognizes outstanding contributions to the law or legal scholarship in Canada.

"Many people in the legal profession like to believe that we live in a post-feminist world. We do not. We still have far to go to reach equality for women in the legal profession, let alone in society," says the Hon. Claire L'Heureux-Dubé, former justice at the Supreme Court of Canada, and one of Prof. Sheehy's nominators. "Her painstaking research and

superior scholarship help us remember this and prods judges, lawyers, and legislators towards achieving greater equality in society."

Her recent publications include:
1) Sexual Assault in Canada: Law, Legal Practice, and Women's Activism, 2012, a collection which she edited, created to celebrate the 10th anniversary of Jane Doe's legal victory against the Toronto police for sex discrimination and negligence in failing to warn her of a serial rapist; and 2) Defending Battered Women

on Trial: Lessons From the Transcripts, 2014, for which she was awarded the Mundell Medal for fine legal writing by the Attorney General of Ontario in 2015.

Please join us to hear Prof. Sheehy on "intimate femicide and our system failures that allow so many women to be murdered by former and current male partners — sadly, every six days, another one is murdered".

CFUW-Ottawa General Meetings are open to the public. Feel free to invite your family, friends, and neighbours.

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event. We met 16 of our 24 award winners for 2016, and enjoyed performances by the three winners of our Music Scholarships. See details inside.

On Feb. 26, MP Peter Fragiskatos (London North Centre) introduced Private Member's Bill C-242 which will amend the Criminal Code of Canada to recognize torture inflicted by non-state actors as a crime. CFUW, led by CFUW-Truro members Jeanne Sarson and Linda MacDonald, has policy and advocates on this issue. Jeanne and Linda have made presentations to the Government of Canada and the UN. We will continue to advocate to support the Bill (due for second reading in April).

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Please send all material for the next issue to the Editor: Mary Butterill at marpathb@storm.ca.

Next issue: May 2016 Deadline: April 15, 2016

Links to electronic issues going back to February 2001 are found under Newsletter, Archives on the Club website at www.cfuw-ottawa.org.

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS – MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

April 4 CFUW-Ottawa General Meeting, Riverside United Church/Anglican Church of the Resurrection, Ottawa Speaker: Prof. Elizabeth Sheehy, University of Ottawa Faculty of Law Topic: Intimate Femicide is Predictable: Why Are We Failing to Prevent It?

April 15 Special luncheon meeting, Riverside United Church/Anglican Church of the Resurrection, Ottawa, **12 noon lunch (register by April 8), 1:00 p.m. presentation** Topic: Graduate Women International (GWI) Speaker: CFUW-Ottawa member Susan Russell, VP GWI

May 10 CFUW-Ottawa AGM, Restaurant International, Algonquin College, Ottawa (Ticket sales started at March 14 General Meeting)

May 13-14 CFUW Ontario Council AGM, Hockley Valley Resort, Orangeville

May 17 NAC Musical Dinner & Silent Auction, **4:30 p.m.**, Le Café, National Arts Centre, Ottawa (Ticket sales started at March 14 General Meeting)

June 10 CFUW-Ottawa Golf, Luncheon, & Bridge, Larrimac Golf Course, Chelsea (More information will be in the May 2016 *Carillon* with ticket sales starting in late April and at the May 10 AGM)

June 14 UWHAW Summer Evening Garden Reception, Home of Hally and Hugh Siddons by the Canal, Ottawa (More information will be in the May 2016 *Carillon* with ticket sales starting in late April and at the May 10 AGM)

June 23-25 CFUW National AGM, Brock University, St. Catharines

June 23-26 23rd Tim Hortons Ottawa Dragon Boat Festival, Mooney's Bay Park, Ottawa (CFUW-Ottawa Dragonauts are planning to race again this year)

Aug. 21-26 32nd GWI Triennial Conference, Cape Town International Convention Centre, Cape Town, South Africa

See more details online at www.cfuw-ottawa.org/events and/or within this issue. Some events are also detailed in CFUW-Ottawa email blasts.

Our IWD 2016 Event on Daytime Ottawa TV

CFUW-Ottawa President Charlotte Rigby and indigenous artist and designer Laura Leonard appeared live (for around seven minutes) on the "daytime Ottawa" (Rogers TV, Cable 22) morning show hosted by Roula Thomas and Dylan Black on Feb. 29, 2016. They were promoting our International Women's Day (IWD) event on March 8, 2016 at Centrepointe. Its theme, "Moving Forward — One Step at a Time!", celebrated the talents and achievements of indigenous women in the Ottawa area. Charlotte touched on the history of IWD and of this 12th annual event, outlined the program, and explained how to register. The screen displayed the CFUW-Ottawa website address, and Facebook and Twitter account names.

Laura was one of several indigenous women featured on the March 8th IWD program. She designs women's clothing, shawls/capes, and accessories with aboriginal motifs, using a lot of leather and fur, with some fabric. She brought two models:

Charmaine Leonard modelled a traditional "Jingle" dress, a ceremonial powwow costume with intricate and colourful red/blue beadwork, which included headwear, moccasins, and jewelry. Charmaine demonstrated the "healing" Jingle Dance and Laura outlined the story behind the dress: An Ojibwe Nation's medicine man had a very sick little girl. He had a vision of a dress that would cure her, which his wife then made. The little girl wore it at a drumming ceremony. She had to be carried for the first dance in the dancing circle, walked with help for the second dance, and danced on her own in the third.

Tessa Belanger modelled a contemporary aboriginal outfit: a short, wool, fully lined, beige shawl/cape, a short dark leather skirt with rabbit fur trim, and dramatic bead necklace and earrings.

Watch the entire segment on YouTube at www.youtube.com/watch?v=wuUIwdz7Bjw, published by David Finkle on March 9, 2016.



From left to right: Roula Thomas, Laura Leonard, Tessa Belanger, Charlotte Rigby, and Charmaine Leonard **Photo by:** Nancy Simmons-Wright

Nominate "A Bank NOTE-able Canadian Woman"



On March 8, 2016, International Women's Day, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Finance Minister Bill Morneau announced that a new bank note featuring an iconic Canadian woman will be issued in late 2018. The Bank of Canada is inviting Canadians to nominate deserving Canadian women for this honour — women who have demonstrated outstanding leadership, achievement, or distinction in any field, beneficial to Canada and Canadians; and who have been deceased at least 25 years (since April 15, 1991).

The nominations process closes on April 15, 2016. For further details, visit the Bank of Canada website at www.bankofcanada.ca/banknoteable.

DOWNHILL SKIING AT CAMP FORTUNE

Several members of CFUW-Ottawa's Downhill Skiing Group enjoying a perfect winter day at Camp Fortune on March 4, 2016 From left to right: Guest Nicole Girard, Nancy Stevenson, Astrid Paidra, and Diane Twemlow Photo provided by: Diane Twemlow



12TH ANNUAL IWD CELEBRATION MOVING FORWARD - ONE STEP AT A TIME!

The 12th annual International Women's Day (IWD) event hosted by CFUW-Ottawa, -Nepean, and /Kanata and the Ottawa Council of Women (OCW) on Tuesday, March 8, 2016, at Centrepointe's Ben Franklin Place, themed "Moving Forward — One Step at a Time!" celebrated the art, culture, dance, and fashion of indigenous women and raised funds to honour CFUW's centennial year, 2019, with "CFUW Centennial" awards. The crowd of 201 registrants enjoyed a multi-faceted program. Special guests acknowledged included former Ottawa West-Nepean MP Marlene Catterall; Ottawa College Ward Councillor Rick Chiarelli; former Viceregal Consort of Canada, President of the Hnatyshyn Foundation, and Honorary CFUW-Ottawa member Gerda Hnatyshyn; and Ottawa West-Nepean MP Anita Vandenbeld.

The evening began with a cocktail reception in the Atrium catered by Wawatay Catering of Maniwaki. We were well fed, sampling a variety of tasty sandwiches and contemporary Algonquin appetizers which included smoked moose, salmon mousse on crisps, fish balls with dip, wild rice/corn/red pepper vegetarian sushi, and maple toffee (pikoodinigan). Coffee, tea, wine, and cookies were also on offer.

The program began at 7:00 p.m. in the Chamber with riveting entertainment by impressive Ojibwe Hoop Dancer Celina Cada-Matasawagon; two charming Inuit Throat Singers, Mikka and Lynda from the Inuit Children's Centre of Ottawa, who engaged the audience in this traditional game; and Prairie Fire — three lively, young, Métis Jiggers.

A fashion show featured the beautiful creations of Maliseet-Irish Canadian artist and designer Laura Leonard, focusing on stunning capes/jackets, jewelry, handbags, and moccasins which incorporated aboriginal symbols/motifs in beadwork and appliqués, using fur, leather, wool, and silk in predominantly earth colours. See David Finkle's video of the show at www.youtube. com/watch?v=gefe5wdcuwI.

Linda Grussani, Director of the Aboriginal Art Centre, Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC), from the Kitigan Zibi Anishinabeg First Nation community near Maniwaki, outlined the history of the Centre and introduced the current exhibit "Mamawo Payiwak: They Gather Together in One Place" which celebrates works by 12 internationally recognized indigenous women artists. Curated by Michelle McGeough, the free exhibit is on at the INAC Art Gallery, 10 Wellington St. (Lobby), Gatineau till May 27.

The program ended with a colourful tale by Louise Profeit-Leblanc, a traditional Master Storyteller from the Nacho Nyak Dun First Nation in the Yukon and a "Story Keeper" for eight First Nations in the Yukon. The story — about an old woman living near a lake with a young boy in her care who ended up ingested by a fish and later magically revivedinvoked imagery and spurred the imagination. Louise's many, humorous "asides" were food for thought as well as smiles.

Proceeds from a raffle, 50/50 draw, silent auction, and ticket sales, were divided



among the three CFUW clubs and OCW. Our club's share will support our new Sherrylyn Sarazin Scholarship for an indigenous student at Algonquin College.

In summary, the evening was educational, fun, and profitable — a grand success!

Mary Butterill Carillon Editor

Top grouping: Aboriginal accessories for sale; View of reception, silent auction, and sales area; Jewelry for sale Bottom grouping, from left to right: Celina Cada-Matasawagon, Hoop Dancer; Mikka and Lynda, Inuit Throat Singers; Outfit by Laura Leonard dedicated to Missing and Murdered Aboriginal Women and their families. Modelled by Lena, the ensemble included a raw silk, red shawl with ribbon detail, a skirt in woven



CFUW Ontario Council Standing Committees Meeting, March 12, 2016

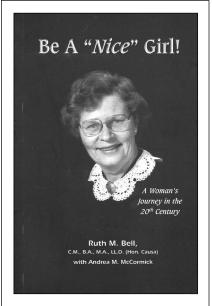
The CFUW Ontario Council Standing Committee meetings feature expert speakers on interesting topics, as well as opportunities to meet fellow Ontario CFUW members. I was privileged to attend the March 12, 2016 meetings and hear two excellent presentations.

The morning session topic was "Refugee Crises: The Challenging Road to Resettlement." Dr. Secil Ertorer of York University discussed her recent field work with Syrian refugees in Turkey, who face the challenges of crossing borders and building new lives in societies that are not welcoming. The statistics are horrifying: In 2016, one in four refugees in the world is Syrian. There are 4.8 million "registered" Syrian refugees (an unknown number are not "registered") with an estimated 2.7 million in Turkey, of whom about 275,000 are housed in tents or converted shipping containers in large camps — for months or years. About 1.7 million "urban" Syrian refugees are in large cities (mainly Ankara and Izmir), with no support or housing. Many are homeless, and all have limited access to health care and employment. Child marriage and child labour are very common. Only 20 percent of refugee children were in school in 2014. Dr. Ertorer estimates that 400,000 refugee children, of whom 149,000 were born in Turkey, have never been in school. These children are truly a "lost generation" - stateless and uneducated. They have no future in Turkey, and very little opportunity to go elsewhere. It is truly a "Crisis of Humanity".

I also attended the Education Committee Workshop "Reconciliation

through Education — The Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: Calls to Action." The speaker, Tanya Senk is a Métis/Cree/Anishinabe educator/artist/writer who is the Coordinator for Aboriginal Education at the Toronto District School Board. She reviewed the tragic 100-year history of residential schools in Canada, when over 150,000 aboriginal children were removed from their homes (often forcibly) and "educated" in residential schools. All were subjected to rigid discipline, many were abused, and unknown numbers died and were buried in unmarked, mass graves. The report of the Canadian Truth and Reconciliation Commission contains 94 recommendations or "Calls to Action" to "redress the legacy of residential schools and advance the process of Canadian reconciliation." Tanya works to develop curricula and programs that are inclusive of aboriginal cultures and to present decolonization and indigenization perspectives. These include the fundamental truth that "Aboriginal Rights are Human Rights," and the four principles of Respect, Relevance, Responsibility, and Reciprocity. She welcomes last December's announcement by the federal government that it will conduct a national enquiry into the national tragedy of missing and murdered indigenous women. The CFUW Ontario Council AGM next May 13-14 in Orangeville and District will continue the discussion with a plenary session "Creating Connections to Honour the Truth and Reconcile for the Future."

Charlotte Rigby President, CFUW-Ottawa



Ruth M. Bell's *Be a "Nice" Girl!* A Woman's Journey in the 20th Century is now available for \$5: At CFUW-Ottawa meetings, or From Marion Cameron: marion cameron@rogers.com,

or (613) 237-5908. Postage is

Ruth Bell, who did so much for CFUW and was an honorary life member of our club, died in December 2015. In 2005, she offered us her books to sell to raise funds for scholarships. Along with a large contribution from Ruth, we raised enough for the annual Ruth Bell Centennial Scholarship Honouring all Members of the Ottawa Club since 1910. Her estate has given us the few remaining books to sell for our scholarship fund.



CFUW-Ottawa Scholarship Awards Evening

Over 100 people attended the General Meeting on March 14 to celebrate and honour the 2015-16 winners of the CFUW-Ottawa Scholarships. Charlotte Rigby, Club President, welcomed guests and members and Margaret Haines, Scholarship Trust Fund Chair, introduced the other Trustees — Patricia O'Flaherty, Pierrette MacLean, Vicki Kohse, Janet Riehm, and Alice Bolt, all of whom were involved in arranging the evening.

Margaret then introduced Dr. James Wright, Professor of Music at Carleton University, who spoke about music education in universities and described the many innovative and unusual music programs at Carleton including Celtic music, sound recording production, modern ensembles, and carillon studies, to name just a few. He described the history of the Parliament Hill Carillon and the Dominion Carillonneurs and shared the close relationship between the current Dominion Carillonneur — Dr. Andrea McCrady — and the Carleton program. He also played a video of a Carillon in action in Amsterdam to show us just how different it is from other instruments. It was a very enlightening and entertaining talk.

Following his talk, Professor Wright accompanied two Carleton music scholarship winners:

- Emma Fleet (winner of the Earl B. Connell Foundation Scholarship) who performed the first movement ("Allegro"), Violin Sonata No. 5 in F Major, Op. 24 (1801) by Ludwig van Beethoven, often known as the "Spring" sonata (Frühlingssonate); and
- Bronwyn Thies-Thompson (winner of the Helen Nininger Music Scholarship) who sang An Evening Hymn by Henry Purcell.

Viktoriia Grynenko, from the University of Ottawa (winner of the Barbara Newbegin Music Scholarship), performed



A group photo of all the award winners who were able to attend the CFUW-Ottawa Scholarship Evening on March 14, 2016.

From left to right:

Top row: Carolyne Dupont, Karine Lalonde, Rachelle Quinn, Michelle Heenan, and Erin Connell **Middle row:** Kellie MacDonald, Bronwyn Thies-Thompson, Diane Sverdrup-Yap, Emily Thompson, and Andreanne Kyle

Front row: Emma Fleet, Jessica Gamarnik, Viktoriia Grynenko, Cherie Fish, Mary McGregor, and Mairi McGuire

Photo by: Patricia O'Flaherty

Watch for additional photographs and biographical details about the winners and find details about the awards under Scholarships and Donating at www.cfuw-ottawa.org.

Tzigane by Maurice Ravel, for violin and piano, accompanied by Ruby Jin.

All three of our scholarship winners showed exceptional talent and indicated to CFUW members that our music scholarships were important to them. Unfortunately, the Nininger family and the Earl B. Connell Foundation Trustees were not able to attend but, fortunately, Barbara Newbegin was there to hear her scholarship winner, Viktoriia, perform.

The next item on the agenda was the presentation of new awards. We have two new awards this year — the Earl B. Connell Foundation Scholarship mentioned above and the Sherrylyn Sarazin Scholarship. Hally Siddons, who was responsible for the former, was not present as she was attending an important UN event on be-

half of GWI. However, she sent a lovely note and information on her family which Margaret read to the audience. We were especially pleased to have Sherrylyn Sarazin present as she is the honoree for the new award at Algonquin. Sherrylyn graduated from Algonquin College and is the first woman to be elected to the Council of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation. She gave a wonderful speech in her first language and also in English. Sherrylyn was accompanied by her brother and father (both William Sarazins) and friends from the Pikwàkanagàn community. Her brother, William Jr., opened our evening with an honour drum song dedicated to all the scholarship winners.

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CFUW-Ottawa STF Scholarship Winners 2015-16

University of Ottawa

Gladys Harvey Award (\$1,000)	Diana Sverdrup-Yap	3 rd year, BA, Communications
Constance Jones Scholarship in Women's Studies (\$1,000)	Carolyne Dupont	2 nd year, BA (Hons), Women's Studies & Lettres Françaises
Helen Nininger Scholarship in Fine Arts (\$1,500)	Kellie MacDonald	1 st year, BFA (Hons), Theatre
Charlotte Whitton Award (\$1,000)	Rachelle Quinn	1 st year, B.Ed Intermediate and Senior in French as a Second Language & History
Mary Kyles Award (\$1,000)	Geneviève Riopel	3 rd year, B.Sc. (Hons), Environmental Science (Global Change)
Lucille Muldoon Award (\$1,000)	Erin Connell	3 rd year, B.Nursing
Muriel Axon Award (\$1,000)	Karine Lalonde	4 th year, BA (Hons), Communications
Lillian Gertsman Scholarship (\$1,000)	Amanda Dezenosky	1 st year, BA (Hons), Psychology
The Reid Memorial Scholarship (\$1,500)	Angel Yi Nam Fu	PhD, Medicine
Barbara Newbegin Award in Mathematics (\$2,500)	Emily Thompson	4 th year, B.Sc. (Hons), Mathematics – Co-op Program
Barbara Newbegin Award in Music (\$2,500)	Viktoriia Grynenko	MA, Music

Carleton University

Harriet and Eugene Forsey Scholarship (\$1,000)	Jeffrey Collins	PhD, Political Science
Alice E. Wilson Scholarship in Geosciences (\$1,000)	Rhea Mitchell	PhD, Earth Sciences
Shirley Greenberg Award (\$1,000)	Cherie Fish	4 th year, BA (Hons), Psychology
Dr. Ruth Bell Scholarship (\$1,000)	Andreanne Kyle	4 th year, BA (Hons), Psychology
Carol Shields Scholarship (\$1,000)	Sally Crandlemire	BA, Psychology
Naomi Rayner Scholarship (\$1,000)	Mary MacGregor	4 th year, BA (Hons), History & Theory Architecture
Dorothy Powell Scholarship (\$1,000)	Jessica Gamarnik	3 rd year, BA (Hons), Economics
The Ruth Bell Centennial Scholarship Honouring all Members of the Ottawa Club since 1910 (\$5,000)	Mairi McGuire	4 th year, BA (Hons), Women & Gender Studies
Helen Nininger Scholarship in Music (\$1,500)	Bronwyn Thies-Thompson	4 th year, BA (Hons), Music
Susan Scott Parker Scholarship (\$1,000)	Michelle Heenan	4 th year, Bachelor of Public Affairs & Policy Management
Earl B. Connell Foundation Scholarship (\$1,000)	Emma Fleet	2 nd year, BA Music

Algonquin College

Sherrylyn Sarazin Scholarship (\$1,000)	Isabelle McKitterick	2 nd year, Social Services
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Ottawa Little Theatre

Gladys Cameron Watt Award (\$500)	Ron Fromstein (Toronto)	Henry (3rd Prize, OLT's 75th National One-Act Play-
		wright's Competition)

Next, Charlotte Rigby presented awards to all those winners who could be present for the evening while Alison Hobbs and Patricia O'Flaherty took photographs. We were delighted that we had 16 winners present – a record attendance with the eight other winners either out of town or ill and unable to attend. Most of our winners brought

family members, many of whom commented on how much they enjoyed the evening. For the first time since the awards evenings started, Margaret read out short biographies about each winner. This proved very popular with winners and audience alike. We will try to put some of the biographies on the Scholarship Trust Fund webpage once we have permission from the students to do so. The photograph on the previous page shows all the winners who attended. The full list of winners is on the above chart. Other photographs will also be posted to the webpage.

Margaret Haines, Chair, and Patricia O'Flaherty, Convenor, Scholarship Trust Fund

Hally Siddons Continues UWHAW's Mission at the International Level!

Hally Siddons was invited by Graduate Women International (GWI) to be part of its delegation of women from around the world to the 60th session of the Commission on the Status of Women (<u>CSW60</u>) at UN Headquarters in New York City from March 14 to 24, 2016. This also eased up a spot on the CFUW delegation in which there was much interest among CFUW members this year. Hally was at CSW60 from March 11 to 19, 2016.

Hally was also invited to speak at the American Association of University Women (AAUW) Lower Connecticut Valley Branch in Essex, Connecticut on March 23, 2016 about Afghanistan and our UWHAW efforts.

Watch for a report in the May 2016 issue!



CFUW Ontario Council Annual General Meeting 2016

May 13 & 14, 2016 Hockley Valley Resort 793522 3rd Line EHS, Mono (just northwest of Orangeville)



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Friday

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Saturday

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Registration fee for Friday & Saturday - \$110 per person; Welcome Reception only - \$25 per person

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In Memoriam

Daphne McCree (née Price)



Our sincere condolences to the family and friends of Daphne McCree, a longtime active member of CFUW-Ottawa, who passed away at her home in Ottawa

on Thursday, Feb. 18, 2016. Daphne is remembered fondly by her many friends at CFUW-Ottawa, as a pleasant, positive, and caring person who contributed to a variety of activities. She was interested in many subjects and people enjoyed conversing with her.

Daphne was involved in the Issues Group for many years and served as Chair of the Standing Committee on Education from 2012-13 to 2014-15 — up to this year, when her health started to fail. She was a tremendous asset to the resolutions review process. She loved music and being part of Madri-Gals (She was the daughter of Percival Price, the first Dominion Carillonneur at the Peace Tower Carillon in the Center Block, Canada's Parliament Buildings). As a keen participant in the activities of the Diplomatic Hospitality Service Group for many years, Daphne will be missed by many of its members. She spent many early years in Mexico, learned Spanish, and enjoyed contributing to the CFUW-Ottawa Spanish Group. Her facility in Spanish was useful when she travelled to Central America twice with World Accord to help build a school and community centre. She was also involved in CFUW-Ottawa's Canadiana Group and volunteered at the National Gallery of Canada. Many Club meetings were graciously hosted by Daphne in her home.

Her obituary was published in the Ottawa Citizen on Saturday, Feb. 20, 2016 and is found online at www.legacy.com/obituaries/ottawacitizen/obituary.aspx?pid=177785176. Friends were invited to a Memorial Gathering at Beechwood Funeral, Cemetery, and Cremation Services on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 23, 2016. A Memorial Service was also held on March 24, 2016 by the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Ottawa, of which Daphne was an active member.

Special Luncheon Meeting

DATE: Friday, April 15, 2016

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

LUNCH (OPTIONAL): 12:00 noon \$10.00

PLACE: Riverside United Church/Anglican Church of the Resurrection.

3191 Riverside Drive, Ottawa, ON K1V 8N8

SPEAKER: Susan Russell, BA, MA, B.Ed, Vice President, Graduate Women International (GWI)

TOPIC: GWI on the Move

CONTACT: Registration for lunch is required by April 8

Payment for lunch may be made at the door but must be registered in advance.

Register for lunch online on CFUW-Ottawa website at www.cfuw-ottawa.org
or by contacting Christine Rollo at (613) 727-3857 or Lorna Bickerton at (613) 592-3821.

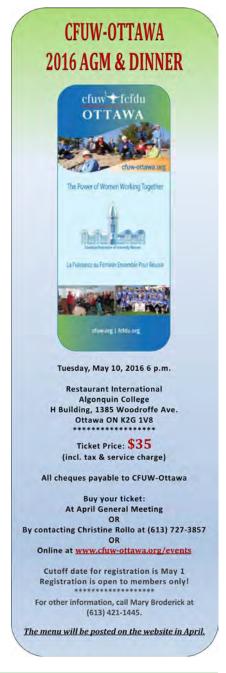
Open to all CFUW club members.



CFUW members will vote at the CFUW AGM in June on whether to continue our membership in Graduate Women International (GWI) (formerly IFUW). To increase our understanding of our 97-year-old international arm, Susan Russell will present "GWI on the Move" with slides and pictures, and discuss the history, current achievements, and future of GWI, with emphasis on how it has changed this past triennium.

At the 2013 IFUW triennial conference in Istanbul, members voted to rebrand our international organization in order to increase its visibility, outreach, and membership. Hiring professional staff and changing the name to Graduate Women International began the process. GWI now focuses with renewed energy on education for girls and women at the United Nations and on new projects — especially in Africa. New outside funders are helping to build these projects. While several new countries have joined GWI, some have left. Despite marked achievements in three years, challenges remain.

Susan Russell. a member of CFUW-Ottawa, is one of four GWI Vice Presidents and a board member of the Virginia Gildersleeve International Fund. Susan has degrees in education, English literature, and ancient and modern languages. She has worked as editor, writer, and teacher and was Executive Director of CFUW for 11 years. Since her retirement, she has also served several other international organizations.





We extend sincere condolences to Club member Frances Manning on the death of her mother-in-law, Gertrude Agnes Morris, in Ottawa on Tuesday, March 8, 2016, in her 99th year. Fran is CFUW-Ottawa's VP Liaison, member of the Environmental Toxins and Health Committee/Group, and Co-Chair, IWD Event. She is also a member of the His-

tory, Jaunters, Literature Study III, Snowshoeing, Trail Walking, and UWHAW Study and Interest Groups.

We invite all CFUW-Ottawa members to let us know about deaths in their immediate families or of other significant persons in their lives if they wish to have notices published in the *Carillon*.

2016 NAC Musical Dinner & Silent Auction

Tuesday, May 17, 2016, 4:30 p.m. Le Café, National Arts Centre



YOUR TICKET INCLUDES:

- Llegant THREE-COURSE MEAL with a glass of WINE
- **▶** PERFORMANCE by THREE TOP NOTCH MUSICIANS
- **▲ TWO TICKETS to an upcoming MUSICAL EVENT, COMPLIMENTS OF THE NAC**

Silent Auction starts at 4:30 p.m.; Dinner at 5 p.m. Don't forget to bring cash & chequebooks.

Raffle: 10 tickets for \$5 (cash only)

Door Prizes

This fundraising event is sponsored by CFUW-Ottawa's University Women Helping Afghan Women (UWHAW). Thanks to members of UWHAW for donating two raffle baskets.

The proceeds of the meal will go toward the CFUW-Ottawa scholarships at Carleton University & the University of Ottawa.

The proceeds of the Silent Auction & Raffle will support the scholarships for Afghan women at the Gawharshad Institute of Higher Education in Kabul, Afghanistan

Open to all CFUW-Ottawa members & guests (women & men) — A great opportunity to spend an evening at NAC's Le Café with your partner or a friend!

Cost per person: \$55 (incl. tax & service charge)
Official tax receipts will be issued this year
Sold out early last year!

- Buy your tickets at General Meetings (April 4, AGM on May 10) or by contacting Alice Bolt after March 14 at (613) 731-5221 or by email at <u>alicebolt87@gmail.com</u>.
- Mail cheques made payable to UWHAW to:
 Alice Bolt
 - 1531 Caton St., Ottawa, ON K1H 6J3
- ♣ Online registrations & payments are not available for this event.
- Please advise Alice if you would like special seating arrangements.



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Happening at Local CFUW Sister Clubs

The 2015-16 programs of our local sister clubs may interest you. To see the schedules of events and meetings that are open to the public and the names of guest speakers, go to their websites:

CFUW/Kanata: <u>www.cfuwkanata.ca</u> General Meetings: Usually, the 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7 p.m., at Stonehaven Apts., 70A Stonehaven Dr., Kanata (October meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 14; January and February lunchtime meetings, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.)

SPECIAL EVENTS:

1. Her Excellency, Mrs. Sharon Johnston, will speak about her debut novel Matrons and Madams (Click on www.dundurn.com/books/matrons-andmadams). Ottawa Public Library, Beaverbrook Branch, 2500 Campeau Dr., Ottawa. Thursday, April 7, 2016, 2 - 3:30 p.m. Free of charge. Co-sponsored by CFUW/Kanata's History Group and the Novel Conversations Book Group. Proceeds of book sales through Perfect Books will go to the Royal Ottawa Hospital. Contact Cathy Faubert at racafaubert@rogers.com for information.

2. CFUW Fundraiser – Coffee House featuring music by Revival (Hal Whiteman's & Ian Few's band). Saturday, April 30, 2016, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. St. John's Anglican Church, 325 Sandhill Rd., Kanata. Doors open at 9:30 a.m. Tickets \$15. Call Martha at (613) 592-0583. Proceeds to scholarships.

CFUW Nepean: <u>www.cfuwnepean.ca</u> General Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month, 1 p.m., except September, at Bells Corners United Church, 3955 Old Richmond Rd., Nepean

SPECIAL EVENT: CFUW Nepean Scholarship Trust Spring Luncheon will feature Lois Nuth, internationally renowned artist and replicator of antique dolls. Bells Corners United Church, 3955 Old Richmond Rd., Nepean. Tuesday, April 5, 2016, 12 noon. \$20/person. Reserve by March 30 with: Sharon Carew at (613) 257-1747/sharonacarew@yahoo.com or Kadri Campbell at (613) 820-5536/kadri.campbell@opera.ncf.ca. Proceeds will go towards scholarships for the Algonquin College Nursing Program.

CFUW Perth: <u>cfuw-perth-district.com</u> General Meetings: 3rd Monday of the month, 6:30 p.m. at Royal Canadian Legion Hall, 26 Beckwith St. E., Perth