



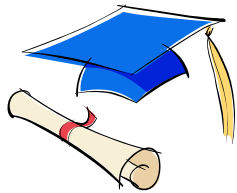
Program of Events 2007

Annual General Meeting Speaker & Dinner

Wednesday, April 25 at 5:00 p.m.
Luther College – Thorn Hall
Members \$20 / Non-members \$25

Convocation Volunteers Needed!

If you are able to serve tea at the Spring Convocation on June 6, 7, and 8, 2007, please contact **Azita Rezaei** at azitar_ca@yahoo.com or phone **525-6772**. We need at least a dozen volunteers for each date, and volunteers can serve on whichever day(s) best suits their schedule. Thank you for your support!



Join U of R Women!

Membership in *U of R Women* is open to women who are affiliated with the University of Regina, either through their own or their partner's employment at the university, or through membership on university Senate, Board of Governors, or Alumni Board.

The **annual fee** is only **\$20**, which entitles you to participate in a wide variety of activities. To become a member, call **Rachel Faerber-Ovaska** at **569-8203** or rachelfaerber@hotmail.com

Annual General Meeting

SPEAKER: Inspector Brenda Lucki, RCMP
Topic: Women in Policing

Join us at Luther College for the Annual General Meeting followed by dinner and a speaker.



Date: Wednesday, April 25

Time: 5:00 – Reception

5:15 – Annual Meeting

6:00 – Dinner

7:15 - Speaker

Place: Thorn Hall

Luther College – Room 100

Cost: \$20 for members /
\$25 non-members

You will be asked to PRE-REGISTER for the AGM Dinner, so clip-out the form below and return to Heather Jans.

Guests are welcome at the Reception & Dinner!

Parking will be in free in Lot 3 "M" parking (outside of Luther College). There will be sandwich boards set up with this information.

AGM Dinner Registration Form Wednesday, April 25, 2007

Luther College requires us to confirm the number of attendees one week in advance of the AGM dinner. Last year we had several people who cancelled at the last minute and others who showed up without registering, so the executive has instituted a **prepay** policy this year.

The cost is **\$20** for members and **\$25** for non-members. Late registrations will not be accepted unless there are late cancellations. Refunds will be acknowledged up until seventy-two hours (3 days) prior to the event.

The attached form, with your cheque, must be received on or before **April 16th** by **Heather Jans, 51 Catherwood Crescent, Regina S4R 7A6**.

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Name: _____

Member at \$25: _____

Non-Members at \$25: _____

Total: _____



Member News

CONDOLENCES

- Our sympathies to **Aldene Meis-Mason**, whose mother passed away recently.

Notice of New Membership Category

At the U of R Women's Annual General Meeting (AGM) on April 26, 2006, members will have an opportunity to discuss and vote on a motion to adopt a new membership category within the organization. The proposed "Associate Member" would be nominated by two U of R members, would pay the same fees and would enjoy the same rights and privileges as full Members, with the exception of voting privileges. It is further recommended that **no more than 20%** of our membership fall within the 'Associate Member' category.

Nominations for Executive

At the Annual General Meeting on April 25, 2007, members of the U of R Women will be voting on a new Executive for 2007/08. The Nominations Committee has compiled a slate of nominees for Executive positions, which can be found elsewhere in this newsletter. However, nominations are still accepted until the time of the AGM. In the case of a **new** candidate coming forward for a position, an election would be held at the Annual General Meeting. If you are interested in running for a position on the Executive, please contact **Dawn Owen** by phone at 586-9026 or by e-mail at dowen@accesscomm.ca.



Message from the President

Thank heavens, Spring has '*officially*' arrived! And if the turnout at the Wascana Greenhouse in March is **any** indication, we're all eager to embark on a season of digging and planting rather than shoveling and hibernating. What a pleasant thought!

I want to especially thank Heather Jans and Ellen Gillies for not only ordering a perfect welcome to Spring with our visit to the Wascana Greenhouse on March 21, but also for having organized such a splendid and timely outing complete with delicious refreshments. Gardening enthusiasts and green-thumbs in our midst were *energized* and inspired as they toured this locally owned and operated greenhouse.

On Wednesday, April 25, we will gather for our Annual General Meeting and Dinner at Luther College. Our guest speaker, Inspector Brenda Lucki, will share with us her vast experience in policing as a long-time member of the RCMP. Her presentation will be thought-provoking and engaging, and we couldn't think of a **better** way to conclude this year's activities. Just a reminder if you are planning to attend this event, both members and guests must register and pay in advance for the AGM Dinner. For your convenience, you will find a pre-registration form in this newsletter. It should be completed and forwarded to **Heather Jans** by April 16 to reserve your spot.

Once again, I would like to thank each U of R member who has allowed her name to stand for a position on the 2007/08 Executive. To the outgoing Executive members, many thanks for having given so freely of your time and talents throughout your term(s). The support and interest expressed by you, and other members within the organization, have made the U of R Women the vibrant and worthwhile organization that it is today, and my *journey* as your President these past two years particularly rewarding.

I look forward to seeing you at Luther College for the Annual General Meeting on April 25. Until then, indulge yourself in the '*promise*' of another well-deserved Spring!

-- *Dawn Owen*, President of U of R Women

U of R Women – Executive Slate for 2007-2008

Anne Lavack	President	anne.lavack@uregina.ca	586-8276
Dawn Owen	Past President	dowen@accesscomm.ca	586-9026
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Linda Paul	Interest Groups	paulal@uregina.ca	761-0661
Ruth Heinrichs	Telephone	rheinrichs@sasktel.net	586-5024

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Rachel Faerber-Ovaska	Membership	rachelfaerber@hotmail.com	569-8203
Anne Lavack	Publicity	anne.lavack@uregina.ca	586-8276
Bev Anderson	Interest Groups	bandbanderson@sasktel.net	761-0661
Karen Nicholls	Telephone	ernie.nicholls@uregina.ca	584-2720

Mixed Bridge Group

New Bridge Players Needed!

If you enjoy playing bridge, contact **Isabelle Peardon** at gpeardon@accesscomm.ca or phone her **586-6315**, and come out to the *Mixed Bridge Group*. This is open to both couples and pairs of ladies. The bridge group meets once a month in the homes of individual members.



Eclectic Events

Date: Saturday, May 5

Place: Shurniak Gallery in Assiniboia

Exhibit: "Around the World in 88 Minutes," with paintings and artifacts from around the world.

We will leave in the morning and arrange to have our lunch at Marita's Tea Room in the Gallery. Time and interest permitting, we could also visit the museum in Assiniboia with its prairie memorabilia and collection of cars. St. Victor, a short drive south, is the site of amazing Petroglyphs and Gravelbourg's Cathedral is beautiful and also worth a stop.

Car pooling will be determined by the number attending. Please advise **Karen Nicholls** at karen.nicholls@sasktel.net or phone **584-2720** no later than April 23 if you plan to attend.

Book Club #1

Convenor:
Sara Cryderman 585-6503

Note: Book Club #1 is 'full', so no new members are being accepted. However, new members are being accepted in Book Club #2.



INTEREST GROUPS

Couples Gourmet Dinner Club

The *Couples Gourmet Dinner Club* meets on the **2nd Saturday** each month at 7:00 p.m. Each couple brings a dish based on culinary themes from around the world.
Convenor: **Rachel Faerber-Ovaska**, phone **569-8203**.
2006-2007 Dates:

Sat., April 14 **South Africa**
Sat., May 12 **TexMex BBQ**



International Gourmet Cooking Club

Upcoming dates: April 18th & May 9th (where we celebrate **Shawna Geissler's** 40th birthday).

Menus are always the secret of the cooks until guests arrive on the evening of the dinner!

For information: **Sheila McKague** at **525-8905**.



Book Club #2

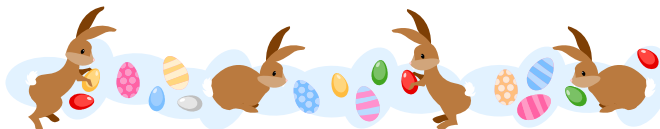
We usually meet on the first Tuesday of the month.
Here's an exciting list of books for 2006-2007!



Tue, April 3 **As One Who Serves**
Tue, May 1 **Ten Thousand Lovers**

by James Pitsula
by Edeet Ravel

Convenor: **Anne Lavack** at **586-8276** or e-mail Anne.Lavack@uregina.ca



Interest Group Convenors

Come out and enjoy one of the interest groups! Contact the convenor of the group that interests you:

Book Club #1	Sara Cryderman	saracryderman@sasktel.net	585-6503
Book Club #2	Anne Lavack	Anne.Lavack@uregina.ca	586-8276
Bridge	Isabelle Peardon	gpeardon@accesscomm.ca	586-6315
Culinary Explorers	Lise Lundlie	llundlie@sasktel.net	586-1085
Eclectic Events	Therese Gerrond	therese.gerrond@uregina.ca	359-7507
Couples Gourmet	Rachel Faerber-Ovaska	rachelfaerber@hotmail.com	569-8203
Internat'l Cooking	Sheila McKague	sheila.mckague@sasktel.net	525-8905

Culinary Explorers

Join the Culinary Explorers, dining out at a different restaurant each month! If you wish to attend, please RSVP to the convenor, **Lise Lundlie**, at **586-1085** at least 1-2 days before each restaurant outing takes place.



Mon., Apr. 9 **Memories**
Mon., May 14 **Four Seas**
Mon., June 11 **Teppanyaki**

1717 Victoria Ave.
1779 Rose St.
736 Victoria Ave

CFUW Celebrity Fashion Show

Date: Sunday, May 27, 2007

Time: 11:00 a.m.

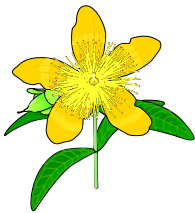
Place: Hotel Saskatchewan

This fundraising event will raise money for scholarships at the University of Regina. For more details, contact Brenda Wallace at 565-3215 or Amber MacLeod at 586-2785.




FROM:

U of R Women
 University of Regina
 c/o Anne Lavack,
 Faculty of Business Administration



U OF R WOMEN – APRIL 2007 ACTIVITIES

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 7:30 pm Book Club #2	4	5	6 Good Friday	7
8 Easter 	9 6:30 pm Culinary Explorers- Memories	10	11	12	13	14 7:00 pm Couples Gourmet Dinner
15	16 Book Club #1	17	18 International Cooking Club	19	20 Mixed Bridge Club	21
22	23	24	25 5:00 AGM & Dinner	26	27	28
29	30					

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