

U of R



Women

Newsletter

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February 2012

Program of Events

2011-2012



Dinner with CJ Katz,
food writer,
cookbook
author and culinary
host of CTV's
Wheatland Cafe

Date: Wed. Feb. 15th

Place:

University Club

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Cash bar and
reception

6:30 Dinner

7:30 CJ Katz pastry
demonstration

Cost: U of R Women
members = \$20.00,
guests = \$30.00

RSVP: by Feb. 10th
to Dena McMartin
at 584-0155 or

dena.mcmartin@uregina.ca

Message from your President...

The members of our executive join me in wishing all of you a happy year ahead. For the next months we have planned some interesting events which we hope you will attend. The first is an Eclectic Events sponsored program at the Assiniboia Gallery, focusing on the work of gallery artists, with special emphasis on women artists of Western Canada. At our second event of the winter, on February 15, we are anticipating a delicious dinner in conjunction with a lively, informative demonstration by CJ Katz, food writer and CTV culinary host. Then, as part of the April 18 AGM, we are looking forward to the presentation by two speakers from Habitat for Humanity. The last event of the 2011-2012 year is an excursion to Wilcox, where we will learn about centuries of old manuscripts, now housed in the Athol Murray College Archives. These manuscripts, including one attributed to Erasmus, were sent from Germany to the College for safe keeping prior to WWII.

We extend thanks to Lisa Watson, who liaised with Duna Barber and the University of Regina to arrange for the memorial bursary that U of R Women are awarding in honour of Dr Lloyd Barber; and to Ann Van Vliet, who generously donated her time to make storage bags out of anti-tarnish fabric for the silver tea services that we use at convocation receptions.

In the next months, you may be contacted to ask about assuming a position on the executive of our organization. We are proud of our organization, now in its 48th year of operation. Over the decades U of R Women has provided networking and support for female members of our university community, interesting programs and learning experiences for our members, as well as service to the university both through our volunteer work at Convocation Receptions and through our annual scholarship. If approached, we hope you will see fit to let your name stand. Accepting nomination for an executive position will provide you with a satisfying, enjoyable experience and will ensure that University of Regina Women has leadership for the coming year and beyond.

Best wishes to all of you,

Sheila McKague

Annual General Meeting
Dinner & Speakers from
Habitat for Humanity
Date: Wed. Apr. 18th
Place: University Club
Time: 5:00 p.m. AGM;
6:00 Dinner
7:00 Presentation
by Dennis Coutts,
Executive Director of
Habitat for Humanity
and Trish Bezborotko.

Cost:
Members = \$20.00
Guests = \$30.00
RSVP: by April 12th to
Joan Kruger at 539-6732 or
kruger@accesscomm.ca

**Free tickets to U of R
Women**

Baroque Music Group,
Per Sonatori, presents a
concert with Tara Semple,
Marie-Noelle Berthelet &
David Popoff.
Westminster United Church
Friday March 23 at 8 p.m.
For tickets: contact Sheila at
525-8905 or
sheila.mckague@sasktel.net

Wednesday, February 15, 2012.

Place: University Club.
Reception: 6:00 p.m. Dinner: 6:30 Presentation: 7:30

CJ Katz, is a gourmet cooking instructor; a television and radio commentator on cooking, dining and entertaining; and a contributor to several food magazines and newspapers. CJ Katz brings food and dining to life in Saskatchewan as the culinary host of The Wheatland Café on CTV and formerly with an award-winning website and weekly on-line magazine called *Savour Life Magazine*. CJ will demonstrate how to prepare a pastry dessert dish, which we will eat! CJ also has out a new book, published by the CPRC. If the book is ready by this date, she may bring some along.

RSVP to Dena McMartin at 584-0155 or
dena.mcmartin@uregina.ca by February 10, 2012.

Eclectic Events Excursion to Archives at Athol Murray College, Wilcox

The archivist will discuss and show historic manuscripts, which date back centuries.

Date: Fri. May 4th

Time: 11 a.m. - approx. 3:30 p.m.

Car pools will be arranged. Lunch served at the College, followed by presentation.

RSVP: by May 1st to Sheila at 525-8905 or
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U of R Women – Executive for 2011-2012

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Interest Group Activities

Couples Gourmet Dinner Club

The Couples Gourmet Dinner Club meets on the **2nd Saturday** of each month at 7:00 p.m. Each couple prepares and brings a dish from the themed menu planned by the convenor. Each couple also brings their own wine or beverage. The host couple supplies coffee & tea.

Upcoming themes include:

February 11, 2012

Something Sweet

March 10, 2012 That's Italian

April 14, 2012 Get crackin' (eggs)

May 12, 2012 Hawaiian Luau

Call Lisa at 565-2404 or e-mail

Lisa.Watson@uregina.ca.

Book Club #2

If you love to read, please come and join us for an evening of food and discussion on the **first Tuesday** of each month!

Upcoming titles include:

February 7:

The Unit (Ninni Holmqvist)

March 6

The Life and Times of the Thunderbolt Kid (Bill Bryson)

April 2

Secret Daughter - Shilpi Gowda

May 1

The Paris Wife - Paula McLain

Call Tatiana at 337-8455 or e-mail Tatiana.Levit@uregina.ca.

Culinary Explorers

This is a fancy name for people who like to eat out at restaurants and have a good time.

We meet the second Monday of each month. The group suggests restaurants we would like to go to and Lise makes out a master list for the year - which sometimes gets changed by all of us!

From February to April the plan is that we will attend Table 10

Tandoori Kabab (East Indian)

Siam (Thai).

If you've signed up to attend, we hope you'll find the time to come. If you haven't signed up yet for this club, we'd love to have you try us out. Please contact **Lise Lundlie**, the convenor, at 586-1085 or Lise.Lundlie@sasktel.net.

International Gourmet Cooking Club

This group of fourteen women meets monthly, for dinner and lively conversation. Members work in pairs, each pair hosting one evening during the year. On all other evenings, they enjoy being guests. The group is presently at capacity. However, if sufficient interest is shown, a second group could be formed. For information or to register interest in this group, contact **Joan Roy** at 586-5536 or e-mail joan.roy@uregina.ca.

Mixed Bridge Group

If you enjoy playing bridge, 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. Contact Susan at 525-0058 or susanmclaren2007@yahoo.ca for more information.

Curling Club

Newcomers are welcome and coaching is available. Details on dates and times to be announced. For more information contact **Linda Paul** at 585-0988 or paulal@uregina.ca.

The **University of Regina Women Anne Lavack Bursary** for Fall 2012 will be awarded to a deserving female student studying in Business Administration who demonstrates high academic standing and participates in extra-curricular or volunteer activities. Anne was an active member of the U of R Women's Club throughout her 10 year tenure at the University of Regina from 2001-2011. She participated in and convened several of the club's interest groups, sat on the club's executive, and served as President from 2007-2009. She recently left the University of Regina to take on the role of Provost & Vice-President (Academic) at Kwantlen Polytechnic University in Vancouver.

We are continuing to collect **tax deductible donations** for the *2012 Anne Lavack Bursary*. We need another **\$260** to meet this year's \$1000 obligation. Donations may be sent to our Treasurer, Kay Antrobus, at 3059 Quinn Dr. S4P 2W3. Please make your **cheque payable to University of Regina** and identify it as a contribution to the U of R Women Bursary. Official receipts will be sent from the U of R Financial Services at the end of the year. Thank you for your support.

The U of R women executive also voted to offer a second **one-time \$500 bursary**, the **University of Regina Women Dr. Lloyd Barber Bursary**, in 2012, dedicated in memoriam to Dr. Lloyd Barber in honour of him and his wife, Duna. Long-standing honorary member Duna Barber selected the criteria. This bursary will be awarded to a female business administration student who is actively involved in extracurricular or volunteer activities both on and off the university campus. This scholarship is designed to reflect the values that Dr. Barber shared with Duna and passed on to future generations of their family. This scholarship was funded with existing money, thus no donations are required.

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