Women's Network - February News and Program

February 10, 2011

President, Susan Lauffer; Secretary, Sue Lacey; Treasurer, Jerry Fries; Membership, Julie Freeman; Program, Deborah Langley and Pat Netzer; Communications, Franny Hildabrand; Nominating Committee, Ann Cleary, Carol Nagel, Becky Wallace

Upcoming Events

February Program – Dr. Lyn Johnson, Animal Behaviorist – Thurs February 17

Dr. Lynn Johnson, veterinarian and animal behaviorist, will talk and demonstrate with her Corgi on understanding your dog better. Besides doing more with your dog this can help you deal with strange dogs like at dog parks and on the street. You can also learn how to choose your next dog whether for yourself or a gift.. Bring your questions.

<u>This meeting has been MOVED to the MUTUAL GIRLS CLUB,</u> 321 SW Penn. The meeting begins at 12 noon.

Sunday Cinema - February 20

Join us Sunday February 20th at 2pm at Joan Dreisker's for "Winters Bone". Joan lives at XXX. (note: this movie was filmed in MO in some of Ann Cleary's old stomping grounds).

Notes from Members

From Julie Freeman:

TU WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES (WGS) AND THE TULSA INSTITUTE FOR TRAUMA, ABUSE, AND NEGLECT (TITAN) ARE PLEASED TO PRESENT: ANY ONE OF US: WORDS FROM PRISON FEBRUARY 11 and 12, 2011 -Great Hall A, Allen Chapman Activity Center, 7:00 p.m.

Written by Eve Ensler (best known for her award-winning play *The Vagina Monologues*), this play is a collection of stories written by women in prisons across the nation moving forward toward healing, understanding, and change with the ultimate goal of using their writing and voices to affect policy, laws and treatment of incarcerated women. The TU production, directed by Women's and Gender Studies student Carly Putnam, features a student cast. Tickets will be sold at the door--\$5.00 for students and \$10.00 for faculty, staff, and community members. Refreshments will be served. **All proceeds from the production will be donated to Girl Scouts Beyond Bars of Eastern Oklahoma (http://www.girlscoutseastok.org/mecgs/Project_MEND2.asp?SnID=2).**

**Due to some graphic and disturbing content, this play is intended for mature audiences only.

For further information, please contact Professor Jan Wilson, WGS events coordinator, at jan-wilson@utulsa.edu.

From Fran Stallings

Here's an article many WN members may want to read: "Books as Bombs: why the women's movement needed 'The Feminine Mystique"

http://www.newyorker.com/arts/critics/books/2011/01/24/110124crbo books menand?currentPage=1

Nominations for History Maker Award - Nomination Deadline February 14th

Do you know a woman who is "devoted to improving the human condition" in some area of life? If so, consider nominating her for the Bartlesville Women's Network History Maker of the Year Award.

The annual award was instituted in 1990 by the Bartlesville Women's Network. Recipients of the award are outstanding advocates and pioneers devoted to improving conditions in any area of

human life. Their contributions have also advanced the status of women either by direct action through a single achievement or by cumulative effort throughout a lifetime.

Previous honorees include Janice P. Dreiling, Nan Buhlinger, Joanne Riney Bennett, Odie McReynolds, Bettye Dailey Williams, Harriet Guthrie, Annette Ketchum, Alice Ririe, Susan Mueller and Marjoleine Gravley, and Cindy Pribil. Susan Murphy was selected the History Maker for 2010.

Nominations should be submitted to Judy Buys, XXX or to XXX. The nomination deadline is February 14, 2011.

Those submitting nominations should include their name, address, phone number, and email address, if applicable. Include complete contact information for the nominee and explain how the criteria above apply to the nominee.

The finalist will be selected by a committee of Women's Network board members and honored at the annual celebration of Women's History Month on March 24.

(Nomination Page follows below.....)

Bartlesville Women's Network Historymaker of the Year Award Nomination Form

This award will be presented during our annual March event celebrating National Women's History Month.

The History-Maker of the Year Award Criteria is:

- May be nominated by a Women's Network member of by any Bartlesville resident.
- Nominee must not be a member of current WN Board.
- Your name, address, and telephone #.
- Nominees should be advocates/pioneers devoted to improving the human condition in any arena of human life. Their contributions should also have the effect of advancing the status of women either by example or direct action. The basis for nomination can be a single achievement or the cumulative activities of a lifetime.

Your Name:			
Address:	_		
Telephone:	_		
Nominee's Name:			
Address:		-	
Telephone:		_	
Reasons for Nomination:			

The Nominations deadline is Feb 14. Please send nominations to Judy Buys, 1301 Madison, Bartlesville, OK, 74006 or email to: <u>Judybuys@sbcglobal.net</u>