#### **CFUW CALGARY**

#### **EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 2024 - 2025**

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## **Standing and Special Committees**

Archives - Members collect club history, archive it with the Glenbow Museum and periodically conduct research on behalf of the club.

Contact: Joan Sandham

Oral Histories - This committee collects oral histories from

a few members each year. Contact: Joan Sandham

**Issues and Advocacy -** It reviews issues related to education, status of women, human rights, and other

issues of interest.

Contact: Dr. Susan Miller

#### 2024 - 2025

Book Circle Susan Threadkell

Bridge TBD
CFUW Quiltina TBD

Fun Cooking Jane Topp & Pat Jordan

Lunch Bunch Lois Anderson
Random Readers Julia Maynard
Thursday Walking Group Joanne McNair
Jaunters Diana Reece

#### My Very Own Book Project (MVOBP)

In 1998, CFUW-Calgary undertook My Very Own Book Project to provide less fortunate children with books they can own. From 2001 - 2010, our club presented the Calgary Urban Project Society's (CUPS) One World Child Development Centre with over 800 books and other learning materials.

CFUW-Calgary also donated \$500 to fund 25 children's individual book bags through the Welcome to Kindergarten Program in the past.

In 2011, Calgary Reads became the continuing recipient of MVOBP donations. As of 2021, CFUW-Calgary raised approximately \$15,000 for Calgary Reads.

Beginning in 2022, the club's support of early literacy initiatives in Calgary became CanLearn through support with financial donations and with volunteer work at the Little Red Reading House. CanLearn's manager, Nada Jerkovic, Manager, Literacy Programs at CanLearn, will continue writing her excellent, interesting, and informative columns on early literacy for our newsletter.

MVOBP Convenors: Madeline Kalbach, Susan Stauffer &

Carolyn Patterson

### January Neighbourhood Luncheon

Monday, January 20, 2025
Hostesses, TBD, will welcome you to a pot-luck lunch at their homes from 11:30 AM to 2 PM.
Watch your newsletter for details!

# **INTEREST GROUPS & CONVENORS**

# CANADIAN FEDERATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN CALGARY



# KNOWLEDGE IS GROWTH COME & GROW WITH US

CFUW / CALGARY Est. 1923

PROGRAM 2024 - 2025

Website: www.cfuwcalgary.ca

National Website: www.cfuw.org

#### CFUW PROGRAM OF EVENTS 2024 - 2025

Unless otherwise noted (\*\*) meetings are held by Zoom

Saturday, September 14, 2024 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM CFUW/Calgary Membership Coffee Party

\*\*The Uplands in the Hawkwood Recreation Centre; 20 Hawkside Road N.W., Calgary T3G 3K9\*\*

Bring a friend, meet our members, discover our Interest Groups

Wednesday, October 16, 2024 6:30 - 9:00 PM CFUW CALGARY AND CFUW CALGARY NORTH JOINT MEETING Indigenous Speaker TBD

\*\*Parkdale United Church - 2919 - 8 Avenue N.W.\*\*

Monday, November 4, 2024 6:30 - 9:00 PM General Meeting

Topic: Calgary through the Eyes of Writers, Author Shaun Hunter

Saturday, November 30, 2024 11:30 AM – 3:00 PM Christmas Luncheon

\*\*Calgary Golf & Country Club - 919 - 50 Avenue S.W.\*\*

Monday, January 13, 2025 6:30 - 9:00 PM General Meeting

Topic: TBD, Speaker: TBD

February 3, 2025 (Zoom) or February 8, 2025 (In Person)
General Meeting 6:30 - 9:00 PM

Topic: TBD, Speaker: TBD

Monday, March 3, 2025 6:30 - 9:00 PM Celebration with Scholarship Recipients

Saturday, April 5, 2025 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Annual General Meeting followed by lunch at Moose's Pub Topics: Annual Report Presented, Resolutions, Election of Officers, Budget

\*\*Canadian Martyrs Catholic Church - 835 Northmount Drive N.W.\*\*

May 3, 2025 brunch or May 5, 2025 dinner Year-end Wind-up, meeting time TBD

Location TBD

Topic possibly a Reader's Theatre-type production of "Patriarchy on Trial"; Speaker TBD

April 2025

Alberta Council AGM

\*\*Date, Time and Location TBD\*\*

August 2025

National CFUW AGM

\*\*Date, Time and Location TBD\*\*

#### CFUW is...

- A national organization, founded in 1919, with over 6,500 members in more than 90 clubs across Canada.
- CFUW is an affiliate of Graduate Women International, and a member of International Alliance of Women. CFUW has consultative status with United Nations Social and Economic Council, is a representative on the Education Committee of the Canadian Commission UNESCO and participates in the annual conference of the UN Status of Women Commission.

#### CFUW is committed to:

- The pursuit of knowledge
- The promotion of education
- The improvement of the status of women and of human rights for all
- Active participation in public affairs, in a spirit of cooperation and friendship.

#### CFUW/Calgary

- Established in 1923 under the name University Women's Club of Calgary.
- Was the twentieth group to join the CFUW.
- Encouraged the establishment of a Calgary University and pressed for autonomy
- Participated in the establishment of a model day-care centre; the first in Calgary
- Worked to establish libraries in elementary schools
- Presents briefs to all levels of government on education, human rights, environment, and the status of women
- Supports higher education through scholarship funding and distribution

#### **CFUW/CALGARY MEMBERSHIP**

Women graduates with degrees, diplomas or equivalent qualifications from recognized universities throughout the world are eligible for full membership, as are women without these qualifications who aspire to the goals of CFUW.

New members are welcome throughout the year.

Fees: \$130/yr.for full members (with \$30 tax receipt)

- \$100/yr for membership only
- \$ 50/yr for full time student or Dual Club Member
- \$ 60/yr for new graduates -first 2 years after graduation
- \$ 70/yr for membership after February 1st

Returning members are requested to respond by e-transfer to cfuwcalgarytreasurer@gmail.com

Cheques are payable to: CFUW / Calgary

Mail to: CFUW Calgary Treasurer 3921 – 45<sup>th</sup> Street S.W. Calgary, Alberta T3E 6P2

To have your name published in the 2024-2025 Membership Directory, fees must be received no later than Oct. 31, 2024.

#### SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

CFUW/Calgary has a long-standing history of funding scholarships and bursaries at the University of Calgary and Mount Royal University. Each year the donations and proceeds from the Scholarship activities aid in supporting the scholarships. The club operates a charitable trust, registered with the Canada Revenue Agency and issues tax-deductible receipts.

CFUW/Calgary members have approved motions to endow scholarships and bursaries at the University of Calgary. As each award is endowed, the University manages the investments and grants the awards to students according to the terms of the endowment agreement with CFUW/Calgary.

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# Awards Endowed at the University of Calgary

CFUW/Calgary Helen Steeves Memorial Bursary	\$ 1,000
CFUW/Calgary Edel Bording Memorial Bursary in Nursing	\$ 1,000
CFUW/Calgary Helen Steeves Memorial Scholarship in Law	\$ 1,200
CFUW/Calgary Hall/Street Scholarship in Nursing	\$ 1,500
CFUW/Calgary Judy McCaffrey Graduate Scholarship in Social work or Social Sciences	\$ 1,000
CFUW/Calgary Evelyn M. Brown Legacy Bursary Faculty of Arts	\$ 1,000
CFUW/Calgary M. Jean Hicks de Bruyn Scholarship in Elementary Education	\$ 1.000
CFUW/Calgary B. Lindley Scholarship in Biological Science	\$ 2,000
CFUW/Calgary CFUW Calgary Mary Wilson Legacy Indigence Studies Award	us \$ 2,000

#### Additional Awards at the University of Calgary

Awards at the Mount Royal University	
CFUW/Calgary Jean and Rudy Radons Scholarship in Science	\$ 2,000
(Geography)	\$ 2,000

CFUW/Calgary Undergraduate Centennial Scholarship in Arts

## Awards at the University of Alberta, Faculté St. Jean

CFUW/Calgary Centennial Bursary for Midwifery

CFUW Margaret and Walter Lindley Francophone Experience	
Award	\$1,500

#### Donations to the Scholarship Fund

Donations may be made at any club meeting. Tax receipts are issued for donations of \$10 or more. Cheques are payable to "CFUW / Calgary, Scholarship" and can be mailed to the Scholarship Treasurer:

CFUW Scholarship Treasurer 218103 - 76th Street E Foothills, Alberta T1S 3V8