

# HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE BULLETIN



January 2022

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## Message from the President

It's always a pleasure to see our Club members and friends enjoying the activities in the House. Activities begin again on January 17th\*. Take a little time to be thankful for each other as we continue to cautiously move through the COVID pandemic. \*date changed from Jan. 4th

**Happy New Year!**



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# CHRISTMAS MARKET 2021



Thank you to everyone who participated in the Online Christmas Market! Thank you to all who donated their beautiful work for the UWC Crafters, the delicious items for the Bake Shoppe, and to those who donated for the Gallery. We hope to see you all at 54 West Gate for Christmas Market 2022!



## NEWS FROM CFUW (CANADIAN FEDERATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN)

The Canadian Federation of University Women continues to be involved in the area of the Environment and Climate Change. The United Nations Climate Change Conference COP26 took place October 31-Nov 12 2021 in Glasgow, Scotland. CFUW is looking at ways to use their voice to speak up, speak out, push governments to meet their pledges and follow through on their decisions made to mitigate climate Change in Canada.

## CURRENT ISSUES AND ACTIONS

With 2021 behind us we are looking at the fresh new year that lies ahead. At Current Issues and Actions we have reviewed the outstanding work of the CFUW at addressing issues on behalf of University women and clubs all over the country. We have also seen the work of the Council of Women of Winnipeg and some of the initiatives taken by the National Council of Women. Truly, Canadian women are a force to be reckoned with! We will be bringing forward strategies for our club to support national efforts. So stay tuned. In 2022 you will have opportunities to join in the work of women across our country to build a better future.



## Mystery Readers experience *State of Terror*

At the next Mystery Readers gathering the group will be reviewing *State of Terror*. From Simon & Schuster - *State of Terror* is a unique and utterly compelling international thriller cowritten by Hillary Rodham Clinton, the 67th secretary of state, and Louise Penny, a multiple award-winning #1 New York Times bestselling novelist.

## Walking Group

January is the perfect time to set some new health resolutions and join the UWC Walking Group! This month the group will be exploring the Assiniboine Forest as well as taking a walk from the Club down Wellington Crescent. Lace up your walking boots and join the fun!

# Upcoming Activities

## Lunch & Learn - *Every Quilt Tells a Story...*

On Tuesday, January 25th, quilter, crafter, educator, and blogger Judy Stupak kicks off our 2022 *Speaker & Lunch* series. Judy loves to follow the call of the fabric to express something meaningful. Judy has won a number of awards including for her Canada 150 quilt. Please join us for an informative presentation as Judy displays and discusses displays and discusses some of her favourite quilts! Sign up by January 21st by emailing [uwc@mymts.net](mailto:uwc@mymts.net), calling 204-954-7880, or signing up at the Club.

Please see some examples of Judy's beautiful work below, and check out more of her quilts on her blog - [judystupak.wordpress.com](http://judystupak.wordpress.com)



# Upcoming Activities (cont.)

## CFUW Webinars

In December we joined the CFUW webinar **Sexual Violence on Campus**. Learn more about addressing and preventing gender-based violence at Post-Secondary institutions in Canada by visiting [couragetoact.ca](http://couragetoact.ca).

CFUW's workshop series, **Empowering Women through Pay Equity**, is designed to offer women in college and university helpful tools to bolster their professional toolkit, learn evidence-based negotiation strategies, and tips on how to mount a pay equity campaign. Learn more at [cfuw.org/take-action/free-workshop-series](http://cfuw.org/take-action/free-workshop-series).

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## Table Games

Mahjong, Social Bridge, and Scrabble & Babble are all set to start up again this month so dust off your gaming skills and meet us at the Club. We have all the supplies, so joining in a game is a breeze.

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## Writing Group

This group had a great time in December, writing and sharing and talking about personal and family history writing. They have their dates set for the first months of 2022, so don't delay in contacting the Club for more information on when this group meets.

## Join our Mailing List!

Interested in hearing more from us at the University Women's Club? Sign up for our mailing list by clicking [here](#) and adding your email address.

