

Our Interest Groups

- Biking
- Food with Thought
- Book Clubs
(various times)
- Games
- Bridge- Duplicate
- Gardening
- Bridge - Recreational
(various times)
- Golf
- Day Trippers
- Technology
- Dining Out
- Walking
- Exploring the Art of Cooking
- World Awareness
- Film

For further information on times and locations,
send an email to
cfuwbrantford@yahoo.ca

Scholarship and Trust Awards

CFUW Brantford grants awards to Secondary and Mature students who reside in Brant County and are Canadian citizens. The goal of the program is to support female students who demonstrate vitality for living, enthusiasm for learning, and intellectual curiosity about the world around them.

The Scholarship Fund is supported through fundraising activities, such as our Trivia Night, individual donations, and memorial gifts. Tax receipts are issued for contributions over \$10 with all monies going to the scholarships. A portion of our membership fee is given to the Scholarship Fund.

For further information, visit
www.cfuwbrantford.org

Purposes of CFUW Brantford

The purposes of CFUW Brantford shall be to:

1. promote opportunities for collaboration and friendship among its members;
2. promote high standards of public education in Canada, advanced study and research by women, and the pursuit of lifelong learning;
3. provide scholarship awards in accordance with the Canadian Federation of University Women Brantford Scholarship Fund Constitution 2013 (CFUW Brantford Scholarship Fund Constitution);
4. advocate for the advancement of the status of women, human rights, and the common good, locally, nationally, and internationally, in alignment with CFUW National, and IFUW (International Federation of University Women);
5. promote cooperation, networking, support, and understanding among women; and
6. encourage women in all aspects of the political, social, cultural, educational, and scientific fields, and in service to the community.

CFUW Brantford provides opportunities to make new friends, learn, expand interests, and to become more involved in the community through its activities, interest groups and committees. We welcome visitors to the monthly meetings to hear our speakers and to socialize with our members.

Please join us.

Canadian Federation of University Women Brantford

 2014-2015



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Who We Are

The Canadian Federation of University Women (CFUW), a non-profit organization, promotes advancing the status of women, human rights, justice, peace, and the provision of quality public education.

The Brantford Club was formed in 1945 by a group of local women who were seeking opportunities for lively and stimulating discussion. Over the years, the Club has hosted community events featuring well-known writers such as Paula Todd, Sally Armstrong, Mary Lou Finlay and Maureen Jennings; and has partnered with other organizations to offer All-Candidates Meetings and Campaign Schools.

CFUW (www.cfuw.org) has 9,000 members in 110 Clubs across Canada, and is the largest of 61 affiliates around the world that comprise the International Federation of University Women (www.ifuw.org). CFUW advises the Canadian Government on education, the status of women, human rights, justice, social, and environmental issues, and consults at the UN and UNESCO.

CFUW Brantford was instrumental in establishing the Teen Esteem Program, and in 1997 wrote and produced the book, *Significant Lives: Profiles of Brant County Women*, which highlighted exceptional local women from the 1800's to the 1990's. Internationally, it has participated in *Breaking Bread*, a fund-raiser for educating girls in Afghanistan. CFUW Brantford partners with Nova Vita, a local domestic violence prevention service, on International Women's Day activities. The Club also awards scholarships annually to women pursuing post-secondary education.

Our Program for 2014—2015

**Location—Thorpe Carriage House,
96 West St, Brantford.
Meetings at 7:30 p.m.**

**September 24, 2014 - ROLES AND RELATIONSHIPS OF
HAUDENOSAUNEE WOMEN,
- Janice Longboat**

Join us at 6:30 p.m for 'Welcome Back' Appetizers

**October 22, 2014 - THE POWER OF THE PEN,
- Elaine Charal**

**November 26, 2014 - BUILDING IN CAMBODIA,
- Pat Moore**

**January 28, 2015 - TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS,
- Pat Kawamoto**

**February 25, 2015 - PREVENTING AND RESPONDING
TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS,
- Teri Shaw & Cheryl Hayles**

**March 25, 2015 - LITERACY TRENDS IN BRANT,
- Leslie Telfer, Superintendent of
Education, BHNCDSB**

**April 22, 2015 - STEDMAN COMMUNITY HOSPICE,
- Olga Consorti, President and CEO, St.
Joseph's Lifecare Foundation
(Meeting location to be announced at a later date.)**

**May 27, 2015 — Annual General
Meeting and Banquet, GRAND RIVER
WATERSHED 101,**

**- Joy O'Donnell, Chair, Grand River
Conservation Foundation**

**Location: *Brantford Golf and Country
Club, 60 Ava Road, Brantford***

ALL MAYORAL CANDIDATES NIGHT

Wednesday, October 15, 2014

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Wilfred Laurier University -
The Odeon Theatre (Market Street)**

Membership is open to all women who support the goals of CFUW. For further information or to be contacted please email

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All new members are welcome! Feel free to attend one of our monthly meetings to learn more about our organization and to socialize with our members.

The annual fee is \$105.00 which includes a \$10 donation to the Scholarship Fund. Memberships run from May through April.

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