

2014/15 PROGRAM

- Sept. 20 **Fall Social – Potluck Luncheon**
Interest Group Info/ Sign-up
At the Sailing Club
- Oct.25 **Speaker: Susan Murphy**
National CFUW past president
- Nov. 22 **Speaker: Mona Fertig**
Salt Spring Island author
- Dec. 6 **Christmas Luncheon**
- Jan. 24 **Speaker: Michael Byers**
UBC professor
- Feb. 28 **Speaker: Janet Smith**

Salt Spring Island CFUW member
- March 28 **Resolutions**
- April 25 **Speaker: Cheryl Bell-Gadsby**
Clinical Director, SSI Community
Services
- May 23 **Annual General Meeting**



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We invite you to join us!

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SALT SPRING ISLAND

CFUW 

**CANADIAN FEDERATION
OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN**

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**Educational enrichment and
friendship for women in our
community – all women are
welcome**

Knowledge is Growth

Come Grow with Us

Who Are We?

The Canadian Federation of University Women (CFUW) CFUW/FCFUDU is a voluntary, non-profit, self-funded, non-partisan, non-governmental organization of close to 9,000 graduate women, students and associate members in 110 Clubs in Canada who advocate for equality for women and girls. CFUW seeks to improve access to education for women, for peace, justice, human rights and to support programs that improve the environment. Founded in 1919, the Canadian Federation of University Women is the largest of the 61 affiliates that belong to the International Federation of University Women (IFUW/FIFDU). The Salt Spring Island Club was founded in 1997. It is one of the most active clubs in the country.

Who Can Join?

Full Membership:

- a) Any woman who holds a degree from an accredited university or its equivalent.
- b) A woman with a professional designation or qualification that is considered by the profession's regulatory body to be equivalent to a university or college degree and currently requires such a degree for admission to the profession.

Associate Membership: A woman who supports the objectives and purpose of the CFUW

Student Membership: A woman who is enrolled at a university or college either full-time or in a program that could lead to post-graduate work

Associate and student members are entitled to all the privileges and responsibilities of membership. Students pay 50% of the per capita dues.

What Do We Do?

- 1) Assist in developing and advancing a sound concept of educational values and in maintaining high standards of public education in Canada.
- 2) Encourage the higher education of women.
- 3) Promote and sustain among members an interest in public affairs in the political, social, cultural and scientific fields and provide an opportunity for effectual action.
- 4) Guard and improve the economic, legal and professional status of Canadian women.
- 5) Encourage friendship, co-operation and understanding among women university graduates worldwide.
- 6) Administer a scholarship/bursary fund for the advancement of post secondary education of selected high school students and mature women.
- 7) Administer the HOPE project – a program for secondary school education of disadvantaged girls in countries around the world. To minimize overhead costs, we partner with the Commonwealth Countries League.

Special Interest Groups are an integral part of the Club's activities. Small groups gather at least once a month to pursue such subjects as literature, travel, bridge, French conversation, life writing, and other subjects and also for social activities.

When and Where We Meet

Members get together on the last Saturday of the month from September to May at 10:00 am. Meetings are held October to May at the Crofton Room, Harbour House hotel. The program consists of a brief business meeting followed by speakers on a variety of topics.

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