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### Do you play a musical instrument?
Would you like to join other YUWO members in a new activity whose title is **Chamber Music for Amateurs**.
See inside for details.

### Clark Museum Trip News:
There are still a number of seats available on the bus trip to the Clark Museum on October 6th.
You are most welcome to bring along a friend or two.

### Fall Study Group 2016
**Current Issues in Public Health**

- Wednesday, September 28,
- October 5, 19, 26, and
- November 2 at 10:30 am

Yale West Campus Conference Center

As there is a large auditorium and plenty of parking, we hope you will invite a guest!

Directions to the Yale West Campus are inside this issue.

### President’s Letter to the YUWO Community

Dear YUWO Members:

On a very happy note, I am pleased to tell you that our Wine & Cheese reception on September 13th was a resounding success and a wonderful party. With close to 140 YUWO members in attendance, this is the first of three events during the YUWO year at which the whole group can meet together and socialize. Many, many thanks to Johanna Becker, Cathy Burgard, and their committee for arranging for wine, food, and the activity tables that are so crucial to our success as an organization. Please remember that it’s never too late to sign up for any activity that you think you might be interested in. We offer a large variety of options and hope that you will take advantage of as many as possible.

On a very sad note, I wanted to pay tribute to YUWO member Janet Hammond who passed away after a long and valiant struggle on September 8th. Janet served as President of YUWO from 1985-1987, served as an Advisor and on the Nominating Committee, and served as an enthusiastic head of both the Gourmet Luncheon as well as the Ski Groups. She was also a past president of the Yale-New Haven Hospital Auxiliary and a leader and office holder in many other civic organizations. She was a gracious, beautiful woman; her loss will create a void in the lives of all who knew her.

With best wishes, Stephanie and Annemarie
Scrabble Group News for Scrabble Fans

Louise FitzSimons, Scrabble Group Coordinator, is happy to report that the Scrabble Group’s first meeting this fall will be on **Sunday, October 9 at 2:00 pm.** After that, we will meet on the **third Sunday** of each month at 2:00 pm. Please contact Louise at 203-782-0913 or cavancomm@gmail.com for questions and directions.

Needlers Invite You to Join Them

On **Tuesday, October 11 at 1:30 pm,** we will meet at Alice Simon’s house in Hamden. And on **Tuesday, October 25 at 1:30 pm,** we’ll meet at Kirsti Langbein’s house in Woodbridge. As always, you are invited to bring your projects, or mending, or to come for the conversation. Everyone is welcome. Please contact Dinny Wakerley at 203-624-9343 or dinnyw999@gmail.com for additional information and/or directions.

YUWO Monthly Book Groups

**Second Monday at 2:00 pm:**
- October 10 – *Life after Life* by Kate Atkinson
- November 14 – *A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man* by James Joyce
- December 12 – *My Name is Lucy Barton* by Elizabeth Strout
  Contact Pat Goldstein (203-535-0734) or patgoldst@gmail.com

**Third Monday at 2:00 pm:**
- October 17 – *Just Kids* by Patti Smith
  Contact Betsy Suatoni (518-483-6509) or elsuatoni@sbcglobal.net

**Second Tuesday at 2:00 pm:**
- October 11 – *Trust Me on This* by Donald E. Westlake
  Contact Lyn Howe (203-606-0370) or lyn.howe@sbcglobal.net

YUWO to Tour the Grove Street Cemetery

Many of you have asked for this old favorite – a tour of the Grove Street Cemetery on Grove Street opposite the Yale Law School. We will meet Patricia Illingworth, head docent, at the Cemetery’s Main Gate, on **Tuesday, October 18th at 11:30 am** for a one hour tour. If you’d like to join us for the tour and/or get together afterwards for lunch at Mory’s, please RSVP to Emily McDiarmid at emmcdiarmid@gmail.com or (203-640-1035) or Anne Schenck at annefschenck@aol.com (203-787-3705). Mory’s dining room is limited to 20.

New YUWO Website Address

Please note that the new URL (website address) for YUWO is campuspress.yale.edu/yuwo/
YUWO Fall Bus Tour on Thursday, October 6, 2016
to the Clark Art Museum, Williamstown, MA

Set within beautiful grounds and walking trails, The Clark is one of the finest small art museums in the country. Their Permanent Collection includes European and American paintings, decorative arts and sculpture, with an outstanding group of French Impressionist paintings. Their special exhibition is Splendor Myth and Vision: Nudes from the Prado, 28 Old Master paintings, most of which have never been shown before in America: works by Titian, Rubens, Tintoretto, Velasquez, Brueghel, Poussin and others. In 2014 the architect Tadao Ando completed additions and renovations to The Clark, including their one-acre reflecting pools.

A multi-media guide to The Clark collections is available for $5, or you could download a free app for iTunes or GooglePlay. You might want to read the book The Clarks of Cooperstown, published in 2007. The fall foliage color should be spectacular on this trip.

**Lunch is on your own.** The Museum café is on the entrance level.

There are picnic tables if you choose to bring your own lunch.

Cost of $80 includes bus travel, driver’s tip and admission to The Clark Art Museum

- **Promptly at 7:30 am** our bus leaves the North Haven commuter lot on Devine Street (Exit 10 off I-91)
- We will leave The Clark at 3:30 pm and expect to return by 6:30 pm.

To register for this Trip, please use the Registration Insert in this Newsletter. As we are trying to fill every seat on the bus, we hope you will invite your husband, a friend, or both.

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**Fall 2016 Study Group: Current Issues in Public Health**

Judy Miller, Louise Ciulla, and their committee are pleased to offer YUWO members a five-part lecture series on Current Issues in Public Health. These will be held this fall on five Wednesdays at 10:30 am at the Yale West Campus Conference Center.

The first speaker, Marta Moret, is owed many thanks for having been instrumental in lining up the other speakers for this series. She is President of Urban Policy Strategies, an evaluation research and policy consulting group, aimed at bridging the gap between the research and science of public health, education and social services and the best practices of community organizations.

The dates and lecturers:

- **September 28** – Marta Moret: Emerging Issues in Public Health
- **October 5** – Dan Esty: Climate Change and Public Health: Why it Matters and Where We are Going
- **October 12** – No Lecture
- **October 19** – Judy Tabar: Women’s Issues in Public Health
- **October 26** – Jeannette Ickovics: Wealth and Health Inequities in Public Health
- **November 2** – Richard Schottenfeld: Drug Addiction and Public Health

To Register for this Series, please fill out and bring the Registration Insert in this Newsletter to the YUWO desk at the West Campus Conference Center on September 28, the date of the first Lecture.
Hikers to Visit Stony Creek Village & Trolley Trail

On Friday, September 30 at 10:30 am, YUWO hikers will meet in front of the Willoughby Wallace Library, 146 Thimble Island Road, in Stony Creek for a hike on the Stony Creek Trolley Trail. There is an option for lunch at the Stony Creek Market afterwards. Let Patty Pollard (pollpatty@yahoo.com) know if you can join us.

Hikers to Visit the Sandy Point Bird Sanctuary

On Friday, October 21 at 9:30 am, the YUWO Hiking Group will meet at the parking lot of the Sandy Point Bird Sanctuary, First Avenue (also named Beach Street) and Third Avenue extension, West Haven. This will be a beautiful walk along a sand bar that juts out into New Haven Harbor. Notify Patty Pollard at pollpatty@yahoo.com if you plan to join us.

Directions to Yale’s West Campus for the Fall Study Group

If you are driving from the north or east (New Haven), take I-95 to exit 41 (Marsh Hill Road). At the end of the ramp, take a left onto Marsh Hill Road. At the next traffic light, take a left onto the West Campus Drive/I-95 northbound entrance ramp. Follow this to the fork, staying in the right lane, and check in at the Welcome Center for directions to the Conference Center.

If you are driving from the south or west (New York), take I-95 to exit 41 (Marsh Hill Road) and go straight ahead at the end of the exit ramp, across Marsh Hill Road, onto West Campus Drive/I-95 northbound entrance ramp. Follow this to the fork, staying in the right lane, and check in at the Welcome Center for directions to the Conference Center.

Rembrandt Lectures this Fall

YUWO Member Jill Walsh has shared the news that her husband, John Walsh, will offer a series of six lectures on Rembrandt at the Yale University Art Gallery this fall. Lectures will be on five Fridays at 1:30 pm and one Thursday at 5:30 pm.

The dates are:

Friday, October 28 at 1:30 pm – Rembrandt’s Debut in Amsterdam

Friday, November 4 at 1:30 pm – Rembrandt the Dramatist and the Heart of the Matter

Friday, November 11 at 1:30 pm – The “Most Bizarre Manner”: Rembrandt’s Etchings

Friday, November 18 at 1:30 pm – Rembrandt Presents Himself

Friday, December 2 at 1:30 pm – Rembrandt’s Syndics and His Later Portraits

Thursday, December 8 at 5:30 pm – The Jewish Bride: Rembrandt’s Surfaces and Depths
Fall 2016 Evening Film Series

“The Blonde Woman: Obsession of Alfred Hitchcock”

Tuesday evenings, October 18th, 25th, and November 1st at 6:30pm

This fall, the Evening Film Series will offer a director’s series featuring three films by that master of suspense, Alfred Hitchcock. These three movies will explore the iconic director’s increasingly misogynistic obsession with his beautiful blonde stars. There will be a flat fee of $20 for all three films, and YUWO members will be limited to one guest. The series will be held at Best Video, 1842 Whitney Ave in Hamden. Hank Paper, proprietor, will provide a short background talk before each viewing; committee chairperson, Judith Lynch, will lead a discussion afterwards. Due to limited seating at Best Video, we will be able to honor only the first 60 reservations we receive. For questions about registration, please email Judith Lynch at jslynch@optimum.net by October 11.

The films are:

October 15th – Rear Window – Grace Kelly is the beautiful blonde in this film which received four Academy Award nominations including Best Director for Alfred Hitchcock. This film represents the genesis of Hitchcock’s interest in icy blonde beauties. Time magazine observed: “there is never an instant when Hitchcock is not in masterly control of his material.”

October 25th – Vertigo (1958) – A masterpiece of obsession, manipulation and fear, Vertigo has been ranked by the American Film Institute as the ninth greatest film ever made. This time, the role of Hitchcock’s cool blonde is played to perfection by Kim Novak.

November 1st – Marnie (1964) – Tippi Hedren stars in Marnie, as the kleptomaniac heroine with a troubled psyche. Critics have called the film “the director’s definitive late-period masterpiece.” Yet it is in this film that Hitchcock takes his obsession from film into reality, ruining Hedren’s film career.

To register for this Series, please use the Registration Insert in this Newsletter.

In addition to the above, Best Video is offering a series of films about the Presidency during the months of October and November. For information: www.bestvideo.com

YUWO Chamber Music for Amateurs

This new activity made its debut at the Wine & Cheese Reception on September 13th.

Chaired by Lynn Hammer, this new group welcomes all amateur musicians. Everyone who has ever played an instrument is invited to join in the pleasure of making music together. All instruments and all levels of expertise are welcome. The group will meet in YUWO members’ homes.

To join the Chamber Music group, please contact Lynn Hammer at 203-624-6882 or by email at lynnrachelhammer@gmail.com
Art Aficionados to Visit “Spreading Canvas” Exhibit

On Wednesday, October 12, at 12:00 noon, we will have a docent-guided tour of the latest exhibit at the Yale Center for British Art. The subject of this very impressive exhibit is 18th century British Marine Painting.

Please email Anneke Hathaway at anneke_hathaway@sbcglobal.net if you plan to attend. The Center wants the groups to be no more than 15. We will set up another tour if we are over that limit.

Making Sense of Art

At the Wine & Cheese, several of you remembered your active participation in this program. Here we will spend one hour looking at three pieces of art. Following this close observation, we will share our impressions, questions, historical perspective, artist intentions, and skills as well as our likes and dislikes. Participants must commit to all three weekly sessions.

If you are interested, please email Anneke Hathaway at anneke_hathaway@sbcglobal.net with the day of the week you prefer (no Mondays) and whether morning or afternoon works for you. This will enable us to come up with a plan, which we will publish in the next Newsletter.

Wine & Cheese—and Smiles!

A few of the more than 140 YUWO members and prospective members who gathered on September 13 at Greenberg Conference Center for wine, cheese, reconnecting and signing up. (Photo credit: Berclee Cameron.)
Membership Registration Form (2016-2017)

Name ___________________________ Phone ____________________

Address

Street ____________________ City ___________ Zip ______________

Please clearly PRINT your email address if you wish to receive the YUWO newsletter and other YUWO notices via email:

__________________________________________

Membership is open to any woman who by virtue of her own or her family’s affiliation, past or present, is associated with the Yale community.

New Members Only: Check all Yale affiliations (past or present) that apply:
Self _____ Spouse _____ Other Relative _____
As: Staff ____ Faculty ____ Student ____ Postdoc ____ Alum ____
Position of above is: Active ____ Retired ____ Former ______

I am renewing my membership ____ I am a new member ____

YUWO Annual Dues $ 30.00

Separate checks, please, for donations to any of these funds:

YUWO Scholarship Trust Fund ______
Annual Scholarship Fund ______
Magee Fenn Scholarship Trust Fund ______
The Gustav and Carol Lynn Sirot Trust Fund ______

TOTAL Amount Enclosed (all checks): ______

All checks should be payable to “Yale University Women’s Organization.” Use the check memo line to indicate whether the amount is designated for “Dues” or a specific scholarship fund.

Note: Donations to the all YUWO scholarship funds are tax deductible.

Return this page and check(s) to

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Save the Date!

YUWO is pleased to announce this year’s Holiday Party.

Date: Sunday, December 4, 2016.

Location: to be announced soon!