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Contributions Recognized

The UWFA's contributions to the University is reported in the recently published *University of Washington Foundation - Report to Contributors 2007-2008*. The Faculty Auxiliary is recognized for its contributions in two impressive categories. The Auxiliary as an organization is first recognized among contributors with Lifetime Giving levels between \$100,000 and \$999,999. Secondly, UWFA contributions in 2007-2008 qualified it for the President's Club, for annual giving by an organization at an amount between \$10,000 and \$99,999. Clearly the Auxiliary has been building quite a reputation for itself, an achievement of which we can be proud.

~Carol Hol

Sheila Belcher, DeLaine Emmert, and Mimi Wagar stand in front of the purple and gold husky-themed tree at President and Mrs. Emmert's home at our Annual Holiday Tea. Sheila holds the silver basket traditionally used to collect contributions to FIUTS (Foundation for International Understanding Through Students).

~photo by Hady De Jong

**SAVE THE DATE
CENTENNIAL GALA BANQUET
MAY 3, 2009**

FIUTS at the Holiday Tea

The Faculty Auxiliary Holiday Tea is an annual fundraiser for FIUTS and a wonderful opportunity for us to show our support for University of Washington international students. FIUTS is a non-profit organization founded at the UW in 1948. Its mission is to inspire lifelong engagement in experiences that build global understanding. At the tea international students meet and mingle with our members.

Executive director Era Shrepfer (second from right) poses with Nimco Bulale, Alicia van der Veen, and Nicole Comforto.

~Photo by Hady De Jong





UWFA Scholarship Recipients Alexis Echo Pong and Benjamin Trite Minh Nguyen

UWFA Centennial Year scholarship winners were presented at the November 18 Scholarship evening. The scholarship committee (Rose Marie Dale, Anne Johnson and Gail Butterfield) chose two outstanding students who will receive full tuition for one academic year.

Alexis Echo Pong, a junior majoring in Psychology, received the Melba Schmitz Award. Alexis transferred with a 4.0 GPA from Skagit Valley College this fall. A single mother of two young sons, she finds time to volunteer at her sons' school, at church, and at a medical clinic and to perform in community theater. Her goal is a career in medicine. Since arriving at the University of Washington, she has rowed on the freshmen crew team.

The Barbara Garlid Scholarship recipient is Benjamin Trite Minh Nguyen, a transfer student from Columbia Basin College (CBC). His major area of interest is Electrical Engineering/ Computer Engineering. Amazingly, he completed all engineering prerequisites in only one year. He volunteered as Math/ Physics tutor and was President of the Physics Club at CBC. On the varsity tennis team in high school, he was in the Table Tennis Club at CBC. Because teaching is the most honorable work in his culture, he dreams of becoming a teacher. In an email Ben sent the committee conveying his gratitude he says, "My family also wants to forward their thanks...I truly hope that there will be more scholarship for future students and more lives to change in years to come..."

~Rose Marie Dale

Dinner-And-A-Movie

For this winter's movie series, themed Romances of the American West, Ruth Eller has chosen two movies with exceptionally charming leading men.

The Grey Fox

January 14, 7 pm at the UW Club

Our first film was directed by Phillip Borsos and tells the tale of a real life stage coach robber. The story begins in Washington in 1902 just as Bill Miner is released from jail after a long prison term. Stage coaches are passé so he decides to become a train robber. Much happens along the way. He becomes a well liked citizen in the town of Kamloops and falls in love. Richard Farnsworth brings a genuine charm to his role. His performance is one of the most delightful that I can remember.

Destry Rides Again

February 11, 7 pm at the UW Club

Our second film is directed by George Marshall and stars James Stewart and Marlene Dietrich. Stewart, as opposed to the charming Farnsworth, is on the right side of the law. The movie starts out as pure corn ball, but because of Stewart's disarmingly innocent but wise performance and Marlene's bad-dame-who-is-reformed-by-the-lawman character, it takes a classic form and becomes the model for many cowboy films.

~Ruth Eller



In Memoriam

Warren S. Wooster, husband of Polly Wooster, passed away on October 29, 2008. He was a professor of marine studies and fisheries at the School of Marine Affairs, from which he retired as Emeritus Professor. He met his wife Polly on a blind date after the war and their marriage was grand partnership that lasted for 60 years.

Opera and More Interest Group

Dennis Glauber Presents

**It's Tenor Time
(Ten at a Time)**

Wednesday May 20, 2009 at 1:30

at the residence of
Evette and Dennis Glauber
3556 NE 147th Street, Lake Forest Park.

RSVP by calling
206-304-0816 or 206-367-1138

UWRA Travelogue Series

"Kivas, Canyons, and Hoodoos-
The American Southwest"
Bill and Audrey Weitkamp

January 21, 7:30 p.m.

"Morocco"

Emily Wilson
February 18, 7:30 p.m.

Travelogues are free and do not require reservations. However, if you would like to have dinner before hand at 6:00, please call the UW Club, 206-543-0437, by Monday before the event.



UWFA PAST PRESIDENTS' LUNCHEON:

The Past Presidents celebrated the UWFA centennial year with a luncheon at the Sattle Yacht Club on October 28. *Front row: Kay Spelman, Mimi Wagar, Evette Glauber, Vera Wellner, Ginnie Huntsman, Carmen Robbin, Sue Christian, Betty Orians, Esther Christian. Second row: Tish Tukey, Ester Baum, Fran Waibler, Mary Kenny, Jane Halver, Sheila Belcher, Mamie Bolender, Barbara Glicksberg, Alberta Ellison, Joan Waldo, Rosemary Newell, Sara Throckmorton, Gay Hardy, Tina Schiess. Third row: Marcia Brown and Barbara Archbold. Missing: DeLaine Emmert, Ruth Gerberding, Priscilla Bowen, Ruth Eller, Pat Fischbach, Carol Hol, Theresa Meditch, Jan Stoebe, Miriam Sutermeister and Joy Worcester. Group photo courtesy of Sue Christian.*

Century Circle

The Century Circle is made up of individuals and couples who make contributions of \$100 or more to the UWFA Scholarship Fund during our Centennial Celebration Year.

The following persons made donations to Century Circle between October 15 and December 15, 2008.

- Carole Drewyer
- Barbara and Kermit Garlid
- Ruth Gerberding
- Lydia and Ronald Nunke *“with thanks to the leaders of our organization”* Teresa Sparkman and Paul Yager: *in memory of Joan Chalk*

~Carol Hol



**Spring
Dinner Lecture Series**

March 11: The speaker is Dr. Sam Wasser, director of Center for Conservation Biology and pioneer of non-invasive wildlife monitoring methods.

April: “Get Fresh with Local Foods” by Acacia Lawson.

Lectures are free and do not require reservations. However, if you would like to have dinner before hand at 6:00, please call the UW Club, 206-543-0437, by Monday before the event.

Please welcome these new members

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~Judy Gunderson

Date	Event	Place	Time	Program
January 12	Centennial Planning Committee Meeting Coord: Carol Hol	UW Club	12:00 Lunch 12:30 Meeting	Plan for Centennial Celebrations
January 14	Dinner-And-A-Movie Coord: Ruth Eller	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:00 pm Movie	"The Grey Fox" (1982) Starring Richard Farnsworth
January 21	UWRA Travelogue Coord: Bill and Audrey Weitkamp	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:30 pm Lecture	"Kivas, Canyons, and Hoodoos, the American Southwest"
February 11	Dinner-And-A-Movie Coord: Ruth Eller	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:00 pm Movie	"Destry Rides Again" (1939) Starring James Stewart and Marlene Dietrich
February 18	UWRA Travelogue Coord: Bill and Audrey Weitkamp	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:30 pm Lecture	"Morocco" Emily Wilson
March 11	Dinner Lecture Series Speaker: Dr. Sam Wasser Coord: Ruth Eller	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:30 pm Lecture	Lecture on Conservation Biology
April 8	Dinner Lecture Series Speaker: Acacia Lawson Coord: Ruth Eller	UW Club	5:30 pm Social Hour 6:00 pm Dinner 7:30 pm Lecture	"Get Fresh with Local Foods" By the owner of Home Grown Nutrition
April 20	UWFA Annual Business Meeting Coord: Ruth Eller	UW Club	1:30 to 3:00 pm	Nominations and elections for next year. Not ALL business.

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