

UPDATE CALENDAR

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Thursday

A general meeting for all members and other interested women will be held at A Woman's Place, 1225 Barrington Street, Halifax, on Thursday, January 25, at 7:30 p.m. A social hour will follow the one-hour business meeting. For further information, please contact A Woman's Place, 429-4063.

Monkey Talk, a Dartmouth Regional Library program for young adults, will be held on Thursday, January 25 at 8:00 p.m. in the Main Library Auditorium. Dr. John Mates, of Dalhousie University, will speak on animal communication and a film will be shown on Washoe, the chimp who uses sign language. Phone 463-1742 for information.

The Dalhousie Association of Graduate Economics Students will be hosting Professor Eric Kierans of McGill University on Thursday, January 25th. Topic will be "The Canadian Economy: where it is, how it got there and where it's going". The talk will be held in the Small Auditorium, 1st floor of the Killam Library and is open to all. It begins at 3:30.

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On January 25 The Psychologist and the Music Educator, opportunities in co-disciplinary research by Barbara D. Reid, Thomas Coram Research Unit, University of London, will be presented.

JAMES DEAN stars in **EAST OF EDEN** courtesy of the SERENDIPITY CINEMA SOCIETY on JANUARY 26 at 7:00 and 9:00 p.m. in Room 2805, Life Sciences Centre, Dalhousie University. Admission is \$1.50 (\$1.00 for children) with membership. Membership is available at the door for 25c.

Friday

January 26, Friday, at 8:00 p.m. Talk on **Max Beckmann**, German Expressionist artist, by P.C. Laurette, assistant curator of the Art Gallery of Nova Scotia, in room 112, 6512 Coburg Road at LeMarchant. (AGNS) Discussion to follow. Refreshments.

The third session of a three-week orientation course will be held January 26 at 7:30 p.m. at A Woman's Place, 1225 Barrington Street. This course will acquaint women with the services and functions of the woman's centre and is open to any women wishing to be involved in its activities. Registration and information may be obtained by calling A Woman's Place, 429-4063.

Saturday

Come to the Nova Scotia Museum Project Room on Saturday, January 27, and learn how animals survive in winter. "Cold Weather Coats—for animals" is the morning's topic from 10:30-12:30. Drop in!

Sunday

A lecture on **Women in China** will be held January 28 on the second floor of the Red Herring Bookstore, 1625 Barrington Street. An examination of the role of women in Chinese society from an historical viewpoint and in the present. Some of the problems which still exist and the steps being taken for their resolution. Ruth Gamberg teaches in the Education Department at Dalhousie University. She visited China in 1973 and in 1975 and is the author of Red and expert—Education in the People's Republic of China.

Monday

Jan. 29, 8:00, Studio One Dal Arys Centre. **Check Off the Marriage Proposal**. Admission free. Directed by Ron Hicks.

The third session of the **Communications Skills course** will be held on Monday, January 29, 7 p.m.-9 p.m., at A Woman's Place, 1225 Barrington Street. For more information, contact A Woman's Place, 429-9063.

Tuesday

Dartmouth Regional Library will sponsor a slide show and introductory talk on **scuba diving** with Bill Dauphinee and Peter Banks on Tuesday, January 30 at 7:00 p.m. in the Woodlawn Mall Branch. Phone 463-1742 for more information.

The Canadian Communist League will sponsor a public meeting about Kampuchea (Cambodia) Tuesday, January 30 at 7:30 p.m. at Auctioneer's Hall, 2882 Gottingen Street (corner Russell).

Tuesday, January 30 Radio at 8:03 presents "3 Houses on Radio", a rock music program by Lewis Humphreys.

Wednesday

The third session of the **Women and Politics Course** will take place Wednesday, January 31, 1979 at 7:30 p.m. This session will deal with the relationship between the different levels of government. Fee \$10.00 or \$1.00 per session.

General Notices

HALCON 2, the second Halifax Science Fiction Convention, is to be held at Saint Mary's University, Halifax on the weekend of **March 9-11, 1979**. Halcon SF Society President Bob Atkinson announced today. The **Guest of Honour** will be **Ben Bova**, award-winning SF author and editor of **Omni** magazine, perhaps the most prestigious science fiction magazine ever published. **Toastmasters** are **Spider and Jeannie Robinson**, Halifax SF writers who, in the past three years, have won almost every award in the field including the **Nebula** (the prize chosen by fellow authors) and the **Hugo** (the international fan organization award). Both Mr. Bova and the Robinsons have popular works published in North America and abroad.

Many events are scheduled for the weekend at Saint Mary's, including public lectures, panels, workshops, war games groups, films, music, dance and an informal banquet. This will be the largest SF gathering ever held in Eastern Canada and promises to be quite an interesting weekend. Advance registration is highly recommended, and more information can be obtained by phoning 469-3759 weeknights between 7 and 8 p.m., or by asking at Odyssey 2000 on Barrington Street.

