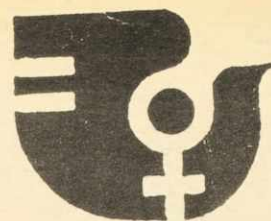


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Calendar



March

7 ● A discussion about Alice Munro's short stories, *Moons of Jupiter*, will be held at the Halifax Public Library, 1:30 - 3 p.m.

● Women's Employment Seminar: "After Graduation: The Realities of Women's Employment". 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. MacMechan Auditorium, Killam Library.

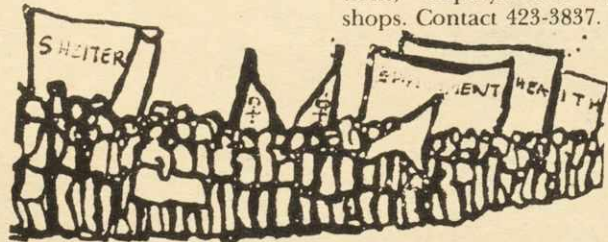
● Dalhousie Women's Resource Center introductory forum. Who is the resource center for? 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the MacMechan Auditorium, Killam Library.

● The Human Costs of the Housing Crisis. A booklet of case histories will be presented at Province House by the MUMS (Mothers United for Metro Shelter). Call 435-1567. 12:05 p.m.

● After Graduation: The Reality of Women's Employment. Speakers and discussion, sponsored by Dal Women's Alternative. 2:30 p.m., Room 100, Dalhousie SUB, University Avenue. Call 425-1209.

● Film: *The Life and Death of Frida Kahlo*. The story of this Mexican artist and activist (1976, 40 min.). Bell Auditorium, N.S. College of Art & Design, 5163 Duke St., 7:00 p.m.

● Concert featuring Arlene Mantle and Four the Moment, followed by Dance YWCA, 1239 Barrington St. Admission \$5 waged, \$3 unwaged. 8:00 p.m. Advance Tickets: Red Herring Co-op Books.



8 ● Rally and march for shelter, health and employment. Everyone welcome. Bring your banners! 1-3:00 p.m., Victoria Park, Spring Garden Rd./South Park St.

● Gallery Reception: "Second Sex, Third Sex". A mixed media installation by Pam Pike. Anna Leonowens Gallery, 1891 Granville St., 3-5:00 p.m.

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● Films: *The Wilmar 8*, eight bank workers initiate the first bank strike in Minnesota (1981, 55 min.) and *The Treadmill*, an examination of the exploitive system of women doing piece work at home (1985, 43 min.) Bell Auditorium, N.S. College of Art & Design, 5163 Duke St., 4:30 p.m.

● International Women's Day Women's Dance, YWCA, 1239 Barrington St., Admission \$2. For information on subsidised child care call 423-4841.

10 ● Canadian Abortion Rights Action League (CARAL) meeting, 7:30 p.m. Provincial Archives Building, corner of University Avenue and Robie Street.

● Recent Addition. Artists records and tapes from the collection of the NSCAD Library. 8 p.m. Anna Leonowens Gallery, 1891 Granville St., Halifax. Until March 22.

11 ● Craftswoman Carol Oliver will demonstrate the art of spinning and weaving at the Woodlawn Branch of Dartmouth Regional Library at 10 a.m. Woven articles by Carol will be displayed.

12 ● Pandora meeting at 7:30 p.m. Veith House (3115 Veith St., Halifax). Call 455-1287 for information or ride. Everyone welcome.

● Opening of Festival of Hands, presented by the N.S. Designer Crafts Council at the Public Archives Building, 6016 University Ave., Halifax until September 30. Permanent collection of N.S. crafts on exhibition, plus demonstrations, displays and workshops. Contact 423-3837.

● Why women in Development? Third of three lectures. Call 424-2375.

14 ● Purloined Portraits: Women in 19th Century Photography. The politics of visibility, domestic labour and representation. Curated by feminist historian Heather Dawkins. At Mount St. Vincent University Art Gallery until April 6th.

● Atlantic Association of Sociologists and Anthropologists Annual Meeting. Theories of Marginality. Marilyn Porter, from Memorial University will speak about "Marginal Women? Towards a feminist analysis of the Atlantic periphery." 9:30-11:00 a.m., Acadia University.

● Women's Economic Marginality. Speakers: Barbara Roberts and David Miller, Halifax, "Barefoot, pregnant and marginalized: Historical trends in Canadian structural inequality" and M. Patricia Connelly and M. MacDonald, St. Mary's; "Women and Rural Development" Acadia University, 11:15 - 12:45.

15 ● Women's Political Culture. Chair: Margaret Conrad, Acadia.

Angela Miles, St. Francis Xavier. "The Antigonish women's association: An updated case study of women's social and political activism in a Nova Scotia town and county."

Barbara Neis, Memorial. "Generations of politics, power and resistance: Women in rural Newfoundland, 1930-1980."

Sandra Chiasson, Acadia. "An experiential analysis of WANTS, a student women's group." Acadia University, 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Special Discussion: Proposed women's studies MA/PhD in Atlantic Canada, 1:45-2:30 p.m.

● Toward an Atlantic Women and Development Network: the Women and Development Committee of the Association of Atlantic Universities is holding a meeting to discuss regional networking on women and development issues. This meeting is open to all groups and individuals (academics and community people alike.) This meeting will identify existing networks and discuss the proposal of a regional network. Room 209, Beveridge Arts Centre (corner of Main and Highland), Acadia University, Wolfville.

If you are interested, contact Margie or (422-9444) or Linda at 429-9780 ext. 2534 or 477-5415.

● Women: New Conceptualizations Chair: TBA. Discussant: Helen Ralston, St. Mary's

16 Linda Christiansen-Ruffman, St. Mary's. "Notes from a feminist sociologist's struggle: Making sociology, its paradigms and methodologies useful to women's struggle for human development."

Gayle MacDonald, UNB. "The menaing of equality." 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

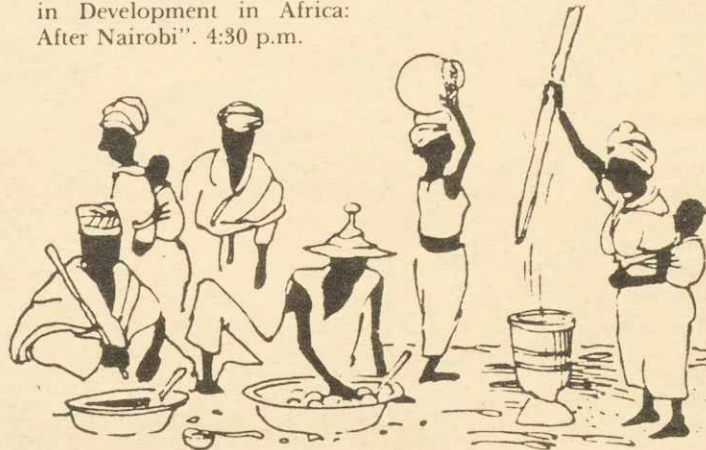
● Issues in Methodology Chair: TBA. Discussant: Diane Looker, Acadia

Jo-Anne Fiske, Mount Saint Vincent. "Ask my wife: Doing fieldwork where the women are strong but the men are tough."

Kim Meade, Acadia. "Negotiated order."

18 ● Bibliographer Lynn Murphy will discuss Newspapers in Nova Scotia at the Woodlawn Branch of Dartmouth Regional Library at 10 a.m. Call 421-2312 for information.

20 ● Gloria Nikoi, Senior Fellow, Pearson Institute and ex-Foreign Minister of Ghana. "Women in Development in Africa: After Nairobi". 4:30 p.m.



April

3-8 ● Conference Women in Economic

Development "Research and Linkages." There will be speakers from around the world and it will be held from Thursday, April 3 to Tuesday, April 8. For more information please contact Gloria Nikoi, Pearson Institute, 1325 Edward St., Halifax (424-2142).

12 ● Atlantic Gays and Lesbians in Health Care and Human Services Gathering, April 12, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. to discuss issues affecting gay and lesbian workers and clients. For more information call Ken, 425-6967.

14 ● Crimes Against Women: Abortion Law on Trial. Public Archives, 7:30 p.m. CARAL is sponsoring one of a series of tribunals to be held across Canada.

15 ● Divorce: The New Law, 12:15-1:00 p.m., YWCA, 1239 Barrington St., Halifax. Presented by Public Legal Education and the YWCA, this session will look at the changes to the divorce laws, which are expected to be law by the spring of 1986. Free. For registration, call Margaret Murray at 423-6162.

16 ● World YWCA Day: Women Working for Peace. Speaker: Muriel Duckworth, member of the Order of Canada, and the National Mission for Peace in Central America. Presented by the YWCA Cooperation for Development Committee. Free. 12 noon, at the YWCA, 1239 Barrington St., Halifax.

● Women's Program at Halifax Library North Branch, Wednesday, 10 a.m. -

12 noon. Join the women from the area to discuss issues of community concern, hear guest speakers, get to know each other and the community. Call 421-6987.

● The Second edition of "Understanding the Law: A Guide for Women In Nova Scotia" is now being distributed. The booklet is written in clear, non-technical language, and is free. Distribution is through the Public Legal Education Society of Nova Scotia, 1127 Barrington St., Halifax, 423-7154.

● Call for testimony: CARAL is sponsoring one of a series of tribunals to be held across Canada. The Halifax tribunal requires the participation of women who will speak out about their abortion experiences. Please consider sending CARAL a submission. It may be signed or anonymous, your own story or one you can help us document. Send submission to CARAL, P.O. Box 101, Station M, Halifax, N.S., BeJ 2L4. Or call 455-8170 (Kit), or 423-6552 (Jane) for more information.