NATIONAL WOMEN’S HISTORY MONTH

LIVING THE LEGACY: CELEBRATING THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE WOMEN’S RIGHTS MOVEMENT

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

ST. CLOUD STATE UNIVERSITY
forever the way they see themselves and the world around them. Co-author Bonnie Watkins will share the stories, insights and messages of the women who have bettered the lives of all women. Watkins and Nina Rothbuhl, who worked together at the Minnesota legislature’s Commission on the Economic Status of Women, represent two generations of feminists. Inspired by Studs Terkel’s works, they wrote “In the Company of Women” to counteract the stereotypes and often negative images of the women’s movement. (Books will be available for purchase.)

“A AND STILL I RISE” (30 minutes)
An examination of popular culture’s misrepresentation of Black women’s sexuality and the impact on the real lives of Black women. Both a celebration and a critique, this film portrays the views of women of African heritage as they struggle to create a new and empowered perspective.

“A WORD IN EDGewise” (26 minutes)
Scholarly, yet simple and believable, this video aims to improve awareness of our use and abuse of language in perpetuating sex bias in culture.

“AFTE R THE MONTREAL MASSacre” (27 minutes)
A forceful, moving documentary about the murder of 14 women engineering students at the University of Montreal in 1989. Understood as a backlash against feminism, activists and journalists explain this terrorism in the context of widespread violence against women.

“JUXTA” (29 minutes)
This powerful drama observes the psychological effects of racism on two children of Japanese women and American servicemen. Together they confront the memory of their mothers’ tragic story in this telling, emotionally nuanced journey into the complexity of U.S. racism.

“FROM DANGER TO DIGNITY: THE FIGHT FOR SAFE ABORTION” (57 minutes)
This video weaves together two parallel stories: the evolution of underground networks which helped women find safe abortions outside the law, and the intensive efforts by activists and legislators who dedicated themselves to legalizing abortion.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 4:00-6:30 P.M.
WOMEN’S CENTER, COLBERT HOUSE NORTH

“JOY LUCK CLUB”
Essence Magazine ‘Spring with a pizza, a movie and discussion. The Joy Luck Club tells the uplifting story of four remarkable friends whose extraordinary lives are filled with joy and heartbreak. This event was organized by the Women’s Cultural Diversity Planning Committee to encourage dialogue between diverse women on campus. For more information contact April or Jane at 215-4958.

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