



***BOND Has Something on the Calendar for Everyone!***

***Upcoming Adventures in Learning  
and Annual Book Author Event***



**SPEAKER:** Marshall Tanick

**TOPIC:** Decision made by the United States Supreme Court in 2023-2024, including reproductive rights, gun safety, Donald Trump, related topics and their impact on Minnesota

**DATE:** September 3, 10:00 beverages and snacks, 10:30 speaker

**PLACE:** Rohlf Room at the Ridgedale Library, 12601 Ridgedale Drive, Minnetonka

**DONATION:** \$10.00 per person. Guests are more than welcome and encouraged to attend. Please RSVP to Jean Efron via email at [cyberjece@hotmail.com](mailto:cyberjece@hotmail.com) or telephone 952.500.2090 so we can plan accordingly. Checks made payable to BOND can be sent to Jean at 10511 S. Cedar Lake Road, Apt. 412, Minnetonka 55305, or you may pay at the door.

**We look forward to seeing you on September 3 and hearing Marshall's presentation.**

***SAVE THE DATE***

Professor David Schultz will be making a presentation to BOND on Tuesday, November 12, and will be talking about the results of the election. Please pass the word to all individuals you know who would be interested in attending. **Professor Schultz is requesting a minimum of 50 attendees. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW IN A SEPARATE EMAIL.**

***DMC Dining Cards***

The 2024-2025 sets are now available. Please contact Beverly London at 612.718.9951 or email her at [bjlondon01@gmail.com](mailto:bjlondon01@gmail.com) to arrange to get your set(s). They are \$30, and BOND makes \$17.50 for each one sold.

***Monthly Activities***

**LUNCH BUNCH** Everyone is welcome as we dine and socialize at noon on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday every month at various venues. RSVP to **Eva Broude at 952.544.5948. We carpool to minimize the number of cars going, and to accommodate those who don't drive.**

September 11	McCormick and Schmick's – 3203 Galleria, Edina – 952.920.1142	RSVP by September 9
September 25	Salut– 5034 France Ave. S., Edina – 952.929.3764	RSVP by September 23
October 9	Monte Carlo – 319 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ave. N., Minneapolis – 612.333.5900	RSVP by October 7
October 23	Good Earth Galleria – 3460 W. 70 <sup>th</sup> Street, Edina – 952.925.1001	RSVP by October 21

**SHORT STORY GROUP** Reads one story each month, take turns facilitating, and **meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, starting at 9:30 a.m. to socialize, and at 10:00 a.m. for discussion.** Contact Marian Altrowitz, if you are interested in joining, maltrow@comcast.net or 952.935.1914. We are reading stories from “The Best Short Stories 2021” edited by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie. **We begin a new book in October, “The Best American Short Stories 2022”, edited by Andrew Sean Greer and Heidi Pitlor. Obtain your copy now!** The meetings are held in Saralee Mogilner’s party room, 9731 Minnetonka Boulevard, Minnetonka, unless otherwise noted. Her telephone number is 952.935.2156.

<b>September 9</b>	<b>“Color and Light”</b> by Sally Rooney	<b>Facilitator: Arlis Grossman</b>
<b>October 11</b>	<b>“A Ravishing Sun”</b> by Leslie Blanco Delgado	<b>Facilitator: Beverly London</b>
<b>November 13</b>	<b>“The Little Widow from the Capital”</b> by Yohanca	<b>Facilitator: Saralee Mogilner</b>

**FRIDAY BOOK CLUB** meets at 9:30 a.m. for socializing and lite refreshments and 10:00 a.m. for discussion, on the 3rd Friday of the month. Contact Sharon Levine at splevine2002@yahoo.com or 952.212.4994 if you are interested in joining the group and whether you are attending — **We will continue meeting at the EisnerAmper Building, formerly the Lurie Building, 2501 Wayzata Blvd., Minneapolis, unless noted otherwise.**

<b>September 20</b>	<b>“Master Slave Husband Wife”</b> by Ilyon Woo	<b>Facilitator – Sharon Levine</b>
<b>October 18</b>	<b>“Madam Pommery - Creator of Brut Champagne”</b> by Rebecca Rosenberg	<b>Facilitator -- Marlene Goldberg</b>
<b>November 15</b>	<b>“The Women”</b> by Kristen Hannah	<b>Facilitator – Bev London</b>
<b>December 20</b>	<b>“The Art Thief”</b> by Michael Finkel	<b>Facilitator – Gerry Feldman</b>

## *Scholarship Fundraising Donations*

For a minimum donation of \$10.00, BOND makes sending cards easy for ALL occasions, and **you help BOND’s Scholarship Funds**, including the Judy Sherman Scholarship Fund, and the Early Childhood Fund. Please include your message; otherwise, one will be written for you. Also indicate your preferred closing (Love, Sincerely, etc.). Make your check payable to BOND, indicating the purpose of your donation, and mail it to **Margie Gendler Marks, 2405 Zealand Ave. N., Golden Valley 55427**, call at 612.990.9399, or email it to [margendmar@gmail.com](mailto:margendmar@gmail.com).

### JULY AND AUGUST

<b>DONATIONS TO SCHOLARSHIP FUND</b>	<b>DONATIONS TO EARLY CHILDHOOD FUND</b>
<b>Memory of Steven Fine, son of Maureen Fine</b> Millie Segal Sheila Goldstein Doreen Greenblat Marlene Goldberg Marian Altrowitz Babe and Norm Wartnick Marlene and Sandy Goldberg Gerry Feldman Joyce and Jerry Martin <b>Memory of Melanie Barry</b> Sheila Goldstein Marian Altrowitz <b>Memory of Laureen Phillips</b> Doreen Greenblat Sheila Goldstein Babe and Norman Wartnick	<b>Memory of Steven Fine, son of Maureen Fine</b> Beverly London <b>Beverly London, speedy recovery</b> Marian Altrowitz Eva Broude Sheila Goldstein <b>Memory of Melanie Barry</b> Beverly London <b>Memory of Laureen Phillips</b> Beverly London Eva Broude
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**SILVER AND COLLECTIBLES - Contact Nancy Garber at 952.922.4990 to donate your items.**

Is your silver or silverplate no longer a treasure? BOND Scholarship Funds educate many without measure. Donate items, one or a few. These additional dollars may surprise even you!!!  
 Now accepting delicate collectibles enjoyed adding a must. Reunited to BOND, glass or ceramics, no longer to dust!  
 \$7,070.65 has been raised for scholarships since the project began.



**Left to right:** Suzanne Weinstein, Dana Rubin, Saralee Mogilner, Peggy Kasdan Mandel, Sharon Zweigbaum, Jean Efron, Barbara Bearmon, and Aly Hendrix. **Missing:** Sheila Goldstein

## A BOND AND JFCS ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP OVERVIEW

A major part of our role within the community is providing scholarships to deserving applicants who hope to realize their potential through higher education and professional development. The BOND 2024 scholarship sub-committee is pictured above with Development Director Dana Rubin and her staff, who competently interview applicants to be considered based on financial need, academic achievement and clarity of career goals. BOND committee members carefully review the applications and bring their decisions to the BOND board for approval.

We clearly realize that every applicant has a story and is fighting a battle to cover the cost of their academic endeavors with tuitions that increase yearly. The stories inspire us with the courage, humility, ambition and fearlessness expressed in the pursuit of their dreams while working through difficult obstacles.

Since BOND's inception, we have raised \$197,000 and helped 80 applicants in the achievement of their academic endeavors.

This year we are grateful to be able to offer \$5,000 from BOND and \$2,500 from the Judy Sherman Memorial Scholarship Fund to six deserving applicants. We are grateful for the JFCS professionals and BOND supporters who continue this important work in a changing world with evolving challenges and needs. Thank you!!!!

Saralee Mogilner, Scholarship Chair

## Editor's Comments

### Friendly Reminder

Our BOND Newsletters are being sent every other month. Please save each edition through the end of the second month, as you will be needing it as a reminder of upcoming events. **The remaining edition through 2024 will be November/December.**

### New Contact Information for Membership Directory

We are planning on sending a new set of pages for the green directory. Please send an email to Beverly London ([bjlondon01@gmail.com](mailto:bjlondon01@gmail.com)) **and** to Marian Altowitz ([maltrow@comcast.net](mailto:maltrow@comcast.net)) with your current address, telephone number, cell phone and home number (if you have one), and your email address so that the changes can be made. Our current directories are quite out-of-date. Thank you.

### Important

Any information or questions you may have regarding the newsletter should be emailed directly to me, Margie Gendler Marks, at [margendmar@gmail.com](mailto:margendmar@gmail.com), or you may call me at 612.990.9399.



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