



## CHAMPIONS FOR PEACE: WOMEN WINNERS OF THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE

Judith Hicks Stiehm is a distinguished scholar, professor, author, government consultant, and fervent feminist. She is currently a Professor of Political Science at Florida International University where she has served as Provost and Academic Vice President. Her latest book, *Champions for Peace: Women Winners of the Nobel Peace Prize*, has won much acclaim and relates in lively readable prose the life stories of the twelve women who have won the Nobel Peace Prize since its inception in 1903. Professor Stiehm, whose specialties include political theory, social change, the status of women, and civil-military relations, knows whereof she speaks. In addition to her teaching career she has served as a Visiting Professor at the U.S. Army Peacekeeping Institute, a member of the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Military, a consultant to the United Nations Commission for the Advancement of Women, a contributor to the Lessons Learned Unit of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, and an Expert Witness to the Senate Armed Services Committee. She is also a member of the Council on Foreign Relations.

Given Professor Stiehm's extensive foreign policy and military background, our branch sought to collaborate with other organizations in hosting this month's luncheon. We are pleased to welcome members of the **United Nations Association, San Fernando Valley Chapter**, and the **Southern California Regional Council of Organizations**, a coalition of non-governmental organizations (of which AAUW is one) that supports the mission and work of the United Nations.

So please join us for this celebration of Women's History Month. What better example of women's achievements could we commemorate than Professor Stiehm and the twelve women she will discuss with us.

Saturday, March 24  
11:30AM Welcome, Noon Luncheon  
The University Club, CSUN  
18111 Nordhoff Street, Northridge  
(parking adjacent to the Orange Grove Bistro)

Luncheon cost is \$20.00 all-inclusive and consists of Fiesta Chicken Salad with grilled chicken breast, mixed greens, corn, cotija cheese, olives, tomatoes and cilantro-lime dressing. Coffee/tea and dessert provided. Please make your reservations by **Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>** by contacting **Ginny Hatfield at 818-985-1579** or [ginnyvmh@aol.com](mailto:ginnyvmh@aol.com). Last minute reservations may be accepted, space permitting. We require a 24-hour notice of cancellation or you will be billed. Please prepare your check beforehand to **AAUW/SFV** to avoid delay and congestion in the reception area.

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and positive societal change.*

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*There shall be no barriers to full participation in this organization on the basis of gender,  
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 9:30a Book Discussion/ 10-2 Bridge	3 7:30p Bridge
4 <b>Purim</b>	5	6	7	8	9 10-2 Bridge	10 7:30p Duplicate Bridge
11 <b>Daylight Savings Begins</b>	12 7:00p Board Meeting	13	14 9:30a Day Literature	15	16	17 <b>St. Patrick's Day</b>
18	19 9:30a Duplicate Bridge	20 <b>First Day Of Spring</b>	21 7:00p Night Literature	22	23 10-2 Bridge	24 <b>11:30a General Meeting</b>
25	26	27	28	29	30 11:30a Lunch Bunch	31

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