

# February Extra Credit Events

The following is a list of 5 events this month that you can attend and write about for extra credit.

The last one looks particularly good. Pat

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## 1. The Vagina Monologues

MPIRG Presents:

6th Annual Production of THE VAGINA MONOLOGUES

Directed by Erin Appel

The Vagina Monologues, by Eve Ensler, is a groundbreaking play that explores women's relationships with their bodies. V-Day is a campaign to end violence against women and girls, and to proclaim Valentine's Day as a day to celebrate women and vaginas.

All proceeds will benefit local women's organizations and shelters.

### SHOWTIMES

February 10th at Hamline University  
Sundin Music Hall, 7:30 pm  
1531 Hewitt Ave, St. Paul, MN 55104

February 11th at Macalester College  
Weyerhaeuser Memorial Chapel, 7:30 pm  
1600 Grand Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55105

February 12th at the University of Minnesota  
Saint Paul Student Center Theater, 2 SHOWS (5:30 pm and 8:30 pm)  
2017 Buford Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55108

### TICKETS

\$12 for students, \$15 for non-students

RESERVATIONS and Qs: contact Kate at MPIRG- 612.627.4035 or email [ksuchomel@mpirg.org](mailto:ksuchomel@mpirg.org)

MPIRG thanks our lead V-Day Co-sponsor: The Women's Foundation of Minnesota

V-Day is also co-sponsored by: The Queer Student Cultural Center and the Women's Student

Activist Collective at the U of M, The Center on

Women and Public Policy, and NARAL Pro-Choice Minnesota. The U of M production is co-sponsored by the Office for University Women.

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## **2. New Documentary Film Series**

Films By & About Women  
3rd Thursday of Each Month

2/17 Black, Bold, and Beautiful: Black Women's Hair

“Braids, dreadlocks, cornrows, afros and weaves: at first glance, Black, Bold and Beautiful may appear to be an exploration of nothing more than fancy hairstyles of Black women...but this film is not a frivolous look at hairdo selection, it is an intriguing exploration into society in general, as choices about hairstyles come to reflect life choices.”

Coffman Union, 2nd floor 202, Women's Student Activist Center  
Free popcorn  
Shows start at 7pm

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## **3. Women and Cardiovascular Disease**

On Tuesday, February 1, Anne L. Taylor, MD, Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs and Professor, Department of Medicine, will kick off Heart Month

with a lecture on women and cardiovascular disease. Dr. Taylor is also the author of “The African American Women’s Guide to a Healthy Heart.”

Free lunch is available at 12:00 and the lecture begins at 12:15 in Moos

Tower 2-530, 515 Delaware Street SE, Minneapolis. For directions and parking information, please visit

<<http://onestop.umn.edu/Maps/MoosT/>><http://onestop.umn.edu/Maps/MoosT/>

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## **4. Gender and Race in Medical Treatment with Anne L. Taylor, MD and Vivian Pinn, MD**

On Tuesday, February 8, the Great Conversations series features Anne L. Taylor, MD, Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs and Professor, Department of Medicine and Vivian Pinn, MD, Director of Office of Research on Women's Health at the National Institutes of Health.

These two leading figures in women's health will discuss the debate over

the relevance of race in determining preventive medicine and the disparities in access to quality health care for patients determined by gender and ethnicity. Sponsored by the College of Continuing Education.

The event begins at 7:30 pm, U of M West Bank, Ted Mann Concert Hall, 2128

4th Street S, Minneapolis. Order tickets online at

<[http://www.northrop.umn.edu/great\\_conversations.html](http://www.northrop.umn.edu/great_conversations.html)>[http://www.northrop.umn.edu/great\\_conversations.html](http://www.northrop.umn.edu/great_conversations.html)

or by calling 612-624-2345.

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## **5. Lauren Greenfield**

### **Girl Culture**

Photography Exhibit at Minnesota Center for Photography

(<http://www.mncp.org/>)

January 15 - March 27, 2005

58 photographs, some with self-narratives, of girls and young women by internationally known photographer Lauren Greenfield. Free and open to the public. Sponsored in part by: MOAPP

[www.girlculture.com](http://www.girlculture.com)

[www.laurengreenfield.com](http://www.laurengreenfield.com)

### **LECTURES/EVENTS HAPPENING IN CONJUNCTION WITH GIRL CULTURE:**

#### **Lauren Greenfield's Girl Culture/Book Signing**

At the Ted Mann Concert Hall, University of Minnesota, West Bank 2128 - 4th Street South, Thursday February 24, 7pm.

Free and Open To the Public

FFI: 612-625-8096

Lecture Co-Sponsor: University of Minnesota Department of Art Visiting Artists Program

Sponsored by: Canon, USA and MOAPPP - Minnesota's resource for teen pregnancy prevention.

#### **"Parenting Our Daughters: Bellies and Buns"**

Intergenerational Workshop by Debra Orbuch Grayson, M.S., LMFT  
Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, Educator and Trainer  
Presents:

Do you struggle with the clothes your girls are wearing? What message is our culture promoting to our daughters? This interactive

workshop is an informative, educational and fun program bringing together girls and the adults in their lives to participate in activities and discuss issues of identity, body image and role modeling.

Monday, February 7, 6 - 8:30 p.m.  
( For young women ages 14-17 & a parent or significant adult in their life)

Sunday, March 6, 1 - 3:30 p.m.  
(For girls ages 10-13 & a parent or significant adult in their life)

\$15 per person / \$13.50 for members of MCP  
Call to register today! 612-824-5500 Limited availability.

Second Tuesday Lecture Series - Trudy Wilner Stack  
As a part of MCP's Second Tuesday Lecture Series, Girl Culture curator Trudy Wilner Stack will deliver a public lecture about the exhibition.  
Tuesday, March 8, 7 p.m.  
Tickets first come, first serve  
\$5 / Free for members of MCP

Talking with Teens  
Moderated by faculty from the Division of General Pediatrics and Adolescent Health at the University of Minnesota, this dynamic event will feature high school age young women speaking openly about issues pertinent to being a young woman in today's culture. Don't miss this panel!  
Saturday, March 12, 1 - 3:30 p.m.  
\$10 per person / \$9 for members of MCP  
Call to register today! 612-824-5500 Limited availability.

Minnesota Lynx Player Appearance & Autograph Session  
Date TBA  
FFI: 612-824-5500

Girl Culture Links  
[www.girlculture.info](http://www.girlculture.info)  
[www.laurentgreenfield.com](http://www.laurentgreenfield.com)  
[www.highpointprintmaking.org](http://www.highpointprintmaking.org)

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