

## AUGUST EVENTS 2019

**Culinary Adventures: San Francisco: Wednesday, August 14, at 11:30 a.m. at Original Joe's,** 601 Union Street (corner Stockton). I'm sure you all know the story: the original Original Joe's on Taylor near Market was lost to fire in 2007 and came back to life in North Beach. It's devoted to classic San Francisco Italian food and it's said to have a "great '50s feel to it" – sounds like us, right? Buses 30, 45 and 8 go right there. Parking is 2-hour meters, and is more available than you might think, but if you run out of patience, they do 3 hours of valet parking during lunch for \$8. RSVP to Pat Bourne at 415-474-0212 or [patriciabourne@post.harvard.edu](mailto:patriciabourne@post.harvard.edu).

**Book Group: Sunday, August 11, at 3 p.m.** at the home of Alison Boeckmann, 440 Davis Court, #1211, San Francisco. The book is "**The Sellout**" by **Paul Beatty**. This Man Booker award-winner is "Swiftian satire of the highest order...Giddy, scathing and dazzling." (Sam Sacks, The Wall Street Journal.) "The Sellout"... "is among the most important and difficult American novels written in the 21st century...It is a bruising novel that readers will likely never forget." (Kiese Laymon, Los Angeles Times.) RSVP to [alison\\_boeckmann@post.harvard.edu](mailto:alison_boeckmann@post.harvard.edu) or 415-589-7001. The book for September will be "The Golden Bowl" by Henry James.

**Film Group: Saturday, August 24, at 1 p.m.** at the San Francisco Towers home of Stephanie Trimble, 1661 Pine Street, #413. We will continue watching "**Elizabeth R,**" starring Glenda Jackson. Elizabeth, having toyed with the idea of a marriage to the Duke of Alencon, the younger brother of the French king, a marriage that would have cemented France's long-sought alliance with England, has now rejected the hapless duke, and possibly any idea of marriage and children. We shall see whether she can hold onto power as the "Virgin Queen." A wonderful part of this series is the historical commentary interspersed with the acting, giving context and depth to the plot. RSVP to Stephanie at 415-846-5431 or [stephielaw@yahoo.com](mailto:stephielaw@yahoo.com). Parking is available if Stephanie is notified in advance.

**Museum Dates:** Guests welcome! Please arrive 10 minutes early. Join us afterwards for coffee or lunch at the museum café. RSVP to [alison\\_boeckmann@post.harvard.edu](mailto:alison_boeckmann@post.harvard.edu) or 415-589-7001 (home) or 415-317-2150 (cell). Send check (made out to Alison Boeckmann) to Alison at 440 Davis Court, #1211, San Francisco 94111.

**Sunday, August 11, at 10:00 a.m. at the SFMOMA: "Andy Warhol—From A to B and Back Again."** Organized by the Whitney Museum of American Art, this show is the first Warhol retrospective presented in the United States since 1989. It reconsiders the work of one of the most inventive, influential, and important American artists. Beneath the glamour of Warhol's wide-ranging creations is a deep engagement with the social issues of his time that continue to resonate today. Building on a wealth of new materials, research, and scholarship that has emerged since the artist's untimely death in 1987, this exhibition reveals new complexities about the Warhol we think we know, and introduces a Warhol for the 21st century. Adults \$54, seniors \$52, children and members of the SFMOMA \$21.

(Tentative) **Sunday, October 20 at the Legion of Honor: "James Tissot: Fashion & Faith."**

(Tentative) **Sunday, Nov. 17 or 24 at the de Young: "Soul of a Nation: Art in the Age of Black Power."**

**In memoriam:** The RCSF honors the memory of Cassandra Chrones Moore '56, who passed away on July 7. She was a teacher, author, businessperson and leader of the Radcliffe Club of the Peninsula. Together with Ellen LaFollette and Eleanor Zuckerman of the RCSF, she was instrumental in creating the Radcliffe Alumnae Professorship at Harvard. As was stated at a family memorial, "She was a strong woman who never questioned her own ability to accomplish any endeavor, who cared deeply about social justice, and who loved her family fiercely."

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