

SEPTEMBER EVENTS 2021

Culinary Adventures: Wednesday, September 8, at 11:30 a.m. If you'd like to do lunch, either on Zoom or outdoors or indoors, please reply to the message I'll be sending to potential lunchers in the next couple of days. Until then, you can reach me at patriciabourne@post.harvard.edu or 415-867-0410.

Book Group: Sunday, September 12, at 3 p.m. via Zoom. RSVP to Janet Hankin at jghankin@jps.net and she will send instructions for joining the meeting. The book is **"Invisible Man" by Ralph Ellison**, a National Book Award winner in 1953. ". . . (A) soaring and exalted record of a Negro's journey through contemporary America in search of success, companionship, and, finally, himself..." (Irving Howe.) ". . . (A) vigorous imaginative, violently humorous and quietly tragic book that is informed with far more than the rudiments of the novelist's art." (The New Republic.) The book for October will be **"Persuasion" by Jane Austen**.

Special Meeting of RCSF Members: Wednesday, September 15, 3 to 3:30 p.m. via Zoom. We have an opportunity to reach out to Radcliffe College alumnae who live outside of Northern California, and invite them to become members of RCSF. These alumnae belonged to a group called Alumnae and Friends of Radcliffe College, which is no longer active. To invite them to join the RCSF, we need to amend our Constitution & Bylaws to delete a requirement for Northern California residence. This requires a Special Meeting of the RCSF membership. All currently paid members will be invited to this one-half-hour Zoom meeting to discuss and vote on this issue. If you wish to attend, please register promptly when you receive the Zoom meeting invitation.

Film Group: Saturday, September 18, at 1:30 p.m. via Zoom. Since everyone really enjoyed "Like Father, Like Son," we decided to view another film by **Hirokazu Koreeda**. Our film will be **"I Wish,"** released in 2012. The story revolves around two brothers, who now live in separate cities as a result of their parents' divorce. The older brother dreams of his family coming together again, and the film involves the plan he devises to accomplish this. Once again this is a delicate and moving film about family dynamics, and with a special focus on understanding children. His child actors are entrancing. If you are interested in joining us, please send an email to Lucille Poskanzer at LBPoskanzer@icloud.com, and I will send you the link.

Writers' Workshops: Gloria Wu and Cynthia Travis invite members to join their Writers' Workshops. We meet via Zoom on Saturday afternoons to share our current output and discuss one another's work. To join, or for more information, please contact Gloria at gwu2550@gmail.com or Cynthia at ctravis@sonic.net.

Museum exhibit tours:

Friday, October 22, at 3 p.m. at the de Young Museum: "Judy Chicago: A Retrospective."

Friday, November 19, at 3 p.m. at the Legion of Honor: "Color into Line."

Let's meet at the museum cafe around 1:30 p.m. for lunch or coffee. Guests welcome! The docent tours will use microphones and headsets to make mask usage possible. Details in the next newsletter and on the club website: www.radcliffeclubsf.org. RSVP to alisonboeckmann@fastmail.com.

Coming later this fall: Zoom talk with Caroline Light, Senior Lecturer on Studies of Women, Gender, and Sexuality at Harvard. The date and topic will be announced in the next newsletter.

You can join the club, renew your membership or donate to programs supporting women at Harvard at the club website at www.radcliffeclubsf.org.
