

WE Connection

Women Empowered & Connected

WE this Sunday - May 12- 3:00 pm @ OMNI



Dear (Contact First Name),

This Sunday is Salon

And OMNI women would love to see you there.

3:00 pm at
OMNI



Salon is informal and open to hear each others points of view. In these times women need to talk, and this is one good place for connection. See you here!

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Slum girl to world chess champ

KAMPALA, May 28 2013 (IPS) - Phiona Mutesi was a muddy, desperate nine-year-old foraging for food in Uganda's biggest slum, Katwe, when she discovered a chess programme. It was not the game that drew her. It was the free bowl of porridge.

"...We were sleeping on the streets. It was a hard time," says Mutesi, 17, whose father died of AIDS when she was three....

[Slum girl to chess prodigy](#)

Past and Future Presentation

Presentation May 26 Afternoon at the Movies "Where Do We Go Now?"

We watched one you'll want on your viewing list too. Lebanon has struggled through long civil wars. This brilliant story by Lebanese filmmaker Nadine Labaki explores several complex parts of the violence that engulfed Lebanon, and continues to explode in many part of the world.



Issues between women and men, Muslim and Christian, modern vs tradition, and the sad impacts of violence are all addressed in a sweet and tightly woven story filled with wonderful characters, humor, pathos and redemption. Watch it if you can.

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Presentation 3:00 pm

Travels With Brenda

Brenda Taylor returned from a trip to different parts of the country and has a great powerpoint to prove it. Plan to be relaxed.

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