

# *WOMEN'S FORUM*

## *Sharing Wisdom*

### *Summer Movie Series*

Dear Ladies,

Something wonderful happens when July and August roll around. There is an easing of formality and structure, almost as though life and time want to grant us all "permission" to take a breath, relax and savor. And this year, of all years, even more so.

With that in mind, for the next few sessions WF will be offering our version of the "beach read", but instead of books we'll be doing movies. Consequently, our conversations will be more "story" based, like discussing a good book - free and easy, a little more chatty, some summertime "girl-talk". So kick off your flip flops bring your iced tea and stay awhile 😊

We'll open with the *tale* of a woman - an illustrator and writer, known for her quiet gentle ways in a society that expected not much more from its women. But our heroine, for however demure her aspect, had a strong mind of her own and would create and secure the publication of a world of characters in books that would endure through the centuries and inspire a phenomenon of spin-off merchandising that expands with each

new generation of little children.

Along with the books, the vision of *Beatrix Potter* now lives on in animation, clothing, toys and home decor.

Her story and her love story, deftly portrayed with delightful touches of whimsy by Renee Zellweger and with Ewan McGregor as her leading man is set in the magnificent Lake District of England.

For the link to the video and to join in our programs please contact us at [womensforumusa@gmail.com](mailto:womensforumusa@gmail.com). Your address will then be added to our email distribution list for detailed announcements of all events.

Happy Fourth of July!

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