

BEAUTY BUZZ RAISES SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS



The mother-daughter chairperson team (from left) Ameena Sultan Khan and Aisha Sultan kick off the 2019 Beauty Buzz at Neiman Marcus.

Photo by Laura Schnarr.

Over \$16,000 was raised for journalism scholarships at our annual Beauty Buzz event September 7 at Neiman Marcus.

After a reception of passed breakfast bites and beverages (including delicious mimosas), nearly 180 women of all ages were treated to a fall fashion runway show combined with tips and tricks on skin care, cosmetics and fragrance products shared by beauty experts from 13 companies.

Jasmine Huda, anchor and

reporter KTVI Fox 2, emceed the program.

"Journalists are facing many difficult challenges simply wanting to do their jobs informing the public," said **Aisha Sultan**, co-chair of the event and columnist with the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. "This popular Press Club event allows us to raise money that helps support the future generation of journalists whose work is so critical to democracy."

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From left, Julie Catron and Carol Voss enjoying refreshing mimosas.

Photo by Bill Greenblatt.



Women of Achievement supported Press Club's Beauty Buzz: from left, Alice Handelman, Sheri Sherman, Susan Nall, Barbara Langsam Shuman, Nanci Bobrow, Joni Karandjeff and Marylen Mann.

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From left, Patti Beck, Betsey Bruce and Susan Block.

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DEC. 18 – ANNUAL MEETING

6 P.M., MISSOURI ATHLETIC CLUB DOWNTOWN

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WITH GUEST SPEAKER PETER MAER



Maer spent 17 years providing coverage on presidential politics for CBS, working as a White House Correspondent; He has over 40 years of broadcast journalism experience and has received several honors, including the Edward R. Murrow Award, Merriman Smith Award for Presidential Coverage and Interfaith Alliance Walter Cronkite Faith & Freedom Award.

ST. LOUIS PRESS CLUB MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kenya Rosabal, Press Club's fall intern, is a junior journalism major with a minor in media communications at Webster University. She is currently a staff writer for the student newspaper, The Journal. She has plans on becoming a sports reporter or a magazine editor.

Ruth E. Thaler-Carter, former journalist and editor for multiple St. Louis publications is available for freelance writing, editing and proofreading. Reach her at Ruth@writerruth.com, www.writerruth.com or (314) 240-5034.

Michael A. Bryan has taken a position as company relations manager at CyberUp – www.cyberup.org.

Tom Eschen is to be honored on National Philanthropy Day Nov. 14 as the 2019 "Outstanding Fundraising Executive."

Zoe Linza received the Bolton Award from the National Association of Bar Executives recognizing "the highest standard of professional excellence."

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Maggie Eubanks, Winston Calvert, Margaret Freivogel, John Grizzell, Myron Holtzman, Charles Jaco, Diane Kline, Matt Sorrell, Ruth Thaler-Carter and guest speakers Charles Brennan and Sylvester Brown, Jr.

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**Tom Eschen and
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Leading journalists along with community and academic leaders share insights and perspectives at St. Louis Press Club and Greater St. Louis Association of Black Journalists

NEARLY 100 PARTICIPANTS gathered at the Central St. Louis City Library for a forum exploring the history and future of our St. Louis region's governmental structure. Hosted by the St. Louis City Library, it was held on Aug. 13 in their auditorium. Journalists and panelists explored how we got to where we are today and what possibilities there are for change.



THE FIRST SEGMENT focused on what caused this divide, what works and doesn't work for the region and is this good government? Journalists **Venton Blandin**, KMOV News 4 Reporter, and **Jo Mannies**, retired St. Louis Public Radio and St. Louis Post-Dispatch reporter interviewed panelists **Virvus Jones**, former St. Louis City Comptroller; **Pat Kelly**, Executive Director of the Municipal League of Metropolitan St. Louis, and **Dr. Todd Swanson**, Des Lee Endowed Professor, UMSL.

THE SECOND HALF of the program focused on what is the future. If change, what would it look like? What are the pros and cons of remaining divided? Journalists **Sharon Stevens**, HEC-TV producer/reporter and former KSDK education reporter, and **Dale Singer**, retired St. Louis Public Radio reporter, interviewed panelists **Shelley Welsch**, former University City Mayor; **Mike Jones**, former policy aide to former Mayor Clarence Harmon and former County Executive Charlie Dooley, and **Lewis Reed**, St. Louis City President of the Board of Aldermen. Audience members had opportunities to submit questions to the panelists.



Photos by Laura Schnarr.



SYLVESTER BROWN, JR.

*"When Journalists Listen:
The Story of a Word Warrior"*

At the Press Club's July 26 forum, Sylvester Brown, Jr. – author, community activist and former St. Louis Post-Dispatch reporter – spoke about his 2019 novel, "When We Listen: Recognizing the Potential of Urban Youth."





BEAUTY BUZZ 2019



From left, Rep. Tracy McCreery, Deb Watson, and Debbie Monterrey.

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From left, Holland States, Ameena Sultan and Emaan Malik.

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From left, Diane Isabell, Erica Randall and Tessa Greenspan.

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Kelly, cosmetics manager and **Jewele Merrit**, fine apparel manager. **Alice Handelman**, advisory chair; **Phyllis Langsdorff**, prize chair; **Joan Lee Berkman**, publicity chair and **Ellen Niesenson Soule**, greeter and volunteer chair.



Jasmine Huda of Fox 2 was the entertaining emcee.

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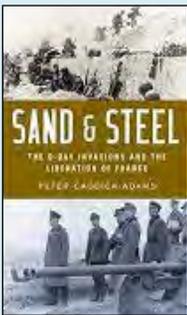
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UPCOMING...

PETER CADDICK-ADAMS

"Sand and Steel: The D-Day Invasion and the Liberation of France"

7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 13

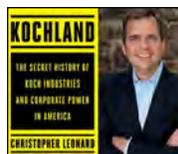


Published to commemorate the 75th anniversary of D-Day, British military historian Peter Caddick-Adams' "Sand and Steel" is a comprehensive, monumental account of the greatest and most consequential military operation of modern times, drawing on first-hand battlefield research, personal testimony and interviews. In addition to covering the build-up to the invasion, Caddick-Adams gives a detailed account of the German preparations and reveals precisely what lay in wait for the Allies. The heart of the book is Caddick-Adams' narratives of the five beaches, where the terrible drama played out — Utah, Omaha, Gold, Juno, and Sword — and the attempt by American, British and Canadian soldiers to gain a foothold in Europe.



From left, Tom Eschen, Press Club past-president, interviewing Christopher Leonard, New York Times business journalist and University of Missouri School of Journalism alum, about his latest bestseller, "Kochland: The Secret History of Koch Industries and Corporate Power in America" on Sept. 11 at the St. Louis County Library's "In Conversation with the Press Club" author series.

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SEPT. 11
CRISTOPHER LEONARD

"Kochland: The Secret History of Koch Industries and Corporate Power in America"



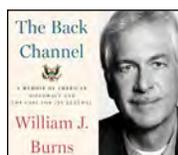
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JOHN C. MCMANUS

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JULY 9
CHARLES FISHMAN

"One Giant Leap: The Impossible Mission that Flew us to the Moon"



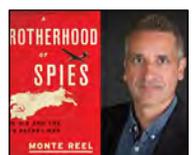
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WILLIAM J. BURNS

"The Back Channel: A Memoir of American Diplomacy and the Case for its Renewal"



JUNE 18
ELLIOTT ACKERMAN

"Places and Names: on War, Revolution, and Returning"



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MONTE REEL

"A Brotherhood of Spies: The U-2 and the CIA's Secret War"