

# SUFFRAGE CENTENNIAL BOOK CLUB

100 Years of Women Voting | 1920–2020



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## Reading List & Film Pairings | #SCBC2020

### JANUARY

**BOOK** Susan Ware, *Why They Marched: Untold Stories of the Women Who Fought for the Right to Vote* (Cambridge, MA: Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, 2019). 360 pp.

**FILM** *Seneca Falls* (2019, Louise Vance).

### FEBRUARY

**BOOK** Adele Logan Alexander, *Princess of the Hither Isles: A Black Suffragist's Story from the Jim Crow South* (Yale UP, 2019). 392 pp.

**FILM** *Thirteenth* (2016, Ava Duvernay).

### MARCH

**BOOK** Cynthia E. Orozco, *Agent of Change: Adela Sloss-Vento, Mexican American Civil Rights Activist and Texas Feminist* (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2020). 272pp.

**FILM** *Dolores* (2018, Peter Bratt).

### APRIL

**BOOK** Leandra Ruth Zarnow, *Battling Bella: The Protest Politics of Bella Abzug* (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2019). 464 pp.

**FILM** *She's Beautiful When She's Angry* (2014, Mary Dore).

### MAY

**BOOK** Ellen Fitzpatrick, *The Highest Glass Ceiling: Women's Quest for the American Presidency* (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2016). 336 pp.

FILM Chisholm '72: Unbought and Unbossed (2004, Shola Lynch).

## **JUNE**

BOOK Fiction: Sue Kidd Monk, *The Invention of Wings* (NY: Penguin, 2015). 384 pp.

FILM Rebel Hearts: The Grimke Sisters (1995, Betsy Newman).

## **JULY**

BOOK Fiction: Miriam Grace Monfredo, *Seneca Falls Inheritance* (Create Space Independent Publishing, 2nd Ed, 2013). 332 pp.

FILM Ida B. Wells: A Passion for Justice (1989, William Greaves).

## **AUGUST**

BOOK Elaine Weiss, *The Woman's Hour: The Great Fight to Win the Vote* (Penguin Press, 2018). 432 pp.

FILM Iron-Jawed Angels (2004, Katja von Garner).

## **SEPTEMBER**

BOOK Stacey Abrams, *Lead from the Outside: How to Build Your Future and Make Real Change* (New York: Picador, 2019). 256 pp.

FILM Councilwoman (2018, Margo Guernsey).

## **OCTOBER**

BOOK *Smithsonian American Women: Remarkable Objects and Stories of Strength, Ingenuity, and Vision from the National Collection* (Washington, DC: Smithsonian Books, 2019). 248 pp.

FILM Wonder Women: The Untold Story of American Superheroines (2012, Guevara-Flanagan & Edwards).

## **NOVEMBER**

BOOK Carol Anderson, *One Person, No Vote: How Voter Suppression Is Destroying Our Democracy* (New York: Bloomsbury Publishing, 2019). 368 pp.

FILM Selma (2014, Ava Duvernay).

## **DECEMBER**

BOOK Joni Seager, *The Women's Atlas* (New York: Penguin Books, 2018). 208 pp.

FILM Forbidden Voices (2012, Barbara Miller).