

Herstory Café

invites you

Saturday, June 27, 2009

Where: MUSEUM OF VANCOUVER
1100 Chestnut St. (in Vanier Park)

When: Saturday, June 27, 2009 from 1pm-2pm
free admission—everyone welcome!

Please join the Herstory Cafe and the Museum of Vancouver for:
***"Skeletons in the Closet: 'The Eternally Wounded Woman:'
Women, Exercise and Doctors in the late Nineteenth Century"***

a talk and slide presentation by Patricia Vertinsky, Sports Historian and UBC Human Kinetics professor. For more information, visit www.herstorycafe.ca or www.vanmuseum.bc.ca.

"Vertinsky examines the debate about women and exercise from the points of view of the male medical establishment, the early pioneer female doctors, intellectual feminism and the developing profession of psychology. ...What men and women doctors had to say about female health and physical activity had an important impact upon the lifestyle and outlook of middle-class women and provided a legacy which has had a lasting effect," a quote from the back cover of Vertinsky's book, "The Eternally Wounded Woman: Women, Exercise and Doctors in the late Nineteenth Century" This talk incorporates the themes of culture, physicality and the making of the female body."

**Slide
Presentation**

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