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Oberlin Heritage Center Presents Women's History Month Program

Oberlin women have a long, proud history of voicing opinions and rallying others to causes that promote a fair and just society. Learn more about the exceptional local women, some well-known, others unsung, whose actions reflected and often created national shifts in the understanding of female potential, rights, and roles. "You Cannot Resist the Call": Oberlin and Women's Changing Roles in the Nation will be presented by Youngstown State University graduate student Roger Juntunen on Wednesday, March 28 at 7:15 p.m. as a special Women's History Month program sponsored by the Oberlin Heritage Center. Juntunen and fellow presenter, Jane Spies, have been researching Oberlin women as part of a YSU Department of History internship project at the Oberlin Heritage Center. Their findings will be shared in an illustrated presentation that includes rarely heard stories of outspoken women who lived in Oberlin or attended Oberlin College. The event takes place at Kendal at Oberlin's Heiser Auditorium (600 Kendal Drive) and is free and open to the public.

Roger Juntunen, a graduate of the University of Minnesota, earned a J.D. from Akron Law School and an M.B.A. from the University of Wyoming. He currently is working on an LL.M. in Intellectual Property at Akron Law School. Jane Spies has a B.A. degree in psychology and an M.S. degree in education in general guidance and counseling. Presently, both Juntunen and Spies are studying historic preservation and applied history at Youngstown State University, working toward Master of Arts in history degrees.

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