

**Women's**

***Suffrage***

***& US Feminism***

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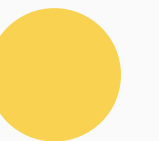




# Discuss

***Feminism = Equality for All***

**Agree or Disagree?**



# What we will talk about today



**Seneca Falls Convention**

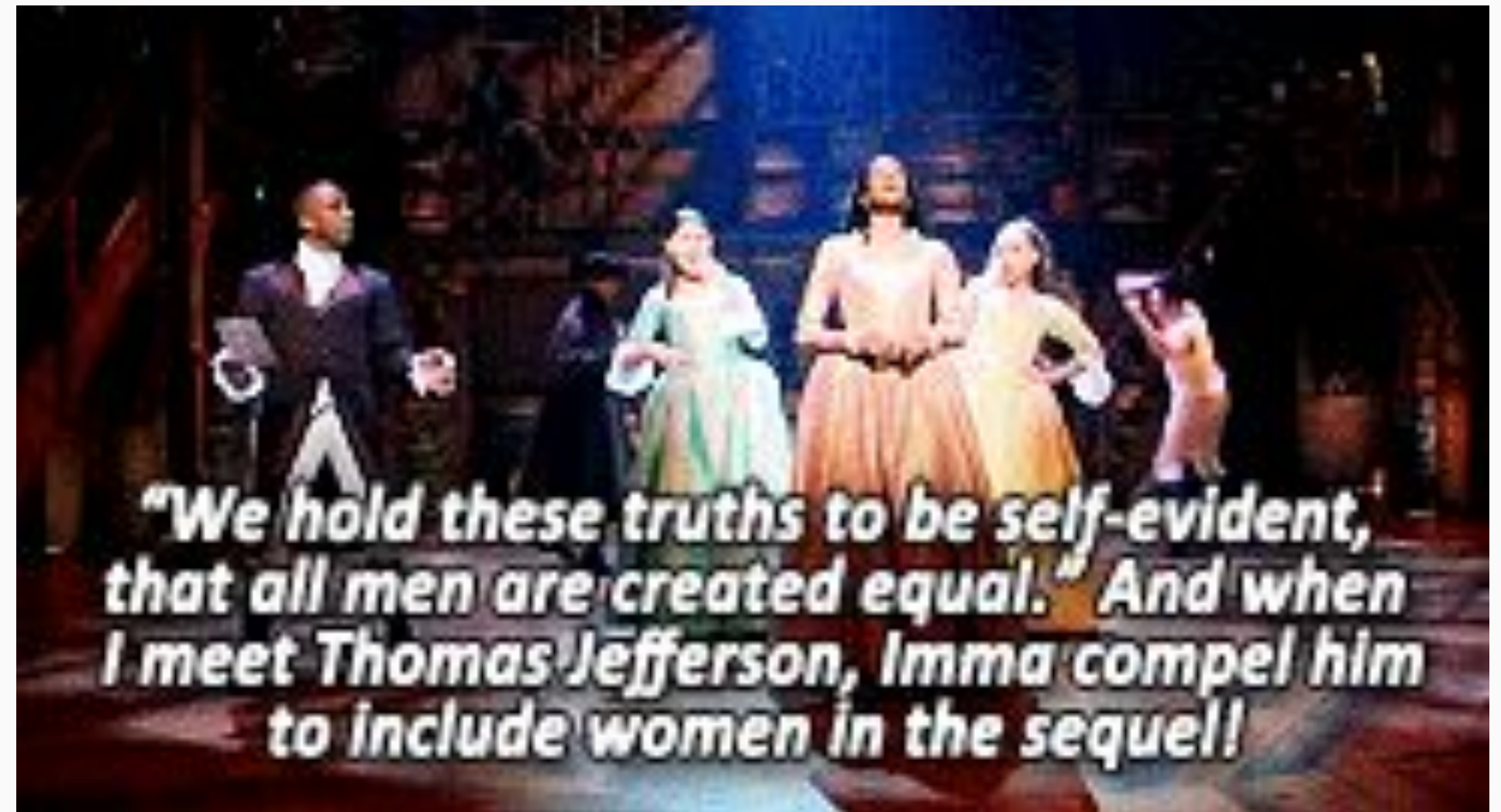
**The right to vote (Suffrage)**

**Feminism in the US**

**The Bechdel Test**

# Seneca Falls Convention

- AKA Women's Rights Convention
- Seneca Falls, NY, 1848
- Organizers were abolitionists
- Grievances
  - Right to **vote**
  - Right to **education**
  - Right to **own property**
  - Right to **wages**
  - Right to **divorce**
- Manifesto: Declaration of Sentiments



# Susan B. Anthony



- One of the most well-known suffragettes
- Co-founded the National Woman Suffrage Association in 1869
- *The Revolution*
  - “Men, their rights, and nothing more; women, their rights, and nothing less.”

# The right to vote (Suffrage) ●

- 15th Amendment (1869)
  - Gave African American men the right to vote
- 19th Amendment (1920)
  - 20 states gave the right for white women to vote *before* the 19th amendment was passed
  - Gave women the right to vote
  - “The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex.”



# Discuss

**The Constitution is a living  
document**

**Agree or Disagree?**



# Waves of Feminism

## 1st (1848-1920)

- People, not property (white women)
- Right to vote

## 2nd ('60s-'70s)

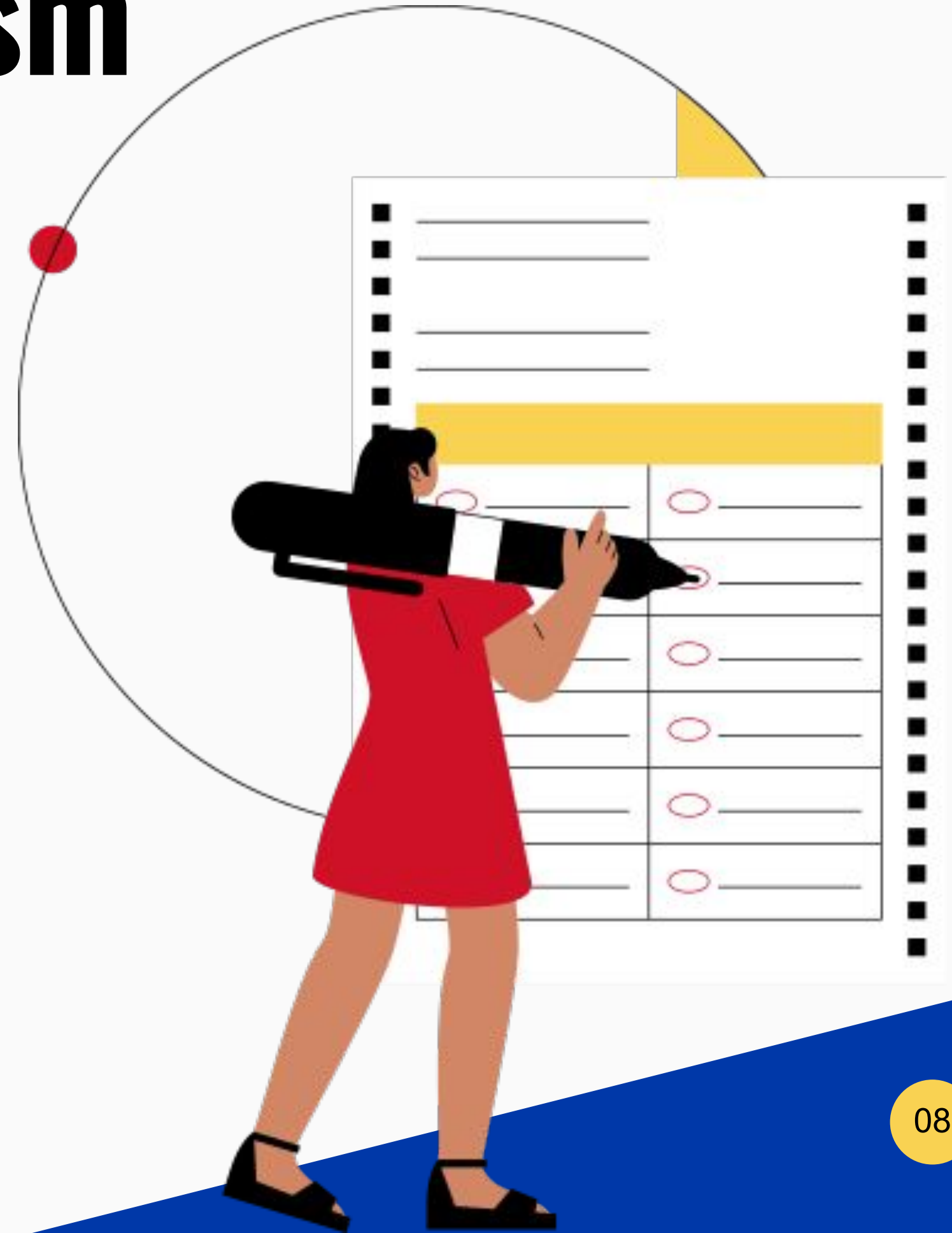
- Gender roles, reproductive rights
- Roe v Wade, Equal Pay Act

## 3rd ('90s)

- Sexual freedom, intersectionality
- *The Vagina Monologues*

## 4th (current)

- Empowerment, #MeToo, trans rights?



# US Feminism Today: The Issues

TERFs (Trans Exclusionary Radical Feminists)

- Congresswoman Sarah McBride

Snowflake

SJW (Social Justice Warrior)

“Blue haired”

Roe v Wade +

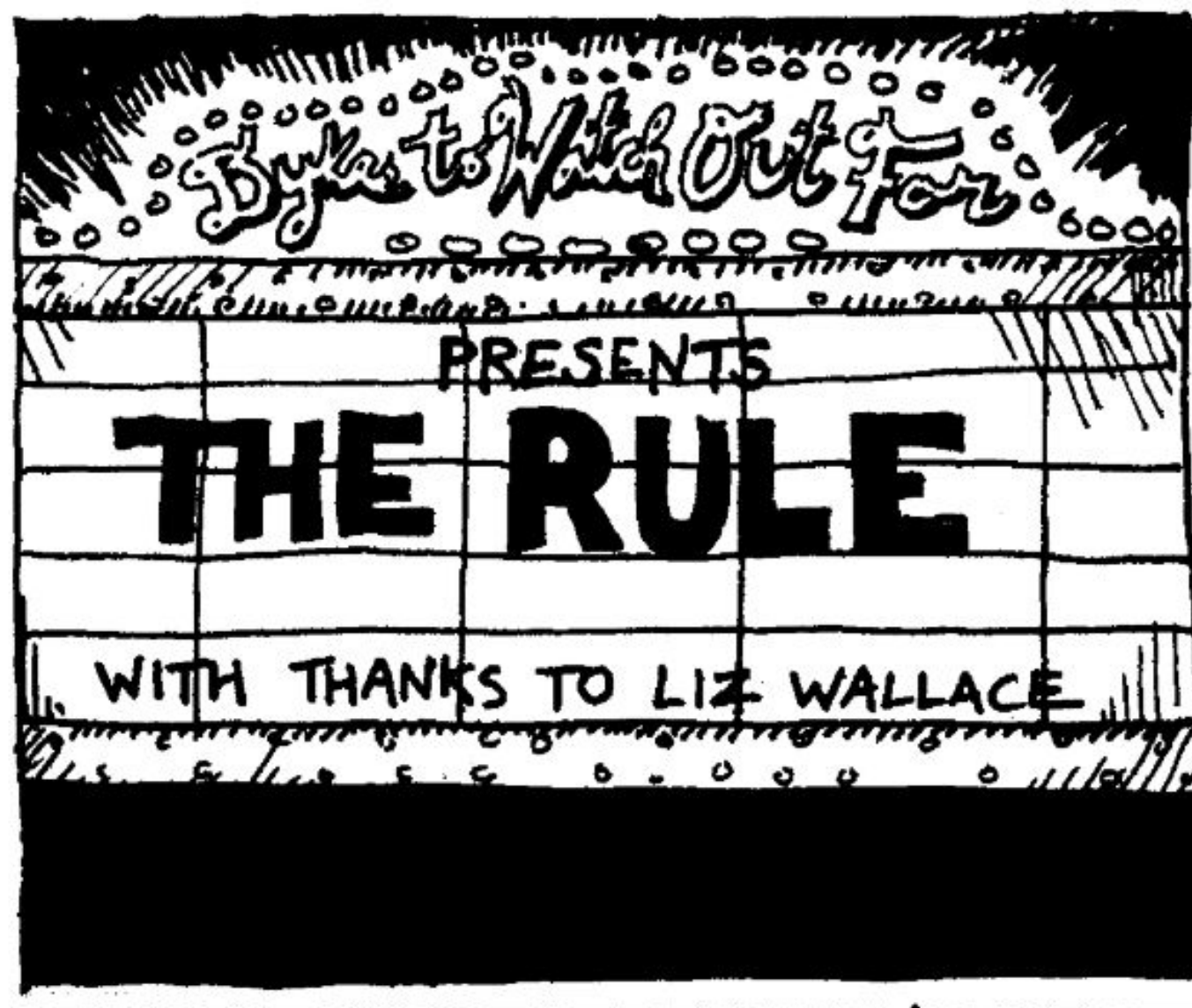
Reproductive Rights



# Reproductive Rights

**Birth Control vs Control of Birth**







...WHO, TWO, TALK TO EACH OTHER ABOUT, THREE, SOMETHING BESIDES A MAN.



THE VIGILANTE

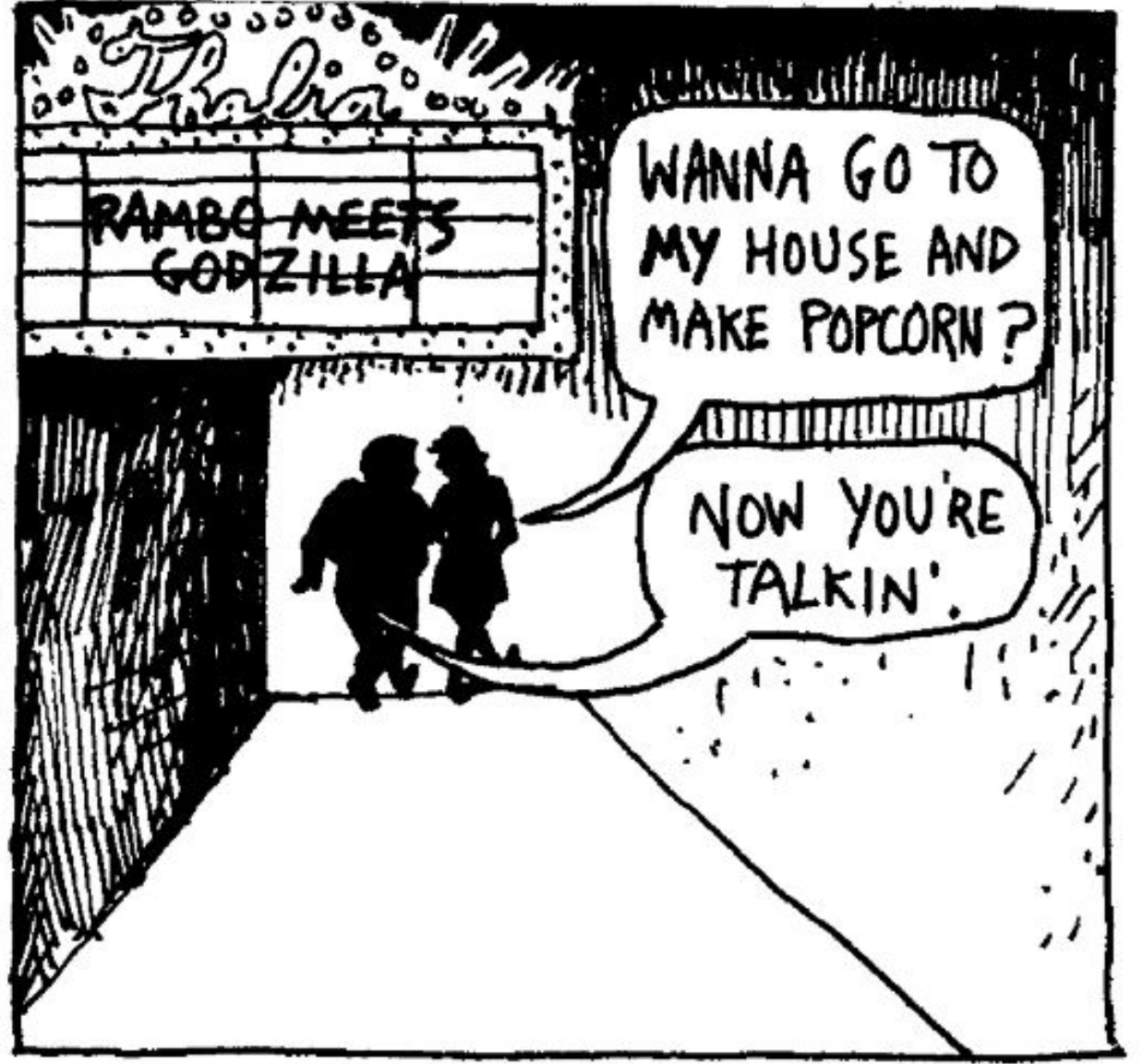


PRETTY STRICT, BUT A GOOD IDEA.

NO KIDDING. LAST MOVIE I WAS ABLE TO SEE WAS ALIEN...



...THE TWO WOMEN IN IT TALK  
TO EACH OTHER ABOUT THE  
MONSTER.



A group of women are gathered in a room, possibly a living room decorated for Christmas. In the foreground, a woman with curly hair is holding a large, wrapped gift. Other women are visible in the background, some looking towards the camera. The scene is lit with warm, indoor lighting.

**EVERYTHING**

**YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT**

*the*  
**Bechdel Test**

**IN FIVE MINUTES**

the  
LORD  
OF THE RINGS

# The End

(Yay Women's Rights!)

