

SPINSTER CLUB discussion points

So you've bought the cheesy snacks and got the girls on board. Here are some topics to get your feminist fires burning, inspired by Evie, Amber and Lottie's own Spinster Club discussions.

Name a film that passes the Bechdel test.

To pass, a film has to have at least two women in it and they've got to have at least one conversation about something other than men.

Do you recognize any cognitive dissonances in yourself?

It's not always easy to uphold feminist ideals in the face of social norms. Where do you struggle the most?

Why have "spinster" and "feminist" become seen as offensive words? The Spinster Club began because the girls wanted to reclaim the word spinster and make it mean something positive. But why was that even necessary?

Lottie discovers that when you fight for something you believe in, "people are going to swipe at you". But do the positives of online feminist communities outweigh the negative comments?

Why does feminist behaviour in relationships make people feel uncomfortable?

How can we get people to move past traditional gender roles, like guys being expected to pay the bill on a date, or girls feeling uncomfortable about asking guys out?

How can your class, race, religion, sexuality, gender-identity and disability impact your experience as a woman?

Lottie wants everyone to add to her feminist "duvet" of different female experiences. How can feminist campaigns include more diverse voices?

What made you realize you were a feminist? For some people, a particular experience, book, or person awakens them to feminist issues, just like Lottie's experience with the van men prompted her campaign.

And finally, who can make the biggest food baby?! Bring on the cheese!

We'd love to hear about YOUR SPINSTER CLUBS, and your favourite moments from the SPINSTER CLUB trilogy. Join the conversation online and start sharing!

#SpinsterClub (Virtual cheesy snacks welcome...)