**Barbie and Ken: Gender Discussion Questions**

1. What did you think about the film’s beginning?
2. What is your reaction to Barbie’s comment, “I would never wear heels if my feet were shaped like this.”
3. What was your reaction to the statement, “No one rests until this doll is back in the box.”
4. How did you react to Ruth’s statement, “Humans only have one ending. Ideas live forever.”
5. What do you think the character of Weird Barbie added to the story?
6. What reaction did you have to “Do you mind if I go to bathroom?”
7. Barbie has a great day everyday, but Ken only has a great day if Barbie looks at him. What is your reaction?
8. Sasha says “You’ve been making women feel bad about themselves since you were invented.” Your reaction?
9. What does Ken mean when he says, “I am Kenough.”
10. What is your reaction to Ken’s statement, “You guys are not doing patriarchy very well.”
11. What was your favorite scene or quote in the movie and why?
12. What lessons for women did you get from this film? Lessons for men?
13. Did AAUW have a part in a talking Barbie’s history?
14. Reactions to Mattel co-sponsoring movie with Warner Brothers?
15. Impact of financial success of movie co-written and directed by woman director, Greta Gerwig will be.
16. Negative reactions from men you know?