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A Hero for Daisy

by Bill Littlefield

To mark National Girls and Women in Sports Day, commentator Bill Littlefield remembers the bad old days before Title Nine, as depicted in the movie "A Hero for Daisy." The film, which tells the story of the women's rowing team at Yale University 25 years ago, has left Littlefield grateful that the situation has changed, but wondering what indignities remain for women in sports at colleges and universities across the country. [Listen](#)



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