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Stars, Particles, the Universe, and Evolution of Science and Technology.....



Our October speaker, Christel J. Sutterley, PhD; Adjunct Professor, University of California, San Diego, will give a presentation on Stars, Particles, the Universe, and Evolution of Science and Technology. Dr. Sutterley will describe her research of the tiniest particles in the universe, the fundamental building blocks of matter, and how understanding the small things can help us understand large things: the big bang, how stars are born, how they shine, and how they eventually die. She will explain that learning to understand these fundamentals will ultimately lead to better computers, more precise medical imaging devices, and even higher quality medical treatments.

Dr. Sutterley is currently teaching physics at UCSD. She obtained both her PhD and MS in Physics at UCSD and her Bachelors degree in Astrophysics at UCLA. She is an athlete, water polo goalie for NCAA UCLA team, UCSD club water polo team captain, surfer, and avid oil painter.

AAUW Glendale

Date: October 13, 2012

**Place: Oakmont Country Club
3100 Country Club Dr
Glendale, Ca.**

Time: 9:00 am to 10:30 am

Cost: \$25 per person -Please make your check payable to: AAUW Glendale
Please reserve by Wednesday, **October 10, 2012**
For reservations call: **Susie Robinson**
Reservations made but not kept will be billed



PRESIDENT'S VIEW

Dear Members,

Our first branch meeting initiated a year of solid programs with a presentation by Susan Heck PhD and Don Thomas MD. They discussed the book *Half the Sky*, written by Pulitzer Prize winners Nicholas Kristof and Sheryl WuDunn, which illuminates the world wide movement to address rampant discrimination and abuse of women. Dr. Peck detailed disturbing anecdotes about the plight of women reaching from third world countries to our own community in which violence and disenfranchising of women is tolerated. Dr. Thomas has traveled several times to Malawi, and he described uplifting stories about women who rose above hardship and abuse in that community. Both speakers indicated that in spite of apparent advances, women still earn but ten percent of worldwide pay for labor. He told the story about a goat named "Luck" that was donated to a Uganda family. The animal, living up to its name, not only provided milk for the family but enabled them to raise income by selling its milk.

The term *Half the Sky* dates back to Confucius who pointed out that women own half of the space above us. This book is available at Vromann's bookstore at \$17.35. In addition, many stories from this book will be featured on PBS stations in October.

Your **2013-2014 Yearbook** was distributed at this first meeting. Kudos and heartfelt thanks to Nancy Ellyson for reformatting and editing this handsome edition! (We can only imagine the hours it must have taken to complete this revision...) Many organizations are changing their membership booklet to an online delivery system. For the time being, in spite of production expenses, our officers are committed to continuing publication of this vital membership guide.

Macy's DAY Changes

In a surprise development and with very little notice Macy's announced a back-to-school community shopping day this past August 25th. Unfortunately this change also eliminated the profit sharing aspect of this shopping association which previously had been a holiday event. Since we do not have summertime meetings and many of our members were vacationing, this shopping opportunity became a challenge for your officers to contact members and ask for contributions. We did manage to raise close to \$600.00 for AAUW funds and Tech Trek. Many thank those who supported this last minute fund raiser!

Sincerely,
Sheila Koster, Co-President
AAUW Glendale

AAUW GLENDALE BRANCH		
Budget for 2012-		
	2013	2012-2013
Income		
Dues		5,643.00
Ways & Means		2,415.00
Total Income		\$8,058.00
Expense		
Dues		3,943.00
Administrative Expense		505.00
Board of Directors		50.00
Bylaws		50.00
CA AAUW Conv. & Conference		200.00
Corresponding Secretary		100.00
Hospitality & Arrangements		20.00
Insurance		240.00
LACIC Dues		25.00
Membership		150.00
Oakmont Club - Valet Parking		1,300.00
Program		800.00
Newsletter Postage		405.00
Website		120.00
Yearbook	Printing & Postage	150.00
Total Expense		\$8,058.00
<i>Adopted by the Board of Directors 8/27/2012</i>		

EMAIL AND TELEPHONE TREE:

If your email address is not listed in our new yearbook and you wish to be on our email list to receive current news, please contact Charlene Carnachan. If you do not have email and wish to be included on our telephone tree list, please also contact Charlene.

Ways and Means:

It's time for Ralphs grocery shoppers to renew their registration with Ralphs for another year. Once you register, Ralphs will donate a portion of your grocery purchases to our branch, at no cost to you! Last year we received \$364.78. Please contact me for more information.

You won't want to miss our October branch meeting! Pat Rabe (Sunny Wheeler's daughter) will again be offering her wonderful hand-made jewelry for sale, just in time for holiday gifts. Pat will donate a portion of the sale price to our branch.

Our Ways and Means Committee is looking for members and for fun ways to help our branch. Can you help?

Charlene Carnachan
Ways and Means

Tech Trek:

Our Tech Trek campers will attend our October meeting. One person from each school will give a short presentation about their experiences. They are accomplished young women even at this young age. I am sure you will enjoy meeting them.

To help in our Tech Trek fundraising we will have a used book sale at the November meeting. If you have newer books (less than 5 years old) that are in good condition, please bring five (5) or less to the meeting. Best sellers and coffee table books are often popular. Paperbacks in good condition are also welcome. The books will be \$1 each. All books not sold will be taken to Goodwill

How to make Tech Trek contributions tax deductible: If you would like your contribution to be tax deductible when you pay your dues, you will need to write a second check made out to AAUW CA SPF if you send your donation to the Financial Secretary along with your dues. SPF stands for special projects fund which is a 501(c3) entity. Amounts included on the same check with your regular dues and made out to AAUW Glendale Branch are NOT tax deductible. As an alternative you may send your contribution directly to Laura Guillory. In either case you will get an acknowledgement letter acceptable by the IRS.

Laura Guillory
Tech Trek chair

There was great rejoicing on the day you were born.



October Birthdays

- 1 Janina Rezler**
- 1 Anna Hernandez-Torres**
- 2 Shirley Buono**
- 8 Janet Gault**
- 17 Norma Cunanan**
- 21 Marie Chen**
- 20 Mercedes Delaney**
- 24 Joyce Covey**
- 26 Merry Franzen**
- 27 Pat Donlin**



GLOBAL ISSUES DISCUSSION GROUP

October 10 (Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.)

Topic: Indonesia

Home: Valerie Howard



...BOOK GROUPS

EVENING GROUP

Meets the 2nd Monday of the Month at 7:30 p.m.

October 8, 2012 **Infidel**(non-fiction) by Ayaan Hirsi Ali

Author's memoir of how Muslim culture affects women.

Home: Charlene Carnachan

Leader: Mary Jo Brown

DAY GROUP

Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the Month at 10:00 a.m.

October 16, Book: **The Greater Journey**, McCullough

Home: Charlene Carnachan

Leader: Neda Fabris

GOURMET DINING



2235 Honolulu Ave.

Montrose. Ca. 91020

818-957-7524

Gourmet Dinner

Friday: October 26, 2012

Time: 7:00 pm

Entrée prices from \$14.00 to \$20.00

Please RSVP to Leni Richardson

By email or by phone

Everyone is invited. Please bring your significant other

~ October 2012 ~						
◀ September						November ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Board Meeting 6:45 pm- 123 Jackson Rm 103- GUSD	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm	9	10 Global Issues Discussion Group 1:30pm	11	12	13 AAUW Glendale Branch Meeting 9:00 am Oakmont CC Tech Trek Day
14	15	16 Day book group 10:00 pm	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Gourmet Dining at Portabellos in Montrose 7:00 pm, great fun with friends.	27
28	29	30	31	Notes:		

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“Advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education and research.”