American Association of University Women Glendale Branch



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What Does a Color Say to You ??

Jeanette Chasworth A.S.I. D. is the COLOR WHISPERER. A past president of the Pasadena Chapter of the American Society of Interior Designers, this certified interior designer will explore the meaning of color and its influences at our April 11th meeting. All of us have color in our lives, but we might be unaware of its effects and how it represents our personalities. "It takes your time, effort and money," Jeanette indicates, "to paint a room. But so many people settle for the same bland dreary colors, even though it has a huge negative impact on their lives."

Our speaker will help us discover secrets in using color to our best advantage. Ms. Chasworth, author of *What's Color Got To Do With It?*, has examined pathways to taking charge of our homes, using colors to bring out the best environment for each person. For example: Have you ever visited a home improvement store to select paint color and been so overwhelmed that you left in frustration without making choices? Or perhaps you allowed someone else to take charge and select colors that did not represent you. There is a method, actually an art and an awareness to use color to bring out the potential in your home and life. Our speaker will offer advice on selecting colors like a pro in creating the right mood for your rooms, and basically how to decorate to reflect your personality. In short, our speaker will help us gain confidence and direction in bringing color into our lives.

AAUW Glendale April Branch Meeting

Date: April 11, 2015

Oakmont Country Club

3100 Country Club Dr. Glendale, Ca Time: 9:00 am Cost: \$25 per person

Please phone Susie Robinson by Wednesday, April 8, 2015

Home- 818-951-6104 Cell- 818-317-5602

Reservations made but not kept will be billed

President's Corner



Thanks to everyone who attended our joint meeting with Pasadena branch to hear our new state President, Kathleen Doty. This year we will also be joining with Pasadena branch to send a college woman to the National Conference for College Women Student Leaders (NCCWSL) in Washington D.C. in May. We are hoping to be able to fully fund our own selection of student for the Conference next year.

Equal Pay Day 2015 is on April 14 this year. This is the symbolic day when women's earnings finally catch up to men's earnings from the previous year. AAUW is a fierce advocate for policies that close the gender pay gap and has been instrumental in passing legislation to support this cause. We are lucky that in California we are in the top 10 of states making the most progress in this area.

Reminder: As an AAUW CA member, you are entitled to vote in both the AAUW California and National AAUW elections. Watch for email messages in April with your personal voting codes.

At our April 11 meeting, we will also be voting on our nominated slate of officers for the 2015-16 year. Thanks to our Nominating Committee: Elsie Anderson (chair), Susie Robinson, Sharon Ouellette, Mary Pallares, and myself. Special thanks to all our nominees who have agreed to serve on the Board for the next year.

Acting President for April, Mary Jo Brown

Proposed Slate of Officers for 2015-2016:

Co-Presidents: Shirley Buono & Mary Jo Brown

Treasurer: Elaine Smith

Co-Membership V.Ps: J.C. Chauvin-Byer & Beverly Van Citters

Membership Treasurer: Kathy DuPree

Co-Program V.P.s: Cathy Zitnick & Felicia Soissons-Segal

Recording Secretary: Helene Marnell

AAUW Funds V.P.: Anna Hernandez-Torres



April Birthdays

23- Helen Fry

30- Florence Chase



SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

EVENING BOOK GROUP

April 13, 2015, 7:30 p.m. Home: Susan Hallgren Book: The Burgess Boys Leader: Elaine Smith

GLOBAL ISSUES

April 8. 2015, 1:30 pm Home: Shirley Buono

Topic: Sectarianism in the Middle East

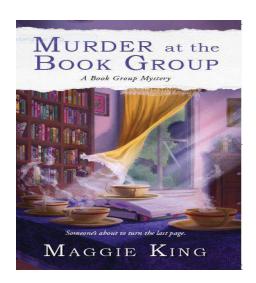
Leader: Sheila Koster

Refreshments: Barbara Bodden and

Valerie Howad

DAY BOOK GROUP

April 21, 2015, 10:00 am: Home: Mary Elgabalawi Book: Weight of Heaven Leader: Sheila Koster



- "This promising series debut should intrigue anyone who Enjoys biblio crime,: (Booklist)
- "The characters in this story ae fascinating, and for he humor hat the author delivers, there is definitely a dark side to go with it." (Suspense Magazine)

More Jewels in Your Crown?

As a ways and means effort a **Park Lane Jewelry** representative will be selling a variety of pieces at our April 11th branch meeting. Jewelry selections are quite reasonable...over 60 selections to choose from and all are under \$58. Our branch will garner 50% of the total sales that day. This is considered a "painless" fund raiser since no one is obligated to participate, but many might find it attractive.

<u>Christine Gillis</u>, who was a Glendale branch member from 1982 to 1998, is recently deceased. Christine was one of the first women stockbrokers and was a founding member of the Women's Stockbroker Association in 1964. She was also on the AAUW National Board of Directors for the Educational Foundation.

She was a founding member of the Palos Verdes branch of AAUW and also a member of Pasadena branch. She had been a member of AAUW since 1946! We are sorry to hear of her passing and send our condolences to her family.

GLENDALE BRANCH BYLAWS, STANDING RULES, AND POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Bylaws and Standing Rules were approved by our members at our March 14 branch meeting. The Standing Rules were printed in the February and March newsletters. If you would like a copy of the Bylaws (without the colored ink), please contact Charlene Carnachan.

We are now revising our branch policies and procedures and ask that current officers and committee chairs submit a short paragraph outlining their responsibilities to Charlene Carnachan, Bylaws Chair, within the next several weeks. Thank you.

Charlene Carnachan Bylaws Chair

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
			1	2	3	4	
5 Happy Easter!	6 AAUW Board Meeting 6:30 pm-1461 Chevy Chase	7	8 Global Issues 1:30 pm	9	10	11 AAUW Branch Meeting, 9:00 AM- Oakmont Country Club	
12	13 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm	14	15	16	17	18	
19		21 Day Book Group 10:00 AM	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30	Notes:	Notes:	



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