# American Association of University Women Glendale Branch



# Verdugo Views

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#### AAUW Glendale-2015 - 2016

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Dav-Charlene Carnachan, Evening – Anna Hernandez-Torres, Anna Donlin Bridae: Duplicate, Great Eight, Round Robin: Donnalee Monninger Global Issues: Charlene Carnachan Gourmet Dining: Leni Richardson Senior Issues: Barbara Merkle Barbara Bodden Walk and Talk: Neda Fabris

#### AAUW Glendale- 93 Years

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# Donna Mertens, President Elect; AAUW California State Board ; to speak to the AAUW Glendale Branch Meeting on February 13, 2016.

She will speak on what is on the agenda for the rest of the 2015-2016 year, as well as talk on the Convention of Leadership Days coming up towards the end of February. She will also underscore the issues of the State and keep us up todate on the different AAUW programs.

# AAUW GLENDALE FEBRUARY BRANCH MEETING

### Date: February 13, 2016

### Place: Oakmont Country Club

3100 Country Club Dr. Glendale, Ca 91208 Time: 9:00 am to 11:00 am Cost: \$**25 per person** Please make your check payable to: AAUW Glendale

Please phone Susie Robinson by Wednesday, February 10, 2016

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

Reservations made but not kept will be billed

# **President's Message**

I continue to be amazed and proud of all that AAUW accomplishes. I am still learning about all that we do. Under the umbrella of the AAUW Fund, there are many components. One of these is the **Campus Leadership Program**.

Each year, AAUW's Campus Leadership Programs shape the lives of thousands of college women to be the next generation of leaders. The Campus Leadership Program includes:

\*<u>National Conference for College Women Student Leaders</u> (NCCWSL) unites college women from across the country to address important leadership issues of the day. (<u>This year we will be</u> <u>sending a Glendale College student.</u>)

\*Campus Action Projects are annual, grant-funded, student-led projects that allow students to take action on women's issues on campus

\*<u>National Student Advisory Council</u> is a yearlong leadership program for 10 college women who serve as AAUW ambassadors on their campuses.

\*<u>Elect Her</u>- Campus Women Win encourages and trains college women to run for student government on their campuses

\*Start Smart salary negotiation workshops provide college women who are approaching the job market the knowledge and skills to negotiate salaries and benefits.

\*<u>Student Organizations</u> are composed of students enrolled in college who are interested in AAUW issues and programs.

This year, **Glendale AAUW** is directly involved with Tech Trek, Student Grants, and the NCCWSL. Hooray for us!! Can we do more???

Shirley Buono, Co-President



## **FEBRUARY Birthdays**

- 1 Sharon Presant
- 2 Esther Martin
- 10 Elaine Smith
- 18 Susan Hallgren
- 18 Betty Blanchette
- 21 Susie Robinson
- 23 Jean Phillips

# WANT TO INTERVIEW? WE HOPE SO!

We are always interested in new interviewers for our spring student grant awards. As you might be aware, the potential awardees selected by the school counselors are interviewed by teams of two to three Glendale AAUW members . Each young woman deserves a diligent and respectful time with the team members. We are beginning to assemble the teams for these interviews. Now is the time for thinking about getting involved in this very worthwhile process.

Many of you have helped in the past and that time and effort will always be much appreciated. However, if you have not been involved lately and would like to be a part of our interview teams, please give Edie Morrow a call at 323 668-0142 or contact her at <u>ebm4491@aol.com</u>. We are looking for people with the interest in interviewing, getting to know our grant candidates, and who have some day time available between mid-March and early April for interviews. If you would like to join in this endeavor, please make contact by the end of February.

Thank you. Edie Morrow

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# **SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP**



### EVENING BOOK GROUP

February 8, 2016, 7:30 p.m. Home: Neda Fabris Leader: Mary Jo Brown Book: The Lady in Gold

### **GLOBAL ISSUES**

February 10, 1:30 p.m. Home : Shirley Buono Leader: Charlene Carnachan Topic: Middle East Alliances

#### DAY BOOK GROUP

February 16, 2016 , 10:00 am Home: Neda Fabris Leader: Shirley Buono Book: Americana

#### SENIOR ISSUES

February 3, Wednesday, 1:30 pm Home: Margot Nenzell



# WAYS AND MEANS FUNDRAISER FOR OUR BRANCH

When: February 21, starts at 4 p.m.
Where: Mary Elgabalawi home, 2829 Marengo Ave, Altadena Ca 91001
Why: To socialize, Raise funds for our Branch, Sample good food, Enjoy the company and entertainment
Food: Great beginnings (appetizers) and Endings (deserts)
Entertainment: Latin and Popular Songs (Life And Karaoke Singing)
Cost: \$20 per person
Guests are welcome
Transportation, if needed will be provided.
Payment due by February 13, 2016 to Kathy Dupree

Please RSVP to the hostess.

# **PASADENA SHOWCASE HOUSE**

The 2016 Showcase House will be open April 17 to May 15, and again our branch is looking for volunteers to staff four-hour shifts. We raised \$800 for Tech Trek in 2015, thanks to our members. This year the house is located in La Canada. If working to support Tech Trek interests you, and you can stand for four hours with one short break, please let me know soon. Friends are welcome also, and we receive \$40 for each shift completed.

Charlene Carnachan

# **OPPORTUNITY DAY RESULTS**

Many Thanks to all who helped on the project (Sheila Koster, Sharon Collins, Joyce Davison, Beverly Ann Citters, Barbara Merkle). Our branch raised \$1,347 for the **Tech Trek.** 

Laura Guillory

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<ul> <li>January 2016</li> </ul>	February 2016					March 2016 ►
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> Board Meeting:6:45pm GUSD- Rm 103 123 No. Jackson	2	<b>3</b> Senior Issues- 1:30 pm Margo Nenzell's Home	4	5	6
7	8 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm,	9	10	11	12	13 AAUW Glendale Branch Meeting Oakmont Country Club 3100 Country Club Dr 9:00 am to 11:00 am
14	15	<b>16</b> Day Book Group 10:00am	17	18	19	20
<b>21</b> Valentine Social 4:00 pm Mary Elgabalawi's home	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	Notes:				



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