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Neda Fabris

The Continuing Conflict between Armenia and Azerbaijan

Glendale is home to the largest population of Armenians in the west. Armenians are good citizens – their participation in the civic life of Glendale is measurable; they work hard and have admirable achievements. It is difficult to live in Glendale and not be aware of their contributions. April is the month that they hold their annual remembrance of the Armenian holocaust. And it is appropriate that in April we have an expert speak to us about the history of the Armenians and their struggle for independence and identity.

Major General Mark MacCarley, our April presenter, will talk about the conflict between Armenia and Azerbaijan. With an undergraduate degree from California State University Northridge, the general has earned an MBA from the University of Massachusetts Amherst, then a Masters at the United States Army War College, and to cap it all, a Juris Doctorate at Loyola University. Who can better describe conflicts than a general? The Armenian-Azerbaijan conflict is so convoluted that it takes the legal mind of a lawyer coupled with the training of a general to comprehend and explain it.

A long-time resident of our city, General MacCarley has recently chaired a committee that has collaborated on raising \$350M for Glendale College, where he taught for over 10 years as an adjunct professor of law and real estate. He is also running for the Glendale City Council, after many years of multiple involvements with civic projects in Glendale.

AAUW GLENDALE APRIL BRANCH MEETING

Date: April 8, 2017

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 reservation by April 5, 2017 Call Susie Robinson to RSVP Home- 818-951-6104 Cell: 818-317-5602

Reservations made but not kept will be billed

Dear Members:

Happy Spring! April is a busy month (Passover, Easter, Earth Day and National Arbor Day). The Board is working on filling the slate of officers for the upcoming year. Most board positions have been filled with two exceptions: Membership VP and possibly Treasurer. Please consider accepting one of these positions with a friend to share the responsibilities. The Branch encourages members to step out of their comfort zone and accept a leadership position. Training and mentors are available (Leadership Days and videos).

Also, as a reminder, the AAUW California Annual Meeting is scheduled on April 22, 2017 at the San Mateo Marriott. The cost is only \$50 for the day and includes continental breakfast, annual meeting, Table Talk and the Speech Trek luncheon. Reservations can be made online at aauw-ca.org.

Lastly, be on the lookout for an email containing a personal invitation to vote in the AAUW CA election. (Please review the AAUW California Perspective, Winter 2017 newsletter for details.) The AAUW CA voting period will begin on April 22 and close on May 12, 2017.

I look forward to seeing you at the branch meeting (Saturday, April 8).

Sincerely, Anna Hernandez-Torres, Co-President 2016-2017

Support AAUW

Whether you believe it most important to protect the rights of those facing discrimination, provide educational opportunities, advocate with a powerful voice or any of the other AAUW programs, there are many ways you can give. AAUW is grateful for your support and believes that you should decide which programs to support and the best way for you to give a donation. Your gift to AAUW will be put to work in the way that is most meaningful to you.

Feel free to contact us at development@aauw.org or call 202.728.7629 if you have any questions or need additional information.



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Recruitment Webinar: Attracting Members in Their Twenties and Thirties



April 25, 2017 Time: 4:30 pm

Location: Online (Just register for the webinar)

Cost: Free

Event Description:

AAUW has something to offer so many women in your community, but how do you find them, and how do you get them to join?

Attend a webinar with staff and AAUW's Membership Committee to explore how to recruit women in their twenties and thirties to join your branch. You'll leave with strategies and tools to attract this target group to your branch and learn ways to ensure retention of these new members by creating an environment that is welcoming and inclusive.

Every leader can be part of the effort to recruit new members. Join branch presidents, membership vice presidents, and diversity officers for a discussion on strategies that have been proven to work!



APRIL BIRTHDAYS
30- Florence Chase



Evening Book Group: April 10, 2017; 7:30 pm

Home: Susan Hallgren Leader: Mary Pallares Book: The Sympathizer

Global Issues: April 12, 1:30 pm

Home: Elaine Smith Leader: Clarli Wilson Topic: South China Sea Refreshment: Susan Hallgren

Day Book Group: April 18, 10:00 am

Home: Mary McVay Leader: Sheila Koster Book: The Nightingale

Senior Transitions Group: Please contact Susan Carroll for more information

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Board Meeting 123 No. Jackson Rm 103 7:00 pm	4	5	6	7	8 Branch Meeting Oakmont Country Club 9:00 am to 11:00 am
9	10 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm Home: Susan Hallgren	11	12 Global Issues 1:30 pm Home: Elaine Smith	13	14	15
Happy Easter!	17	18 Day Book Group 10:00 am Home: Mary McVay	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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