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AAUW HOLIDAY PARTY

Mary Pallares has graciously offered her lovely home to host AAUW Glendale's Holiday Party on Sunday, December 18, 2016 from 4 to 8 pm. It has become a grand tradition for the branch members, to celebrate the holiday with friends and family.

Please invite your spouse, significant other, friends or prospective members to share the joy and camaraderie this branch has maintained over the years.

AAUW GLENDALE DECEMBER BRANCH MEETING

Date: December 18, 2016

Place: Mary Pallares Home

**314 Cumberland Road
Glendale, Ca 91202-1205**

Time: 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Cost: \$40 per person

**Please make your check payable to: AAUW Glendale and Mail to
Susie Robinson before December 12, 2016**

Home- 818-951-6104

Cell- 818-317-5602

Reservations made but not kept will be billed



December Birthdays

2	Barbara Merkle
6	Susan Hunt
10	Charlene Carnachan
10	Ella Jarf
13	June Hasencamp
17	Mary Pallares
18	Lois Scaff
18	Leni Richardson
20	Laura Guillory
22	Carol Oleson

Dear Members:

Season's Greetings!!!!

As hostess, I look forward to seeing you and celebrating this festive season. This branch is very fortunate to have wonderful members who truly care about each other. On behalf of co-president Cathy Zitnick, we thank you for your membership, friendship and love.

Anna Hernandez-Torres, Co-President



SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

GLOBAL ISSUES

No meeting in December

EVENING BOOK GROUP

December 12, 7:30 p.m.

Home: Mary Pallares

Leader: Mary Margaret Smith

Book: The Maltese Falcon

DAY BOOK GROUP

No meeting in December

SENIOR TRANSITIONS GROUP

Please contact Susan Carroll for Information.

Help with Holiday Party and Founder's Day:

This year the funds raised by the sale of gift baskets and donations at the January 14 Founders' day luncheon will be used to fund Tech Trek campers. To ensure that we have sufficient display tables, please contact Laura Guillory (818 244-8004 lguillory1430@gmail.com) and let her know the theme/contents of your basket or donation by January 10, 2017.

If you do not plan to attend the meeting on January 14, please let her know; we can arrange to pick up your basket/donation. In addition to gift baskets, handmade items, original art, unique ceramics, new handbags, event tickets, restaurant gift cards, plants, grocery baskets, wine, spa services have also been popular items.

Volunteer requests ; (1) Laura Guillory would like 1 or 2 people to help decorate and set things up at Mary Pallares home for the Holiday party. Time would be Saturday , December 17 from 10-1. Call or email Laura Guillory if you can help (2) Laura Guillory would like 1 person to help receive opportunity sale items at luncheon meeting on January 14. You would need to arrive about around 10:30 (3) we need 3 volunteers to sell raffle tickets at the Founders day event. Contact Laura Guillory if you can help.

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The AAUW Elevator Speech

[Third and final article in a series of three]

Beverly Van Citters, Ph.D.
VP of Membership

We examined in two previous membership articles our strengths in AAUW and our AAUW-Glendale history. We will use this information to complete a worksheet for our individual use, our AAUW Elevator Speech! An 'elevator speech' is a condensed summary that is given in one to two minutes! An example is a scene from the movie **Working Girl** where Tess, played by Melanie Griffith, gets to share her new idea to the busy CEO of her company. She rides with the CEO in an elevator for a few short minutes. That short time is used to 'sell or pitch' him on her idea.

There are opportunities that present themselves to us where we can talk up AAUW but can we do this succinctly and to the point? Most of us are 'high verbal' so it is important to keep the message short and to the point. We need to be ready for questions as well.

The following, provided by AAUW National [<http://www.aauw.org/files/2016/02/Recruitment-Elevator-Pitch-Worksheet-nsa.pdf>], is designed to give you an opportunity to address your 'AAUW Elevator Speech'. I condensed some of the points for the sake of brevity.

- **Write down four points about AAUW that you would like to share.** What makes AAUW memorable to you? What projects or an issue is AAUW championing that is important to you?
- **Pick the two most important points you wrote down.** Why are they the most important points? Condense your answer to this question into two or three sentences.
- **Add your full name and where you're from** before these two or three sentences to serve as your introduction and opening remarks.
- **Make sure to also make an "ask" at the end.** Every elevator pitch should conclude with a question that needs a definitive answer, whether it's "Would you like to be a part of our organization?" or "Will you attend our event on Saturday?" or "Can we add you to our newsletter list?"
- **Write your AAUW elevator pitch/speech and share it with a fellow member!**

As AAUW members, membership is a shared responsibility for each of us. If you need brochures, please contact me. I always bring extras to the meeting! Now get on that elevator!

Public Policy

Recently, the AAUW analyzed the data from the U.S. Census Bureau and found that it will take 136 years to close the gender pay gap. Basically, women will be paid the same as men in the year 2152. In 2014, the pay gap was 79 cents and in 2015 the pay gap was 80 cents. As you can see the pay gap is moving at a snail's pace. Although women are making gains in the work force, the pay gap is still inching along. AAUW advocates for pay equity legislation, regulation and enforcement to assist and protect employees as well as educate the public. Our AAUW membership has worked on this issue by sending thousands of messages to their Congressmen to pass the Paycheck Fairness Act. We have also been lobbying our State Legislatures to strengthen equal pay laws.

-Susan Hallgren

AAUW GLENDALE BRANCH

Budget for 2016-2017

Income

Dues	2,400.00
From Reserves	240.00
Ways & Means	1,000.00
Total Income	\$3,640.00

Expense

Bank Charges & Checks	170.00
PO Box	82.00
Postage	100.00
Safety Deposit	40.00
State Registration	50.00
Miscellaneous Supplies	100.00
CA-AAUW Convention	400.00
Corresponding Secretary	50.00
Insurance	383.00
LACIC Dues	25.00
Membership Treasurer	170.00
AAUW National Conference	1,200.00
Newsletter	300.00
Website	120.00
Yearbook	250.00
By Laws	50.00
Membership Brochures	150.00
Total Expense	\$3,640.00

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HOLIDAY PROGRAM

On Saturday, Dec. 10, the fabulous Washington Middle School Academy Glee Club will be performing at the Women's City Club of Pasadena, sponsored by AAUW Pasadena branch.

It is at 9:45 a.m. and afterwards a turkey lunch will be served for \$21.

RSVP by Dec. 1 to Gloria Reynolds at 626-798-3896 or gloriareynolds4588@att.net.

AAUW FUND FALL LUNCHEON



On October 23, Glendale branch had 5 members attend the AAUW Fund Annual Luncheon in Seal Beach: Anna Hernandez-Torres, Clarli Wilson, Hannah Cline, Felicia Soissons-Segal, and myself. Anna was a hostess for Georgia Papadakas who emigrated from Greece to the U.S. just 4 years ago and is currently attending Cal Tech, majoring in Physics. She commented in her speech that only 1 out of 10 students at Cal Tech are female. Another student, Sabina Vajraca, is a Bosnian war refugee who arrived in our country at age 14 without her parents. She is a documentary filmmaker and went back to school (USC) 10 years after making her first film, "Back to Bosnia." All the speakers were very inspiring and you can view their talks at the following website:

<http://www.aauw-ca.org/meet-fellowship-grant-recipients/>

Remember, all your donations to AAUW Fund - Educational Opportunities Fund (#4336) support fellowships and grants that empower women to reach their highest potential and benefit the community. Please mail your contributions to: AAUW Development Dept., P.O. Box 98045, Washington D.C. 20090-8045. Thank you for your support of AAUW Fund.

Mary Jo Brown
AAUW Fund V.P.

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December 2016						
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm Home: Mary Pallares	13	14	15	16	17
18 AAUW HOLIDAY PARTY Home: Mary Pallares	19	20	21	22	23	24
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