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CALIFORNIA AND THE NATION IN A TIME OF TURMOIL, WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

The shocking results of the 2016 election have turned much of conventional political analysis on its head. California, which had been at the forefront of progressive politics in a nation that seemed destined to continue in that direction, instead finds itself on the outside of national governmental power.

What does this mean for such issues as climate change, health care, and immigration?

And what does the increasingly divergent path of California and the Rust Belt states mean for American politics and for public policy?

What should we watching for in 2017 and beyond?

Our speaker for the February meeting is Dr. Raphael J. Sonenshein. He will address these issues in a nonpartisan fashion.

Dr. Sonenshein is the Executive Director of the Pat Brown Institute at Cal State LA., where he has served since 2012. He received his B.A. from Princeton and his Ph.D. from Yale. He is the author of three books on Los Angeles politics and government. His book *Politics in Black and White: Race and Power in Los Angeles* (Princeton U. Press 1993) won the 1994 Ralph M. Bunche Award from the American Political Science Association as the best political science book of the year in the field of racial and cultural pluralism. Dr. Sonenshein served as Executive Director of the Los Angeles (Appointed) Charter Reform Commission between 1997 and 1999, and as Executive Director of the Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Review Commission. He was Best Educator and Distinguished College Faculty Member at CSU Fullerton, where he taught for 29 years and received a Wang Family Excellence Award as one of the four best faculty members in the CSU system. He was one of two co-winners of the Haynes Foundation Research Impact award and received the Harry Scoville award in 2012 from the Los Angeles chapter of the American Society of Public Administration. Dr. Sonenshein was the fall 2008 Fulbright Tocqueville Distinguished Chair in American politics and taught at the University of Paris.

Please join us for this informative and entertaining presentation.

AAUW GLENDALE FEBRUARY BRANCH MEETING

Date: February 11, 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 February 8, 2017

Call Susie Robinson to RSVP

Home- 818-951-6104

Cell: 818-317-5602

Reservations made but not kept will be billed

Hello Members:

February is the traditional month to celebrate love and friendships. Many friendships are created and sustained through our shared AAUW passions of advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. We come together to ensure our mission is fulfilled. As you know, our branch recently lost a valued and long-time member (since 1955) Patricia Donlin. Pat was not only a dedicated member but a past President. We mourn her loss deeply.

Although Pat is no longer physically with us, her spirit lives on through the daily work and effort that brings us closer to the achievement of our AAUW goals. Pat was a beloved member and a good friend. She was my close neighbor and we would often carpool to the evening book club meetings. I will miss our conversations discussing current events and, of course, the books we read. She attended the branch meetings regularly and was active in the La Crescenta community. Pat was funny and always eager to learn something new. I admired her continuous spirit of adventure. She shared many stories of her travel adventures, reminding me that they don't stop at a certain age.

The Glendale branch was very fortunate to have Pat Donlin as a loving friend and extraordinary member. We will continue to honor her memory with each girl or woman that is awarded a grant or scholarship in the name of AAUW.

Finally, please join us on Saturday, February 11 as we welcome the Pasadena Branch members for a joint branch meeting featuring our guest speaker, Dr. Raphael J. Sonenshein.

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



Long-Time Member and Past
President- **Pat Donlin.**

Funeral:

Thursday, February 2, 2017, 10:30 am
St. James Catholic Church
4635 Dunsmore Ave.
La Crescenta, 91214

Burial to follow immediately (San Fernando Mission)

Lunch Reception: 1:30 pm

Angeles National Golf Club, Sunland (<http://www.angelesnational.com/barabdgriill/>)
Please RSVP to Anna Donlin: 323- 899-2789 or anna@ado-design.com

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Pat's favorite organizations – AAUW Glendale and Altrusa Glendale, any questions should be directed to Anna Donlin.

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Request for Tech Trek Interviewers

Interview dates: Roosevelt Middle School: February 16; Toll Middle School: February 22; Wilson Middle School: March 2. There is a slight possibility Wilson may require 2 shorter half days. In which case interviews would take place March 1 and 2. Interviews would start about 8:15 and end by 2:30. Laura will provide a light lunch. We will have a short meeting in the first 2 weeks of February to go over the interview evaluation process. Many thanks to Elsie A., Barbara M., Susan H. Mary Jo B., Devora D., who have already volunteered. Please call or email Laura Guillory if you are available.

PASADENA SHOWCASE HOUSE

The Showcase House will be April 23 to May 21, 2017, and we are again seeking volunteers to work four-hour shifts to support our Tech Trek project. It's for a good cause and is interesting also, so why not give it a whirl? This requires standing for four hours with a short break and helping to guide people. For each shift we will receive \$40, so please contact Charlene Carnachan to volunteer. We need you!

Charlene Carnachan

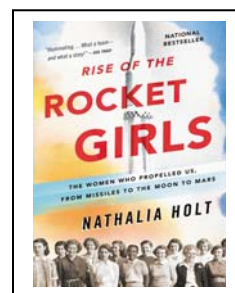
Great News!

February 13, 2017- 7:30 pm.

Our **Evening Book Group** will have a Special Appearance by **Sylvia Miller** one of the actual Rocket Girls.

Home: Anna Donlin

Leader: Chris Christensen



February Birthdays

10 – Elaine Smith

18 – Susan Hallgren

21 – Susie Robinson



Special Interest Groups

Global Issues: February 8, 1:30 p.m.

Home: Susan Hallgren

Leader: Charlene Carnachan

Topic: The European Union

Evening Book Group: February 13, 7:30 pm

Home: Anna Donlin

Leader: Chris Christensen

Book: Rise of the Rocket Girls


Day Book Group: February 21, 10:00 am

Home: Leni Richardson

Leader: Rosa Frommer

Book: The True Believer

Senior Transitions Group: Please contact Susan Carroll for more information

February 2017						
◀ January 2017						March 2017 ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Board Meeting Cancelled- Email Anna H-Torres with any issues.	7	8 Global Issues 1:30 p.m. Home: Susan Hallgren	9	10	11 Branch Meeting- 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM Oakmont Country Club Glendale.
12	13 Evening Book Group, 7:30 pm Home: Anna Donlin Book: The Rocket Girls Special Appearance by Sylvia Miller(Rocket Girl)	14 	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Day Book Group 10:00 AM Home: Leni Richardson	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	Notes:			

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