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WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' PLACE IS IN ENGINEERING

Have you heard that whenever humankind reaches some milestone (let's say in space exploration) it is known as a "success of science," but whenever something goes wrong it is known as a "failure of engineering?" The truth is just opposite: space exploration is based on science from the 16th and 17th centuries (good old Copernicus, Newton...) but the exploration breakthrough came with advances in materials that can stand high temperatures, for example, in electronic circuitry and controls, in manufacturing methods that can make miniature elements invisible to the naked eye, and so on. The list is long and comprehensive, and these are all a SUCCESS OF ENGINEERING.

At our October meeting we will meet an outstanding woman engineer, the current Dean of the College of Computer Science, Engineering and Technology at California State University, Los Angeles. We shall have a presentation by **Dr. Emily Allen**, one of few female deans in the nation. She earned her BS in Metallurgy and Material Science from Columbia University and her MS and PHD in Material Science and Engineering from Stanford University. She has published over 50 journal articles, serves on several national panels and boards (too numerous to list here); among which is the HERS STEM Alumnae Advisory Group and ABET (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology) Committee on Diversity and Inclusion.

Our current Tech Trek participants are also invited at this meeting. Please come and meet them and to listen to Dr. Allen's inspiring talk, so you can encourage your daughters, and friends into engineering careers.

See you at the October meeting.

Neda Fabris
Program Co-Vice President

AAUW GLENDALE OCTOBER BRANCH MEETING

Date: October 8, 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, October 5, 2016

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Reservations made but not kept will be billed



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Dear Members:

Now that we have experienced a bit of rain and cool weather, it seems fall has arrived. Thank you for giving me and Cathy Zitnick the privilege of serving as co-presidents. We look forward to addressing your concerns during our term. This month as we prepare to vote on Election Day, we are reminded of the long 72 year journey of countless petitions, protests, parades, speeches, White house pickets, and the brutal jailing of picketers that American women endured to finally win the right to vote in 1920. Let's make sure our voices are heard and our votes are counted on November 8.

The November ballot in California will contain 17 ballot measures, of which the Public Policy Committee reviewed and evaluated those related to AAUW's priorities and mission and took a position on five:

Proposition 51, support – School Bonds. Funding for K-12 and Community College Facilities

Proposition 52, support – The Medi-Cal Funding and Accountability Act, hospital fees that help fund Medi-Cal;

Proposition 53, oppose – voter approval on specified bonds;

Proposition 55, support – extend taxes for schools voted in in Proposition 30;

Proposition 58, support– The California Multilingual Education Act. Allows structured bilingual education programs for English learners.

To learn more about all 17 propositions, a good resource is the CA Secretary of State website.

Go to www.sos.ca.gov/elections for more details. Your state and county Voter Guides, arriving in your October mail, will also contain helpful information.

Additional assistance in reviewing the measures may be located on the following sites: votersedge.org, cavotes.org, and ballotpedia.org.

I look forward to seeing you at the polls.

Sincerely,

Anna Hernandez-Torres
AAUW Co-President
2016-2017

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- 1 Anna Hernandez-Torres
- 2 Shirley Buono
- 8 Janet Gault
- 17 Norma Cunanan
- 17 Donnalee Monninger
- 24 Joyce Covey
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SAVE THE DATE!

The Annual AAUW Funds Luncheon will be held on October 23, 2016, at the Old Ranch Country Club, 3901 Lampson Ave., Seal Beach, CA 90740. See and hear how our donations are helping women to achieve their educational goals! Reservation deadline is Oct. 11. You can find a reservation form at aauw-ca.org or call Mary Jo Brown, AAUW Funds V.P.

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Special Interest Groups



SENIOR TRANSITIONS GROUP

October 5, Noon
Casa Cordoba
2331 Honolulu Ave., Montrose
Leader: Jeri Hughes

EVENING BOOK GROUP

October 10, 7:30 p.m.
Home: Neda Fabris
Leader: Anna H-Torres
Book: M Train

GLOBAL ISSUES

October 12, 1:30 p.m.
Home: Mary Elgabalawi
Leader: Barbara Merkle
Topic: Climate Change

DAY BOOK GROUP

October 18, 10 a.m.
Home: Valerie Howard
Leader: Lorraine Meylan
Book: My Brilliant Friend

Ralphs Community Contribution Program

Attention all Ralphs grocery shoppers! It's time to register to help Glendale AAUW receive a donation from Ralphs every time you shop there—all at no cost to you! If you have a computer, you may register online. Or you can call Ralphs at 1-800-443-4438, and they will register for you. Either way, your help is needed. Call Charlene Carnachan for more information.

PUBLIC POLICY:

As reported by Mount St. Mary's University, Glendale's Full-time, year round women workers earn \$1.05 to every \$1.00 a man earns. Still the gender gap for the rest of the State and country exists. Here are five facts put forth by AAUW:

1. Amount full-time, year round workers, women are typically paid 79 % of what men are paid.
2. When you account for all factors known to affect pay, women are still paid almost 7% less than men.
3. The equal pay act has not been updated since 1963
4. Louisiana has the worst pay gap in the United States.
5. Equal pay bills have been introduced or are pending in more than 30 states

The gender leadership gap is responsible for part of The gender gap. *****Susan Hallgren



MEMBER UPDATE

Congratulations to **Dr. Neda S, Fabris!** Her textbook Materials and Processes for NDT Technology, co-authored with Richard D. Lopez, has been published by the American Society for Nondestructive Testing. (ISBN: 9781571173287) Last year Neda retired from Cal State University Los Angeles, but she continues to serve in sponsoring scholarships and connecting with former colleagues and students. As one of our branch's past presidents (2006-2007), she continues to support us. Last year she was our Ways and Means co-chair with Mary Elgabalawi, and they are our program vice presidents this year!

TECH TREK UPDATE

At the October meeting we look forward to hearing our three Tech trek campers give a short talk about their experiences. In addition to the science they learn in camp, their brief presentations help them develop poise and confidence needed in their future careers. Due to corporate donors the camp was able to significantly upgrade its technology. The had classes in engineering design, software development, brain science, and computer security. Below are some of the photos:



October 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Board Meeting 7:30 pm 123 No. Jackson R 103	4	5 Senior Transitions Group- Noon Casa Cordoba, 2331 Honolulu Ave. Montrose	6	7	8 Branch Meeting 9:00 AM Oakmont Country Club
9	10 Evening Book Group 7:30 pm, Home: Neda Fabris	11	12 Global Issues 1:30 pm Home: Mary Elgabalawi	13	14	15
16	17	18 Day Book Group 10:00 am Home: Valerie Howard	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 	Notes:				



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