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for Women and Girls

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OCTOBER ACTIVITIES

Oct. 1 – First Friday Book Review at Hyde Park Church of Christ, 43rd & Ave. B. 10 a.m. *Escape on the Orient Express*. Reviewed by Kay Watson. Hostesses: Evelyn Boyer & Judy Reinhart. Chair: Natalie Balden (288-7748).

Oct. 4 – Contemporary Literature at Old Quarry BL. 7:15 p.m. *The Hemingses of Monticello*. Discussion leader: Adrian McCulloch. Co-chairs: Fern Chester (345-1102) or Dorothea Berasley (343-0370).

Oct. 9 – Branch meeting & lunch at Wyndham Hotel, 3401 IH35 & Woodward St., 10:15 a.m.

Speaker: Sandy Alcalá, Executive Director of “Con Mi Madre.”

Registration: 9:45 a.m.

Oct. 12 – Classic Book Study Group at Ralph Yarborough BL. 7 p.m. *The Sea Wolf* by Jack London. Discussion leader: Mary Blackstock. Chair: Evelyn Boyer, (836-1492).

Oct. 12 – Mah-Jongg. 7:00 p.m. 7920 Mesa Trails Cove. Ann Berasley (837-2250) or Janie Patterson (343-3058).

Oct. 13 – Second Wednesday Bridge. 4 p.m. Call Judy Reinhart (345-5936) for more information.

Oct. 18 – Books & Brunch Southwest with hostess & facilitator Mary Braunagel-Brown, 7321 Roaring Springs Drive. 10:30 a.m. *River of Doubt* by Candice Millard. RSVP: Marsha Endahl Kramer (906-2033 [h] and/or 906-6566). (NOTE: Day and location change from yearbook.)

Oct. 18 – AAUW (Action, Armchair, Unparallel, & Wannabe) Travelers. Ralph Yarborough BL, 2-3:30 p.m. *Cao Dao Great Temple (Viet Nam)* by M. E. Scribner followed by planning session. Co-chairs: Mary Ellen Scribner (255-8428); Adrian McCulloch (820-1917). (NOTE: Rescheduled from Sept. 20.)

Con Mi MADRE

Sandy Alcalá, the executive director of Con Mi MADRE, will present the October 9 program. She will tell us more about the program that strives to facilitate the academic and personal success of Hispanic girls by providing information and support services to them and their mothers, in order to prepare the students for college. Sandy will also discuss the results of Con Mi MADRE which was begun in November 1992 through the efforts of The Junior League of Austin, Inc. and the University of Texas at Austin.

The mission of Con Mi MADRE is “To increase the representation of Hispanic women in post-secondary education by providing comprehensive educational and social support services to 6th through 12th grade Hispanic girls and their mothers.” Con Mi MADRE serves girls at the following target schools: Ann Richards School, Bailey, Bedichek, Covington, Fulmore, Martin, Mendez, O.Henry, Paredes, Webb and Small middle schools; Akins, Austin, Bowie, Crockett, LASA, LBJ, Reagan, and Travis high schools. Girls are actively recruited in the 5th grade through recommendations from their elementary school counselors and teachers. Recommended students demonstrate academic potential and/or could benefit from academic/personal support services. Services are provided on a first come/first served basis, and group size is limited. All services provided by Con Mi MADRE are at no cost to participants because of the generous contributions received from program funders.



Sandy Alcalá is a native born Austinite and alumna of The University of Texas at Austin with a Bachelor of Science in Home Economics-Interior Design as well as of The University of Texas at Austin's Community MBA Program and Leadership Austin. Ms. Alcalá was the Hispanic Mother-Daughter Program Chair in 1998, served on the Advisory Board from 1999-2002, and was a founding Board member of Con Mi MADRE in 2007 giving her years of experience and a thorough understanding of the program's history, mission, purpose and goals. Her ongoing involvement with various community organizations has developed her expertise in fundraising, organizational management, and relationship-building skills.

OCTOBER ACTIVITIES (continued)

Oct. 19 – Light Cuisine—Out to Lunch. 11 a.m. Thomas Super Buffet, Chinese-American-Japanese Food, 2500 W. Parmer Lane. Hostess: Dr. Carol Fritz, (837-6835). Bring your favorite light recipe or article to share and enjoy not cooking. Chair: Veronica Johnson, (338-1254).

Oct. 20 – Creative Stitchery. Hostess: Beverly Locklin (343-0782) & co-hostess Martise Cooper (396-9048). Chair: Dorothea Berasley, (343-0370).

Oct. 21 – Culture & Cuisine with Adrian McCulloch, 2807 Humming Bird Drive, Cedar Park, 78613. Co-hostess: Gail Simpler. We will meet at 6:30 p.m., and the emphasis is on Japanese cuisine. Please email (Chair) Mary Owens at domowens@aol.com if you want to be part of this group, but have not signed up.

Oct. 24 - PEARS: At 2 p.m. we will be attending Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* at the Georgetown Palace Theatre. Purchase your ticket and join us. After the show at 4:30 p.m., join hosts Nancy & Roger Danley for drinks & hors d'oeuvres. RSVP and for details/directions, call Nancy at 512-864-1544. Chair: Veronica (338-1254).

Oct. 26 – Mah-Jongg. 7: 00 p.m. 7920 Mesa Trails Cove, Ann Berasley (837-2250) or Janie Patterson (343-3058).

Oct. 27 – Art Tour Group. 10 a.m. Host: Tom Watson. Mexic-Arte Museum, 219 Congress Ave. “*Promises of Independence and Revolution: Artists Interpreting Mexico.*” This docent-led tour will celebrate the bicentennial and centennial anniversaries of Mexican independence and revolution. Optional lunch afterwards at Manuel’s. Parking on street and in garages. Admission is \$4.00. Chair: Diane Brewer, (328-0474).

Oct. 27 – Fourth Wednesday Bridge. 4 p.m. Call Sarah Ezell (343-8394) for more information; hostess & location change monthly.

Every Thursday – Bridge at the Senior Activity Center. 9:30 a.m.-12 noon. Call Dorothy Ramsey (442-3841) for more information.

OUR SHARED SATURDAYS ARE A LITTLE BIT DIFFERENT FOR 2010-2011

🍴 🍴 🍴 Saturday, October 9, 2010 🍴 🍴 🍴

9:45 – 10:15 a.m. < Registration

10:15 – 11:15 a.m. < “Con Mi MADRE” with Sandy Alcalá

11:15 a.m. < Branch business meeting

12 noon < Lunch

This year we are committed to opening our monthly Saturday morning programs to anyone who is interested in the topic for the day, and we have changed our meeting timeline so the program precedes the business meeting and luncheon to better accommodate speakers and visitors. Registration will begin at 9:45 a.m., and the program presentation will begin at 10:15 a.m. and will last for about an hour followed by the business meeting. There will be a brief break and networking opportunity after the business meeting to give the hotel staff time to set the tables for those remaining for the luncheon.

The menu for the October luncheon is lemon & basil grilled chicken breast with wild rice and seasonal fresh vegetables served with house or Caesar salad, rolls & butter, chef’s choice dessert, iced tea, regular and decaffeinated coffee and hot tea. The cost is \$20 for a timely reservation with payment to be made the day of the luncheon; a check is preferred or you need to have the correct change. The Branch must pay for all reservations made, so a member who does not keep a reservation or make a timely cancellation will be billed for the full cost of her luncheon. If a member arrives without a reservation and expects to eat lunch, the cost of the meal is \$30. In this situation, please check in with **Dorothea Berasley** or **Sylvia Gregory** (reservations) and **Inés Garcia** (treasurer) at the registration table to determine availability and to make payment; do not approach hotel staff directly as this is a business transaction to be handled by the treasurer.

By the 6 p.m. Wednesday deadline, Dorothea or Sylvia needs to know if you are attending the program but not staying for lunch, the name of any visitors you are bringing even if they are not making a lunch reservation. They also need to know if your luncheon reservation has any special dietary requirements such as a vegetarian meal. If you are attending the program and business meeting only, look for the table with the sign “Reserved for those not staying for lunch.”



Don’t forget that another “Small Treasures” silent auction is happening at this meeting! It will benefit the Educational Opportunities Fund. Please plan to bring your own “small treasures” for the auction (i.e., any item[s] you may have received as a gift or bought and will never use). Included in the auction will be the annual delicious rum cake from the Collin Street Bakery, and thanks to the

Long Center for the Performing Arts, a certificate for two admissions to a “Long Center Presents” production.

INTRODUCING THE NEWEST MEMBERS OF THE AUSTIN BRANCH

As you have seen, our latest yearbook for 2010-2011 is full of great information, but there is still more to come! Members value knowing about the careers and interests of our members, and our database was not complete when the yearbook went to press. A decision was made to give the membership committee more time to contact members for updates, and a supplemental PDF document will soon be available on-line (or in print for those with no computer access.) We will need your prompt responses when contacted. Of course, sharing information is optional, but it is a tradition in this branch with a good legacy!

Career and interest information can be used for networking, friendships, interest groups, identifying leadership potential, recognizing past contributions, and simply knowing that you are a part of an amazing group of women whose lives have and are making a difference in this world! Here is a “sneak peak” at the bios of our newest members. Some are complete, and some will be updated. Contact info is in the yearbook.



New members Lilac Bauer and Joyce Pulich visit prior to the start of the September program.

Lyle Jean “Lilac” Bauer retired after spending ten years in the public school system and ten years in post-secondary education. She has five children, is involved in the local AARP Chapter, received the “Thanks” Badge from Girl Scouts USA and is interested in photography, singing, swimming. While living in Nacogdoches, Lilac was the AAUW

Program VP and served on the Expanding Your Horizons Committee.

Jocelyn Rose Bingham, who received a BA in telecommunications and marketing from Texas Tech in 1997, is a singer/songwriter who is interested in women’s issues, dancing, art, and painting. She is an independent Mary Kay consultant and musician working on her newest CD. She will marry Bradley Brandt this October, adding his surname to hers. Please add 5704 Journeyville Ct, Austin, TX 78735 (512) 363-5008, Cell (512) 560-8325 and jbingham413@marykay.com to your yearbook.

Sheila Bye is currently a household manager and nanny while she completes her bachelor’s degree in psychology. She’s involved in National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS) and Girl Scouts receiving their GreenLeaf award for Central Texas for outstanding leadership on a council level in her first year.

Sandi Causey, a retired educator and business owner, is active with Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.

Barbara DeShong also missed the yearbook so please add her information: 6010 Mt. Bonnell Cove, Austin, TX 78731 (512) 451-9426, bdeshong@austin.rr.com. She has a PhD from the University of TX, Austin, and is a psychologist, speaker, and author. Her website is www.Mysteryshrink.com.

Ruth Falck is an investment consultant for pension funds.

Brenda Hahne is a career consultant who recently moved from Houston to be near her daughter and grandchildren. She is active in the Ovarian Cancer Coalition of Austin, Society of Human Resource Managers, Unity of Austin Women’s Group, the Professional Group of Houston. She is interested in reading, gardening, theatre, and the Capital Area Democratic Women. She was a student member of AAUW Jacksonville in Florida.

Louisa Hoberman, who just renewed, is an information security analyst.

Barbara Houston is an interior designer and realtor with Sky Realty Austin. She is an artist, plays tennis, and gardens

NEWEST MEMBERS (CONTINUED)

Amanda Karel is the SACS-COC Coordinator at Austin Community College. She is interested in crochet, cooking, hiking, kayaking, and reading.

Wreatha Leonard has just renewed. She is interested in bridge, reading, and Spanish, and she sings with the Wildflowers Barbershop Group.

Maggie Miller is the founder/executive director of Discover Hope Fund (an international non-profit providing opportunities to women in poverty to create their own prosperity through micro credit that initiates small business and training <www.lendhope.org>). She was honored as a Woman of Power and Courage in the Austin Business Journal 2010. She received the Lifetime Achievement Award (St. Charles H.S. 2007), NCAA Division I soccer full scholarship athlete. Married to Will, she is interested in family, soccer, music, international development, and networking.

Mary Anne Nericcio, an adjunct professor at Concordia University is a Bilingual Speech Pathologist and a Peer Reviewer for SLPathology.com. She is a member of ASHA, TSHA, and ASCD. She works at MiCasa Speech and Language Therapy, 2509 Toulouse Dr, Austin, TX 78748 (512) 573-5025.

Bonnie Northcutt (new e-mail: bnorthcutt@mail.utexas.edu) retired in August after thirty-eight years at UT. She enjoys playing tennis.

Pamela Porcella, a retired physician's assistant, is interested in travel, reading mysteries, and writes poetry.

Geraldine Powell, is a retired MD and is interested in spending time with grandkids, investments, and reading.

Donna Preibisch is a hospital-homebound teacher with AISD Special Education. Her work number is (512) 414-0180. She is a fan of Longhorn football and baseball, reads, and enjoys movies.

Vera Preston-Jaeger, who just renewed, is a political activist for education in Texas and is a volunteer in the Bastrop ISD.

Joyce Pulich, a retired financial manager for the City of Austin, is currently an adjunct instructor of sociology at Austin Community College. She is on the Board of Directors of Phi Beta Kappa Alumni of

Greater Austin, Faith-in-Action, and South Austin Caregivers. She is active with the Rice University Alumni Book Club, CASA, APIE volunteer, and numerous ministries including finance of St. Ignatius Catholic Church. She received wonderful recommendations from AAUW National for helping with its investments.

Julie Schneider is Senior Vice President of Independent Distribution for Highland Capital Brokerage (1250 Capital of TX Highway, Austin, TX 78746-work (512) 697-6803. She is married to Kevin and is the mother of two young children. Her interests are family, friends, running, reading, music, and cooking.

Dixie Schurle, along with husband Arlo, was a teacher in the Middle East. She is interested in music, bridge, and travel and is active with her grandchildren.

Lois Shaevel is retired (Spanish Education) and is active in Hadassah. She is interested in movies and enjoys reading.

Glenda Summers, a certified financial planner (4005 Guadalupe, Austin, TX 78751), is active in the Downtown Lions Club. She enjoys spending time in Port Aransas collecting seashells and fishing.

Jennifer Whitney is the Regional Vice President of MFS Investment Management International. She is married to Ryan, has three young children (ages two, three, and seven), is interested in music, Bikram yoga, scrap booking. She is an Alpha Delta Pi alum, a member of Dell Children's Medical Center Children's Trust and the Austin Working Mom's Group. (She is the daughter of Marsha Endahl Kramer and granddaughter of 66-year AAUW member Etta Endahl.)

Submitted by Marsha Endahl Kramer, Membership VP

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A MESSAGE FROM AAUW TEXAS PRESIDENT MARGARET BENTLEY



Welcome to my first article as AAUW-TEXAS President for publication in all Texas Branch newsletters. In this way, I plan to communicate directly to each of you in the way you've indicated is preferred. I also hope to meet personally with many of you over the next two years. This is one example of my vision for the State Board to work more closely with our branches. Additionally, our Board meetings will be held in locations not recently visited. Kerrville and Nacogdoches will be our locations in October and March where we plan to visit with local Branch members.

A bit about me: I am a member the Southwest Dallas County Branch where I've served as VP Programs and President as well as our Interbranch rep. I've been State Finance Officer for the past four years and served on the National Finance committee. Thank you for electing me as State President for the next two years. My goal is to make a positive difference for you!

We held our first Board meeting in Austin hosted by the Austin Branch where we met with local members for a lively discussion. The idea for my writing for Branch

newsletters was encouraged at that meeting. Austin is off to a great start this year, signing up 18 new members at their fall membership meeting. I attended the Tarrant County Branch membership meeting and met some of their prospective members who I am sure will make a great difference in AAUW's mission, particularly in their community. Yesterday I visited with many friends at the North Texas Interbranch Council. It is a marvelous opportunity to share branch activity and challenges with neighboring branches. We were told at convention that there is strong interest to start an Interbranch Council in west Texas. North Texas and Houston Interbranch as well as the State Board highly encourage this and stand ready to help.

A popular question at our State convention was where the next State convention will be held. The Board formed a Task Force to seek out a partnership with a college/university to pair our spring 2012 convention with their seminar/conference on women's issues. We thereby hope to offer a convention which will be more economical for members to attend plus an opportunity to participate in the school's event. If you are aware of such a program and want the convention in that area, please let me know and we'll work on it.

In order to again hold the line on a state dues increase, we will have just three in person Board meetings per year and no State newsletter. Therefore, board members will be sending periodic emails entitled The Link to branch counterparts. If you are on FaceBook, check out our new AAUW Texas page and click on the 'like' button at the top of the page. Please comment on line to make this a place to interact with AAUW members across the state and country. Please visit our regular website at www.aauwtexas.org where you can find valuable information as well as links to Branch pages. I welcome your comments.

I am still looking for a Public Policy Chair, so if you are interested, let's talk. National does a wonderful job of keeping us current on national policy matters, but we need someone in Texas who can keep us aware of state and local issues and help branches with take action locally. You can reach me about this or anything else by leaving me a message at 972-572-0449 and I'll get back to you, or email me at info@aauwtexas.org. Got a question for me to answer in my column or a suggestion, or if you'd just like to brag about your branch, please let me know. I believe that State needs to help spotlight branch activities for the rest of the state branches. Thanks for reading this and I really do hope to hear from you soon and often.

THE BENEFITS OF AAUW MEMEBERSHIP

Submitted by Marsha Endahl Kramer, Membership VP

During informal conversations, the membership committee has discovered that many members have never explored our national website. Please, do yourself a favor and go to www.aauw.org, click on Member Center, and input your AAUW member number (available within two weeks of your dues check reaching the National treasurer.) If you have not received your card yet (distributed with year-books) contact Marsha Endahl Kramer, VP Membership at (512) 906-2033 or HughMarsha@aol.com Once you are in the Member Center, you can print a branch roster (that until the end of October will still include non-renewed 2009 members), links to jobs, scholarships, fellowships, boards of directors looking for potential members, travel and book discounts, information on our many international partnerships, leaders willing to help you and your branch, and leadership training opportunities. There is a link for the Cuban delegation trip too.

You can take a virtual tour and learn about our legal advocacy successes, obtain deadlines for grants and fellowships, and review books AAUW recommends for book clubs. If you have a friend you'd like to see join AAUW, you can locate a local branch to recommend. You can also get a head's up for early registration discounts for the June 16-19, 2011 National AAUW Convention in

Washington, DC; get discounts of Amazon.com purchases; and be absolutely on top of the latest legislation that is affecting women and girls today. The One-Minute Action Alert allows you to lobby for important bills (such as this month's fair pay act) in less than two minutes by using the website's technology. You can join a FaceBook group, find links to other AAUW women across the globe, and you can, with one click, get to our Austin web site <http://www.main.org/aauw/>. You can access lots of important data about the history of AAUW and the women's movement in our virtual museum...great material for any history course or special celebration in your classroom, branch or women's group...and the web site gives much food for thought for children and grandchildren. Who gave Madame Curie her first study grant? Check the web site and find out!

Only branch members can attend interest group meetings, but guests may be invited to monthly general meetings. Members may "Give a Grad a Gift" of FREE National membership within two years of the person's graduation, making them a "Member at Large." To be eligible to receive Branch newsletters and to participate fully, they will need to pay local and state dues. For any membership issues, please contact Marsha as listed above.

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“GOING GREEN INTO THE FUTURE” PANEL WAS HIGHLY INFORMATIVE IN SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

Karl Rábago (Austin Energy), Susan K. Rieff (Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center), and Kristina Loomis (Master of Architecture student at the University of Texas at Austin) caught and held our attention as they discussed “Going Green into the Future” from the perspectives of their individual fields of expertise.



Kristina Loomis, Susan K. Rieff, Karl Rábago

Anita Knight, who along with Carol Fritz, coordinated the initial program of 2010-2011, has provided an addendum to the September panel discussion because “A couple of the speakers referred to LEED which stands for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design.”

LEED is an internationally recognized green building certification system, providing third-party verification that a building or community was designed and built using strategies aimed at improving performance across all the metrics that matter most: energy savings, water efficiency, CO2 emissions reduction, improved indoor environmental quality, and stewardship of resources and sensitivity to their impacts.

Started by the Austin City Council in 1985 (and first called the Energy Star Program), the Green Building Program became part of Austin Energy in 1998, was a charter member of the US Green Building Council and hosted the national organization’s first conference. It pioneered the first comprehensive rating system in the country, taking into account factors such as climate, building and energy efficiency, water and materials, durability, health and safety for commercial, multi-family and residential properties. Rather than assigning a numerical value, the program scored buildings on a five-star scale.

Rating its first home two years before the USGBC became a nonprofit, the Austin program served as an early model for the national LEED certification system.

“Our staff participated in the development of LEED,” said Richard Morgan, manager of Austin Energy’s Green Building and Sustainability program.

LOOKING AHEAD



The **November 13** meeting will be at a different venue:

Girlstart at 1400 West Anderson Lane. Complete details will be published in the November newsletter. A very busy Anita Knight is also coordinating the November program!

REMEMBER TO VOTE ON ELECTION DAY (NOVEMBER 2)!

Remember, because it was not until 1920 that women were granted the right to go to the polls and vote!



Although the women were innocent and defenseless, they were jailed when they picketed in front of the White House carrying signs asking for the vote.

http://www.aauw.org/act/issue_advocacy/voter_ed/index.cfm

AAUW members planning get-out-the-vote activities can request technical assistance and a free printed copy of the manual (while supplies last) by contacting the AAUW Public Policy and Government Relations Department at 202/785-7793 or VoterEd@aauw.org. Members and nonmembers may purchase copies through [ShopAAUW](#) as well. You can also request a PDF download of the [Woman-to-Woman Voter Turnout Manual](#).

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Membership Information, 2010-2011

(Please mark status X and \$ amt.)

Dues: National -- \$49 State -- \$10 Branch -- \$16 = \$ 75 for Branch Member \$75
Life Member -- \$26 (Life Members paid 20 X National dues one time) \$26
Honorary Life Member -- \$ 0 (Member has completed 50 years of continuous membership) \$0
Student affiliate (non-voting) – National -- \$17 State --\$1 Branch -- \$7 = \$25

Please make your check to: **AAUW-Austin**. (All but \$3 of National fees are tax deductible.)

Please mail new and renewal membership checks and forms to:

María Inés García, AAUW-Austin Treasurer; 6310 Abilene Trail, Austin 78749-3418

Name: *(LAST) _____ Member # _____
*(First) _____ (*Preferred name if different) _____ *(Middle or MI) _____
* Name for Name Tag _____

*Address and Zip _____

*Home Phone: _____ *Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

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*Education [Institutions, locations, degree(s), areas of specialization, year(s)]:

Bachelor _____

Master _____

PhD _____

Other _____

Optional information for Yearbook Addendum:

Work /field/specialty: _____

(If retired -- last position held) _____

(If currently working -- employer & position, e-mail and work # (if you want it published) _____

AAUW Involvement: (local, state, national, other Texas branches, other states, honors received, positions held, conventions attended, board positions served, current _____

Published Materials (Books, articles, videos, DVDs, other): _____

Honors (work, volunteer, community) _____

Family: spouse/partner (Name) _____ Children (# and ages, if home) _____

Family members in AAUW _____

Interests (causes, charities, other organizations): _____

Hobbies (fun, activities, sports, collections): _____

Other: _____

*Required information

AAUW Membership: Renewal _____ NEW _____ MAL _____ Dual _____ (what branch?) _____

Current Interest Groups in AAUW-Austin where active _____

AAUW Member since _____ Branch Member since _____

Date form completed _____