

American Association of University Women
STOCKTON BRANCH



HOME TOUR

Sunday, November 6, 2016

10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Advance Tickets: \$30

Available through Saturday, November 5,
at the following vendors in Stockton & Lodi

Fine Wines of Stockton
866 W Benjamin Holt Drive

With Garden Flair
2206 Pacific Ave

Regalo Bello
5757 Pacific Avenue, Ste 150

Draper's & Damon's
280 Lincoln Center North

Sheri's Sunshine Nutrition Center, Pine & School Streets, Lodi

Tour-Day Tickets: \$35

(Available only at the Philomathean Club, 1000 N. Hunter St., Stockton, CA)

Information: 209-662-3999 or www.stockton-ca.aauw.net

No children under 12. Children 12 and older, admitted with a ticket

Proceeds benefit AAUW's Education Fund, local scholarships and community projects

80% of ticket is tax deductible to the extent allowable by law

President's Message



November 6th and November 8th - two dates that loom large in my thinking. November 6th is the date for the 65th Anniversary AAUW Home Tour and it's going to be epic! The Home Tour committee has done a phenomenal job securing outstanding homes. Monica Frischkorn, Bette Outlaw and Peggy Guttieri have teamed up to make the Philomathean Club the most elegant, historical and community-engaged Home Tour hub ever. The money raised will enable our branch to continue its important community projects. We need all members to get out and sell lots of tickets!

November 8th, of course, is Election Day at last. Thanks to Dee Matteucci and Julie Schardt from the League of Women Voters for their excellent presentation of the California ballot propositions pros and cons. Making a decision on 17 propositions is daunting. However you stand, whatever your position, be sure to VOTE!

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STEM Trek

Our girls spent the whole day October 1st on the U.O.P. campus attending the annual "Expanding Your Horizons" conference. They had the opportunity to rotate to several sessions where they were challenged to build, solve, and explore the areas of science, technology, engineering and math. Our group is recognizable where ever they go as a bright, well-behaved and mannerly bunch and mentors. All of our branch members are justifiably proud, as well.

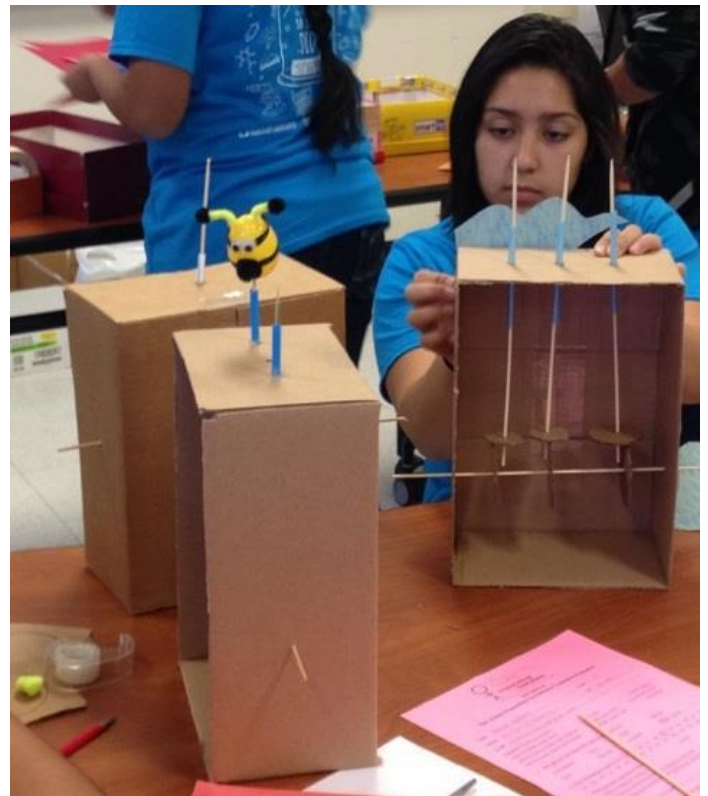
While our seniors are submitting their all-important college applications this month, all others are attending the "Dinner With A Scientist" event at the San Joaquin County Office of Education. You can look forward to reports on that experience next month.

Thank yous to the following members who help the STEM mentoring program carry on our mission through their donations with their membership renewals:

Pat Davis
JoAnne Garrett
Jean Knight
Diane Stacy
Erica Dei Rossi
Ann Filson
Donna Hammel



Freshman, Heidi (above) and Junior Yelena (upper-right) solving problems at the "Expanding Your Horizons" conference.



LABEL / BULK MAIL PERSON NEEDED

If you are interested in a "job" that is necessary but not **all time consuming**, this is it. You would be making labels for mailed copies of the Delta Steamer, for bulk mailings for fund raisers and for the Home Tour.

This was taken on as a job that could carry over into my retirement years and it is now time to give it up (25+ years later).

It is far less complicated than in the past and the USPS employees are very helpful.

Patricia Voss



A special thank you to the amazing ladies who volunteered to bake 3 dozen cookies for this year's Home Tour. Cookies can be delivered to my home (2811 Wagner Heights Rd) Saturday, November 5th, between 8am and 5pm. I am happy to receive additional cookies if you are interested in volunteering.

Monica Frischkorn
Home Tour Refreshment Coordinator



Cleveland School Remembers

Taking Action to Reduce Gun Violence

The Haggin Museum and Cleveland School Remembers, a Brady Campaign Chapter, are presenting a Panel on Art Activism and a workshop on Saturday, November 5th from 2-4pm in the Haggin Museum classroom. There is no charge, but space is limited. Seating will be on a first come, first served basis.

The panel features local art activists Denny Ah-Tye, Cathie McClelland, Ernest Tomasi, and Sylvia Qualls discussing their personal experiences and understandings of art activism: why and how each became involved in art as an activist, and how all of us can be involved in promoting causes we are passionate about through visual art. Those attending are encouraged to comment and ask questions.

The panel will be followed by a workshop where participants design posters seeking local artists to create art on the theme "Our Anguish, Our Resolve" for an Art Against Violence exhibit in March 2017. At the workshop, a variety of free materials will be available, as well as stickers that include basic information about the "Our Anguish, Our Resolve" exhibit so that all may focus on artistic elements and effective presentation in making their posters, rather than on the exhibit detail information.

Poster makers will be encouraged to place the posters they create in locations where they will reach an interested audience, such as churches, schools, businesses, community centers, living groups, college campuses, etc. The Call for Artists for the "Our Anguish, Our Resolve" exhibit is available now online at <http://tiny.cc/dbpiey>.

BOUDIN BRUNCH

Sat. Nov. 12th - 9:30am

5615 Pacific Ave. - 952-2000

Topics:

Something I have done that I am proud of.
Coming events that make Stockton Magnificent!

Had an interesting "Show and Tell," mostly "TELL" last month. From Ronda: *"Loved the brunch. Loved hearing AAUW members talk about their passion for community involvement. From SICL to the symphony, AAUW women are everywhere!"*

To join us, please RSVP by Thursday, Nov. 10th, noon to: Bobbiej49@aol.com or (209) 334-5711.

Guests are welcomed.

Save the date: Jan. 14th, 2017

Boudin Brunch with our AAUW Brunch Buddies!

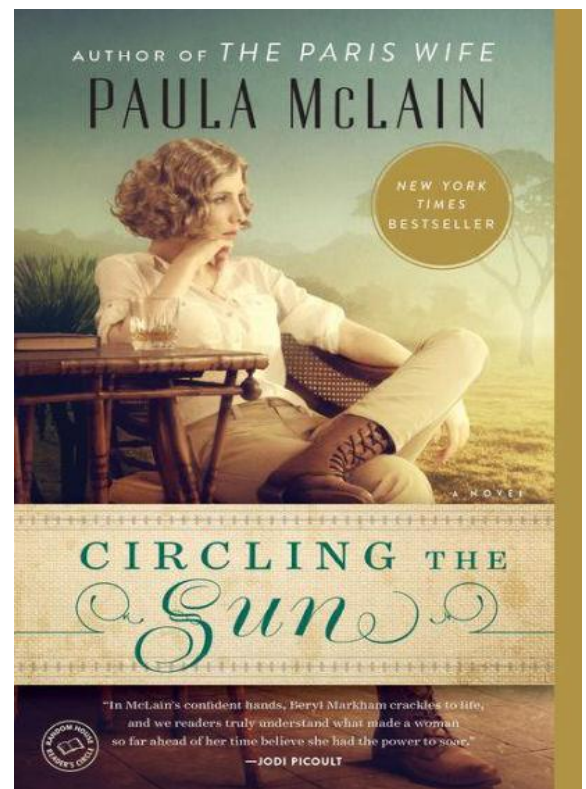
AAUW Book Group

Tuesday, November 15th – 7pm

"Circling the Sun" by Paula McLain

Reviewer: Ila Wilson

Hostess: Jo Wagner



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October 10, 2016

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California Assembly
October 9, 2016

Marilyn Wylie
Public Policy Chair
AAUW Stockton

Equal Pay Laws Strongest in the Nation

Last year the California Legislature passed a strong equal pay bill. On September 30th Governor Brown signed into law two additional equal pay bills, making California's law the strongest equal pay law in the United States. "SB1063, The Wage Equality Act of 2016, is the first of its kind in the nation and will explicitly prohibit employers from paying lower wages to minority employees compared with white employees when performing 'substantially similar' work."

This bill's language is the same as last year's Fair Pay Act, which put the responsibility on the employers to prove the pay difference is deserved if there is one. Pay differences are still allowed based on merit, education and seniority.

California minority employees suffer from great wage differences. Asian Women make 90 cents on the dollar; African American women make 64 cents, and Hispanic women make 54 cents for every dollar Caucasian men earn. African American men earn 75% less than Caucasian men.

The other act signed into law in September, was AB1676. This law puts strong limits on employers being able to use an individual's previous salary as a basis for their new salary. "The reality is that women face consequences of the pay gap from their first paycheck until their last social security check." These three Equal Pay Laws in the state of California will help women fight wage discrimination.

Directory updates

Please make the following changes to your Directory:

Directory Changes/Corrections:

Page 6 Reservations:

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Page 24:

Diane Oren

Email has changed to: Orendiane@gmail.com

Page 26:

Martha Tipton

University should be - University of Delaware

Gia Gray

Graduated from Warburg College in Waverly, Iowa,
not University of Iowa as printed in the directory.

Please make these changes to keep your Directory current. If there are additional corrections, please let Bette Outlaw know.



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Mission: **AAUW advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research.**

Value Promise: By joining AAUW, you belong to a community that breaks through educational and economic barriers so that all women and girls have a fair chance.

November Calendar

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location/Contact
		Online Anytime	Submission of Articles/Pictures for stockton-ca.aauw.net Web Page	ronsan3628@sbcglobal.net
Sat	5	2:00pm	Art Activism Workshop	Haggin Museum
Sun	6	10am-4pm	2016 HOME TOUR	Philomathean Club
Tue	8	7am-8pm	ELECTION DAY – VOTE!!!	Neighborhood Polling Place
Sat	12	9:30am	Boudin Brunch	Bobbie Landau 334-5711 bobbiej49@aol.com
Mon	14	6:00pm	New Member Orientation	Home of Kathy Casenave 5485 Covey Creek Circle 473-3320, kiczaz@att.net
Tue	15	7:00pm	AAUW Book Group <u>Circling the Sun</u> by Paula McLain	Reviewer: Ila Wilson Hostess: Jo Wagner
Mon	28	6:00pm	Board Meeting	Home of Ronda Sanders 3628 Mill Springs Drive