

Lake Oswego Branch Officers 2010-2011

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3rd Annual TEA & TALENT LUNCHEON

Saturday, April 9
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Oswego Heritage House at "A" Ave and 10th St
Lake Oswego



In place of our regular monthly meeting, a special Lake Oswego April Branch gathering is planned for all members and their guests.

A wonderful luncheon of salads, breads, desserts and tea will be served. The talent portion of the afternoon will feature the sewing, quilting, needlepoint, photography, paintings, special food items and other talents of many of our members who have given their time and talent to create the lovely items offered for sale.

**Reminder, Membership Dues form for 2011-1012
attached**

AAUW'S MISSION

ADVANCING EQUITY FOR
WOMEN AND GIRLS THROUGH
ADVOCACY, EDUCATION, AND
RESEARCH.

AAUW'S VALUE PROMISE

BY JOINING AAUW, YOU
BELONG TO A COMMUNITY THAT
BREAKS THROUGH EDUCATIONAL AND
ECONOMIC BARRIERS SO THAT ALL
WOMEN HAVE A FAIR CHANCE.



BRANCH BUZZ

Kathy Kaiser, Co-President

Reflect, Celebrate, and Anticipate

Spring is the time of year when new beginnings of flowers and trees set the stage for the changes that appear all around the northwest. Amity had its annual daffodil festival this past week-end as fields of blooms were seen by those attending. In the deluge of rain, sleet, and hail over the past weeks the crocus flowers dot the bare earth with their colors of purple and bright yellow. The early flowers act as a reminder of the beauty that is yet to come. Those members present at the March branch meeting voted to accept the slate of proposed officers who willingly accepted the invitation to help the Lake Oswego Branch move ahead with the goals and aims of the membership. Please welcome these women to the board at their induction on May 14, 2011 at Oswego Lake Country Club.

Co-Presidents: Stephanie Carter and Penny Hansen

Program Vice Presidents: Rosario Cabral and Paddy O'Brien

Secretary: Bettirae Willis

Further reflection shows the evolution of friendships, meeting the needs of members who have faced major illness and/or medical conditions that have been life-changing, and the continued support of families of members who have died. Members have sent cards,

emails, flowers, meals, books, and whatever support is needed. With a branch of 86 members it is difficult to know all the needs of every member. However, the branch seems to provide a wonderful support network for its members. Lake Oswego Branch continues to provide a wonderful introduction to the Portland area with many choices of interest groups. The Branch has successfully supported a local scholarship as well as supporting the state and national scholarships for women to continue their education. With the help of the membership we have successfully collected AAUW funds over the past years to support many initiatives. Each member is making a difference for others.

Come celebrate our year of success at the annual Tea and Talent Luncheon on Saturday, April 9 at the Heritage House at 12:00 – 2:00. The lunch is \$15 a person and reservations should be made by calling Sandra Hoover whose number is in the directory. A wonderful lunch has been planned and approximately 15 – 20 members are willing to share their talents with those in attendance. It is a wonderful opportunity to bring a friend and share in the AAUW fun for a few hours and celebrate the year of successes.

The induction of new leadership helps us all to anticipate the new year of events, the new books to be read, and the new plays, points of interest, and food places to be explored. Lake Oswego Branch has a long history of success and the present continues to set the stage for future successes. As we prepare for wonderful summer of sun, clear blue skies, and summer flowers, AAUW will be setting the stage for new adventures, new friends, and continuing the successes of the past.

Deadline for May Newsletter
April 18
mdivine@aol.com

Next Board Meetings
Wednesday, April 6, 7 p.m.
Wednesday, May 4, 7 p.m.
Marylhurst Schoen Library

AAUW Lake Oswego Branch

Dues Statement July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012

Please mail your **check payable to AAUW** and this form to:

Lynn Brown, Marylhurst University Career Services Office, PO Box 261, Marylhurst, Oregon 97036

Lbrown@marylhurst.edu, 503-699-6271

Check # _____

\$49 Association Dues
\$11 State Dues
\$17 Branch Dues
\$77 Total

Please note that \$46 of your annual due is tax deductible.
\$3 supports our lobby corps, and \$1 is for the Oregon
Newsletter. Your dues may be deductible as a business
expense.

\$25 Student Affiliate Dues (undergraduate only) \$16 is tax deductible

Amount enclosed \$ _____ New _____ Renewing _____ Life _____ Honorary Life _____ Dual _____ Student

Please print, and highlight any additions, changes or corrections. Thanks!

Last name _____ First name _____ Initial _____ Spouse _____

Address _____

Home phone _____ Cell phone _____ Email _____

College/University _____ State _____ Degree(s) _____

Major _____

College/University _____ State _____ Degree(s) _____

Active participation in the branch is an important part of membership. Interest groups provide opportunities for personal growth and stimulating conversations.

Volunteer opportunities let you share your gifts and talents with others. Please indicate the ways you can participate.

SKILLS

Computer
____ Design/graphics
____ Database management
____ Web site maintenance
____ Desktop publishing
____ Newsletter Editor
____ Photography
____ Writing/editing
____ Table decorating
____ Other _____

BRANCH SUPPORT

Monthly programs:
____ Set up/take down
____ Greeter at events
____ Newsletter Distribution
____ email _____ PO mail
____ Directory management
____ Tea and Talent Event
____ Holiday Gala
____ New member friend

INTEREST GROUPS

Books
____ 3rd Thursday am
____ 4th Tuesday
____ 4th Thursday eve
____ 4th Friday
Bridge
____ Laffalot, 2nd & 4th Mon
____ 4th Wednesday
____ Eat Ethnic
____ Delightful Dining
____ Movie Group
____ Explore Northwest
____ Portland Center Stage



ANNUAL LUNCHEON & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The Annual Luncheon and Installation of Officers will be held on Saturday, May 14, 2011 at the Oswego Lake Country Club, from 11 -2 PM. Tickets to attend this event are \$21.00 with advanced reservations strongly suggested and appreciated.

We will enjoy a Northwest salad plate and a rustic pear desert topped with warm vanilla ice cream, with a no host bar.

Our speaker is Sandra Stapleton from the Family History Center in Portland. She will be speaking about Genealogy, and give us information to help all who are interested in beginning their family history search.

Below are the details for securing reservations.

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Number Attending:

Amount Enclosed (\$21 X attendees):

AAUW Annual Luncheon
Sandra Hoover
17440 Holy Names Drive #A318
Lake Oswego, Oregon 97034

Member Updates

By Terry Hyland and Lynn Brown

Meet Our New Members

It is a pleasure to welcome four members to the Lake Oswego AAUW Branch.

Sheilah (Paddy) O'Brien

Paddy lives in Lake Oswego. She has an undergraduate degree in Psychology and Political Science and a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Cornell University.

Judy A. Hale

Judy is new to Oregon, having recently moved from California, where she was an AAUW member. Currently she is living in the historic district of West Linn. Her undergraduate degree was in Education from Southern Oregon University and she earned a Masters in Library Science from the University of Oregon. She retired from years of work as a research librarian. She is talented in many of the creative arts. Judy's special area of interest is working in the field of fabric art. Currently she is devoting time and attention providing decorations and design features for her daughter's up-coming wedding.

Martha (Marty) W. Dougherty

Marty lives in Lake Oswego, and is welcomed to the Branch not as a new member but as a returning member to the Lake Oswego AAUW Branch. Her many years of service to the Branch include participation on committees and holding many elected offices. Marty served as President of the Branch in '90-'91 and was the Educational Foundation named gift honoree in 1988. Marty attended Beloit College and holds a BA in Art History from Ohio State University.

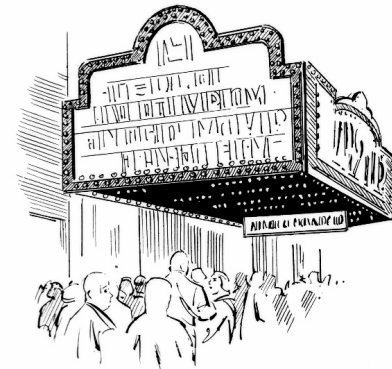
Vibeke (Vivi) Gregory

Vivi currently resides in Portland. Ask her where she has lived and you will get a long list of continents. Vivi worked in the foreign service field and had assignments permitting her to live for extended periods of time all around the world. She has lived/worked in major cities on six of the seven continents. (Giving North and

South America continent status.) Vivi hopes to get to Australia/Oceania to complete the record. Vivi hold a degree in Business Management and Modern language (English, German and Spanish) from Kobenhavn's Universitet, Denmark.

Member News

As we welcome four women to the Lake Oswego Branch we are reminded that the strength of the Branch is its membership. Each member of the Branch is an ex-officio member of the membership recruitment committee. Each of us can offer friends and family members the opportunity to find a "community of friends and professional contacts in AAUW". As our membership grows, so does the strength and vitality of the Branch. Hopefully we will be able to extend more welcomes this year



Portland Center Stage Special Seasonal Announcement

Theater Group regarding the 2011-12 season. If anyone is interested in purchasing season tickets for Portland Center Stage, please contact Betty Barber, (503-675-0594 or barberbc@yahoo.com) The cost for all 9 shows is \$329 which includes 6 on the main stage and 3 in the studio theater downstairs. If you want only the 6 shows on the main stage, the cost is \$234. **I must have all money and reservations in by April 15th so I must receive your money by the first week in April to meet the deadline and guarantee our good seats.**

Interest Groups

April 2011

Tuesday Morning Books

4th Tuesday at 11:30 a.m.

April 26: 11:30 a.m.
Szechuan Kitchen, 15450 Boones Ferry, LO
Leader: Lynn Steeves
Book: *The Shetland Bus*, by David Howarth
For more information about this group, contact
Dixie Kroupa, 503-697-8028

Interpretive Books

3rd Thursday at 9:30 a.m.

April 21: 9:30 a.m.
Hostess: Louise Weiss
Leader: Carol Cooper
Book: *Optimist's Daughter*, Eudora Welty
For more information, please contact Ann Keddie
at 503-694-2245 or Rlkavk50@centurytel.net.

Thursday Evening Books

4th Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

April 28: 7:30 p.m.
Hostess: Stephanie Carter
Introduction: Robi Ingram-Rich
Book: *Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*, by
Rebecca Skloot
For more information, contact co-chairs Sandra
Hoover, 503-635-0952, or Suzanne Kaveckis,
503-678-1641.

Friday Books

4th Friday at 10:00 a.m.

April 22: 10:00 a.m.
Hostess: Ann Arkebauer
Presenter: Ann Meyer-Being Wrong and Betty
Hittle Wrong
Book: *Being Wrong: Adventures in the Margins of
Error*, by Kathryn Schulz, and
Wrong, by David H. Freedman

New members are most welcome to join this book
group that meets on the fourth Friday of the month
at 10:00 a.m. Call Irene Romero, 503-657-6159, if
you would like more information.

Movie Group

2nd Tuesday, times vary

Meets second Tuesdays of the month. Contact
Stephanie Carter, 360-520-7711 or
secarter@gmail.com. for more information.

Portland Center Stage

For more information, please contact Betty Barber,
503-675-0594, or barberbc@yahoo.com

Laffalot Bridge

2nd & 4th Mondays
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

For more information, or if you'd like to be added to
our email list, please contact JoAnn Frost,
503-624-0871, or ldfrost@spiritone.com.

Fourth Wednesday Bridge

4th Wednesday at 1:00 p.m.

Call Betty Hittle, 503-636-7034 for more
information about this bridge group which meets at
1:00 p.m. on the 4th Wednesday of the month.

Eat Ethnic

3rd Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Our April 19th meal will be at Habibi, a middle
eastern restaurant in Portland, at 6:30pm. If you
are interested in joining this casual group to eat
interesting cuisine once a month, please contact
Susan Hornung at susanhornung@hotmail.com.

Delightful Dining

Dates & times vary

Delightful Dining is a group that shares the cooking
and the cost of a meal several time during the year.
To be added to the e-mail list please contact Jane
Taft, 503-742-1653, or janetaft@aol.com.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			Board Meeting			Tea, Talent Luncheon
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Laffalot Bridge	Movie Group				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
		Eat Ethnic	Wednesday Bridge	Interpretive Books	Friday Books	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Laffalot Bridge	Tuesday Morning Books		Thursday Evening Books		



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