

*Lake Oswego Branch Officers  
2014-15*

*Elected Officers*

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(503) 742-1653

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*Appointed Officers*

AAUW Funds

Lynn Rothert

Hospitality

Vacant

Inter-Branch Council

Vacant

Interest Group Coordinator

Susan Hornung

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*Marylhurst President Melody Rose is  
Keynote Speaker at Annual Luncheon*



May 9, 2015 - Bugatti's Ristorante  
11:15 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

**Program:**

Keynote Speaker Melody Rose, President,  
Marylhurst University

Officer Recognition

Installation of New Officers by Co-President Joyce Zook,  
Oregon AAUW

Named Gift Honoree Award

**RESERVATION FORM**

**Menu** - (Put a check before one option in each section)

*Insalata (one choice)*

- ☐ Misto ~ mesclun, pear, walnuts, Gorgonzola, balsamic vinaigrette  
☐ Spinaci ~ spinach, toasted pine nuts, feta, kalamata olives, vinaigrette

*Primi (one choice)*

- ☐ Della Casa ~ artichoke hearts, mushrooms, creamy marinara, fettuccine  
☐ Cheese Ravioli ~ with choice of sauce: marinara, Bolognese, alfredo or creamy pesto  
☐ Gamberetti ~ prawns, pine nuts, green onions, light chili flakes, angel hair, white wine sauce

*Dolce (one choice)*

- ☐ Mint Chocolate Chip Gelato  
☐ Strawberry Sorbet

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Your Reservation Now!**

Mail this form, with your menu selections, and a check payable to AAUW Lake Oswego, to Anne Redman, AAUW of Lake Oswego, P.O. Box 416, Marylhurst, OR 97036.

*Reservations only accepted with payment, \$28 per person (includes tip!).*



### *Hale & Hearty*

by Judy Hale, President

Hello AAUW members! Our year is almost over, just one more event -- our May luncheon. Please consider attending this event. We will have three important guests including our two AAUW State Co-Presidents: Penney Hoodenpyle and Joyce Zook.

Joyce will install our new officers. We have three people starting new terms: Jane Taft as secretary; Pat Squire as president; and Margaret Ricks as programs vice-president. Jane will be on vacation, so when you next see her, please thank her for her continued service to our AAUW branch. Our third important guest is our speaker, Melody Rose, the president of Marylhurst.

The luncheon will be at Bugatti's. Please use the form on the cover of this newsletter to make your reservations -- as soon as possible! We will have the place to ourselves, Bugatti's is normally closed at that time. Please join us.

Our April tea and sale was wonderful. The food was excellent and the Anything Sale had interesting things for sale. Our new member, Pat Nida, coordinated the making of tea sandwiches, brewed her own special mix of tea, and made a short presentation about tea. Pat's two daughters dug right in and helped us make our tea a success by preparing tea sandwiches and serving tea. The event was well-attended and we made a good amount of money for our scholarship and donation to national AAUW.

Please thank Penny Hansen when you see her for her fantastic job of organizing the tea.

In April I went attended the state convention along with Pat Squire and Margaret Ricks. We attended the workshop entitled "Strategic Planning for AAUW Branches" together. We had a good time and got up to speed about many things happening at the state and national level of AAUW. The national convention will be in San Diego this year on June 18-21.

Remember that it is time to renew your membership, please get your dues sent to Ann Redman as soon as possible, there is a form on page 7 of this newsletter to fill out and send in. Please do fill out the form so that we can be sure and catch changes to your address, phone number or email.



Margaret Ricks, Pat Squire and Judy Hale at convention.

### *LO AAUW Now on Facebook*

Thanks to Karen Rottink's efforts our branch now has a presence on Facebook. To visit the page type in:

[Facebook.com/aauwlakeoswegobbranch](https://www.facebook.com/aauwlakeoswegobbranch)

Visit the Facebook page to learn of upcoming events and to view images and articles about branch events.

*2015 LO AAUW Donation Form*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP DONATION:**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Donation Amount – Write check to **Lake Oswego AAUW**  
PLEASE NOTE: THIS DONATION IS NOT TAX DEDUCTIBLE

**NATIONAL AAUW FUNDS DONATION:**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Donation Amount – Write check to **AAUW Funds**

ALL NATIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS ARE FULLY TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Giving unrestricted gifts to AAUW FUNDS (#9110) provides support where needed most, but you can choose a specific fund:

- ☐ **#9110 General Foundation Support – Allocated where most needed**
- ☐ **#4336 Educational Opportunities Fund – Supports fellowships and grants**
- ☐ **#9170 Eleanor Roosevelt Fund – Supports AAUW research studies**
- ☐ **#4337 Public Policy Fund – Supports advocacy for laws fair to women**
- ☐ **#3999 Legal Advocacy Fund – Supports legal rights for those facing discrimination**
- ☐ **#4339 Leadership Programs Fund – Supports programs like NCCWSL**
- ☐ **#4363 Oregon's Betsy McDowell Research & Projects Fund**

Gifts of \$100-\$174 confer membership in the Oregon Century Club

Gifts of \$175 or above confer membership in the Oregon Century Club Plus

Gifts of \$25 or more to either local scholarship or AAUW Funds may be designated to honor a friend or loved one.

This gift is a memorial (deceased) to \_\_\_\_\_

This gift is a tribute (living) to \_\_\_\_\_

Acknowledgement should be sent to:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Send this form and check to: LO AAUW, PO Box 416, Marylhurst, Oregon 97036

*Interest Groups***Tuesday Morning Books**  
**4th Tuesday at 11:00 a.m.**

Date: May 26  
 Book: *End of Your Life Book Club* by Will Schwabe  
 Location: Szechuan Kitchen, Lake Oswego  
 Leader: Dixie Kroupa  
 For more information, contact Dixie Kroupa,  
 (503) 697-8028, dixie.kroupa@comcast.net

**Murder by the Book**  
**2nd Wednesday at 12:00 p.m.**

Date: May 13  
 Book: *Death at Bishop's Keep* by Robin Paige  
 Location: 4949 Meadows Rd., Suite 400, Lake Oswego  
 Bring your lunch, refreshments provided.  
 For more information, contact Jane Taft, (503) 742-1653, taft.jane@gmail.com

**Interpretive Books**  
**3rd Thursday at 9:30 a.m.**

Date: May 21  
 Book: *The Lowland* by Jhumpa Lahiri  
 Leader: Susan Hornung  
 Hostess: Donna Saffir  
 For more information, contact Linda Watkins, (503) 694-2334, l.and.m.watkins@gmail.com or Laura Eyer, (503) 982-3522, eyerfamily@wbcable.net

**Thursday Evening Books**  
**4th Thursday at 7:30 p.m.**

Date: May 28  
 Book: *Where'd You Go, Bernadette* by Maria Semple  
 Hostess: Barbara McDonald  
 For more information, contact Sandra Hoover,  
 (503) 635-0952, sandraleehoover@comcast.net or  
 Suzanne Kaveckis, (503) 678-1641, smkaveckis@centurytel.net

**Friday Books**  
**4th Friday at 10:00 a.m.**

Date: May 22  
 Book: *Blood and Beauty* by Sarah Dunant  
 Location: West Linn Public Library, Bamboo Room  
 Leader: Barbara McDonald  
 For more information, contact Irene Romero,  
 (503) 657-6159, ireneromero@mac.com

**Portland Center Stage**  
**Date and Time Vary**

Season ticket holders for the Portland Center Stage's Thursday matinees will enjoy a year of musicals, dramas and comedies.

Please contact Betty Barber (503-675-0594 or by email at [barberbc@yahoo.com](mailto:barberbc@yahoo.com)) if you are interested in joining the Thursday noon theater group at Portland Center Stage for the 2015-16 season. The cost is \$282 for 6 shows or \$390 for nine shows. We have three still available in our reserved section, but Betty must fill them by May 8.

**Laffalot Bridge**  
**Usually 2nd & 4th Mondays at 1:00 p.m.**

Date: May 18 (note change for this month)  
 If you would like to be added to the substitute list, or for more information, contact Bettirae Willis,  
 (503) 891-6232 (cell), bewillis@easystreet.net

**Second Thursday Bridge**  
**2nd Thursday at 1:00 p.m.**

Date: May 14  
 If you would like to be added to the substitute list, or for more information, contact Penny Hansen,  
 (971) 221-7765 (cell), pennyhansen@comcast.net

**Delightful Dining**  
**Date Varies**

For more information, contact Jane Taft, (503) 742-1653, taft.jane@gmail.com

**Exploring Our Northwest**  
**Date Varies**

For more information, contact Sue Kingzett, (503) 706-8184 (cell), sezett@msn.com

# May 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6 Board Meeting	7	8	9 Annual Luncheon & Installation
10	11	12	13 Murder by the Book	14 Second Thursday Bridge (former Third Wednesday)	15	16
17	18 Laffalot Bridge	19	20	21 Interpretive Books	22 Fourth Friday Books	23
24	25	26 Tuesday Morning Books	27	28 Thursday Evening Books	29	30
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## ***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.



# THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

Our Holiday Tea and Anything Sale raised \$1,298 that will be used to fund the branch's scholarship for a non-traditional student attending Marylhurst University and donation to the National AAUW Fund. Food, drink and decorations were donated, allowing more funds to be put toward these projects. In addition, some members who could not attend made a donation.

The event was made possible only through the donations of time, talent and money from many branch members and their recruits. We thank you for your generosity!

## HOLIDAY TEA

**Chair:** Penny Hansen

**Set-Up:** Pat Squire; Karen Rottink, Pat Nida, Anne Redman

**Reservations:** Anne Redman

**Food Preparation:** Stephanie Carter, Carol Cooper, Judy Hale, Penny Hansen, Connie Irwin, Ann Keddie, Barbara McDonald, Pat Nida and her two daughters, Susan Offerdal, Margaret Ricks, Karen Rottink, Pat Squire, Jane Taft, Joan Waldron

**Servers:** Betty Barber, Penny Hansen, Ann Keddie, Lynn Rothert

## ANYTHING SALE

Stephanie Carter, Susan Hornung,  
Ann Redman and Jane Taft

**Donations:** Many branch members and friends

### *AAUW National Election*

All AAUW members who have paid their full national dues by 9 p.m. EDT, May 19, 2015, are eligible to vote. **The required quorum for the vote is 5% of the eligible members. Please cast your vote to make sure we reach a quorum!**

Online voting is fast, easy, and secure. To vote online, go to: <http://www.aauw.org/resource/national-election/>.

Online voting begins April 15 and ends June 19, 2015, at 9 p.m. PDT.

AAUW Lake Oswego Branch  
Membership Application and Dues Statement 2015-16

Please print. Highlight any additions, changes or corrections.

Last name \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_ Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

College/University \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_

College/University \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Please put additional degrees on back of page or add note.

☐ New ☐ Renewing ☐ Life ☐ Honorary Life ☐ Dual ☐ Student

Please make checks payable to: AAUW Lake Oswego Branch

\$49 National Association Dues

\$16 State Dues

\$17 Branch Dues

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\$82 Total Dues\*

\$25 Student Affiliate Dues\*\*

Amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

\*\$46 of your annual dues is tax deductible. \$3 supports our lobby efforts and \$1 is for the Oregon Newsletter. Your dues may be deductible as a business expense.

\*\*Student dues-undergraduate only, \$16 is tax deductible.

## Participate! Share your skills and talents.

### SKILLS

\_\_\_\_ Computer  
\_\_\_\_ Design/Graphics  
\_\_\_\_ Database Management  
\_\_\_\_ Web site maintenance  
\_\_\_\_ Desktop Publishing  
\_\_\_\_ Newsletter Editor  
\_\_\_\_ Photography  
\_\_\_\_ Writing/Editing  
\_\_\_\_ Table Decoration  
\_\_\_\_ Food Preparation  
\_\_\_\_ Fund Raising  
\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### BRANCH SUPPORT

Monthly programs & Events  
\_\_\_\_ Set up/Take Down  
\_\_\_\_ Greeter at events  
\_\_\_\_ Newsletter Distribution  
\_\_\_\_ Publicity Distribution  
\_\_\_\_ Directory Management  
\_\_\_\_ Food Preparation  
\_\_\_\_ Holiday Gala  
\_\_\_\_ New member friend

### INTEREST GROUPS

Book Groups  
\_\_\_\_ 2nd Wednesday (mystery group) - noon  
\_\_\_\_ 3rd Thursday - morning  
\_\_\_\_ 4th Tuesday - morning  
\_\_\_\_ 4th Thursday - evening  
\_\_\_\_ 4th Friday - morning  
Bridge Groups  
\_\_\_\_ Laffalot, 2nd, 4th Monday  
\_\_\_\_ 2nd Thursday  
Other  
\_\_\_\_ Delightful Dining  
\_\_\_\_ Explore Northwest  
\_\_\_\_ Portland Center Stage

*Remembrance: Joan Morgan*

The following letter was sent to Susan Hornung. We decided to publish it in case any members who knew Joan wanted to send their memories and condolences to her family.

1427 S. Sherbourne Drive  
Los Angeles, CA 90035  
April 18, 2015

Dear Friends,

It is my sad duty to tell you my mother Joan Mestijian Morgan passed away on April 8. At the same time, it is a comfort that she enjoyed life's rewards beyond usual measure before release from its final difficulties.

She left a parting, written message, "So glad for all my privilege, education, travel, people, the joy and gift of children and grandchildren, of mind, and heart and the parents I had -- so caring and nurturing." She asked that we know ". . . that I am close to God, a deep believer in Christ -- that is the message I leave." At the end of her note she expressed a wish for us, "God bless and keep my dear ones."

Joan was predeceased by her daughter, my dear sister Sharon; and former husband, my dear father Bruce. She is survived by grandchildren Olivia, Aleyna, and Julianne who are together with me and join in sending this message.

God bless and keep you,  
David Morgan



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