

*"AAUW advances gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy."
 AAUW is open to graduates who hold the associate, baccalaureate, or higher degree from a qualified college or university.*

The Kirkwood-Webster Groves Branch of AAUW supports the full range of the AAUW mission through its monthly program meetings, special interest groups, and public outreach events, by engaging in political action, collaborating with local organizations and educational institutions regarding AAUW topics, and by supporting area young women and girls directly. We are one of five branches in the St. Louis, MO, area that comprise the AAUW Metro Saint Louis Interbranch Council (IBC).

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Click [here](#) to join our FB group

In lieu of K-WG monthly meeting in March, we encourage you to support the

IBC Spring Fling

annual fundraiser for IBC

Honor Marsha Koch, 2019 Barb Lackeritz award winner!

Saturday, March 23, 2019, 10:30 am - 2:00 pm

see flier on page 10 for location and menu

The fund-raising event for this year's Spring Fling is "Treasure Chests." Boxes or other clever containers will be decorated and filled with fun items and gift cards. Our branch is responsible for filling and donating two of them. Raffle tickets for each "treasure" will be sold at the luncheon with drawings after lunch. K-WG will purchase gift cards, and we are asking for donations of small, inexpensive new items to add to our "treasures." Monies raised go to the IBC operating fund, which is used to send students to NCCWSL. It is IBC's only fundraiser. Give me a call or email if you have items to donate; I'll pick them up. Let's make it fun with some lovely trinkets, scarves, candy, etc.

[Debbie McWard](mailto:DebbieMcWard@outlook.com), 314-607-2908



100K for Equal Pay!

AAUW Goal: To train 100,000 on Work Smart by August

- ❖ Get involved to promote economic security for women and narrow the gender pay gap!
- ❖ Register for [Work Smart Online](#), AAUW's free course that teaches women salary negotiation skills. Even if the curriculum doesn't seem directly relevant to you, we need you to be familiar with the material so you can serve as an ambassador for pay equity.
- ❖ Ask 20 people (family, friends, acquaintances, and volunteer and work colleagues) to take the course.
- ❖ Talk about AAUW's free, online course and how it will help narrow the gender pay gap.
- ❖ Distribute the newly created AAUW Work Smart bookmark.
- ❖ Assist AAUW by identifying people and resources that could support our initiative (Community Resource Mapping). The information you contribute can help AAUW
 - Find partners, host sites, participants and facilitators
 - Create Local/State advisory boards
 - Determine the best way to market our initiatives; ie. radio, newspaper



Message from President Chris Nobbe

Celebrate Women in History Month by attending my talk, Mercury 13, about a lost-in-history rogue initiative organized by a NASA consultant, Dr. Lovelace, to see if women could be astronauts. The

“Mercury 13” female pilots passed the same tests as the Mercury 7 and aspired to be astronauts. Their dreams were cut short and the first American woman in space, Dr. Sally Ride, launched 20 years later in 1983. Come learn about women in spaceflight at one of these St. Louis County Library branches:

Samuel C. Sachs Branch
16400 Burkhardt Pl, Chesterfield, MO 63017
Wednesday, March 6, 2:00 PM

Oak Bend Branch
842 S Holmes Ave, St. Louis, MO 63122
Monday, March 18, 6:30 PM

Florissant Valley Branch
195 New Florissant Rd., Florissant, MO 63031
Wednesday, March 20, 7:00 PM



Work Smart Initiative

AAUW Community Resource Mapping Toolkit for Salary Negotiation Success

Community resource mapping is a great tool that communities can use to identify the people and resources they have in place to help them meet a goal. Please [watch this video](#) and complete the [community resources form](#) to assess how you can help us initially train 100,000 women in effective salary negotiation by August 2019 and eventually train 10 million women to negotiate for higher salaries by 2020. Simply by gathering information, you'll be assisting us in finding people who could fund, host, support, facilitate or

attend workshops and find the best ways to engage these potential partners to create city/state initiatives.

AAUW News and Resources

[Outlook](#), AAUW's online magazine reviews accomplishments in 2018 and resolutions for 2019.

[AAUW Blog](#) is a commentary on events important to the mission of AAUW going back to 2008.

[Pay Equity Blog](#) discusses policy wins for equal pay across the country in 2018, including at least six new state laws designed to address the gender pay gap.

[Free, Online Work Smart Course](#) teaches women how to negotiate for higher salaries and become better leaders and communicators. Take the course and encourage others to do the same.

[Work Smart Initiative](#) describes AAUW's bold “Members Mobilize a Million” campaign to train 10 million women in salary negotiations by 2022.

[Take Action for Title IX](#) provides an easy way to email your legislators using the Two-Minute Activist. The email text is customizable and takes less than a minute to complete.

Shape the Future Membership Campaign

New members who join at a public AAUW event, such as one of our monthly meetings, can take 50% off the cost of their first year's national dues. AAUW national dues are \$49, of which \$46 is tax deductible by the individual member; \$3 of that national dues payment is not tax deductible because it is used to support the AAUW Action Fund's Section 501(c)(4) activities (Lobby Corps and election-related activities).

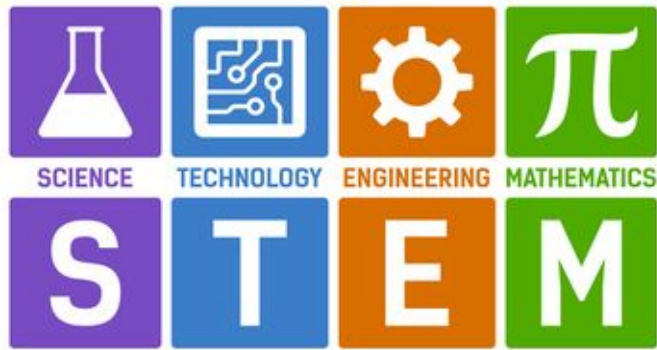
Guests are Always Welcome at KWG Events

We encourage you to bring guests to our meetings to introduce them to AAUW. If they cannot attend a meeting, ask our Membership VP Deb McWard to send them newsletters and links to AAUW websites.

Branch Directories

If you missed the updated membership directory in your email inbox, contact Carol (314-623-1847 or davis-mcdonald@outlook.com). If you need a 3-ring binder (half size), let her know. If you do NOT want a printed copy, let her know.

STEM Scholarship Awardees



We are excited to announce our two STEM Scholarship Awardees: **Korey Canada** from Affton High School is planning to attend Truman State and will be pursuing a degree in Accounting. **Anastasia Juracsik** from Maplewood-Richmond Heights "is a brilliant student and encompasses the academic skills, grit, and passion to represent AAUW and MRHSD with pride!" (a quote from her counselor) We will publishing bios in the April newsletter.

Board Meetings

The next board meeting will be on **Monday, March 18, 1:00-3:30 pm at Adams Place** in the 3rd floor meeting room. All members are invited to board meetings.

Pecans

All varieties of pecans except dark chocolate are available for purchase. Pecans can be kept fresh in the freezer for up to two years. To see what is available, contact [Carol Davis-McDonald](#), 314-623-1847.

Texas Roadhouse Gift Cards

We are selling Texas Roadhouse gift cards and will receive 10% of the sales. Denominations of the cards are as low as \$5.00. The cards have no expiration date. Contact [Jeanne Webdell](#) to purchase.

Public Policy - Closing the Gender Pay Gap

Today, the House took an important step in passing through committee the #PaycheckFairnessAct. The votes were 27 for and 19 against. This bill strengthens protection against gender based workplace discrimination to ensure all women receive equal pay for equal work.

State Net is an easy way to keep up with the progress of the bills that AAUW is following in the Missouri House of Representatives and the Senate.

Interested AAUW members can receive a targeted list of the bills' progress from State Net every Tuesday.

If you would like to get this list, send your first name, last name and email address to apatriciashores@att.net, by Friday, March 8.

AAUW's Two-Minute Activist

(<https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/public-policy/two-minute-activist/>) makes it easy to voice your support for these issues to your legislators.

St. Louis Metro AAUW Interbranch Council (IBC)

All members of all branches are encouraged to participate in events sponsored by IBC. **The next IBC Board Meeting will be on May 28, 2019, at 7pm at the Thornhill Library.**

IBC Spring Fling Luncheon

Saturday, March 23

See the registration flyer at the end of this newsletter for details

KWG will be filling two treasure chests with gently used jewelry and scarves donated by members and KWG-purchased gift cards. Please search your jewelry box and accessories for items to donate.

IBC International Lecture Series

(2nd Tuesdays, January through April)

When: Tuesday, March 12, 10:45 am

Where: Ethical Society
9001 Clayton Road, Clayton

Topic: [Dark Money and Plutocracy, Who's Pulling the Strings?](#)

Speaker: Jeffrey A. Winters

In partnership with TWA (Tuesday Women's Association of the Ethical Society), four free lectures on aspects of international relations are presented on the second Tuesday of each month, from January through April. Gather at 10 am for coffee and social time in the lower level meeting room. Attendees are invited to bring a bag lunch and stay afterwards to further discuss the topic. See flyer at the end of this newsletter for information about all four lectures.

The public is cordially invited. There is no fee, but all contributions are greatly appreciated. Free parking is available in the rear of the building. The 45-50 minute lecture will be followed by a question and answer

period. In case of inclement weather, you may call 314-991-0955 ext. 224. The driveway is heated.

[NCCWSL](#)

The National Conference for College Women Student Leaders (NCCWSL) is one of the premier programs of AAUW. Briefly, it is a three-day conference held in the Washington D.C. area at the end of May that brings together nearly 1000 college women from all over. Our St. Louis branches by means of IBC have sponsored at least one and sometimes two students from our area AAUW colleges and universities to attend every year for the past 5 years. Students are nominated by their college/university reps and chosen by a selection committee made up of branch members.

There are several reasons we participate. Foremost is that it provides great leadership training for those who attend and encourages them to bring back new skills to their campuses. And it offers us an opportunity to make a presence on local campuses.

Funding (about \$1000 per student for registration, airfare, and incidentals such as bus fares and meals on the road) comes out of the IBC budget and branch contributions.

If available, the 2018 NCCWSL students we sponsored will share their NCCWSL experience and aspirations at this year's Spring Fling.

Early in February IBC will decide how many students we can send to 2019 NCCWSL. We have enough funds to sponsor one student. Last year we were able to send two. Please consider donating to the NCCWSL Fund by sending a check to Carol Davis McDonald, 827 Bergquist Drive, 63011. Any money not used in in one year will be carried over.

[IBC ¡Adelante! Book Group](#)

(4th Thursdays)

When: Thursday, March 28, 1:30 pm
Where: Barnes & Noble
1600 Clarkson Road (Chesterfield)
Book: *Without You There is No Us: My Time with the Sons of North Korea's Elite*
Author: Suki Kim
Reviewer: Janice Rumfelt
Contact [Teri Brecht](#) for further information.

¡Adelante!, AAUW's book club, has been renamed Operation Equity: Reading for Results. It merges AAUW members' love of reading with easy, action-oriented projects to advance gender equity. Every quarter there will be a focus on a different aspect of AAUW's strategic plan. Books and articles will be suggested to start a conversation, and then participants pick a related project, such as the Members Mobilize a Million challenge, fundraising to support a strategic plan pillar, or a Two-Minute Activist petition signature drive, that will make a difference in the lives of women and girls. The St. Louis Metro IBC group will be discussing how to implement this new structure for next year.

[IBC Meet 'n Eat Lunch](#)

(3rd Tuesdays)

Please arrive at the restaurant between 11:30 -11:45. If you would like to carpool, let Kay know.

When: Tuesday, March 19, 11:45 am
Where: Frisco Bar and Grill
8110 Big Bend
314-455-1090
RSVP: [Kay Meyer](#), 314-962-7487

[Support IBC Branch Activities](#)

St. Charles Branch is having its 9th annual "Ladies Tea Time Trivia" to benefit its Scholarship Fund on Saturday, April 27, from 1-3:30. This is a unique trivia featuring ten categories of women's interests and general topics! NO men's sports questions!!! Scholarships have been awarded since 1938 to St. Charles County High School Senior Women meeting qualifications of the Branch Scholarship Committee. Register using the flyer at the end of this newsletter.

[Are You Free of Bias?](#)

Could you have hidden negative feelings about people of a different ages, race or sexuality. Research shows that most people do have some hidden biases. Why not test yourself and see how you come out? These two websites help you look at yourself and your unconscious biases:

Office of Diversity and Outreach from the University of California, San Francisco
<https://diversity.ucsf.edu/resources/unconscious-bias-resources>

Project Implicit from Harvard University that includes several Implicit Association Test (IATs)
<https://implicit.harvard.edu/implicit/takeatest.html>

The Project Implicit from Harvard University is a non-profit organization and international collaboration between researchers who are interested in implicit social cognition - thoughts and feelings outside of conscious awareness and control. Using the tests on this website the organization hopes to educate the public about hidden biases and to provide a “virtual laboratory” for collecting data on the Internet.

Support Women-Related Activities

The Missouri Women’s Network (MWN) is sponsoring Equity Action Day activities at the Missouri State Capitol on April 16. The morning session begins at 9:30 in Room 2 with presentations and discussion about current legislative issues important to women. Representatives from NEA, Clean MO, NCJW, LWV, AAUW, and MWN will attend. Lunch is on your own at the capitol cafeteria. Attendees will spend the afternoon speaking to their representatives about current bills and issues. Several K-WG members will attend; call Marsha Koch 636-256-3746 to arrange carpooling.

Volunteers Needed for Court Watch Project

The **St. Louis Ending Violence Against Women Network (SLEVAWN) Court Watch Project** is recruiting volunteer monitors to observe courtrooms where civil domestic violence cases are being heard in an effort to research any problem patterns and issues with in the court system. The monitoring is being done in both St. Louis City and St. Louis County. This project is funded by the Department of Justice. The duties of a court watcher are:

- Attend a 4-hour volunteer orientation
- Sign up to monitor 1 docket a month for 6 months (the more monitors we have could reduce this)
- Go to the courtroom on scheduled date and monitor the proceeding
- Dress appropriately for courtroom
- Follow Court Watch guidelines while in courthouse
- Submit completed forms to Court Watch coordinator

The next training is Friday, March 8, 8:30-11:30. Ending violence against women is a major priority for AAUW. Lynne Roney and Marsha Koch participate in this project and would be happy to share their experiences. See the attached flyer for registration information.

Women’s Foundation St. Louis Seeking Solutions Symposium: Period Poverty in the STL Region

Date: March 8, 2019

Lunch 11:30 a.m | Program noon - 1 p.m.

Location: YWCA Phyllis Wheatley Heritage Center
2711 Locust St, St. Louis, MO 63103

No cost to register; lunch included.

Register [here](#).

Rally for ERA

The Women’s Foundation St. Louis is organizing a rally for ERA at the Missouri State Capitol on April 11. Follow their Facebook page [Project 28 on Facebook](#).

Annual AAUW-MO Conference

Our annual state conference, *AAUW Work Smart, Closing the Gender Pay Gap One Click at a Time*, will be held on May 4th in Columbia. This is a very exciting time to be a member of AAUW! The AAUW Work Smart online negotiation training is very well done and offers excellent information. Take it yourself at <https://salary.aauw.org/work-smart/>.

We are excited to announce TWO GUEST SPEAKERS at our state conference:

- **Kim Churches**,
CEO of AAUW
(photo from
AAUW website)
- **Wendy Doyle**,
CEO of Women’s
Foundation
Kansas City



(Read Wendy Doyle’s

article in a recent issue of St. Louis Post-Dispatch:
https://www.stltoday.com/opinion/columnists/closing-the-gender-gap-why-it-s-time-to-stop/article_77fed19d-dd2a-5121-bbb7-6b7cef876f80.html)

AAUW KS members will be joining us so this is a great opportunity to meet new friends!

We hope each branch will send at least two members to the conference to learn all about Work Smart and the Initiative so that they can share it with their branch. Branches should check out the Branch Incentive program for funding opportunities at:

<https://aauw-mo.aauw.net/membership/forms/>. April 1 is the deadline for submitting applications for the STAR and GALAXY awards. The forms are online at <https://aauw-mo.aauw.net/membership/forms/>.

Displays about your GALAXY project will be set up in the main meeting room; Ellen Irons and Pat Shores are managing the setup of displays and will contact you with details.

Friday night hotel rooms are reserved for AAUW at \$109.95 until April 15; use code UW9 when making your reservation.

Everyone is invited and welcome to attend the AAUW MO Board meeting and dinner on Friday. Activities are being planned for Friday evening after dinner and will be shared with you as soon as finalized.

Branches are invited to sell items as a way of raising funds for either AAUW Fund or branch/state operating funds. Do you have something to sell? Let Ellen Irons and Pat Shores know to reserve a sales table for you.

Beginning about 8:30 am Saturday morning we will begin taking branch photographs with the smallest branches first and the largest branches last.

Let's all get as many members to conference as we can to greet Kim Churches and Wendy Doyle and celebrate, plan, and learn about the exciting AAUW KS/MO Work Smart Initiative!

If you have questions contact our very own Marsha Koch
Program Vice President, AAUW MO
636-256-3746

[Calendar](#)

You can now access all of our calendar events digitally! Go to <https://kww-mo.aauw.net/calendar/> to see the calendar. You can add it to your calendar by clicking on the + sign in the lower right corner.

March 2019 - National Women's History Month

- 08 International Women's Day
- 08 Training for Court Watch Program
- 19 Meet 'n Eat
- 23 IBC Spring Fling (Branch Meeting)
- 28 Adelante Book Group

April 2019 - National Pecan Month and National Volunteer Month

- 01 Committee Application Period Opens (National)
- 02 Equity Pay Day
- 11 Rally for ERA
- 16 Equity Action Day at the state capitol
- 27 St. Charles Trivia Tea

Save the Date!

May 4 AAUW MO Annual Meeting

August 23 - MWN Women's Equality Day Brunch

Credit for National Months: <https://nationaldaycalendar.com/>

AAUW – KIRKWOOD-WEBSTER GROVES BRANCH

Member Form – 2018-2019

Welcome to Kirkwood-Webster Groves Branch! Please provide the following membership information:

Full Name: _____ Preferred First Name for Nametag: _____

Address: _____ Birthday: _____
(Street) (City) (Zip) (mm/dd)

Preferred phone: ____ Home # _____ ____ Cell # _____ Email: _____

Preferred method for receiving branch and state newsletters: ____ Email ____ USPS

Degree	Area of Study	College/University	Year

The AAUW year is July 1 – June 30. Membership paid after March 15 extends through June 30 of the following year; i.e., 2019.	Association (National)	Missouri (State)	Kirkwood -Webster Groves	Total	Choose One
New Member	\$59*	\$10	\$15	\$84	
New Dual Member Primary Branch: _____	n/a	\$10 or n/a	\$15	\$15	
Special 2018 Membership Campaigns					
Shape-the-Future (join Mar 16-Dec 31)	\$29.50*	\$10	\$15	\$54.50	
Current Graduate Student	\$18.81*	\$10	\$15	\$43.81	
Give a Grad-a-Gift (min. 2-year Associate)	\$0	\$0	\$15	\$15	
Undergraduate Student Affiliates					
Student's school is an AAUW C/U partner member	Free online	\$3	\$6	\$9	
Student's school is not an AAUW C/U partner member	\$18.81*	\$3	\$6	\$27.81	
Representative at an AAUW C/U Partner Member joining branch/state	Incl in C/U Membership	\$10	\$15	\$25	
Current AAUW Member-at-Large joining branch/state	Incl in MAL dues	\$10	\$15	\$25	
*IRS regulations allow part of your dues to be deducted as a charitable contribution: \$56.00 of \$59.00; \$26.50 of \$29.50; \$16.81 of \$18.81. Suggestion: Make a note for your 2018 tax folder.					

**Want help with this form? Call K-WG Finance VP Carol Davis McDonald:
636-227-0511**

Mail this completed form with your check payable to AAUW to:

***Carol Davis McDonald
827 Bergquist Drive
Manchester, MO 63011-4215***

2019 International Relations Lecture Series



March 12, 2019

Dark Money and Plutocracy, Who's Pulling the Strings?

Speaker: Jeffrey A. Winters

Professor Winters is the Political Science department chair at Northwestern; professor and Director, Equality Development and Globalization Studies (EDGS) Program. He specializes in oligarchs and elites spanning a range of historical and contemporary cases. His book *Oligarchy* (Cambridge 2011) won APSA's 2012 Gregory M. Luebbert Award for Best Book in Comparative Politics. His research, publications and teaching focus on the areas of comparative and political economy. In addition to oligarchy, important themes in his work include state-capital relations, capital mobility and the structural power of investors, the World Bank, human rights, authoritarianism, and democratic transitions in post-colonial states. He has conducted extensive research in the region of Southeast Asia.

Coordinator: Deana Stevenson

Assistant Coordinator: Patricia Scott



April 9, 2019

The Intersection of Religion and Politics in an International Setting

Speaker: Dr. Harvey R. Fields Jr.

Dr. Fields is the Assistant Dean of Student Success at Washington University. Dr. Fields, a native of Augusta, GA, earned bachelor's degrees in chemistry and chemical engineering from Morehouse College and the Georgia Institute of Technology, respectively. Dr. Fields earned his doctorate in chemistry at Washington University in St. Louis and has worked there for over fifteen years in various administrative and leadership roles in Student and Academic Affairs. Dr. Fields is also a licensed and ordained minister and recently retired as pastor of a local church after twenty-seven years of service. Dr. Fields has had the privilege of traveling to several countries, including Haiti, South Africa, Ghana, England, Scotland, France and Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Coordinator: Vett Goods

Assistant Coordinator: Nancy Hutchins

AAUW St. Louis Metro Interbranch Council 2019 Spring Fling

Saturday, March 23, 2019 10:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

The Highlands Golf and Tennis Club at Forest Park

5163 Clayton Ave, St. Louis, MO 63110

For directions: <https://goo.gl/maps/UN2KGxGYk182>

10:30 am – Registration, Networking, and Treasure Chests Raffle

11:30 am – Welcome, Luncheon, Break

12:30-1:30 pm – NCCWSL Students Share, Barb Lackritz Award, Announcements

Menu: Choice of Entrée Salads or Hot Entrée

Luncheon cost is \$35 or \$40 respectively. See menu choices below.

Guests are welcome.

Directions: From I-64/40 travelling east, exit at Kingshighway. Go left (North). Stay in the left lane. The first major intersection with a light after the highway is Hospital Drive. Get in the left turn lane and turn into the park. Stay to the left until Hospital Dr joins Clayton Avenue. Turn RIGHT on Clayton Ave. Go past Faulkner Dr. The next road to the RIGHT is the entrance to the Highlands. It is unnamed. There are short brick columns on each side of the road and split rail fencing along the road. Turn RIGHT into the unnamed street. The Highlands Banquet Center is a short drive ahead. Maps will be available to attendees.

Registration deadline: March 13, 2019. Make check payable to:

AAUW Metro St. Louis IBC and mail form and check to

Carol Davis McDonald, 827 Bergquist Dr., Manchester MO 63011-4215.

For more information, contact Shirley Breeze: 314-831-5359; sbreeze@mindspring.com

-----Please cut here, select your meal and send form below with your check-----

Print: Name _____ Branch _____

E-mail _____ Phone _____ - _____ - _____

Address _____

MENU CHOICES

CIRCLE ONE

TWO ENTRÉE SALADS OFFERED: PICK ONE OR THE OTHER

Paired w/ Fresh Fruit, Accompanied with Artisan Flatbreads and Butter, Coffee, Tea & Water, & Dessert.

1) Probststein Cobb Salad: A Blend of Lettuce, Diced Tomatoes, Avocado, Boiled Egg, Bacon, Turkey & Blue Cheese \$35

OR

2) Clubhouse Chicken Salad: White Meat Chicken Salad served on Boston butter lettuce with multi grain bread \$35

OR

3) HOT LUNCHEON ENTREE

Chicken Parmesan: Chicken breast w/ a light crust, marinara sauce w/ mozzarella; House Garden Salad; Seasonal Vegetables, Whipped Potatoes, Baked Rolls, Artisan Flatbreads & Butter, Coffee, Tea & Water, & Dessert. \$40

OR

Check total enclosed \$ _____

(If paying for guests, please print their names and entrée choice on the back of this form.) Vegetarian option available by request.

Please list any dietary restrictions on the back.

*St. Charles American Association of University Women
9th Annual Local Scholarship/Education Fundraiser*

“Ladies Tea Time Trivia”

*Tea, Soda, Homemade Sweets and Treats Provided
Feel free to bring additional snacks for your table. No alcohol allowed*

Saturday, April 27, 2019 1:00- 3:30 pm Doors open at 12:30 pm

*Fellowship Hall - Faith United Methodist Church 2950 Droste Road St. Charles
Directions: I-70 to First Capitol, left to West Clay, right on Droste. Right on Norwich.
Immediately enter church parking lot off Norwich.*

*Ladies: Experience a unique trivia featuring ten categories of
women’s interests and general topics! NO men’s sports questions!!!*

*\$120 donation table of 8 \$90 donation table of 6 \$15 donation single ticket
Baskets Mulligan (5/\$10) Bonus Round More!!!*

*St. Charles AAUW Scholarships have been awarded since 1938 to St. Charles County High
School Senior Women meeting qualifications of the Branch Scholarship Committee.*

Contact’s Name _____

Phone contact _____ E-mail _____

_____ Table of eight- \$120 _____ Table of 6- \$90

Please send one check per table or send all checks together.

_____ Single- \$15 (Note: Singles will be assigned to a table fewer than 8)

Make check payable to: St. Charles AAUW Check number _____ Total _____

Registration and check to: AAUW 624 Rebecca Drive St. Charles, MO 63301

Questions: Phone contact- Rose Ann at 636-946-5226

_____ Enclosed is a donation to the local St. Charles Branch AAUW Scholarship Fund



Court Monitors Needed

The St. Louis Ending Violence Against Women Network (SLEVAWN) Court Watch Project is currently recruiting volunteer monitors to observe courtrooms where civil domestic violence cases are being heard and monitor the proceedings in an effort to research any problem patterns and issues within the court system. This project is funded by the Department of Justice.

The Court Watch Project is a community-based initiative within the court system to help improve court processes regarding Order of Protection hearings. The mission of the Court Watch Project is to make the justice system more effective and responsive in handling cases of domestic violence perpetrated against women and children and to create a more informed and involved public. This is a great opportunity for students, victim advocates and community members.

Courtroom monitors are needed for both the St. Louis City and St. Louis County courts. The times available to monitor are:

City Adult Abuse Docket -Thursdays from 9:30am to approximately 12 noon

County Adult Abuse Docket – Thursdays from 1:30pm to approximately 4:00pm

Monitors must be at least 18 years of age, attend the training and commit to observing for at least 6 months. For more information visit www.slevawn.org site.

Next Training is Friday, March 8th, 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

The training will be held at Safe Connections

2165 Hampton Ave, St. Louis 63139.

Space is limited and requires registration.

Contact Carla Maley at courtwatchstl@gmail.com for more information.

How to Support AAUW's Mission

Thank you for promoting equity for women and girls by supporting AAUW's critical work! When supporting the following funds, you give AAUW the ability to carry out its bold, strategic vision for the future.



AAUW Greatest Needs Fund (9110)

Allows AAUW the flexibility to respond rapidly to new and emerging challenges facing women and girls and to utilize your gift where it's needed most. This fund ensures the strength, relevance, and viability of AAUW into the future.



Education and Training Fund (4450)

Addresses the barriers and implicit biases that hinder the advancement of women by championing equal access to education and ensuring that education at every level is free from sex discrimination.

STEM Title IX Pathways to Jobs

Examples of programs include:
Fellowships Alumnae Initiatives
Fellowships and Grants
Public Policy
Research



Economic Security Fund (4449)

Ensures livelihoods for women through achieving pay equity for women, providing training in salary negotiation, and deepening women's retirement security and quality of life.

Pay Equity Title VII Retirement Security

Examples of programs include:
Start Smart
Work Smart
Work Smart Online
Legal Advocacy Fund



Leadership Fund (4452)

Supports the effort to close the gender gap in leadership opportunities by bolstering the participation of and increasing the number of girls and women in leadership roles, particularly in education and nonprofit organizations.

Career Workplace Training

Examples of programs include:
Campus Action Projects
Empower
NCCWSL

Contributions to AAUW are fully tax-deductible and can be sent to the address below or made online at www.aauw.org/contribute.

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