



Tahoe Nevada AAUW

Advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.

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Message from the President-

Greetings Everyone,

As I am writing this article, there is definitely a chill in the air. Fall is officially upon us. The trees are changing color and it is truly a time to be outdoors in Tahoe. I hope you all get a chance to join Lynn and the outdoor enthusiasts for a hike before it is time to snowshoe!

It was wonderful to see so many of you at our September meeting. Thanks to Haley and Rebecca for planning the fun Bingo 'getting to know you' game. We are a very interesting and accomplished group of women! Thanks also to Haley for the donation of the wonderful prizes.

Speaking of our Program VPs, they have been hard at work planning a series of informative and interesting speakers for this year. They surveyed members at the September meeting and have set the program from our comments.

Please join us for the October meeting as we welcome Kristin Nelson: "From Wall Street to Pilates, One Woman's Journey in Finding both Success and Personal Health". You may want to bring a guest!

I also want to mention, that Membership has been going through some changes this year. If you haven't renewed

yet, you can now do so online. Look for the instructions in this newsletter. There is also an updated form for new members. New members still have to use the paper form when joining.

On another note, many of you have asked if we are planning to have another Tahoe Treasures Tour this summer. We are in the process of deciding and would appreciate your input. Much of the decision depends on being able to offer interesting homes and gardens. If you know someone who would be willing to have their home on tour, please let me know. If you would like to serve on the fundraising committee, let me know that, too!



As you will see posted in this newsletter, we will be voting on a by-law change at the October meeting, so your attendance is important! Looking forward to seeing you then,

Stephanie



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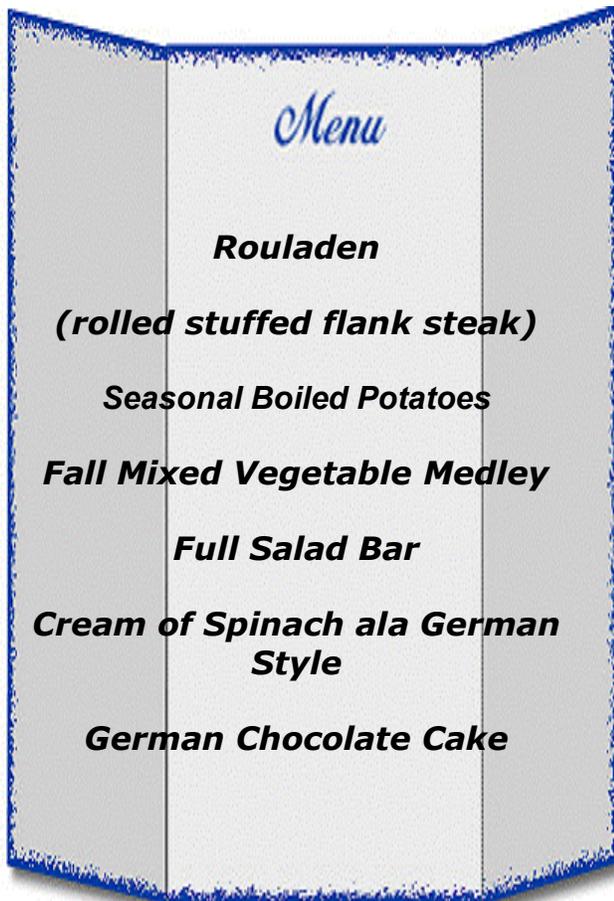
PROPOSED CHANGE TO BYLAWS

Notice of Proposed Bylaw Amendment to be voted upon at the October Membership Meeting on October 16, 2013. (Words to be added are in italics)

This proposed amendment has been adopted by the branch Board of Directors at their August 20, 2013 Board Meeting. The wording is necessary in preparation for filing for branch 501(c)(3) status with the IRS.

ARTICLE XI. Section 2. Dissolution of Branch

In the event of the dissolution of AAUW Tahoe Nevada Branch or the termination of its affiliation with AAUW, all assets of the branch shall be transferred and delivered to *the National AAUW 501(c)(3)* or to an AAUW *501(c)(3)* affiliated entity designated by *the National AAUW*.



Outdoor Enthusiasts

Lynn Whetstone

The Outdoor Enthusiasts' Group gets together year round to enjoy hiking, snowshoeing, other outdoor activities (and good companionship!) in the beautiful Lake Tahoe area. We're currently into our fall hiking season and hope to be able to enjoy some fall colors on our hikes soon.

We meet at 9:30 AM every Monday (weather permitting) in the lower parking lot of the Village Church at the Mt. Rose Hwy. on McCourry Blvd.; from there we carpool to our hiking/snowshoeing

location. Please contact Lynn Whetstone at **Lwhetstone@prodigy.net** or **831-8608** if you would like to participate and be notified of upcoming hikes by email.

During the warmer months, there is also a group that kayaks from Ski/Hermit Beach in Incline Village at 9 AM most Wednesday mornings.

It may not be too late to join the kayakers for an outing this season, although we're finding that kayaking is a lot more affected by the weather than hiking.

The group is led by Liz Paganelli, who can be contacted at Lpag007@aol.com.

Note from Programs

Many of you have expressed interest in hearing Frankie Sue Del Papa speak. If anyone has her contact information please talk with Haley or Rebecca. You may reach them at: habel@abellawpractice.com or regelber@gmail.com We always welcome your ideas for innovative and new programs!

Book Group

Diane Finegan

The Book Group will meet Monday, October 14. We will be discussing "Finding Nouf" by Zoe Ferraris. Our hostess is Joanie Nygren.

For additional information about the Book Group please contact Diane

Finegan at 831-8310 or

djrfinegan@earthlink.net

Membership Matters

Kelly Neville and Barbara Pulver

Welcome to new members Marilyn Merritt and Kendra Wong!

For those of you who have not yet renewed your membership, I am going to test out part of the new online system that generates an email notification and walks you through the online process. As always, if you do not want to try the online format, please feel free to use the new and improved membership form. This form is to be used for all new members, as there is not currently an online process for new members.

The revised Friend of AAUW form is attached as well.

Regards,

Kelly Neville

Please remember this month's dinner meeting at the Parasol Building, 948 Incline Way, 1st Floor

Wednesday, October 16, 2013

\$30.00 per person

Please RSVP Kelly Neville at kellyaauw@gmail.com or by phone at (775)762-0463 by Monday, October 14, 2013

Meet your 2013-14 Public Policy Chair

Joanie Nygren

The local branch Public policy chair has a number of



responsibilities including the following:

To ensure public policy and voter education campaign priorities are included in your branch's annual plan

To join community coalitions to work on AAUW public policy priorities
To recruit branch members to join public policy committees

To take action (rallies, lobby days, in-district meetings, house meetings, letters to the editor, and more) on public policy priorities

To develop and oversee the public policy and voter education campaign budgets for your branch

To contribute to your branch newsletter to keep members updated on advocacy efforts.

Joanie has been very busy keeping us updated on public policy issues. An issue of particular interest for our branch is 'Human Trafficking' nearby in Truckee and Reno via highway 80.

Joanie is actively looking into a program on this issue for the upcoming year. *To find out more contact Joanie at joanienygren@me.com or take a look online at www.aauw.org*

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Used Book Sales

We are still having our used book sales at each dinner meeting.

Lynn Flagg and Sherie Schmauder are in charge.

Donations of books welcome!

Visit them at our October meeting to pick up some great fall and winter entertainment in the form of some well priced books!!!!



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July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014

I would like to reserve advertising space for the upcoming year.

Directory advertising is available at the following rates:

\$25.00 for 1/3 page ad
\$75.00 for a full page ad
\$125.00 for the back cover (first come, first served basis)

Newsletter advertising is available at the following rates:

\$30.00 for 10 ads, if paid prior to 9/30/2013
Pricing prorated at \$5.00 per issue if purchased thereafter

Please enclose or provide a Business card, PDF, or JPG version of your ad with payment or e-mail to the Treasurer.

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Full name _____ Date _____
Business Name _____
Mailing Address _____ Zip _____
Physical Address _____ Zip _____
Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____ (work) _____
Email address _____
Ad content enclosed _____ Ad content to be provided _____

Enclosed:

Please send check & form to:

\$ _____ Ad for Directory
\$ _____ Ad for Newsletter

AAUW TAHOE NEVADA
P0 BOX 5465
INCLINE VILLAGE, NV 89450

\$ _____ Total Amount of Check Check # _____

Note: Please use this form if you are a new member.
Renewing members use only if not renewing online.



AAUW Tahoe Nevada

Membership Form July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014

Please circle any changes from last year's Directory; otherwise, they may not be made.

- There are no changes
 Please note the following changes.
 I am a new member.

Full name _____ Date _____
Mailing Address _____ Zip _____
Physical Address _____ Zip _____
Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____ (work) _____
Email address _____
Spouse/Partner name _____

Bachelor's Degree or Associate Degree

College/University _____ Year _____
City, State _____
Major _____ Degree _____

Graduate Degree

University/College _____ Year _____
City, State _____
Major _____ Degree _____

Annual dues run from 7/1/13 to 6/30/14.

National Dues \$49
State Dues 9
Branch Dues 15
\$73

Student Affiliate dues: \$17

Open to anyone who does not already have an under-graduate degree and is enrolled in a two- or four-year regionally accredited educational institution.

Enclosed:

Please send check & form to:

\$ _____ Membership Dues

**AAUW TAHOE NEVADA
PO BOX 5465
INCLINE VILLAGE, NV 89450**

\$ _____ Total Amount of Check # _____

Tahoe Nevada AAUW

Tahoe Nevada AAUW also raises money annually to give local scholarships to deserving girls and to help other local charity organizations.

If you renewed your membership on line, you did not have an opportunity to make a contribution to your local branch. Additional donations to your local branch's educational endeavors are greatly accepted.

\$ _____ **AAUW Incline Village Scholarship Fund and Grants**

All proceeds go directly to scholarships and grants.

If you joined or renewed by filling out the attached form, and if you wish to make an additional donation to your branch's local scholarship and grant fund, please use a separate check from the check used to pay your national dues.

Thank you.

Enclosed:

Please send check & form to:

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