

## Message from the President



How amazingly fast time goes by these days! It wasn't that long ago that we were worried about snow preventing us from traveling to our monthly meetings. Now we have the air conditioning running!!!

I hope you were able to attend our May meeting. Those who were there looked terrific in their garden hats!! Steve

Walker, from Yavapai College, made a great presentation and was totally at ease being the only man at the meeting. Thanks, Steve!!

Our June Summer Social was a huge success!! We had a total of 115 attendees, with 31 guests. In the last twelve months, we have had 30+ new members!!! Our growth indicates that we are a thriving, vibrant branch of AAUW.

We now have a myriad of Interest Groups, with many of our members taking part in one or more each month. Our General Meetings have typically had 70-90 attendees, who have enjoyed some most interesting and informative programs.

Coming attractions for next year include presentations from Embry-Riddle undergraduate and graduate women students, a Branch-wide Book Group, where we will all read and discuss the same book ( We will offer a choice of a fiction or non-fiction work), and other intriguing topics geared to the interests of our membership.

Be sure to mark the second Saturday of each month on your calendars. You won't want to miss a single session!!

Our Website (<http://www.aauwprescott.net/>) continues to grow in content, both for general information and for all events and activities. The number of individuals using the Website has grown tremendously and we hope that we will see on-going reliance on the Website for up-to-date

Branch information. If, for some reason, you have not checked it out, now is a great time to do so.

We are known for our community involvement and have been active with our mentoring programs for both high school and college women. Our parenting and anti-bullying programs are continuing and are garnering kudos from participants and educators. We are looking forward to growing those programs as well as adding new endeavors in 2013-2014.

I hope you have a wonderful summer, filled with family, friends and fun!!

As The Happenings sang to us long, long ago:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iu-7DXBiVsA>

See You in September!!!

Warmly, Anne Barton, President

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**Fly Me to the Moon...****or maybe just to California**

Our **September 14<sup>th</sup>** meeting of AAUW-Prescott will feature Frank Ayers, Chancellor of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, and some of his outstanding undergraduate and graduate female students who are in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) related fields. Some may go on to become astronauts, pilots, or scientists. The sky is the limit for these young women!

Frank Ayers feels very strongly that young women are highly intelligent, but often lack self-confidence, and should be encouraged to enter these fields. He has witnessed great success stories among his female students over the years and is probably their biggest cheerleader.

One graduate student grew up in a low income family in Los Angeles, watching planes land and take off from LAX. "When I grow up, that's what I want to do," she said to her family. But, living at poverty level, what were the chances of that happening?

With the guidance of good teachers, scholarships, and working very hard to do her best in her classes, she was awarded a scholarship to Embry-Riddle. Once there, she knew she could do anything she set her mind to do.

Come join us at the Community Room of Yavapai College on **September 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 A.M.**, and hear more success stories from some amazing young women...and Frank Ayers too!

**Put These Dates on Your Calendar--  
Fall/Winter Coming Attractions!**

**September 14-Frank Ayers**, Chancellor of Embry Riddle University, will present female undergrads and graduate students talking about their STEM studies and their long term goals for the future.

**October 12-Sherry Koopot**, docent for the Phoenix Art Museum, will take us on an historical trip across the USA, from "Sea to Shining Sea."

**November 9-Don't Worry, Be Happy!** Making Life Choices. Women in different areas of expertise

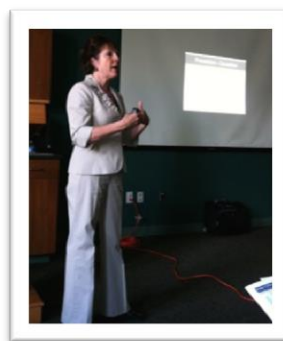
will advise us on making healthy life choices in areas of education, finance, healthy living, etc.

**December 14-Holiday Brunch** at the Prescott Resort. Let's celebrate AAUW and the YC women we have helped through scholarships.

Our plans for January through June are made and promise to be just as interesting. We do hope you'll make AAUW meetings a priority!

**Public Policy**

Public Policy held their final meeting for 2012-2013 on May 7. Our topic for study was Cyber



Bullying and the presenter was AAUW Prescott member Holli Kenley (pictured at left). Holli is a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist with a strong interest in the Bullying phenomenon and causes

and preventions.

During our meeting we examined vocabulary and background information so we could better understand cyber bullying. We looked at causes, prevention and responses these actions. Holli also shared information regarding state-by-state legislation addressing cyber bullying.

Holli focused our group on steps that help implement healthy practices in our relationships with technology. She shared an example of a Family On line Safety Contract. Such contracts can help parents and children have a better working relationship regarding technology and on line safety.

Holli and several other AAUW Prescott members are involved in bringing an **Anti-Bullying Event to Prescott on August 29 and 30** of this year. The event will include a screening of the Bully Movie a presentation by Kirk Smalley of Stand for the Silent.

## Community Action News

### **Teen Maze WAS Amazing!**

In her thank you note to us, Brenda Burns, Manager of ETS, (our Yavapai College partner in Sister-to-Sister and Teen Maze) , wrote: "Without all the wonderful volunteers from AAUW, there is no way possible that ETS could make the experience a productive one for the students."

Thank you so much for your continued support for ETS and Teen Maze.

**ETS:** Educational Talent Search is a federally funded program whose mission is to mentor, teach and help students prepare for college. For more information: <http://www.yc.edu/v4content/educational-talent-search/>

### **WANTED!**

*One page letters, typed and e-mailed as an attachment to Claudia Greenwood by August 1!*

**The reason?** After 10 years it is time to update our collection for our little sisters. We have new members and we have lost members. We especially want new members, whether they have yet been to a sister-to-sister luncheon, to write for us. We will include the present letters of current members who wish to have them included. Be sure to let Claudia know.

All we ask is that you think of what you would write to your granddaughter as she begins her final year of high school. Something memorable about your college experience. Some advice about succeeding. Some recommendations about dorm living. Some thoughts about the differences between college and high school. But, most of all, why a college degree has been important to you. What difference has it made in your life?

Use a casual, familiar voice in your writing. Make it interesting to read. Be positive if cautionary.

We want the new, improved collection ready for the November luncheon, so please take a brief break from a monsoon day and inspire a student.

Claudia will accept e-mailed letters until August 1. She will edit the collection; ETS will bind and print it. Questions about the project? E-mail Claudia Greenwood whose contact information is in the Directory.



Our new mentoring team members already working hard for re-entry women at Yavapai College. Mentor trainees are: Suzanne Scudder, Kathie Collins, Chris Maxwell, Marjan Terhorst and Kat Cooper.

### **Who Won it?**

New AAUW member, Chrissy Jones, won Sheila Savannah's painting "First Snow on Thumb Butte." Appropriately, Chrissy was an art major at NAU and now, in retirement, hopes to devote time to her own painting. AAUW members were generous in their contributions to our Centennial Scholarship, contributing \$775 to the scholarship by purchasing raffle tickets for Sheila's lovely painting.



The AAUW tables at the Williamson Valley Neighborhood Flea Market were organized and staffed by Kathy Lopez and netted \$300 for our AAUW Centennial Scholarship Fund. Kathy also organized the Flea Market by Morgan Ranch Nature Park, which sponsored our tables. Thanks so much to Sheila, Kathy and our donating members for their support on behalf of our scholarship fundraising. Our Centennial Scholarship, which will award scholarships to needy Yavapai College students who intend to study in the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering or Math) fields, now stands at \$11,500. Next year, we hope to be able to award a scholarship.

Our Mary Alice Moulton Childcare Assistance scholarship for women who are students at Yavapai and have children attending the Family Enrichment Center now has over \$44,000 and is able to award at least \$1500 in scholarships every year.—Jane Skinner



## Hospitality Committee News

Randy Clark and Donna Gaddy will be sharing the duties of Hospitality Chair. We don't think that we will need a full committee as it will be a much easier job now that we have Sodexo providing the beverages. Using Sodexo is going to cost a little more than doing it ourselves, but it will be so much nicer for all of us. ***Please remember if you plan to have a beverage, coffee, tea and even water at our meetings to bring some small bills to help defray this cost. We will have a donation jar on the table for your contribution.***

We are also going to try something new (or old) for food donations. We are going back to having neighborhood assignments to bring goodies for the various meetings. We're hoping that someone from each neighborhood will volunteer to help coordinate the food for the meeting that their neighborhood is hosting.

There are seven (7) general meetings for which Hospitality is responsible and we have divided them as follows:

<u>Meeting date</u> <b>2013-2014</b>	<u>Neighborhoods</u>
<b>September 14</b>	A-1 & A2 Copper Basin /Timber Ridge & South Prescott
<b>October 12</b>	B-1 & B-2 Forest Trails & West Iron Springs
<b>November 9</b>	C & G-1 Thumb Butte & Williamson Valley/Southview
<b>January 11</b>	D-1 7 D-2 Granite Oaks & Williamson Valley North
<b>February 8</b>	E- 1 & E-2 East Prescott & Central Prescott
<b>April 12</b>	F-1 & G-2 Northeast Willow Creek Road & Willow Creek Road
<b>May 10</b>	F-2 & H Prescott Lakes & Prescott Valley

For the time being, we will continue to ask ladies by neighborhood to sign-up for food donations for the upcoming months at the general meetings. We're hoping that the neighborhoods will compete

with each other to provide the most outstanding snacks.

## 2013 Summer Membership Social

Thanks to all of you who joined with us to greet the 31 prospective members who attended our 2013 Garden Party Summer Membership Social on June 12<sup>th</sup>. Anne Barton, President, welcomed a full house of members and guests and guided us through the evening's program. A highlight of the evening was meeting and learning about the interesting and varied backgrounds of our guests as they introduced themselves to those in attendance.

Claudia Greenwood shared information about the many ways our branch is empowering women and girls through Community Action Programs, and Deb White shared with us this year's Public Policy activities to learn about and support various public policy initiatives. Representatives from our Interest Groups were on hand with pictures, information and various displays to share information and to answer questions about their respective groups.

Thanks to Dot Williamson, Wendy Jones and Barb Michelman for creating the beautiful tables for the evening, to Sharon Scanlan for handling Facilities and for coordinating the interest group tables, to Linda Frith, Barb Rice, and Chris Maxwell for coordinating the delicious food donations, to Sara DeRouche for creating and handling the invitations and name tags, to Sharon Groves for handling the guest referrals and developing the Programs, to Deb White for coordinating the volunteers and handling publicity, to Chris Maxwell for assisting with the sound system for the evening, and thanks to all of you who came to share information about your programs & interest groups, who helped with set up and cleanup, who donated food and who came to share the evening with us. ---Laurel Shunk, Summer Social Chair



**Board of Directors 2013-2014**

<b>Elected Officers</b>	
President	Anne Barton
President-Elect	Patti Blackwood
Membership Co-VP	Gail Shay
Membership Co-VP	Deb Dillon
Program Co-VP	Lynne Murphy
Program Co-VP	Carol Clayton
Treasurer	Jenine Peterson
Recording Secretary	Sara Wolters
Corresponding Secretary	Julie Cargill
<b>Appointed Officers</b>	
AAUW Funds	TBD
Communication Chair	Sara DeRouchey
Community Action	Claudia Greenwood, Mardy Taylor
Parliamentarian	Edi Taylor-Richards
Public Policy	Deb White
Scholarship Fundraising	Elaine Smith
Yavapai Regional Medical Center Council of Electors Rep	Cathy Cunningham

**Dining in All Directions**

The Gourmet Interest Group has a new name: Dining in All Directions! It is set up so members can enjoy dining together in groups of 6 to 8 ranging from casual dining to more advanced gourmet. The difference now is that the groups may be mixed and the theme is set by the hostess. More flexibility, more choices. As usual, a lot of fun, congenial evenings together.

The groups will meet three to four times a year with the hostess rotating to assume that role one time over the course of the year. The hostess provides the entrée, vegetable, and drinks. The others in the group then provide the appetizers, soup or salad, and dessert.

Dining in All Directions has the kick-off planned for **5:30, August 24<sup>th</sup>**, at Barbara Kyte’s home. Bring an appetizer to share and meet those in your assigned group.

**To sign up**, go to [www.dininginalldirections.shutterfly.com](http://www.dininginalldirections.shutterfly.com) site, sign in (if you do not yet have a shutterfly account, it is free, so sign up for that first). On the site, go to the message board first for directions on how to sign up on the Sign Up page. You can RSVP for the kick-off on the site as well as get Google map directions, your group assignment, links to recipes, recipes members want to add, and pictures.

For further information, please contact Barbara Kyte or Gail Shay, co-chairs.

**Genealogy Interest Group**

The Genealogy Group made a trip to the new McClelland Irish Library in Phoenix on June 5. We enjoyed a personal tour, two great presentations and time for research. The

library is very beautiful and a great resource for Irish-Americans, even if



you aren’t a genealogist. We hope to return! Making the trip were Marlene Walsh, Elaine Lawson, Barb Michelman, Susan King and Sharon Scanlan.



**Farewell** to *Mary Shenefield*, long time branch member, former Prescott President 1992-1994 and Arizona State President 1995-1997

Thanks for all your contributions and energy and enthusiasm, Mary.

**Enjoy!**



### **Congratulations to Edi Taylor-Richards !**

Honored as *Prescott Public Library Volunteer of the Year!* See their Roundup newsletter for a great article!

And click here to read spotlight on **Kathy and Larry Lopez** for the Arizona Wilderness Coalition—

<http://www.azwild.org/resources/documents/ss2013Final.pdf>

### **Interest Groups' Summer Process and Policy**

If you are an Interest Group Leader, please contact the members of your group to see who will be continuing with your group as AAUW begins our new fiscal year.

As a reminder, AAUW Prescott Interest Group Guidelines state:

“Any paid member may call an Interest Group Leader and ask to join an IG. If the group is full, the member will be waitlisted in chronological order with all other persons on the list. No priority or preference is to be given anyone except chronological order. If an IGL is notified by membership that a new member is interested in joining the group, it is the responsibility of the IGL to call the new member with either an invitation to join or, if the group is full, advise the new member of the current waitlist.

### **Did you find a typo???**

Watch your email for a proof/preview of the **2013-2014 Directory**. When you receive it, please check your name and details carefully and report any corrections or changes to Gail Shay by August 1<sup>st</sup>.

## **Some of our Interest Groups as seen at the Summer Social**





## AAUW Convention

**New Orleans** is a great city for a convention. The Sheraton Hotel was just two blocks from Bourbon Street and the French Quarter. The energy level in the meeting was high and the 700 members in attendance took advantage of the over 50 workshops which ranged from the new logo, to fundraising to LAF ( Legal Advocacy Fund) and Tech Trek and everything in between-- certainly something for everybody.



Janet Larkin, President of AAUW-Scottsdale, holds a sample of the parasol made for each state by New Orleans Branch

The general sessions were great as well. There was even a \$tart \$mart facilitator training as a pre-conference event and two showings of The Invisible War, the movie about sexual assault in the military. (That movie is available as a Program in a Box on the AAUW website.)

The panel discussion on **Equal Pay** was moderated by Linda Hallman, AAUW CEO. It was especially appropriate as this is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first equal pay bill that was signed by President John F. Kennedy. The panelists were Lisa Maatz, AAUW VP of government relations, **Lilly Ledbetter**, author and activist, and Keith T. Hill, head of the EEOC (Equal Employment Opportunity Commission)-New Orleans District office. The bill that is being lobbied by AAUW, the **Paycheck Fairness Act, would prohibit retaliation for sharing wage information.** The EEOC is the enforcement arm of pay fairness. The various district offices have speakers available to educate the public on the laws.

**Lilly Ledbetter** is in the process of turning her pay struggles into a movie. She says “you need to know your rights, or you don’t have any.” So our focus should be on education: Discrimination is against the law. AAUW is preparing an LAF website to help us learn more. It will be out in a few months.

One of Eleanor Roosevelt’s famous quotes is “*I’m here to comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable.*” She also said “*you must do the thing you think you cannot do.*”

**Robin Gerber**, author, lawyer, leadership expert, spoke on “*Leadership the Eleanor Roosevelt Way.*” Eleanor’s childhood was grim; she was sent, alone, to a boarding school in London when she was 14. Her three years there had a huge impact on her life. Among other things, it taught her to get past fear, and the head of the school was an excellent role model for the rest of Eleanor’s life. Ms. Gerber told us much about Eleanor-knowledge she gained through the research for her two books about Eleanor Roosevelt.

In 1939, Eleanor resigned her membership in the DAR, because they wouldn’t let Marian Anderson sing in their Washington concert hall. Ms. Anderson held her concert at the Lincoln Memorial. Eleanor didn’t attend as she didn’t want to be a distraction.

As a delegate to the first UN meeting in 1948, Eleanor chaired the committee that wrote the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which has a statement requiring equal pay for equal work, Article 23, paragraph 3. She also had a radio show called “Prospects for Mankind.” Her first interview was with **Martin Luther King**. In many ways Eleanor Roosevelt lived a life teaching tolerance, and at the same time was much derided by those who hated her and her husband, Franklin Delano Roosevelt. AAUW has a film Teaching

Tolerance available to member branches.

The **workshop on branch fundraising** focused on the legalities and the differences between 501(c)3 and 501(c)4 nonprofits. The IRS has been

looking closely at these organizations and how they handle their fund raising reporting. Branches should take a narrow view of “mission based” programs in order to remain in compliance with AAUW and the IRS.

**Remember that if funds are not given directly to a 501(c) 3, they are not tax exempt for the donor.** Look for a more complete article on this subject in a future newsletter.

Another interesting and valuable workshop was on programs. There was some discussion about **Programs in a Box (PIAB)** on the AAUW website. I recommend looking there for future branch activity ideas. There was also discussion about the (cont’d next page)

(cont'd) availability of free speakers from various sources: fellowship and grant recipients, LAF plaintiffs, EEOC offices, US attorney regional offices, and FBI to name a few. Some of the PIAB's need some advance planning. Particularly intriguing was "Speech Trek" – a speech competition for high school students.

**Prescott AAUW** will be working on gaining college and university partnerships with Yavapai College and Prescott College. The workshop on this topic was full of information about how to do this, the structure of the benefits on both sides of the partnership, and how to make it work for everybody. There are currently 850 partnerships, 73% at four-year colleges, the balance at two-year schools. These partnerships allow 4500 undergrads and 900 graduate students to have free membership in AAUW and to learn about what a wonderful organization we are.

**A**nd then there was the banquet! Of course that came at an additional cost, but it was an opportunity to get all dressed up in our finery. Opportunities are so rare in Prescott! The theme was a celebration of 125 years of fellowships and grants.

#### **The Eleanor Roosevelt Fund** award went to **Linda T. Alepin** of the Global Women's Leadership Network. This is an example of AAUW going international. Ms. Alepin is board chair and founder of GWLN, an NGO that offers a residential leadership program which brings together women from multiple sectors, including business, government, civil society organizations and academia. The end result is an international network of exceptional women, who are visionary leaders ready to transform their communities. Ms. Alepin is affiliated with Santa Clara University, and is a noted public speaker on leadership in the corporate arena.

**Olympia Snow**, recently retired from Congress, was honored with the **2013 AAUW Achievement Award**. She is only the fourth woman in history to be elected to both houses of Congress and the first woman in

American history to serve in both houses of a state legislature and both houses of Congress. She served on the Senate Finance Committee, the Senate Committee of



#### **Four from Arizona**

L: Jane Adrian, Incoming Pres-Elect AZ, Sara Wolters, former AZ Pres and now Prescott Recording Secty, Janet Larkin, Pres. Scottsdale, Harriet Young, Pres Flagstaff.

Small business and Entrepreneurship, and the Senate Intelligence Committee. She was instrumental in establishing the Office of Research on Women's Health

at the National Institute of Health while she was in the House of Representatives. Ms. Snow was a moderate who focused on building bipartisanship on key issues.

The **2013 AAUW Alumnae Recognition Award** went to **Melissa-Harris Perry**, who unfortunately, was unable to attend the event. We saw a short video by Ms. Harris-Perry thanking AAUW for the fellowship she received that allowed her to complete

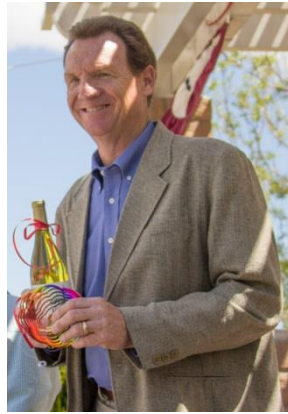
her doctorate degree while she wrote her first book, Barbershops, Bibles, and BET. Her second book, Sister Citizen was quite well received. Ms. Harris Perry is a news commentator on MSNBC and a professor of political science at Tulane University. She also writes a monthly column called "Sister Citizen" for The Nation magazine

Feel free to ask me questions. Thanks to the Prescott Branch for funding my registration to attend this event. It was well worth the time and expense.—Sara Wolters

*Other bits of information: AAUW has 165,000 members and supporters. There are 10 new branches. Five states are holding Tech Trek programs this summer: FL, OH, OK, TX and WA. Applications are available on July 1 for the two states that will be added in 2014. AAUW has joined the Clinton Global Initiative and the Clinton Global Initiative University with its research Crossing the Line. There were 700 attendees at NNCWSL in June 2013. The Voices Project, a 3-minute online video, helps with writing op-eds. Fourteen funds were completed this year. The newest research, Women in Community Colleges: Access to Success was released*



**Outstanding at the May General Meeting**



Congratulations to  
Lynne Murphy:  
winner of the Best  
Hat Award!

Thank you to Steve  
Walker, VP of College  
Advancement at Yavapai  
College, for his  
presentation on the new  
Southwest Wine Center.



**...and the June Summer Membership Social**



**AAUW Prescott June Calendar****NOTE: THIS CALENDAR WILL NOT BE UPDATED. CHECK THE WEBSITE GOOGLE CALENDAR FOR THE MOST CURRENT INFO.**Check your directory for phone numbers and email addresses and please **remember to RSVP!**

DAY	DATE	TIME	GROUP/MEETING	LOCATION	TOPIC	RSVP
Wed.	July 3	1:30pm	Book Group 1 <sup>st</sup> Wed. Afternoon	B.J. Forshee	Monday Mornings by Sanjay Gupta	B.J. Forshee
Thur.	July 4	TBA	Singles	TBA	Singles Annual Holiday Potluck	Jan Wickliffe
Tue.	July 9	10:00am	Books 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday Morning	Bump Room, PPL	China: member's choice of a book	Kathy Lopez
Wed.	July 10	11:30am	Lunch Bunch	El Gato Azul	316 W. Goodwin St., Prescott	RSVP to Kathryn Madden by July 7
Wed.	July 10	5:00pm	Movies	Annette Schiller	Movie to be selected by the hostess; bring a dish to share	Annette Schiller
Thur.	July 11	10:00am	Photography	Yavapai Title Co 1235 E. Gurley St, Prescott	Red as the predominant color	Calleah Neal
Thur.	July 11	1:30pm	Great Decisions 1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	Eileen Cotter	Iran and the US: Three Decades of Futility	Eileen Cotter
Fri.	July 12	8:00am	Couples' Geocaching	TBA	TBA	Sara DeRouche
Fri.	July 12	1:00pm	Ladies Duplicate Bridge 2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday Afternoon	Tamara Voss		Tamara Voss
Sun.	July 14	1:00pm	Singles	TBA	Salon	Alex Paeff
Mon.	July 15	1:30pm	Books 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday Afternoon	Elsa, PPL	In the Land of Invisible Women by Qanta Ahmed	Cathy Cunningham
Tue.	July 16	1:30pm	Travel	Bonnie Waterer	Planning meeting for 2013-2014 topics	Bonnie Waterer
Wed.	July 17	7:15am	Hiking	Thumb Butte parking spaces	Barb Rice and Laurel Shunk will lead the hike.	Laury Shayne or Carol Stafford by July 15
Fri.	July 19	1:30pm	Ladies Bridge 3rd Friday Afternoon	Marge Rubin		Marge Rubin
Fri.	July 19	5:30pm	Singles	TBA	Dining Out: dinner at a local restaurant	Sandra Bennett
Sun.	July 21	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 3rd Sunday Evening	Sandy Ozols		Sandy Ozols
Mon.	July 22	8:00am	Geocaching	TBA	TBA	Sara DeRouche
Wed.	July 24	10:00am	Books 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday Morning	TBA	The Oath_by John Lescroart	Joy Evans
Wed.	July 24	1:30pm	Great Decisions 4 <sup>th</sup> Wed. Afternoon	Deb Dillon	Iran and the US: Three Decades of Futility	Deb Dillon
Sun.	July 28	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 4th Sunday Evening	Sharon Groves		Sharon Groves

**AAUW Prescott August Calendar**

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DAY	DATE	TIME	GROUP/MEETING	LOCATION	TOPIC	RSVP
Thur.	Aug 1	1:30pm	Great Decisions 1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday Afternoon	Pat Fox	China in Africa: Savior or Self-interest?	Pat Fox
Fri.	Aug 2	1:00pm	Ladies Bridge 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday Afternoon	Sara Werner		Sara Werner
Wed.	Aug 7	1:00pm	Book Group 1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday Afternoon		Six Questions of Socrates by Christopher Phillips	Laurel Shunk
Thur.	Aug 8	10:00am	Photography	Yavapai Title Company 1235 E. Gurley St, Prescott	Transportation	Calleah Neal
Fri.	Aug 9	8:00am	Couples' Geocaching	TBA	TBA	Sara DeRouche
Fri.	Aug 9	1:00pm	Ladies Duplicate Bridge 2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday Afternoon	Susan Braverman		Susan Braverman
Sun.	Aug 11	1:00pm	Singles	TBA	Salon	Alex Paeff
Mon.	Aug 12	5:00pm	Movies	Becky Rusling	Movie to be selected by the hostess; bring a dish to share	Becky Rusling
Tue.	Aug 13	10:00am	Books 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday Morning	Bump Room, PPL	The Swerve: How the World Became Modern by Stephen Greenblatt	Kathy Lopez
Wed.	Aug 14	11:30am	Lunch Bunch	Gurley Street Grill,	230 W. Gurley St., Prescott	Kathryn Madden by Aug 11
Fri.	Aug 16	1:00pm	Ladies Bridge 3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday Afternoon	Mardy Taylor		Mardy Taylor
Fri.	Aug 16	6:00pm	Singles	TBA	Dining Out: Dinner at a local restaurant	Sandra Bennett
Sun.	Aug 18	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 3rd Sunday	Sharon Groves		Sharon Groves
Mon.	Aug 19	1:30pm	Books 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday Afternoon	Founder's Room B, PPL	The End of Your Life Book Club by Will Schwalbe	Cathy Cunningham
Tue.	Aug 20	10:00am	Crafts	Sara Wolters	Fabric tote	Sara Wolters
Wed.	Aug 21	7:15am	Hiking	Granite Dells area	Gail Shay will lead the hike. Meet at her house. Direction to follow.	Carol Stafford or Laury Shayne by Aug. 19
Sat.	Aug 24	5:30pm	Dining in All Directions	Barbara Kyte	Annual hors d'oeuvre party to plan the new year	Barbara Kyte
Sun.	Aug 25	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 4th Sunday	Ovita Franz		Ovita Franz
Mon.	Aug 26	8:00am	Geocaching	TBA	TBA	Sara DeRouche
Tue.	Aug 27	6 :00pm	Gardening	Sandra Hennigan	Summer Pot Luck Supper	Sandra Hennigan
Wed.	Aug 28	10:00am	Books 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday Morning	TBA	The Language of Flowers by Vanessa Diffenbaugh	Joy Evans
Wed.	Aug 28	1:30pm	Great Decisions 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday Afternoon	Stephanie Brown	China in Africa: Savior or Self-interest?	Stephanie Brown



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**Alphabet Soup—Acronyms in AAUW.**

**AAUW FUNDS**: a composite of 5 Funds supporting National AAUW programs and grants.

**LAF**-Legal Advocacy Funds. This fund has been absorbed by AAUW FUNDS.

**EF**-Educational Funds. This is the old name of funds now folded in to AAUW FUNDS.

**STEM** subjects: courses in **S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering and **M**ath.

**Sister-to-Sister** is a Community Action program with high school girls.

**Woman-To-Woman** is a Community Action program providing mentoring for non-traditional women students starting or returning to college at Yavapai College, Prescott Campus.

**MAM**--Mary Alice Moulton Childcare Assistance Fund—child care scholarship at Del E Webb Family Enrichment Center associated with Yavapai College. Mary Alice Moulton was president of our branch in 2001-2002

<http://www.yc.edu/v4content/family-enrichment-center/>

**AAUW Centennial Scholarship-Scholarship** for financial credit at Yavapai College, Prescott Campus, awarded to a woman student, focusing in the STEM fields of Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.

**ETS**: Educational Talent Search is a federally funded program whose mission is to mentor, teach and help students prepare for college. For more information: <http://www.yc.edu/v4content/educational-talent-search/>

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**If you missed it**, read the Jerry Jackson column in the Daily Courier 6/18/2013 “University Women reach for. touch the sky” Click on this link:

<http://dcourier.com/main.asp?Search=1&ArticleID=120312&SectionID=74&SubSectionID=114&S=1>

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