



## **AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN CLAYTON BRANCH AAUW November 2017 NEWSLETTER**

*Rosemary Harwood, Newsletter Editor*

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### **AAUW Holiday Party**

**Date:** Sunday, December 3, 2017

**Place:** Carol and John Wolfe's  
5650 Lewis Way  
Concord CA

**Time:** 5:00 - 8 PM



**Cost:** \$5 per person plus canned or packaged goods for the food pantry barrel

There will be a white elephant exchange. One gift per person, or one gift per couple. Your choice.

**RSVP by November 28<sup>th</sup>** to: Karen Hansen-Smith [khansensmith@yahoo.com](mailto:khansensmith@yahoo.com) or call/text 822-5280.

Tell us whether you will bring an appetizer or dessert, finger food is preferred.

All Clayton Branch AAUW members are encouraged to visit the [Interbranch Council Website](#) for more information about the IBC and the work of the [AAUW branches](#) that make up its membership.

## **AAUW CO-PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE**

### **Joyce Atkinson and Carol Gurrad, Co-Presidents**

Those of you who missed our October 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting, “**Speaking for Ourselves, A Panel of Your Muslim Neighbors**”, missed a great meeting. The panel was informative and entertaining, and the food was great! Many thanks to Karen Hansen-Smith and Carol Gurrad for arranging for this program! Everyone there not only learned a great deal, but had the opportunity to have questions answered and engage in conversation with the speakers and their friends.

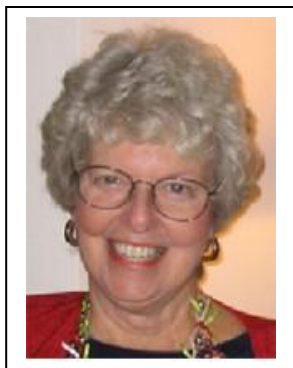
There will not be a general meeting in November. Thanksgiving gets in the way. However - our annual **Holiday Party** will be on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5:00 – 8:00. It is always a lot of fun.. Look for all the information elsewhere in this newsletter.

Susan Coulston and Lola Rohrs are busy planning for the **Funds Luncheon**. Once again we will be joining with the Concord Branch to hear an entertaining and informative speaker. Not sure of the date as yet; either February 17<sup>th</sup> or February 24<sup>th</sup>.

We will be accepting volunteers for the Nominating Committee at the January Meeting. We have two spots to fill.

Looking forward to seeing you, and a guest, on December 3<sup>rd</sup> at Carol Wolfe's.

Joyce Atkinson, Co-President



Roseann Krane, Webmaster, has reminded us that all members should check out the [Clayton AAUW Website](#). Let her know if there are items you think we should add.

NOTE: Roseann's email is : rkrane@gmail.com.

### Afternoon Book Group Fall Selections

The Book Group will meet at 2:30 pm at Priscilla's on:

Wednesday, **December 6th**, to discuss *The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane* by **Lisa See**.

Wednesday, **January 24<sup>th</sup>**, to discuss *The Bully Pulpit* by **Doris Kearns Goodwin**.



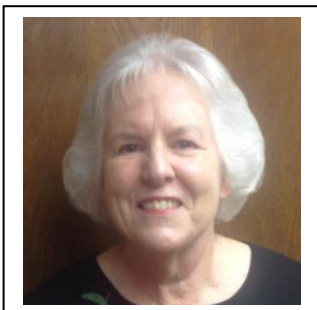
We always welcome new suggestions!

**Jill Day 672-0895 Jillday@pacbell.net**



Evening Bridge meets at 7:00 pm the second Wednesday in the month. No bridge in December.

Contact Mary Ann Hayes at 672-4391 for more details.



Saturday Night Bridge meets on the fourth Saturday at 7:00 pm.

For more information, contact Carol Wolfe at 672-1303.

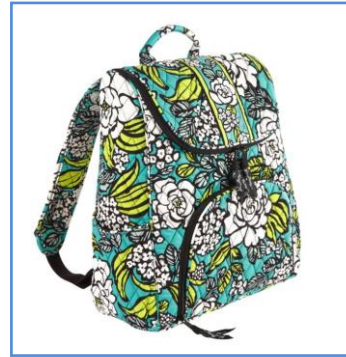


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Thanks  
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## FIELD TRIPS

Call Marge Hennigar if you are interested in any of the following day trips. She can best explain the cost and reservation policy for these different trips. The policy is, once you get Marge's e mail telling you what the cost is, you need to send your check immediately to make your reservation.

## DAY TRIPS

- Dec. 4 Sunday Nevada City (CA) Victorian Celebration, lunch at a Pottery factory, theater and, caroling. Detailed info in the works, Cost TBA

## EXTENDED TRIPS

Please contact Marge for all the details if you are interested in any of these trips:

- **November 16 - Clayton Historical Museum and Black Diamond Mine, Antioch. Cost \$15 ( tours). Lunch OYO La Veranda, Clayton. We will form carpools from Clayton to the Black Diamond Mine Park in Antioch. Contact Adela immediately to participate.**
- New Year's in Nashville Dec. 30, 2017- Jan. 3, 2018 - Talbot Tours
- Reno Snow Trip Feb. 25. - 27 2018
- Washington DC Focus on Experiencing our Nation's Capital APRIL 2018 Dates still in the works... Call Marge right away if you think you might be interested in this one.

**Call Margaret Bradford, not Marge, on this trip only... 925-798-8748 more information**

Tour information: [www.get.com/thi17](http://www.get.com/thi17)  
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