



## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN CLAYTON BRANCH AAUW November 2018 NEWSLETTER

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### AAUW Holiday Party

**Date:** Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

**Place:** Diana & Ray Bauer's  
250 Roundhill Pl  
Clayton, CA 94517



**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 27<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**  
**Diana Bauer & Joan Chesterman, Co-Presidents**

Here it is November already. October was busy with most of us working on the Clayton Library Book Sale. I understand it was very successful.

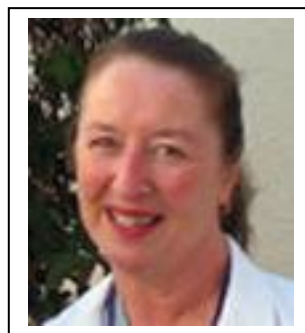
AAUW is becoming a large voice in the national Equal Pay issue. There will be more on this topic further in the Newsletter.

November is a time for all members to think about volunteering to be on the Nomination Committee for board positions for next year. Our branch is only as strong as our members want it to be. So, volunteer or when asked please agree to serve on this committee.

Even though our October general meeting was actually held in September the branch continues to be busy. Luz Argyriou is already working on Tech Trek, Karen Hansen-Smith is busy getting programs lined up for the year, Jeanne Boyd and Carol Herrington are working with the Concord Branch to plan the Fund Luncheon in February.

We all have so much to be thankful for, so have a joyous Thanksgiving.

Diana Bauer and Joan Chesterman co-Presidents



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.

# Destination Wildlife

## Travel Adventures by Jayant Kanitkar



**Galapagos Islands**



**Serengeti**



**Costa Rica**

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## Clayton Library, Hoyer Hall

### Monday, December 3, 7 pm

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Program is co-sponsored by Clayton Branch, AAUW



Clayton Community Library, 6125 Clayton Rd. Clayton, CA 94517. (925) 673-0659

# MISSION & ACTION

AAUW's newsletter



Help us mobilize a million women to narrow the gender pay gap.

[Work Smart](#) has launched – Now Help Us Mobilize a Million.

Last week, AAUW launched a free, online version of its Work Smart course, which teaches women how to negotiate for higher salaries and become better leaders and communicators. We're now asking all AAUW members to take the one-hour curriculum — and then ask 20 women in your life to do the same. With your help, we can reach the goal of our “Members Mobilize a Million” campaign. We hope to train 10 million women in salary negotiations by 2022 to help achieve pay equity by 2030.

Click on the Work Smart link to access.

## Afternoon Book Group Fall Selections

The Book Group will meet on Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm at Priscilla's to discuss

***Grant*** by Ron Chernow.

### New Selections:

January 23<sup>rd</sup> – ***Unsheltered*** by Barbara Kingsolver.

February 27<sup>th</sup> – ***Fly Girls*** by Keith O'Brien.

March 27<sup>th</sup> – ***Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine*** by Gail Honeyman.

April 24<sup>th</sup> – ***Bad Blood*** by John Carreyrou

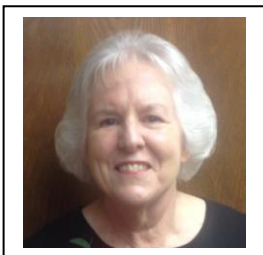
May 22<sup>nd</sup> – ***The Innocents Abroad*** by Mark Twain.

**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.**



## DAY TRIPS 2018

Call or email contact persons listed with the trip for more information.

- **November 14, 2018 - Lodi Sandhill Cranes in Lodi:**  
Ranger-led tour of Woodbridge Ecological Reserve to learn about unique wintering waterfowl - Rain or shine! Lunch and wine tasting will be at the Dancing Fox, time and cost TBA. Margaret Bradford is our contact. (925) 451-8558 or email [healthystepshiking@gmail.com](mailto:healthystepshiking@gmail.com) to get your name on the list.
- **December 8, 2018 - Scottish Revels Christmas Show (Oakland):** A performance of singing and dancing in Oakland. Cost \$105 which includes coach pick up from Sun Valley Mall, lunch at Lake Chalet, 1:00pm performance, return around 4:30. Joan Falligant is our contact person. Call (925) 634-4821 or email [joanfalligant@gmail.com](mailto:joanfalligant@gmail.com) to get your name on the list.

Have trip ideas? Contact Yvonne Moss to set it up!  
[Mossyvonne52@gmail.com](mailto:Mossyvonne52@gmail.com).

