



THE HOT SHEET

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2016 Scholarship Award Luncheon



Saturday November 12, 2016
Desoto Club
Desoto Blvd. Hot Springs Village
10:30AM

Come meet our 2016 recipients and hear their fantastic stories. You are encouraged to bring friends to this event as well, including prospective members.

Social time and centerpiece viewing begin at 10:30 with lunch served at 11:30. Center piece drawings after lunch.

Cost: \$21.00

Check payable to AAUW and mailed to Pam Burns, 19 El Espinar Lane, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909.

AAUW Website: www.hshsv-ar.aauw.net

ACADEMIC ANGELS SOAR TO EXCELLENCE



The **Academic Angel Launch** was a rousing success on Thursday, Oct 27. Over 90 guests filled the De Soto Club. The **Fountain Lake Jazz Ensemble** entertained, food and wine were enjoyed by all and the auction bidding was spirited under the urging of our auctioneer, **Steve Thacker**. **Sara Brown**, Development Director at NPC and **Rebecca Echols**, a scholarship recipient this year, spoke to the audience about the importance of scholarship support for women students and the amazing history of AAUW's participation. **Velma and John Coolidge** were recognized for their vision in starting the book sale to support the scholarship program so many years ago.

A round of applause and our heartfelt thanks to everyone who contributed to the **Academic Angel Fund**, who worked on the "Launch", who attended the event, who donated auction items or purchased them. We send a special thanks to all of you who have made your own gifts directly to the AAUW scholarship fund at NPC. Your generosity exceeded all of our hopes. Together we are making it happen!

None of this would have been possible without our dedicated committee members. **Kim Townsan and Myra Sanders** were the Launch event chairs. **Mary Jane Attwood** was auction chair and **Karen Vinyard**, the business solicitation chair. Many others have helped as well. **Brenda Sellers** arranged for the Fountain Lake Jazz Group. **Becky Gifford** produced mailing labels. **Diana Reeves** wrote two of our newspaper articles. **Pat Ormsbee, Joyce Anderson, Tish Fisher, Paula Alan, Pam Burns and Diana Reeves** volunteered at the event. I am sure that there are many other unsung Angels who pitched in as well. Our thanks to you all.

We also give a heartfelt thanks to **Sara Brown and her staff** in the Development Office of the National Park College Foundation. They worked closely with us in designing our materials, creating our logo and tag line (“Soaring to Excellence”), designing our information piece and the contribution envelope. They managed the accounting and reporting to us of gifts to the Fund. At the Launch, they were present to process credit card purchases.

We will provide a precise accounting of funds raised as soon as all the expenses have been paid.

If you have not yet contributed to the Academic Angel Fund we hope that you will consider a tax deductible year end gift. It is never too late! There is also still time to send our “Friends” letter to your family members or friends who would like to support the scholarships. Call me (Barbara Mulley, 922- 6079) if you would like a supply of the letters and contribution envelopes to use.

If you have comments or suggestions for next year, we invite you to send them to Myra Sanders so that they can be included in the planning of our next campaign.

Now it is time to enjoy the Scholarship Luncheon when we celebrate the women, our scholarship recipients, who benefit from all that we are privileged to do.

Thanks so much to all of you!

Barbara Mulley, co- chair
Paula Mathews, co-chair



In **principle** and **practice**, AAUW values and seeks a **diverse** membership. There shall be **no barriers** to **full participation** in the organization on the basis of gender, race, creed, age, sexual orientation, national origin or disability.

“Diversity doesn’t mean black and white only.” Henry Louis Gates

“Our cultural diversity has most certainly shaped our national character.” Julie Bishop

Always use the AAUW website for more information on activities, members, and more.



TREASURER'S REPORT

Pam Burns, Treasurer

Don't forget to check out the branch treasurer's report on our web page. Go to <http://hshsv-ar.aauw.net/>, click on the **Member's Only** heading, type in the password hotsheet, scroll to Treasurer's report and click. The general account is reported monthly.

Please note that the **Member's Only** heading will also have the membership roster with member's names, phone numbers, and email addresses.

Big thanks to Paula Mathews for taking over the management of our Twitter account. Thanks also to [Ronnie Zuege](#) for maintaining our web site and [Paula Alan](#) for maintaining our branch Facebook page. If you have not seen the HS/HSV Facebook page, go to <https://www.facebook.com/aauwhshsv>.

New Member..... Welcome to:

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Jane is also the College/University Representative for NPC and national AAUW.



Ready or not..... it will happen here.....

ON YOUR ADVANCE 2017 CALENDAR

AAUW State Convention
April 28-29, 2017
DeSoto Club
Hot Springs Village

More information to follow in January Hot Sheet!!



The October meeting held in Hot Springs featured guest speaker, Ann Workman, who enlightened those in attendance as to the inner workings of the selection of films presented at the Hot Springs Documentary Film Festival. Ann is one of 30 reviewers. While not all reviewers review all films, there were 1,245 submissions for this year's festival.

Those who attended any of the days were not disappointed. Here's to next year!!!