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A Word from the President



As we come into the season of goblins, ghosts, and pumpkins, I know that most of you are as glad to see the fall coming as I am. It brings hopes for cooler weather and beautiful colors, among other things.



Along with this new season comes a new challenge for our branch of AAUW. This year, after more than two decades of successful book sales, we have decided (for numerous reasons) to pursue another type of fundraiser. No one in our branch had attempted this for many years. It has indeed been a challenge. Frankly, we didn't know where to begin. So we had a board meeting, made some decisions, and dove in. But part of that challenge has already been met by you. As of September 16th, your donations alone amount to **\$4,600**, with only about 20 percent of the membership having made their contributions so far. I know that there are others who, like myself, have plans to contribute.

Watch for our announcements in the Village Voice and on KVRE, our local radio station, about our "Academic Angels Launch" to be held on **Thursday October 27** at the Desoto Club. It will be from 5:30-8:30 p.m. Ticket prices are \$35 which includes **appetizers, wine, beer, and soft**

drinks. We will have a **live auction and a silent auction.** Please make plans to attend and bring as many friends as you can.

Many of you have been gracious enough to donate services, gift certificates, and other goods for the auctions. Some have volunteered to work the event. All of this is greatly appreciated; however, we are still in need of **more members** to help with various jobs that night. Please call or email me, Kim Townson, Barb Mulley, or Paula Matthews if you are able to help. (See contact info next page, please.)

To order tickets to this event you need to mail your check or money order made out to AAUW to Kim Townsan, #9 Brilliante Way, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909. Your name will be placed on the expected GUEST LIST which will be at the event. Please Note: No tickets will be mailed out.

I especially want to thank Barb Mulley, Paula Mathews, Kim Townsan, Karen Vinyard, Mary Jane Attwood, Carol Freeland, Becky Gifford and Sara Brown for all the hard work they have put into this project. We hope to see many



launched on October 27th and look forward to seeing all of you there.

Here's hoping this month will produce an abundance of academic angels, cooler fall days, and a spooky Halloween! After all, as my brother once told me, **"A Vampire can't be all bad if he has chocolate on his fangs!"**

Myra Sanders

Fund Raiser Contacts

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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.

"We all should know that diversity makes for a rich tapestry, and we must understand that all the threads of the tapestry are equal in value no matter what their color." Maya Angelou

"We have become not a melting pot but a beautiful mosaic. Different people, different beliefs, different yearnings, different hopes, different dreams." President Jimmy Carter



Annual Scholarship Award Luncheon

Saturday November 12, 2016

Desoto Club Social~Luncheon~Awards 10:30AM

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

*This **affair** will be held at the Desoto Club, located on Desoto Blvd. in Hot Springs Village. (Use the west gate entrance if coming from Hot Springs.)*

***Social time** and centerpiece **viewing** begin at **10:30** with lunch served at 11:30.*

***Cost:** \$21.00*

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

*Please email your **RSVP reservation intentions** to Sue Luerssen at sluerssen3@gmail.com.*

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

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



Centerpieces

I am still waiting to hear from more AAUW'ers who are available and interested in *making a centerpiece for the Scholarship Luncheon*. At our first year (last year), we raised, through \$1 chance ticket sales, \$400 for our scholarship fund. We'd like to have 10 centerpieces for this year. Email me at cfreeland@actsplus.com for the details. I promise, you'll enjoy the process and you'll be making a contribution to the scholarship fund. Thanks, Carol Freeland



TREASURER'S REPORT & Other Important Information

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.

The Photo Directory will also be found

under **Member's Only** and will have photos, addresses, and more information about each member. Please thank **Becky Gifford** for updating the directory this summer.

Thanks also to **Ronnie Zuege** for maintaining our web page 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>.

OCTOBER MEETING

If you call **Mary Jane Attwood** as soon as you read this, you can still get a reservation for our meeting on **Wednesday October 12 at 11:00**.

Mary Jane.....352-4757

You won't want to miss a delicious lunch at **Vina Morita** in Hot Springs and our speaker, **Ann Workman**, Chair of the Hot Springs Documentary Film Festival's Screening Committee.

After you call MJ, send her your check for **\$18.00** to 7 Campana Lane, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909.

Did I mention there will be a drawing for a day pass to the Film Festival? I didn't? Well, there will be. Must be present to win.