



THE HOT SHEET

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Your Executive Committee is:

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and Joyce Hayek

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Membership Directory:

Meg Koziar

Becky Elliott

BOOK SALE

In preparation for the annual book sale in the fall, **SORTING** needs to be done.....now. ☺

Here's the schedule on that:

September 2, 9, 18, 26(Fri) 30

Start time: 8:30 am

Finish: When done

Location: Unitarian Universalist
Church

Days: All dates are Tuesday unless
otherwise noted.

**The book sale will be on October 3
and 4 with set up on the 2nd.**



Diversity Statement

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.

Looking Ahead-Schedule

September 17 Welcome Back Brunch
Ginna Watson, Speaker

October 2-4 Book Set Up & Sale
15 Documentary Film
Festival & Meeting

November 15 Scholarship Luncheon

January 31 Second Chance Book
Sale

February 10 Lobby Day 2015
19 Diversity Program &
Meeting

April 15 Branch Annual Meeting

May 20 Annual Social

Information about these events will
appear in the monthly *Hot Sheet*.



Letter from Pam Burns

Welcome back to another year as our branch continues to advance equity for women and girls! Over the summer the board and committees have been busy planning and organizing our **92nd** year. Several members deserve special recognition for all

they have done this summer.

Book Sale Chairs Mary Jane Attwood and Marjorie Griffith have done an incredible job organizing and recruiting volunteers for the Oct. sale. Mary Jane is constantly on the road taking leftover donated books to prisons, the Gideons, and libraries. Marjorie gets things done in her calm way. She and Mary Jane arrive an hour early for sorting to set up for the day. Both of these ladies deserve a big heartfelt **THANKS**.

Co-VP of Programs, Marge Collin and Rita Davis have also been working this summer to present programs that will connect us with the AAUW mission. Our Welcome Back Brunch on September 17 will feature Ginna Watson, Chair of Garland County Election Commission. Ginna will provide information about the initiatives on the state November ballot.

One of the board's membership goals this year is to **REACH OUT** to our members. We can all do this by trying a new interest group, participating in fund raisers, sitting next to someone you don't already know at meetings, offering a ride to someone who needs one, and contacting the **Sunshine Committee** (Nancy Alkov and Joyce Hayek) when a member needs support.

Let's **REACH OUT** and work together to make this a **GREAT YEAR!**



??? Donations ???

We'll be doing **Fabulous Raffle Baskets** again this year as part of our Book Sale in October. Raffle tickets will be 5 for \$6. At our September meeting, Myra Sanders will be giving us all tickets to sell But wait..there's more! Myra could use help putting together the 3 baskets: **wine**, **spa** and **books**. The book basket will include an e-reader, but if you have a newer **book** to donate, that would be appreciated. How about donating a favorite bottle of **wine**. The **Spa** basket already has a hairstyle/facial/manicure, an hour massage. It needs a collection of oils, lotions etc. If you can help with any of this, please contact Myra at 226-5106.



Membership

As of September, we have **96** members in the HS/HSV branch. We

are always seeking more. Who do you know?



And Speaking of

A reminder from our Treasurer, Meg Koziar, that only \$7.00 of our annual membership dues (\$64) remains with our local branch. We accomplish a lot with that money, don't you think!



Scholarships

At our recent board meeting, Sue Luerssen, reported that we provided scholarships for **11** regular students and **5** transfers. A total of **\$25,200** was given to these young women who are pursuing advanced education. To reach this many women, Sue and her committee conducted 43 interviews. Thanks for that outstanding contribution to Sue and committee.

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