

# ***the Shareline***

**AAUW - HAYWARD/CASTRO VALLEY**

**JUNE 2013**

## **MEMBERSHIP DUES . . .**

### **WHAT'S GOING**

#### **ON**

- June 11  
Board Meeting
- June 15  
Meet the Author
- LWV Annual  
Meeting
- July 27  
Leadership Training  
for Branch Leaders
- July 28  
Fashion Show for  
Local Scholarships

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DETAILS***

I am pleased to announce that I have received 40 renewals from our branch of 147 members. I really do prefer that you try the method described below, but if the computer is difficult, paper checks sent to me do just as well. Send them made out to AAUW to 22112 Queen Street, Castro Valley, CA 94546.

If you are a regular member of the branch the dues are \$80 and if you are a dual member, it only costs \$15. Those of you who are 50 year life members, I ask that you send in \$15 to cover the cost of sending you the Shareline.

Thanks in advance for your renewing your membership in this incredibly important organization both on the local, state and national levels. We are really important to the equity of women and girls nationwide.

## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

It is with great enthusiasm that I once again accept the reigns of this Hayward/Castro Valley AAUW. I take great pleasure in doing what I can to make this branch run smoothly. I find that I am not the one to decide on the best programs for all of us, so on August 1<sup>st</sup> we will have a planning meeting to decide on the budget and future programs. We need all of your input as to what programs you would like us to include in this coming year. All you need to do is send me an email and let me know your ideas so that we might bring them up at the meeting.

## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE – continued**

In early June Helene Carr, Linda Myers and I will be heading for New Orleans. The National AAUW Convention will begin on the 9<sup>th</sup> and we are all anticipating great workshops, speakers and meetings.



### *PLUS:*

President's Message

Branch News

Membership  
& Renewal Time

New Website

Because I am on the National Legacy Circle Committee there will be additional events and meetings to attend. Helene and I have been invited to a reception at Newcomb College where Legacy Circle will be more fully explained. Our branch has 9 members who are in the Legacy Circle either by forming their own Fellowship, Research and Projects Grant, donating money thru their will, or starting a Charitable Remainder Trust and then getting a percentage back until they die. This gives AAUW the ability to continue all of its great work for generations to come.

In the next Shareline, which will come out late in August, I will give you a report on the National Convention. Your generosity has made my going to this convention possible. Thank you for all your support.

Liz

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### **We're on the Web:**

Branch

[www.hcv-  
ca.aauw.net](http://www.hcv-ca.aauw.net)

State

[www.aauw-  
ca.org](http://www.aauw-ca.org)

National

[www.aauw.org](http://www.aauw.org)

### **BOARD MEETING**

**June 11<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm**

**At Liz Bathgate's home**

**581-0461**

# **LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS ANNUAL MEETING**

**Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>  
10:30 a.m.**

**LEAGUE TO ELECT OFFICERS AND SELECT ISSUES  
FOR EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY**

**Congressman Eric Swalwell is Featured Speaker**

**“Getting Dark Money Out of Politics, Education Financing Pre-school to High School, The Affordable Care Act, and the Impending State Water Crisis” are some of the issues on which the state and local leagues will be educating and advocating in 2013-14.**

**The local League will also be electing officers and directors for 2013-14 and voting on the proposed budget that will fund next year’s activities.**

**Immediately following the League business meeting, there will be a Town Hall meeting featuring newly elected Congressman Eric Swalwell, sponsored by the Castro Valley Library. The League will be taking written questions for the congressman.**

**Registration and breakfast for the League Annual Meeting will be on June 15 (Saturday) at 10:30 a.m. The Town Hall will be held from noon to 1p.m.**

**The event will be held at the Castro Valley Library, 3600 Norbridge Ave. and is open to the public.**

There is no charge for either the League business meeting or the Town Hall. Those who attend the League business meeting are asked to RSVP to Suzanne at 510-538-9678 or email to [lwvea@aol.com](mailto:lwvea@aol.com)

## **BRANCH NEWS**

**Liz Bathgate received two of these certificates yesterday in the mail. We are the first place branch nationwide for AAUW Educational Opportunities Fund and in combined Support of AAUW Programmatic Areas. Not bad for a small branch of 140+ members. It will be fun to see what they do at National if they announce it in any way.**

**Thanks for all your support this past year and in the year to come.**

## **SUMMER LEADERSHIP TRAINING**

**For Branch Leaders (not just Presidents)**

**Saturday, July 27**

**Heritage Presbyterian Church, Benicia**

**Exact time and cost will be sent, as details are available**

**CCC IBC members decided to have a salad potluck lunch to minimize cost**

Please pass this information along to other members of your branch leadership team.

**We can plan to carpool and then see a bit of Benicia before we head back. It is a really neat town and great fun to visit.**

**If you are able to come to the training, let me know so that when the final information comes out I can send the it on to you.**

**If this is not convenient for a leader in your branch, there are other leadership trainings scheduled. Petaluma's training is June 1, Turlock's is June 9, Capitol County is July 13 and Morgan Hill's is also July 27.**

**Some information about training dates and locations is already posted on the state website - visit Branch Support then Leadership Training. This gets updated as information becomes available.**

## **NEW WEBSITE**

We have collaborated with our national AAUW on setting up a more user friendly website for our branch. Please take some time to go to this site and look it over.

We are open to comments about what you would like to have in this site. The new site is hcv-ca.aauw.net. We would like to add pictures to the site, so if you have taken any at AAUW events, please let Linda Slater know so she can get them put up on the website. Linda Slater and Jackie Wilferd are working with Megan at national to get this done properly.



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**Afternoon Tea & Fashion Show**  
**Sunday, July 28th at 4 PM**

San Lorenzo Homes Association Hall  
377 Pasco Grande San Lorenzo, CA



Donation \$23.00 (\$20 for scholarship & \$3 to defray costs)

Reservations Required - Send RSVP with donation to:



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