



REDDING REFLECTIONS

President
Noella

AAUW REDDING BRANCH, Inc. (www.aauwredding.org)
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Lori McNeill
Executive Director of Girls, Inc.

January 19, 2019 11:00 AM - Redding Library
Join us for our first meeting of the New Year!

Lori McNeill is the Executive Director of Girls Inc. of the Northern Sacramento Valley and she will share information about this organization at the meeting. She also serves our community as a member of the Society of Women Engineers and board member of the Shasta chapter of the California State Foster Parent Association.

Lori holds degrees in Materials Engineering and Management. Her career has run the gamut from developing materials for space vehicle applications to helping Fortune 500 companies understand and optimize their investment in the digital world. Lori is passionate about STEM educational outreach and using her data analytics skills to address issues in her community. She is the founder of the Civic Hacker Network and the Civic Hacker Summit, a community and virtual conference that celebrates people using data and technology for civic and social good.

Menu: 1/2 Manhattan Deli Breakfast Bagel sandwich with egg, cheese & turkey bacon on choice of sour dough, Asiago or cinnamon raisin bagels. Served with fresh fruit salad, tortilla chips, guacamole, nuts, chocolates, cookies, decaf coffee, fruit juice or hot tea. **Reservations: \$10 due by January 16th, \$20 with late reservation** or paying at the door. Make check payable to AAUW and mail to Tammy. Reservations may also be made on line at AAUWredding.org. Choose Option #1, \$10, or #6 for vegetarian.

For information on becoming an AAUW member
and joining us at program meetings, go to www.aauwredding.org

President's Message



Dear AAUW Members:

It gives me great pleasure to wish each and every one of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year. May 2019 enrich you with peace, joy, love and happiness. My hope for AAUW Members is that we will continue to collaborate and work together as a team. Let us not forget that as a TEAM we will achieve our collective mission.

T = Together
E = Everyone
A = Achieves
M = More

The Redding AAUW Branch ended 2018 with our Monthly Meeting held on December 2nd. The meeting was a celebration of the Holiday Season. The Social Committee hosted an afternoon Holiday Tea. The tables were decorated by individuals and were characterized by festive holiday themes. Members were entertained by *Una Voce* under the direction of Nancy Dutton-Hill. Our guest speaker, Kathleen Cowling, encouraged us to be committed to physical and mental fitness. Community Outreach, under the leadership of Jann, collected coats and gently used clothes that were donated to the Good News Rescue Mission.

Now that we have experienced rest and relaxation with family and friends it is time to move forward into 2019. Hopefully, the challenges we face collectively will make us stronger. Happy New Year 2019.

Sincerely,
Noella
AAUW Redding Branch, Inc.
2018-2019 President

PAST PRESIDENTS

DATE: TUESDAY JANUARY 15, 2019
LOCATION: COUNTRY KITCHEN
1099 HILLTOP DR.
(530) 223-5438
TIME: 11:30 AM
RSVP: DARLENE and BEATRICE

NEW MEMBERS/CHANGE INFORMATION

Carol
College/University: CSUN State: CA
Highest Degree: BA Year: 1972
Major: Art History

2018-2019 BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

January 28, 2019
February 25, 2019
March 25, 2019
April 22, 2019
May 20, 2019
June / Board to Board / Not Yet Scheduled

2018-2019 MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE

January 19, 2019
February 21, 2019
March 14, 2019
April 11, 2019
May 4, 2019
June 6, 2019

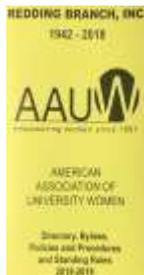
2018-2019 Redding Branch, Inc. Membership Directory

By now all AAUW Redding Branch, Inc. members should have received their new Membership Directory. I sincerely hope that members are pleased with the quality and accuracy of this Directory. Cheryl deserves recognition for the hours she spent learning a new system. As with anything new, there was a "high learning curve." Our deepest gratitude to Cheryl as well as her team: Tammy, Martha and Noella. We served as the proof readers and consultants.

Please let Cheryl know immediately if you notice any typos or changes that need to be made.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Noella



2019-2020 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee was elected at the December 2, 2018 Monthly Meeting.

Pat, Immediate Past President, Chair
Debbie, Past President (appointed)
Adrienne (elected)
Gail (elected)
Margaret (elected)

2018 HOME TOUR COMMITTEE REPORT

The 2018 Home Tour Committee held its final Committee meeting this year on November 28, 2018. The Committee met at Marie Callender's. Each Committee Chair gave her final report. The minutes will be sent to the entire Branch. Our net profit was \$15,000. \$7,500 will go to Redding Branch Scholarships. \$7,500 will go to the Educational Fellowship Fund. Job well done, ladies. Thank you. 2018 Home Tour Chair, Noella

Another Successful Home Tour

Today members of the 2018 Home Tour Committee met for our wrap up review. We had a lovely lunch hosted by this year's Home Tour Chair, Noella. We were able to visit and celebrate our combined efforts, making this, our 48th Annual Home Tour And Art Show, yet another wonderful success.

Under Noella's leadership, the committee worked smoothly and effortlessly. All are to be thanked for the part they played.

As your President-Elect, I have asked Noella if she would be willing to be the Home Tour Chair again next year. True to form, she said yes, she would love to take the reins once again! I am delighted that she accepted and know that, with the continued support of all of you, our next year's Home Tour will again be under capable leadership.

Let's all give Noella our thanks, and of course continued support, as her committee begins their work for next year's 49th Annual Home Tour and Art Show 2019!

Tara



Women's March 2019

January 19, 2019 is the date for the next Women's March. In Redding, it will meet at the Redding City Hall at 10:00 on Saturday the 19th. There will be 20 minutes of speakers and then a march up Cypress to Hartnell and back to City Hall. The theme this year is : "RESPECT; for all people and nations; for our earth; for our children's future; for the four legged finned and winged ones with whom we walk ; and for our place in the world." from the Redding Women's March page on actionnetwork.org. (To find this page look up Women's March – sister marches-- and put in our zip code.) In Sacramento, there will be a march to the Capitol Building starting at 10:00.

Our branch meeting is that morning at 11:00 at the library. If you are going to the branch meeting, you might want to stop by City Hall on the way to the library for the rally.

Carolyn, Public Policy Chair

EF News for January

Hope everyone had a great holiday season. Now is the time to think about our EF Honoree. This should be an AAUW member who supports education for women within AAUW and outside of the organization. This could be teaching classes, supporting programs that encourage education, or raising money for these programs.

Application is included with this newsletter. Please complete and send to Betty by January 20, 2018.



International Travel Section (ITS)

Hey, would you like to experience a little “April in Paris” in the middle of winter on January 23rd, 2019? I am always in the mood for Spring – and Paris – ooh, la la! Come to Karline’s Restaurant and Bar on Wednesday, January 23rd, at 5:30 PM to spend a month in Paris through Claudia’s photos and stories. Mmm! I can taste the espresso and crepes and feel a gentle spring breeze at a sidewalk café already! Let’s try to fill that back room again. Remember friends and family are welcome. Please make your reservation to me by Monday, January 21st.

Have a wonderful holiday season until then! See you next year!

Adrienne, IIS Chair

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DRAMA SECTIONS



Drama Divas--Happy New Year!

Open to all AAUW members, Drama Divas will resume play reading on the second Wednesday of January 2019. Questions about joining: contact Tammy. In December we read the play: Mrs. Lincoln by Thomas Cullinan. January will find us reading **Come Blow Your Horn**, a comedy and first play written by **Neil Simon**.

Daytime: 1/9/19, 11 a.m., Round Table Pizza, Mt. Shasta Mall
RSVP to Cheryl

Evening Drama: 1/9/19, 6 p.m. (moved to 2nd Wed. for January only.)
Judy

Dessert: Judy
Wines: Rita
Nuts: Janel



SCRABBLE!

Scrabble-We will be meeting in the banquet room of Los Gordos Restaurant at the corner of Pine and Tehama at 1PM on Friday the 25th of January. Come early if you would like to eat there. They have great carnitas street tacos and horchata. That is my recommendation. Shoot Debbie an email if you can make it.



NEW YEAR'S WINE TASTING – Thursday, January 24th, 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM. We'll kick off the New Year at the Grape Escape's new location on 824 Pine Street at the corner of South and Pine. Try a flight of 3 for \$10.00 or enjoy a glass of your favorite wine. Delicious appetizers are available to purchase from the Grape. Hope to see you there! Please RSVP to Dawn.

Dawn

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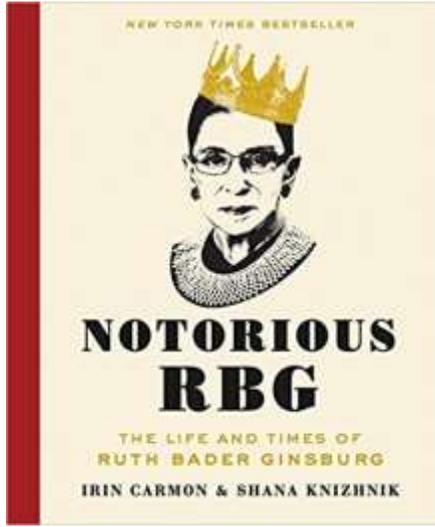
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January Book Sections



Notorious RBG

By Irin Carmon & Shana Kniznik

Notorious RBG, inspired by the Tumblr that amused the Justice herself and brought to you by its founder and an award-winning feminist journalist, is more than just a love letter. It draws on intimate access to Ginsburg's family members, close friends, colleagues, and clerks, as well an interview with the Justice herself. An original hybrid reported narrative, annotated dissents, rare archival photos and documents, and illustrations, The book tells a never-before-told story of an unusual and transformative woman who transcends generational divides.

Two additional books that contain a lot of interesting information on Ruth Bader Ginsburg are: *My Own Words* by RBG, a selection of writings and speeches and *Sisters in Law: How Sandra Day O'Connor and Ruth Bader Ginsburg went to the Supreme Court and changed the world.*

January 15 at 2:00 pm

January 16 at 7:00 pm

Leader and Hostess: Gail

AAUW REDDING BRANCH, INC EDUCATIONAL FELLOWSHIP HONOREE

Each year our Redding Branch raises funds to provide fellowships at the national level. We apply funds to our branch 60th Anniversary Endowment to be distributed through AAUW Educational Fellowships honoring the name of one branch member. This is called our "EF Gift Honoree." Please consider using the form below to nominate that "special" branch member whose contributions to AAUW goals and ideals would make her a candidate for this great honor.

Nominations are due by January 20, 2019.

Nominee _____

1. Branch EF experience of nominee

2. Has nominee actively participated in Branch for three years or more?

Yes _____ No _____

3. Has nominee been a leader in the branch serving in elected positions and chairing committees? Has the member contributed in a variety of ways? What positions has the nominee held?

4. Has the nominee been active contributing at a community level?

5. How does the nominee represent and exemplify the ideals of AAUW as defined in our mission statement and the AAUW Image statement?

Submitted by _____

Mail form to EF Honoree Committee % Betty

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AAUW advances equity for women and girls through
advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.

AAUW Educational Foundation—the world's largest source of funding exclusively for graduate women—
supports aspiring scholars around the globe, teachers, and activists in local communities, women at critical
stages of their careers and those pursuing professions where women are underrepresented.

The Foundation Funds:

- Groundbreaking Research
- Vital Community Action Projects
- Symposia, Roundtables, and Forums
- Fellowships and Grants
- Special Awards
- AAUW Legal Advocacy Fund

AAUW is California's most active and diverse organization for women offering:
Action for Equity
Personal and Professional Growth
Community Leadership
Friendships

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

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