

## TUESDAY JUNE 11

### IN~OUT BOARD MEETING preceded by a potluck lunch

12 noon ~ 3:30 pm  
Orinda Community Church  
Fellowship Hall

for all members of the current  
and incoming Board of Directors

*This will be the final Board meeting of the 2018/19 year.*

The current and new Board of Directors will finalize this year and begin planning for the next year. We will discuss preliminary budget planning, conduct a high-level discussion about programs and address other goals the board would like to accomplish next year.

All members are welcome; we would love your ideas and input. The meeting will be a potluck salad lunch and meeting. Details will sent to the Board of Directors via email.



Incoming Executive Board (l to r) Marilyn Evans, Linda Bochte, Lynda Leonard, Peggy Cabaniss, Denise Burian, Judy Helder (installer), Alison MacKenzie, Marielle Boertz, Marie Bonilla and Gail Chesler.

### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT



#### Peggy Cabaniss Appointed to National AAUW Board of Directors

I am thrilled to announce that Peggy Cabaniss, our Finance V.P. and long time member, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of AAUW National effective June 1, 2019 for a two year term. This is an extremely important national position. Besides being a great honor, her appointment is a testament to Peggy's immense skills in the areas of fiduciary knowledge and responsibility, leadership, and vision for the organization.

The AAUW National Board of Directors is made up of 15 members: The Chair, Vice Chair, 10 elected members, and three appointed members. The board "provides strategic leadership and fiduciary oversight for the organization. ... The work of the board is challenging and invigorating as it deals with issues central to AAUW's long-term success. It makes major decisions, provides direction to the CEO, and exercises strategic leadership."

Join me in congratulating Peggy Cabaniss for her appointment to the AAUW National Board.

**Denise Burian, President**

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## ... from DENISE'S PERSPECTIVE



Ladies, we had a good time at the May Luncheon, in which we celebrated our 2019 Distinguished Woman, Gail Chesler, recognized **Marie Bonilla** as this year's AAUW Fund Branch Named Gift Honoree, installed our 2019-2020 Board of Directors and spent time talking to old and new friends.

Marie Bonilla's recognition was well-deserved as she was Co-VP of AAUW Fund for several years, raised money for it and contributes significantly to the Fund and our branch priorities. And **Gail Chesler** kept us busy during her presentation developing our girl scout skills by teaching us how to tie a square knot, as well as demonstrating how to build a bird house. It was fun.

I also had the honor of announcing that our VP of Finance, **Peggy Cabaniss**, was recently appointed to the AAUW National Board of Directors. Please see the side article about this wonderful news on the front page. It is a big honor for Peggy. And great for our branch to have a member of the National Board amongst us. We will certainly be able to be kept informed as to what is happening on the National level. Congratulations again to Peggy.

We have two separate Board of Directors, one for our Operating organization, and one for our Community Outreach organization. Most members are the same, but I do want to recognize and thank more of our Board members. They are: **Jan Coe** and **Laura Monin**, our co-chairs for Public Policy; **Jan Cushman**, chair for Tech Trek; **Mary Ann McLeod** and **Bonnie Fend**, co-chairs for Scholarship/Awards; **Stacia Cragholm** and **Heidi Mayer**, co-chairs for the STEAM conference; and **Pat Beckner**, chair for Burckhalter.

While we formerly installed only the elected members of the operating board at the luncheon, along with the board members mentioned above, we have other members who are in appointed positions. **Bonnie Gallogly** manages our website and works closely with the I.T. staff at National, to make sure we comply with AAUW requirements. She also updates the website and calendar with branch information. What would we do without **Mary Leigh Miller** handling the Triad, directory, email blasts and Powerpoint slides at our meetings, as well as making signs and filling a myriad of other needs for all of us. Thank you Mary Leigh and Bonnie.

And we have many women who serve on the Board in non-voting positions. Every member performs a critical function for the organization and we just would not be as effective nor efficient without her. **Pat Lopker** raises most of our operating budget through soliciting advertisers with the help of her committee. Pat is amazing at her job, is critical for the organization. Thank you Pat Lopker. **Shelly Drasin** is our membership treasurer. She manages the membership dues and coordinates with State and National with our membership list. **Sheila Apte** is our membership database coordinator. If you've seen how much information is in the database, you will understand how important her work is. **Therese Tamaro** is our parliamentarian. And of course, **K de Groot** is our photographer, and **Judy Helder** and **Cayo Marschner** coordinate hospitality and contact many of you to bring snacks to our meetings and events. I don't have room to mention everyone, but know we appreciate you. A very big THANK YOU to all of you.

Denise Burian, President

MAY 14, 2019  
BOARD MEETING  
HIGHLIGHTS

By the time you read this, OML's 2018-2019 year will be all but a done deal! We will have 'luncheon-ed,' celebrated our new Distinguished Woman, Gail Chesler, and our new Branch Named Gift Honoree and (hopefully) paid our dues for the next year. We can pat ourselves on the back for donating as a branch over \$7,000 to the AAUW Fund and for contributing, each in our own way, to move our branch forward.

And a most successful year we have had! As one board member pointed out, we have worked with girls in elementary school at Burckhalter, middle school with our STEAM Conference and Tech Trek scholarships, high school with our college scholarships, and also in college by sending two Saint Mary's students to the National Conference for College Women Student Leaders. That is a huge amount of organizing, outreach, volunteering, and fundraising. Kudos all around and wild applause, if you please!!

Final business reported on at the board meeting included: the ice cream social on May 23<sup>rd</sup> for Tech Trek camp scholarship winners; high school scholarship checks delivered to the winners by Mary Ann McLeod; and the Burckhalter School Library's clean up and pre-summer book giveaway. And, would you believe that your board is already looking ahead to plans for next year? Incoming, outgoing, and continuing board members will be gathering at the Orinda Community Church on June 11 at noon for a potluck lunch and to pass on notes and information for the ongoing smooth functioning of our branch. Have a good summer.

Signing off,

Judy Hammon, Secretary

**FOCUS ON ... MAY LUNCHEON WRAP-UP**



The May Luncheon was a beautiful party for all those in OML and their guests. We gathered at the Moraga Country Club and new and seasoned members greeted each other with genuine affection. For a few this was their first meeting of the year and they were happy to be there as we honored **Gail Chesler** as our 2019 Distinguished Woman.

The dining room was filled with gerbera daisies, hydrangeas and orchids, and the entire scene welcomed our members and guests. Eleven past presidents and 13 former Distinguished Woman awardees joined in the festivities. Lunch was delicious.

A very special award for the AAUW Fund Branch Named Gift Honoree was presented to **Marie Bonilla** in honor of all her work in OML holding most of our elective offices plus her work with the IBC (Interbranch Council) (*See article on next page*). We also applauded **Peggy Cabiniss** for being honored for her appointment as a member on the AAUW National Board of Directors. (*Read more about Peggy on the front page.*)

By fitting each officer on the AAUW-OML Board of Director into a jig-saw puzzle **Judy Helder** installed and successfully completed the excellent puzzle of leader members. We all got a laugh out of the life-sized cut-out of Denise! (*See photo below.*)



**Maryellen Judson**, as last year's Distinguished Woman, introduced Gail Chesler, Distinguished Woman for 2019. Gail has always been involved in learning from both sides of the desk, as a student getting her degrees at Penn State and UC Berkeley, then switching sides as a high school teacher of math. She continues today, teaching Tech Trek students and her fellow AAUW members. She showed us we are never too old to learn what it is that we have longed to do. At the luncheon she taught us how to tie a square knot for a sailboat or a neckerchief should we ever have the need. Gail and assistant Nate, (*photo at right*), showed the design of a birdhouse, its assembly, and the importance of addressing maintenance and the specific needs of the kind of bird that will use the house. The practical learning lesson was thoroughly enjoyed by all and showed Gail to be a unique woman and especially our Distinguished Woman of 2019.



Thanks to May Luncheon Committee: **Marla Schroeder, Chair, Lana Reichick and Linda Bochte**, Distinguished Woman Committee: **Maryellen Judson, Chair, Bonnie Fend, Lynda Leonard, Marie Bonilla, and Linda Bochte**. The May Luncheon was a very special day for all.

**Maryellen Judson,  
Distinguished Woman, 2018**



*Former OML Members, Jeanne Melaugh and Karen Mankowski, with Gail Chesler*

## BOOKS for BURCKHALTER GIVEAWAY PROGRAM



*Third graders with their selections.*



*(l to r) OML volunteer, Jill Fernald with Mary Lu Everett, Kanan Shah, and Marilyn Axup.*

The school year starts again on August 12. Hard to believe it starts so early! If you are looking for something worthwhile to do, with summers off, consider volunteering at the Burckhalter Elementary School in East Oakland.

Next year, the school is going to start a new phonics program to see if they can bring up the reading levels. There are too many kids in the third grade who still can't read. AAUW used to have a significant number of tutors working in the classrooms, but now there are only a few. *We really need more volunteers helping the little kids in grades one and two learn to read.* If you prefer to work with a group, we operate the library Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 am to noon and would love to have you.

You can contact AAUW members **Carol Messinger** or **Carrol Foxall** about tutoring and **Pat Beckner** or **Joanie Jump** about working in the library. their phone numbers are in your OML Directory.

**Alison Mackenzie,**  
Library Volunteer

**It is the end of the school year at Burckhalter.** As in past years, we ended the year in the library with a book giveaway. During the year, donated new and gently used books are collected and rough sorted by grade level. On Book Giveaway Day, each student selects two books to take home and keep – but only if they have returned all of their library books. If a student has lost a book and hasn't paid for it or worked it off in the library, then they miss out.

We are lucky to have a wide assortment of books to choose from. The favorite in most classes are the activity books with coloring books highly popular in K-1, and mazes, drawing or other activity books popular in the other grades. With fiction, the kids look for books that they are familiar with. The library volunteers often have to act as enthusiastic saleswomen, selling an unknown title. Large non-fiction books with lots of pictures also go over well.



*Linda Bochte and Joanie Jump show off some of the books.*

## AAUW FUND BRANCH NAMED GIFT HONOREE



AAUW Fund is the collection of funds that support the nine programs that drive our mission of empowering women, including research, education, campus initiatives, STEM education, public policy, legal advocacy, global connections, leadership and salary negotiation. It is a comprehensive set of programs that empower women and girls with the skills and knowledge they need to compete in the world and to have a fair chance.

Each year the OML Branch recognizes a member who has done outstanding work in supporting the mission, programs and goals of AAUW Fund. At the May Luncheon, we announced this year's Branch Named Gift Honoree, **Marie Bonilla**.

She has an exemplary record of service to our branch as membership chair, database coordinator, Tech Trek advisor, president-elect, president, chair of the Interbranch Council, vice president of AAUW Fund. After a year off of the board, Marie returns as membership chair. She readily serves on committees and lends a helping hand wherever needed – always graciously. She was named Distinguished Woman in 2013.

Marie is known for her leadership, creativity, initiative, friendship and commitment to the AAUW mission, and she is a dedicated supporter of our branch priorities. Born and raised in Idaho, she graduated summa cum laude from the University of Idaho with a degree in chemical engineering. Upon graduation she went to work for Chevron Corporation.

Thank you Marie for your many contributions to AAUW and the OML Branch. You are opening doors!

**Lynda Leonard,**  
Co-VP, AAUW Fund

**OML MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL**

**MEMBERSHIP and a TIME FOR RECOMMITMENT**

We celebrated those of you who joined us at our May luncheon. And we missed those of you who were not in attendance. It was a time to recognize members who have contributed so much to our branch. And it was an opportunity to pat ourselves on the back for our many fine accomplishments of the year.

We held our first Games Day to raise funds for the scholarship program – and this event gave rise to a new interest group “Trains, Games and Friends.” We sponsored two young women from Saint Mary’s College – the first in their families to attend college – to our AAUW leadership program on the East Coast. What an awesome event in their young lives that we provided! Three high school seniors were recognized for their scholastic and community accomplishments with stipends that will help with their early college expenses. Seven tweens from our middle schools will have the opportunity to live on a college campus for a week this summer and be immersed in science and technology. It is an experience in learning and living that they will remember their whole lives. And all of this is due to YOU – and our many committed leaders and volunteers who work on these committees. If you have not been involved in the past, please think about what you might do in 2019-20.

We serve our members intellectual and social needs as well. Our interest groups offer a wide variety of opportunities. One book group shares “best sellers” while another member might join to read and discuss a book each month. Do you like to play games? Join a bridge group or the new Games group that plays all kinds of games. Are you a biker or a golfer? Do international affairs interest you? Do you just like casual conversations, travel, movies? AAUW-OML covers all these interests.

**AAUW-OML needs YOU!** Consider what new commitment you might make. Please fill out and return the membership form you received in the mail. Dues should be sent to:

**Shelly Drasin**  
**76 Silverwood Drive**  
**Lafayette, CA 94549**

*We look forward to renewing our friendships in September.*

**Carrol Foxall and Maryellen Judson,**  
**Out-going Co-VPs, Membership**

**SCHOLARSHIP**

The Scholarship Committee celebrated our successful Branch Awards Program and looked back at another fruitful year during our May luncheon meeting. We also welcomed a new member, **Joan Foster**, to our committee.

**Bonnie Fend** will lead our Game Day Committee over the summer as we prepare for our second **GAME DAY** at Miramonte Gardens Club House on Thursday, November 14. We remind all members that the success of Game Day insures we continue our \$9,000 commitment to the local high schools and Saint Mary’s NCCWSL scholarships. Join us on Game Day and ask friends to attend our catered luncheon and play games such as Bunko, Dominoes and Bridge.

**Mary Ann McLeod, Co-Chair,**  
**Scholarship Committee**

**GAMES INTEREST GROUP (GIG)**

Here’s your chance to learn a new game or improve your skills with some you already know, all while enjoying the company of your game-playing friends. GIG is held on the second Friday of most months, starting at 1:30 pm. Join us on June 14 at Mary Ann McLeod’s and on July 12 at Rachel Riddle’s. Contact Laura Wittenberg for more details: [Laura.Wittenberg.MFT@gmail.com](mailto:Laura.Wittenberg.MFT@gmail.com)

**OTHER SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP NOTICES**

**EVENING SALON**

The Evening Salon group decided we did want to meet in June as we enjoy the interesting discussions we have. *Everyone is welcome to join us.* We will meet on **THURSDAY, JUNE 6** from 7 pm to 9 pm at the home of Susan Wilson. If you can join us, contact Susan or Denise Burian.

**MUSEUM MAVENS**

**Trip to the SF Asian Art Museum**  
**Friday, July 26**

- 1) Famous Chinese Brush Artist, An Ho-Nien
- 2) Tiger Bamboo Art Sculpture
- 3) Tattoos on Japanese Wood Blocks

**Time:** Depart around 9:15 am from the Orinda BART station or carpool. **Lunch:** 12:45 **Leave SF:** 2 pm. **Cost:** Seniors \$20. Husbands/significant others welcome. **RSVP:** Marjorie Singler; email: [msingler@comcast.net](mailto:msingler@comcast.net) phone: 925-5283-9931 cell: 925-878-5915



## TECH TREK REPORT

### Tech Trek Ice Cream Social a Success!

This year's Tech Trek scholarship winners, their parents, former Tech Trekkers and branch members enjoyed ice cream, cookies, nuts and fruit as well as great conversation on May 23 at the Miramonte Garden Clubhouse. The girls got to know each other and hear advice from former Tech Trekkers **Helen Kaidantzis**, **Maya Martono** and **Sophia Kofoed**. **Jan Cushman** showed pictures of the dorm rooms, cafeteria, camp classes and activities.

Thanks to those who brought refreshments and thanks to **Christine Walwyn** for arranging for the clubhouse. Special thanks to all of our donors who make it possible for us to send these bright young women to camp! The girls in the photo below, from left to right, are **Nicole Hui**, **Zoe Seaman**, **Michelle Shen**, **Bella Stratford**, **Angela Kohr** and **Madeleine Termond**. **Eden Hall** had left before we took the picture.

Camp Hopper starts on July 14 for a wonderful week of STEM experiences! **Gail Chesler**, **Sara Lautenbach** and **Jan Cushman** will be dorm moms this year.

**Jan Cushman, Chair,  
Tech Trek Committee**



## SHRED•FEST RETURNS on OCTOBER 12

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**  
**6th Annual Tech Trek Fundraiser**  
**SHRED•FEST**  
**at 5A Rent-A-Space**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019**  
**9 am-12 noon**

*Secure paper and disk (new!) shredding*

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directory for complete  
advertising information.

## PUBLIC POLICY REPORT



## Roe v. Wade Under Attack!

May, the month for celebrating mothers, saw renewed attacks on women's well-being. Alabama recently joined eight other states (Mississippi, Ohio, Georgia, Missouri, Kentucky, Arkansas, Utah and Iowa) in enacting draconian anti-abortion legislation. The just-signed Alabama law criminalizes abortions six weeks after conception (before a pregnancy is even confirmed). Legislation that would prohibit an abortion once a fetal heartbeat is detected (a standard utilized in the Mississippi, Ohio, Georgia, Kentucky and Iowa laws) is also nearing passage in Louisiana. A state judge in Iowa declared its law unconstitutional, and the laws in Ohio, Mississippi, Kentucky and Utah have been temporarily stayed. These laws are squarely counter to *Roe v. Wade* and challenge a woman's right to reproductive freedom. They likely will need to be addressed by the United States Supreme Court in which the recent appointments of Justices Gorsuch and Kavanaugh may tip the balance in favor of overturning *Roe*.

Attacks on women's health care and reproductive rights are also coming from the federal government. These anti-women federal actions include recent administration rules that allow health care providers to refuse to provide services based on their religious beliefs and the Department of Health and Human Services Title X "gag rule" that prohibits providers who receive Title X funding from discussing abortion with their patients.

AAUW has joined other advocates in the #StopTheBans campaign, a national day of action to demand access to reproductive health care. AAUW will also continue to join legal briefs arguing against these state and federal actions, and lobby at the state and federal level to stop policies that curtail reproductive rights or limit equal access to healthcare.

## Women Hurt Most by Student Loan Crisis

President Trump has submitted a revised budget request that would remove \$3.9 billion of funding for Pell Grants. Federal Pell Grant subsidies are limited to students with financial need, who have not earned their first bachelor's degree.

AAUW is encouraging Congress to safeguard and expand Pell Grants and other forms of student aid. Young women are especially vulnerable since women hold almost two thirds of the country's student debt and many also face unaffordable access to child care. Reducing loan debt, in addition to narrowing the pay gap, would help ensure future economic security for many young women.

## Equal Rights Amendment (ERA)

On March 22, 1972, the Senate passed the Equal Rights Amendment to the United States Constitution, which proposed banning discrimination based on sex. ... The passed Equal Rights Amendment read, "Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex."

To become the law of the land it needed to be ratified by 3/4th of the states – i.e. 38 of the 50 states. Congress gave the states until 1982 to ratify the amendment. The amendment fell three votes short with 35 voting to ratify. In the past year, however, two more states have voted to ratify – Nevada and Illinois. Supporters believe (hope) that if an additional state votes to ratify, the 1982 deadline will be held to be inoperable or that Congress will simply vote to remove the deadline. Supporters are focusing on the following 13 states to reach the magic number of 38: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Utah and Virginia.

AAUW State affiliates in these 13 states are working to make their state the thirty eighth to ratify the Equal Rights Amendment.

## Another Partial Step Forward "The Equality Act"

The House of Representatives recently passed the AAUW supported "Equality Act." This is a groundbreaking civil rights bill that would ensure educational protections for LGBT students among other protections. It still needs to secure Senate and Presidential approval.

AAUW will continue working until every student has equal access to education.

**Laura Monin, Co-Chair, Public Policy**

### AAUW Mission

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

### Value Promise of AAUW

By joining AAUW, you belong to a community that breaks through educational and economic barriers so that all women have a fair chance.

**JUNE 2019 AT A GLANCE**

**1 SAT – CRITICS CHOICE BOOK GROUP**

Pass along your books

**3 FRI – DAYTIME MOVIE GROUP**

Time and theatre TBA

Contact Janette Maher, [kidlitr@hotmail.com](mailto:kidlitr@hotmail.com)

**4 TUE – BRIDGE GROUP**

12 noon Contact Joyce Dickey, 825-7991, for more info

**6 THUR – EVENING SALON**

7-9 pm – Home of Susan Wilson

Contact Denise Burian at [denburian@gmail.com](mailto:denburian@gmail.com)

**8 SAT – INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL GROUP**

6:30 pm – Home of Mary Leigh Miller

Mary Leigh and Laura's trip to Australia

*Note: held on the second Saturday this month.*

**10, 24 MON – GOLF GROUP**

Contact Jan Gee for t-time and venue, [jgee17@yahoo.com](mailto:jgee17@yahoo.com)

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**19 WED – MEMOIRS & MUSINGS**

1-3 pm –We meet every month, in members homes.

Contact Carol Messinger – [messingerd@aol.com](mailto:messingerd@aol.com) or 891-4201

**21 FRI – ANYONE WHO HAS READ THE BOOK**

10:30 am – Home of Jill Eberhard

Book to discuss: *Long Haul*, by Finn Murphy

For more info, contact Jill Eberhard or Marilyn Evans

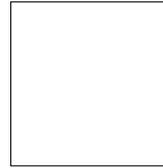
**21 FRI – LETS GO TO THE MOVIES**

Contact Mary Leigh Miller, [mlmiller602@gmail.com](mailto:mlmiller602@gmail.com)

**28 FRI – BIKE GROUP**

Contact Ellen Beans, [ellen.beans@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.beans@gmail.com)

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**19 FRI – ANYONE WHO HAS READ THE BOOK**

10:30 am – Home of Mary Mlynek

Book to discuss: *The Monk of Mokha* by Dave Eggers

For more info, contact Jill Eberhard or Marilyn Evans

**24 WED – DEADLINE for AUGUST TRIAD**

Send articles to Mary Leigh Miller [mlmiller602@gmail.com](mailto:mlmiller602@gmail.com)

**26 FRI – MUSEUM MAVENS Trip to the Asian Art Museum**

9:30 am-3 pm. Contact Marjorie Singler, *See page 3*

**26 FRI – BIKE GROUP**

Contact Ellen Beans, [ellen.beans@gmail.com](mailto:ellen.beans@gmail.com)

**IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL  
SPECIAL INTEREST COORDINATORS:**

*If your group decides to meet on a different day or time than normal, please contact our Calendar Coordinator, BONNIE GALLOGLY, so she can update the website calendar.*