

AAUW PALM BEACH COUNTY BRANCH

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Notes and Whatnots

Well, the officers for the coming season were successfully installed while we enjoyed lunch at Callaros' Steak House. Now many of us will head out to our northern homes or vacation travel, ready to return in the Fall.

While you are travelling locally, keep your eyes and ears open for people who might be interested in joining our Branch to hang with a fun bunch of accomplished women. You are part of an organization that works for equal pay for women, helps women negotiate new jobs, helps women starting out in their careers, works to expose young women to STEM possibilities through great summer Tech Trek camps, to name a few doors AAUW works to open. We want to grow our Branch.

Also, keep your eyes and ears open for people or businesses who might be interested in underwriting part, or all, of our STEM camp. If you have had experience fundraising, please call Susan Berlin 561-642-4720 or email svberlin@bellsouth.net.

Welcome New Member!!!

Giselle Parry – a transfer from California

Notes

Happy Happy Summer Birthdays!

Beverly Agee
Susan Berlin
Faith Campbell
Claire Carney
Virginia Farace
Helen Gilmore
Deborah Nesbit
Maurcy Selko
Mary Swieskowski
Barbara Wagner



Join Us for Our Meet and Greet on Saturday, September 23, 2017

Where: The Beach Club

When: Noon

Directions: 17th Ave N, Lake Worth

Please RSVP to:

Virginia
vmackk69@gmail.com or
561-271-5277- as always we need your RSVP

More information will be coming

BOOK CLUB NEWS

By Virginia Farace

The next meeting of the AAUW Book Club is the third Friday, June 16, at the Palm Springs Library from 2 to 4 pm. Virginia will moderate the discussion of **Where'd you go, Bernadette: a novel** by Maria Semple.

Summary: "A whip-smart, hysterical dramedy about a family in crisis after the disappearance of its brilliant, misanthropic matriarch.

Bernadette Fox is notorious. To her Microsoft-guru husband, she's a fearlessly opinionated partner; to fellow private-school mothers in Seattle, she's a disgrace; to design mavens, she's a revolutionary architect, and to 15-year-old Bee, she is a best friend and, simply, Mom.

Then Bernadette disappears. It began when Bee aced her report card and claimed her promised reward: a family trip to Antarctica. But Bernadette's intensifying allergy to Seattle--and people in general--has made her so agoraphobic that a virtual assistant in India now runs her most basic errands. A trip to the end of the earth is problematic.

To find her mother, Bee compiles email messages, official documents, secret correspondence--creating a compulsively readable and touching novel about misplaced genius and a mother and daughter's role in an absurd world."

As always, new members are welcome. If you are interested, please email Virginia at AAUWFLfarace@gmail.com to receive a copy of the Book Club Guidelines and a list of past titles.

Did You Know?

Bring your business cards, brochures, etc. to the meeting. There will be a place to display them.

Did You Know?

Of the women graduating from college or university that only 6.7% graduate with a STEM degree? This is why your donations to the Tech Trek camp are so very meaningful and important!

Bring a Guest to Our Meet and Greet in September and Greet Anyone You Haven't Met Before!!!

Check back for more information and updates. Feel free to send articles to vmackk69@gmail.com



May Installation of New Officers
(from the left)

Virginia Farace – Secretary

Maurcy Selko – Director Public Policy

Melissa Sackl – Director for Program

Linda Newton – Director for Finance



President of Palm Beach AAUW Branch

Susan Berlin

Membership News

Any guest who attends a meeting and joins at that meeting pays one-half of State and National dues for the first year's membership. This makes the total year's membership \$44.50. This is only for the initial year's membership. This is important for those joining mid-year.

However we are in a new fiscal year, so membership renewal is here for those of us "old" members. You can renew online or send your checks to Susan King until June 30 – 731 S. Lakeside Dr, Lake Worth 33460 or after June 30 to Linda Newton -2975 SW 22nd Ave., Apt.203, Delray Beach, 33445. Linda is our new Treasurer, taking over after Susan retires. Be sure to thank Susan for her service to our Branch, and effusively thank Linda for stepping in to take over. Linda owns and manages her own business so we know she is busy.



Our Own Women's March in Delray Beach After January Luncheon

Your Branch Needs Your Help

Facebook and Web Site – Susan B has been maintaining these sites, but she no longer has the time to devote to updating these sites. So, if you have any experience maintaining a Facebook page and/or updating an existing web site, please contact Susan Berlin at 561-642-4720 or svberlin@bellsouth.net. Susan will be more than happy to show you how to manage the sites. You need not be responsible for both sites – if you can take the responsibility for one site, this would be a tremendous help.

Your Branch is looking for a variety of fundraising venues. If you have had experience in fundraising in other groups or through your work, we need you. If you have had experience writing letters for grants or fundraising, we need you. So please, if you have had these skills contact Susan Berlin, svberlin@bellsouth.net. You will make Susan very happy.

Save the Dates!

September 23 – Meet and Greet at the Beach Club

October 28 – Luncheon Meeting Hacienda Restaurant

Much more information will be forthcoming. Keep your eye on Poste Haste for the latest

BRING A FRIEND TO THE FIRST MEETING IN THE FALL-

December 12 – Holiday Party

January 20 – Luncheon Meeting

February 17 - Fundraiser

March 17 – Annual Meeting

April 21 – Norton plus lunch

May 19 - Installation

2017-2018 Officers

President: Susan Berlin

Secretary: Virginia Farace

Program: Melissa Sackl

Membership: Barbara Wagner & Deborah Nesbit

Finance: Linda Newton

Communications: Virginia Brooks and Sharon Trost

Development: Betty Rigdon & Donna Artes

Public Policy: Maurcy Selko



