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CALENDAR

Nov 02 Art Group Lunch Bunch Nov. 12 Games Night Nov. 18 Dec 01 Literature Group Dec 04 Holiday Social *Advance* DEADLINE Dec 15 **Special Saturday Meeting Jan. 14**

November/December 2011

Holiday Social

December 4, 2011

The Paris Inn

1292 Alps Road Wayne, New Jersey

At 1:00 p.m.

Members and guests welcome!

Please see the enclosed flyer and respond no later than November 22nd so we can inform the Paris Inn of the number attending. Please respond whether or not you are planning to come. Thank you.

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Presidents' Message

Membership

Judy Mazur-Shivy

973-835-1743

On December 4 we will have our annual Holiday luncheon. Please mark your calendar and come prepared to socialize, eat, meet new friends and have a wonderful introduction to the holiday season.

I encourage all our members to <u>mark your</u> <u>calendars</u> for our upcoming 2012 events as soon as the dates are posted in the Advance.

A change in dates from our usual third Wednesday will take place in January. Bea Kettlewood will lead a presentation on stained glass windows and bas-relief sculpture at an "on site" **Saturday afternoon meeting on January 14**. We will meet at Chilton Memorial Hospital at noon, have lunch in the Café and on to the Chapel at 1 pm for Bea's program.

The Fall Focus, attended by Judy Mazur-Shivy, Bea Kettlewood, Ann Raynor and Stella Hyman delved into the program-in-a-box, which is posted on our national website. Each group was given a program which was discussed, dissected and then presented to the entire gathering. The programs are a suggestion for future use.

Bridge Group

Marlys Huss

973-838-7051

The bridge group continues to meet on Monday evenings. We start at 7:30 pm, and we play until 9:30 pm, after which we have tea, coffee and dessert.

Please call Marlys for the weekly location of the game.

Stella Hyman (Interim)

973-595-9292

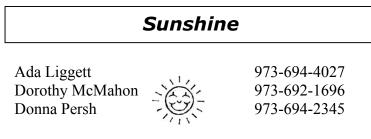
We have a very active and friendly branch. Anyone interested in hearing more about us and our activities or about AAUW in general, please give Stella a call

Social Action Committee

Cathy Matich	973-696-9374
Marlys Huss	973-838-7051
Gloria McCormick	973-835-1875

It is once again time to plan for our holiday charitable activities. Our collection of children's gifts at our holiday luncheon last December was very successful. The gifts were greatly appreciated by the recipients and many members expressed their joy at giving to such a worthy cause. We would like to collect again this year. (Donating is strictly on a voluntary basis.) We will provide details in a communication closer to the time when we know what the specific needs are. Please mark your calendars to provide for a little "extra" shopping prior to the luncheon.

In the meantime, if anyone is aware of someone who could use our help, please contact us. We do have some funds at our disposal that could be used for a worthy cause. The committee would be happy to review any suggestions.



No report this month.

Art Group

Literature Group

Win Reinhardt



973-835-3621

Bea Kettlewood

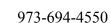
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The Art Group will meet at the home of Bea Kettlewood on **Wednesday** evening, **Nov. 2**, at 7:30 pm. On the list of individual artists were Whistler and Cassatt. Added to that listing will be Homer and Degas. Whistler and Degas were born the same year; Homer, two years later, and Cassatt only ten years after Degas. By mid-19th century the styles were shifting from rigid neo-classicism to freer interpretations of the subject. During this time period art influence moved from Europe to USA. We will view Cassatt and her friend Degas first in November and Whistler and Homer in January.

Alexander Graham Bell, inventor, was only three years younger than Cassatt. One of his inventions can still be used.

Games Night

Dot Anton



TGIF"s (Thank Goodness It's Friday) next Games Night will be **November 18th**, at Bea Kettlewood's. We start at 7:30 p.m. and play games until 10:00 p.m. at which time we have light refreshments and scintillating conversation. Please call Bea at least 3 days before to let her know you are coming.

It is a lot of fun and we laugh a lot. Game Night is open to all members. Try to come, and I am sure you will be pleased.

There is no Game Night in December

The next **TWO** meetings of the Literature Group will be held as follows:

On **Thursday, December 1**, at 7:30 we will meet to discuss *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks* by Rebecca Skloot. The leader will be Anne Kelly and the hostess Ada Liggett, 156 Chestnut Drive, Wayne, 973-694-4026

On **Saturday, January 28**, at 2:00 pm we will meet to discuss *Caleb's Crossing* by Geraldine Brooks. The leader will be Dot Anton and the hostess, Win Reinhardt, 12 Perrin Ave., Pompton Lakes, 973-835-3621.

Please join us to discuss either or both of the above-mentioned books. Be sure to call each hostess at least 3 days in advance if you plan to attend. All are welcome.

Lunch Bunch

Judy Mazur-Shivy	973-835-1743
Mary Ann Ritter	973-694-6648

Saturday Lunch Bunch, November 12

Our branch's lunch bunch continues to be popular. In November Lunch Bunch is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 12 at 12:15 pm at the Macaroni Grill, Route 23 North, Wayne. All members, prospective members, friends and guests are most welcome. This special Saturday Lunch Bunch gives those who have jobs during the week or who have regular Friday commitments a chance to join us for a change. Please ask a friend of acquaintance to join lunch bunch at the Macaroni Grill. If you can attend, please phone Marianne Ritter at 973-694-6648 or Judy Shivy at 973-835-1743 by Nov. 11 at the latest so that we can reserve a place for you at the lunch table.

There will be no lunch bunch in December due to the annual Holiday Social scheduled for early December.

Lunch Bunch will resume in January at Portobello's Restaurant in Oakland on Friday, Jan. 13.

AAUW GREATER WAYNE AREA BRANCH PURPOSE

The purpose of this branch shall be to further AAUW's mission to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.

DIVERSITY STATEMENT

In principle 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.

VALUE PROMISE

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



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Greater Wayne Area AAUW Holiday Social

Where: The Paris Inn, 1292 Alps Road, Wayne

When: December 4, 2011

Time: 1:00 PM

Cost: \$25.00 (Includes tax and tip)

Menu: Appetizer, Salad, Entrée and Dessert

(The menu offers a wide variety of entrees to choose from...drinks besides coffee or tea will be extra and your responsibility)

Members and guests welcome!

Name:______ I will _____ will not ____ attend Enclosed is my check for \$25.00. Please remit no later than November 22 so we can inform the Paris Inn of the number attending. Please send to: Stella Hyman 14 Coniston Court Wayne, NJ 07470