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Learning about the Jewish Experience ...because equity is still an issue General Membership Meeting

Date: Saturday, April 9, 2022

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Program: Tour the Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art

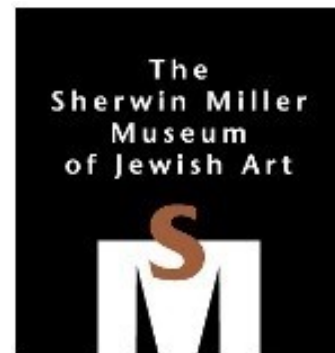
Docent: Linda Brooks, Tulsa AAUW Member

Where: 2021 E. 71st St.

Cost: \$3.00 per person in groups of ten or more;

Lunch: 11:00 a.m., Tres Amigos Mexican Grill & Cantina
8144 S. Lewis Ave.

PLEASE RSVP: President Pam McDonald,
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The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art began in 1965. It is dedicated to preserving and promoting Jewish heritage, culture, history and community through art and education.

Through the lens of both fine art and artifacts, the collection provides a testament and tribute to the resiliency of the Jewish people and those who seek to

learn more about them. Special exhibits and events showcase works representing Jewish artists from historic to modern times.

The Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art is located on the Zarrow Campus at 2021 E. 71st St. in Tulsa and is open to the public Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturday Noon to 5 pm and on Sunday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm.



Sherwin Miller Museum of Jewish Art on the Zarrow Campus.



President's Corner

WE HAVE FINALLY SEEN SIGNS OF SPRING!

As we come to the end of our fiscal year, AAUW National has implemented many changes in staff, and more concerning to our local members personally, their website.

I urge all to view it as new log-in protocols have been implemented. So far Rose and I have had some difficulties and are trying to figure things out to help other members navigate through everything.

In the meantime enjoy the weather, flowers blooming and our upcoming get-togethers!

—Pam McDonald, President, AAUW Tulsa
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"...you don't get to choose how you're going to die, or when. You can only decide how you're going to live. Now!"

—Joan Baez

Notes from National AAUW

REGISTER for NCCWSL

Registration is still open for the 2022 National Conference for College Women Student Leaders. This year's event, set for May 24-26, will be entirely virtual.

For updates and to register, go to:
<https://www.aauw.org/resources/programs/nccwsl/about/>

AAUW Empower Spring Series: Get Money Smart!

The latest series of the online AAUW Empower workshops focuses on giving women tools and tactics to build their personal financial security. Each webinar opens with an inspiring keynote speaker followed by an AAUW Money Smart session, a personal finance topic. The next workshop is April 19. That program also includes training on how to manage your credit and debt, including student loans.

To register, go to:
<https://www.aauw.org/resources/program/empower>

Member Webinar: Intersectionality Identified

AAUW's Inclusion and Equity committee invites us to participate in a virtual webinar series designed to support members and affiliates who want to learn how to be more diverse, equitable and inclusive. The next webinar, Social Justice: Creating Change, is May 26.

To register, go to:
us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register

Equal Pay Day 2022—An Incomplete Picture

On March 15, we marked Equal Pay Day, but this year's numbers don't tell the full story. The traditional pay gap calculation—which shows women working full-time, year-round are paid 83% compared to men—doesn't factor in part-time workers or the millions of women who lost jobs during the pandemic.

Our 2022 Equal Pay Day calendar includes all workers to show a more inclusive picture. This fall, AAUW will update its "Simple Truth" report with data that better reflects reality.

Bring ERA to Senate floor for vote

Contact Senate Majority Leader Schumer to schedule a vote on SJ Res 1, the bill to remove the time limit from the Equal Rights Amendment, without further delay. The House of Representatives voted to pass H.J. Res 17 on March 17, 2021 with bipartisan support. The fate of the ERA now lies in the hands of the Senate.

TULSA VOICE

Monthly newsletter of American Association of University Women,
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Interest Groups

AAUW TULSA BOOK GROUP



AAUW Tulsa Book Group will meet via Zoom on **Friday, April 29** at 6:30 PM. The group will discuss The Mother Tree by Suzanne Simard.

Text Rose at the number below to be added to the email list. I will send you the meeting ID and password the day before the meeting.

Looks like Spring is here! Enjoy!

Rose Unterschuetz,
phone/text **918-688-7128**

MYSTERY BOOK GROUP

Mystery book club is changing to the third Thursday of every other month.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, May 19, at **11:30 A.M.**, at Barnes and Noble, 5231 E. 41st St.



Read any mystery "cozy" for this meeting. Laura Childs has three cozy series, but there are plenty of other authors to explore.

We can maybe go to lunch together after the meeting.

Questions?
Call Linda Brooks, 918-260-3263, or
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Annual AAUW Election

2022 AAUW Bylaws proposed changes:

Each year we elect four directors to the national Board of Directors. Under our current bylaws, the Nominating Committee is required to provide notice of open positions and request nominations eight months prior to the date of the election. The provision is obsolete now that AAUW has moved to online voting. The change would remove the 8-month requirement.

The list of members eligible to vote has been required to be sent out 60 days prior to the election date; that is proposed to change to 30 days.

Key dates for 2022 vote:

April 6—voting opens, online voting encouraged
May 16 —Online voting ends at 5 p.m. ET
May 18 — Vote results announced online

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

Have you visited AAUW.org lately? If so, you may have noted changes in the sign-in function. AAUW has a new computer system. Please bear with us as we learn to use it. Tulsa Branch President Pam McDonald and I attempted to follow a provided tutorial for signing in which resulted in both of us receiving a message that we were not current members!

We obviously have not managed to successfully sign in to our membership records. For yours truly this means I cannot assist members to join or update membership records.

Please know we will take advantage of additional training and obtain the skills needed to use the system. We trust our leadership's decision to change in order to make information more accessible to the membership. We look forward to exploring the new "Community Hub".

— Rose Unterschuetz
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AAUW advances gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy.

AAUW, founded in 1881, is open to all graduates who hold the associate's, baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited college or university.

*In principle and in 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.*

Our Value Promise:

*"As a member of AAUW,
you belong to a community
that breaks through
educational and
economic barriers
so that all women
have a fair chance."*

Websites: Tulsa Branch—<http://Tulsa-ok.aauw.net/>
Oklahoma AAUW—www.aauwoklahoma.org National AAUW—www.aauw.org

AAUW statement supports Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson's Nomination to Supreme Court

AAUW Chief Executive Officer Gloria L. Blackwell issued this statement on President Biden's nomination of Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson to the U.S. Supreme Court:

Our hearts are full with profound joy, pride and exhilaration that President Biden has nominated the brilliant, inspiring and eminently qualified Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson to serve on the Supreme Court of the United States of America.

As an organization that has worked for 140 years to advance the rights of all women, AAUW views her nomination as a historic milestone that will move us more swiftly to gender and racial equity and justice. Her confirmation won't just give a Black woman "a seat at the table," but will bring valuable and much-needed new insights to the highest court in the land to the benefit of all.

Representation matters — and we are thrilled to see the labor, intellect and advocacy of Black women being recognized, acknowledged and celebrated in this extraordinary moment.

Her qualifications are outstanding. A Harvard

Law graduate, she has served with distinction on the second-highest court in the land, the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals. In addition, she held a U.S. Supreme Court clerkship, positions at prestigious corporate law firms, and a role on the U.S. Sentencing Commission. Judge Jackson also worked as a public defender—experience that is sorely lacking on the current court.

Judge Jackson has shown a commitment to the issues that AAUW holds dear, including support for equal justice and the protection of civil and human rights for all Americans.

Her stellar background, combined with her demonstrated commitment to fairness, impartiality and equal justice, all add up to one conclusion: She is the ideal jurist for the job.

AAUW wholeheartedly supports this momentous nomination and will use our voice, resources, passion and activism to ensure that Judge Jackson is quickly confirmed with a unanimous vote by the U.S. Senate.....it's remarkable to see Black history in the making!

April, 2022 Calendar



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