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Presidents Note:

Welcome Fall! I hope you joined us at our annual Membership Meeting last month. We had such fun hearing Laura Ingalls Wilder tell us about her life and then we were energized and inspired by our Tech Trek girls and their creations. I found them all amazing. Thank you, Louise Willard, for your portrayal and Louise Schultz, for hosting the zoom meeting!

Our chapter keeps the momentum going with two exciting programs coming up in October and November. Look for details in the newsletter and the zoom link will be sent prior to the events. In addition, there are numerous webinars available on both the national site AAUW.ORG and the state site AAUW-CA.ORG. I hope you take advantage of all the interesting offerings.

Welcome to our new webmaster, Rick McIntosh and new Daytime Lit chairs Barbara Oliver and Betsy Swallow. Take a look at the fun offerings of our Interest Groups and see if you would like to try one out. Some meet virtually and some meet in person!

Black Holes? Rural women's health? Social classification? What incredible topics are the 37 AAUW-funded fellowship and grant recipients studying? Attend these live virtual events showcasing their personal stories and fascinating studies –

[AAUW 2021 Fund Events - AAUW California \(aauw-ca.org\)](https://www.aauw-ca.org).

10 a.m. Saturday, October 23rd and Saturday, October 30th, and 1:00 p.m. Sunday, November 7th. I attended these last year and they were excellent! Each one has different speakers/recipients.

Remember: *We are stronger together!*

Diane Millikin

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The AAUW Humanities **College of the Canyons** Scholarship fund will host a Holiday/Winter See's Candies fundraiser beginning **November 10, 2021.**

Please stay tuned for additional information in the November newsletter on how to directly order See's Candies for yourself, family and friends.

Thank you,

Debra Halcrow

Humanities Scholarship Fund





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The Holidays are coming and scam artists are gearing up with new ways to obtain your personal information to access money! Strat Maloma - outreach director for AARP Fraud Fighters, will be informing us of the fraud scams emerging on the internet, telephone and text messages used by thieves, how best to analyze and combat these types of scams, where to report them and the best sites to subscribe to so a person can be educated about the new and emerging scams.

Don't be a victim - be a Fraud Fighter with the tools AARP give us! Join our zoom meeting on **October 16,2021 at 11:00 A.M.**



INTEREST GROUPS

Daytime Lit

Daytime Lit will resume on **Tuesday, Oct. 26, 11:00**. We'll meet at Panera Bread on Golden Valley (fully vaccinated members only).

This will be a planning meeting to discuss which books we'd like to read for the upcoming season; please bring your suggestions.

RSVP to Barbara Oliver

at barbarajo1225@gmail.com or Betsy Swallow

at betsy.swallow@att.net

We look forward to seeing you!

Barbara & Betsy

AAUW Winey Ladies is a social group that meets **the second Thursday of the month at 5pm .**

Winey Ladies meets at various restaurant establishments in Santa Clarita for Happy Hour to engage in conversation, food and beverage.

Because of the covid pandemic, meeting in person has been temporarily suspended until we can meet safely as a group.

Therefore, a Zoom meeting will be held on **Thursday October 14, 2021 at 5pm.**

Please contact me if you have any questions at 661 904-7610.

Thank you

Debra Halcrow

Chair

Winey Ladies



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Women in History Program

March 2022, we will begin the **35th year of AAUW-SCV's Women in History Program.**

This educational treasure allows students learn about women who wouldn't take "No" for an answer, women who did not allow anyone to discourage or impede their innovative ideas and conceptions, and women who changed history because of their contributions.

We were challenged by the last two academic years, but this year, we will encourage and hope schools can do our program as it was envisioned originally – classroom presentations or in a Multipurpose Room.

It all begins with the selection of the women our portrayers will perform, beginning in **October 13, 2021.**

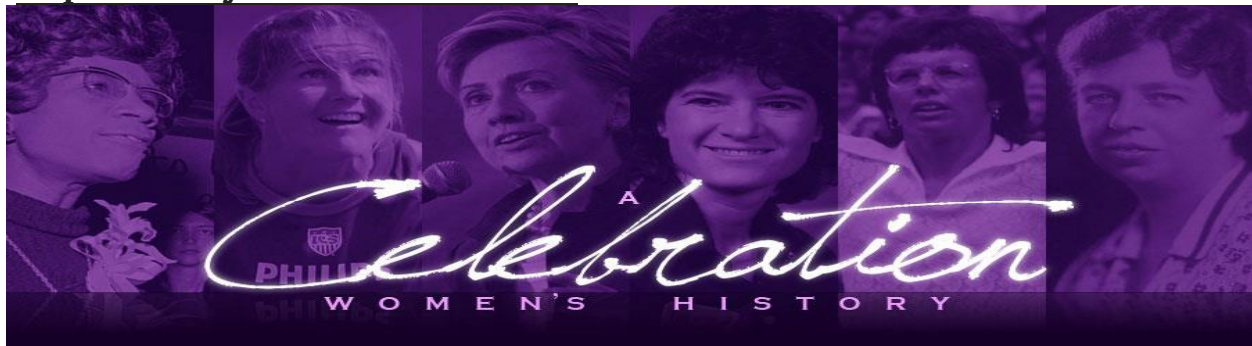
On **Wednesday, October 13th, at 7 p.m.**, anyone in AAUW, past School Coordinators, or teachers can come together in my home to choose these six women. You may also nominate women before the meeting by emailing me suggestions and reasons why you feel this woman would be a good choice. We will also select scriptwriters for scripts that will be due in early February.

We choose women in a single occupation; sometimes we choose women from many backgrounds and disciplines. We try to not just do American women, but are open to international women of note. We include women of color and recognized minorities, as they fit into the categories we choose.

If you can't make it at the beginning, you may come later. But sometimes we come to agreement in a very short time, so call first. I will provide a little snack, so I need an **RSVP, please.**

Debbie McIntosh
23454 Darcy Lane
Newhall, CA 91321
661-255-1773 (Please message.)

Hope to see you on October 13th.



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October 20,2021
Lunch Bunch meets at 11:30 AM At
Mom Can Cook
Please RSVP to Debbie Harris



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Mystery Lit
Meets October 21 the 3rd Thursday
of the month at 10:30.
Please RSVP to *Louise Schultz*
at 661-904-1030



ANNOUNCEMENT

The COC scholarship winners for spring 2021:

MESA/AAUW Women in STEM--**Raven Bisarra**
Dorinda Barnes/AAUW Scholarship--**Alissa Torres**
Humanities Scholarship--**Roxanna Abrines**
Virginia Prager-Efford Elem Ed.--**Sara Perez**

PLEASE NOTE- THERE WERE NO BOOK AWARD LAST FALL.

CONGRATULATIONS to the above winners.





Newsletter

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NOTE FROM THE NEWSLETTER EDITORS

Please have *all items* for November's newsletter to us by October 25, 2021.

Louise M. Willard email willardlmw@gmail.com

And

Jodi Guerrero email jguerrero@hartdistrict.org

Thank you for your continued support,

Jodi and Louise

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5 HAPPY BIRTHDAY PAULA CHARNOCK	6	7	8	9
10	11 INDIGINOUS PEOPLE'S DAY	12 BOARD MEETING 6:30pm Via Zoom	13 Women in History 7pm RSVP Debbie McIntosh	14 HAPPY BIRTHDAY LAURA LAUGLIN Debra Halcrow Bridge 1pm Roberta Kessler rkessler1367@gmail.com Winey Ladies 5pm	15 HAPPY BIRTHDAY DIANA WYCKOFF	16 AARP Fraud Fighters 11am VIA ZOOM
17	18	19	20 LUNCH BUNCH 11:30am RSVP Debbie Harris	21 MYSTERY LIT 10:30am RSVP Louise Schultz	22	23
24	25 Deadline for Nov. Newsletter	26 DAYTIME LIT 11am RSVP Barbara & Betsy	27	28 Debra Halcrow Bridge 1pm Roberta Kessler rkessler1367@gmail.com	29	30
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