

GENERAL MEETING

Thursday, November 13, 2014 12:30 PM Tahoe Yacht Club 700 North Lake Blvd Tahoe City, CA

WOW! This meeting will be a real treat for all of us as Eileen Hacker will be introducing the "Tech Trek" participants for this past summer and Picabo Fraas who received a music scholarship from our branch. Picabo will delight us by playing her French horn for us! It will be informative and fun to hear about all their experiences.

Please come and bring friends. Our GOURMET GROUP will provide us with our annual "Soup Luncheon". Yummy!

BOARD MEETING

No Board Meeting for November.

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Fall is here in full color and I can't take a drive without feeling thankful that we live in this perfectly beautiful place.

November is a month to feel thankful for all the gifts we have received as Thanksgiving approaches and I'm also thankful for our branch of AAUW and the wonderful women who support us.

We had a great turnout for our October meeting with Dianna Maria de Borges as Sarah Winnemucca she was educational, entertaining and inspirational.

This month's meeting will be at the Tahoe City Yacht Club and our Tech Trek participants will be there to tell us their stories of summer math and science camp. I thought this meeting last year was really fun and interesting. I loved hearing the girls talk about their wonderful experiences and I'm sure this year's meeting will be just as good.

Please invite your new neighbors, friends, and family to join our branch of talented, energetic members. You can direct potential new members to our website for an application form [new member application].

Or call Julie Ginocchio @ 530 546 8864 or Meri McEneny @ 775 831 6071 and they will be happy to mail an application.

Happy Thanksgiving!

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GIRLS STATE

Helen Foster and Ingrid Eccles had an early start with the process of selecting candidates for Girls State. The counselor at the high school will have candidates ready for interviewing in January, and Martha Cirata and Nancy Cline have volunteered to help Helen Foster with the interview process. We only need \$221 more in funds to send that lucky girl off to Girls State this coming summer.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

- **BOOK GROUP** To commemorate the 100th anniversary of the outbreak of World War I, the Pulitzer prize-winning classic, "The Guns of August" by Barbara Tuchman, is the reading selection for November. Our normal meeting date is the last Tuesday of the month. But, since Thanksgiving occurs that week, we will meet one week earlier than usual, on November 18th. Nancy Cline will lead the discussion. Martha Cirata will host. And Fritzi Briner will provide the treats. Martha's address is 14484 Donnington Lane in Truckee (Glenshire). Please let Martha know by November 16th if you will be there: 530.587.4429 or <u>martha@omegaport.com</u>.
- BRIDGE
MARATHONThe Bridge Marathon had a good start with play at Barbra Briggs on Oct.10. Players are encouraged to arrange other games as soon as possible as there
are 10 matches to be played by June and the scores are sent or given to Rose
Orenstein to determine the winners. Marathon participants make a donation to the
AAUW Fund, Tech Tech, or Girl's State and send it to our treasurer Kym Pipkin
which is due by December I. We are sorry that Louise Gaston will not be able to
play this year so her partner, Julie Ginocchio, will need a partner. Please call her
at 530 546-8864 if you can join us and enjoy the bridge. Have fun and call us if
you have any questions. The roster and score sheets are on the Web page under
Interest groups. Sue DeVoe 530-546-5120 and Rose Orenstein 530-546-2559
- **GOURMET** This month starts our first quarter dinners from AFRICA, the second largest landmass on earth and home to hundreds of different cultural and ethnic groups. Will anyone be serving Alloco, Amala, Baba Ghanoush or Bunny Chow (NO rabbits/made from bread) & the list goes on! Our hostesses will be Ingrid, Laura and Lynn. Have a FUN time ladies!
- GREAT
DECISIONSThe October 21st meeting for Great Decisions is the last meeting for the year.
We look forward to 2015 with enthusiasm. It will be a new year of interesting
subjects to discuss with old and new members, and lasting friendships to enjoy.
We meet on the third Tuesday of each month. If interested, contact Julie Ginocchio at
530-546-8864.

INSTITCHES The November 19 meeting will be held at the home of Patricia Watters at 10AM. She is located at 1875 Silver Tip Drive on the West Shore. Please RSVP to pwrl@aol.com or phone 530.583.4780.

Bring your projects to work on and ideas for a holiday project. All are welcome. *InStitches generally meets the third Wednesday of each month.*

PLAY READING GROUP Our Playreading group will meet at 7pm at the home of Helen and John Foster on Thursday, Nov 6th. If you want to be in the cast please contact the Foster's no later than Mon Nov 3rd. Their telephone is: 530-546-7660. Should the weather change to snow we will meet at Muffy Betker's house. We will send a separate notice.

MEMBERSHIP

Please let Nancy Cline (nhcline@gmail.com) know about any member news that should be recognized with a card or note from our branch.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(also available on the website at http://northtahoe-ca.aauw.net/)

OCTOBER

- 21: Great Decisions
- 28: Book Group

NOVEMBER

- 6: Playreading Group
- 13: General Meeting
- 18: Book Group
- 19: InStitches

DECEMBER

14: Holiday Party



2014-2015 OFFICERS/BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The new list of officers and directors is posted on the website (<u>www.northtahoe-ca.aauw.net</u>) and included in the Member Directory.

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