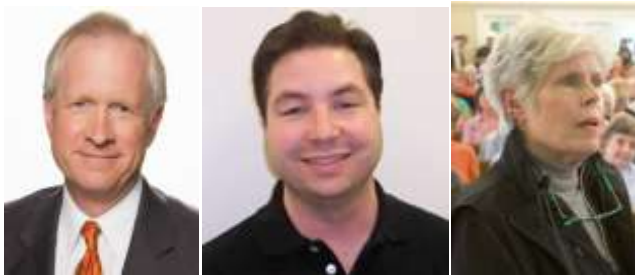


Spring Luncheon
11 AM Saturday, April 23, 2016
 at
Starmount Forest Country Club

Featuring a conversation on the media and its significance in an election year

Neill McNeill senior anchor Fox 8 News; Dr. David Holian, UNCG, associate professor political science; Anna Fesmire co-president League of Women Voters Piedmont Triad



RESERVATIONS BY FRIDAY APRIL 15

Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone _____ E-mail _____

\$ _____ \$35 PER LUNCHEON
 _____ Chicken Piccata OR
 _____ Mediterranean Grilled Vegetable Stack

I would also like to make a donation to AAUW Greensboro National Conference for College Women Student Leaders, NCCWSL 2017

\$ _____ My donation
 \$ _____ TOTAL
 Please make check payable to
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 PO Box 10754, Greensboro, NC 27404

APRIL CALENDAR

Monday, April 4, 2016
Book Browsers

Tsukiyama, Gail, "The Street of a Thousand Blossoms"

Saturday, April 9 2016
Triad Tech Savvy

STEM3 workshop for 6th to 9th grade girls
 Location: UNCG, Sullivan Science Bldg,
 301 McIver Street
 Meeting Time: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Contact: Dr. Lakshmi Iyer
TriadTechSavvy@gmail.com

Tuesday, April 12, 2016
Branch Board Meeting

Location: 2707 Turner Grove Dr. S. 27455
Meeting Time: 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Contact: gcwheaton@earthlink.net
 (h) 336-540-8953 (c) 336-508-6512

Saturday, April 23, 2016
Spring Luncheon

Announcing **THREE NCCWSL** attendees from area colleges and universities
 Program: the media in an election year
 Location: Starmount Forest Country Club
 Meeting Time: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
 Contact: Peggy Knox, peggy60k@aol.com

UPDATE: The Board Ad Hoc Finance

Committee composed of Jane Terwillegar, Stephanie Ghotbi-Taheri, Lena Murrill-Chapman, Libby Haile, and Cherrie Wheaton is making progress on forming a 501c3 organization, so that future donations for Branch programs would be tax deductible. The certificate of incorporation and revised by-laws has been drafted and are being reviewed by the AAUW National legal staff.

April 2016

NOTES



Connections to Collaborations

UPCOMING EVENTS

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 2707 Turner Grove Dr

Saturday, April 23, 2016, Spring Luncheon, Starmount Country Club

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AAUW NC adopts resolution in opposition to NC House Bill 2

AAUW Greensboro Branch Board Ad Hoc Finance Committee proposes forming a 501c3 organization.

REGISTRATION OPEN <http://greensboro-nc.aauw.net/techevents/triad-tech-savvy-2016/>



Triad Tech Savvy 2016

WHAT: a full day of STEM3, science–technology–engineering–math–music–medicine workshops for 6th to 9th grade girls

WHERE: Sullivan Science at UNCG

EXTRAS: breakfast, lunch, program booklet, T-shirt, tote bags

PARENTS: full day program designed to help you help your daughters succeed in science and technology

COST – \$5 for girls and \$2.50 for accompanying parent

EMAIL: TRAIIDTECHSAVVY@GMAIL.COM



AAUW North Carolina Annual Meeting, Friday and Saturday, April 1 & 2



Jane Terwillegar Sue Mengert, Libby Haile and Cherrie Wheaton. Not pictured: Millie Hoffler–Fouchee and Laura Tew.

AAUW RESPONDS TO NC HOUSE BILL 2

The Greensboro Branch had the most representatives of any of the dozen Branches attending the AAUW NC annual meeting. Significantly, a resolution was proposed, discussed and passed calling for the repeal of NC House Bill 2, which passed the NC Legislature on March 23 and was signed into law by Governor McCrory. AAUW NC attendees at the annual meeting adopted the following resolution:

WHEREAS, on February 22, 2016, the Charlotte City Council approved a local ordinance that added marital status, familial status, sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression to its list of categories protected from discrimination in city contracting and public accommodations; and **WHEREAS**, on March 23, 2016, in response to the Charlotte ordinance, the North Carolina General Assembly in special session ratified and Governor Pat McCrory signed House Bill 2 (Session Law 2016-3), the Public Facilities Privacy & Security Act; and **WHEREAS**, House Bill 2 appears to repeal the Charlotte ordinance by establishing new statewide

standards for what constitutes discriminatory practice in employment and public accommodations; and by establishing new statewide requirements for bathrooms and changing facilities in all public agencies, including schools raising a possible conflict with Title IX and resulting loss of federal funds; and **WHEREAS**, the omission of sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, and other categories from the statewide list of categories protected from discrimination appears to prohibit local governments from offering these protections to their residents; and

WHEREAS, the legislation also appears to deny the right of any person to bring a civil action in a North Carolina court for a claim of discrimination in employment or public accommodations on account of race, religion, color, national origin, age, and biological sex (as well as handicap for employment only) and would require such claims to be filed in federal court; and

WHEREAS, the legislation is inconsistent with the Equal Protection Clause of the United States Constitution, Title VII and Title IX of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

SECTION 1. AAUW of North Carolina reaffirms its support for protecting and advancing the constitutional rights and equitable treatment of all residents of the state.

SECTION 2. AAUW of North Carolina urges the North Carolina General Assembly to repeal House Bill 2 at the earliest opportunity.

SECTION 3. AAUW of North Carolina urges its members to send copies of this resolution to their members of the NC General Assembly and to the Governor.

SECTION 4. AAUW of North Carolina urges its board to recommend that the AAUW national board change the AAUW diversity statement as soon as possible to include gender identity and gender expression.

Approved by AAUW of North Carolina, April 2, 2015