



AAUW Pendleton Branch Newsletter **May 2012**

AAUW Pendleton Branch **May Membership Meeting**

Program: "Sociology of Family: The Care-Work
Crisis"

Speaker: Dr. Rosemary Powers,
Eastern Oregon University



May 3 (Thursday)
7:00 p.m.
Vert Clubroom

Hostess: Hero Gollany

June Membership Meeting

Saturday, June 9, Time TBA

Program: Walking Tour of North Hill, beginning at Pioneer Park

Tour Leader: Keith May

**2011–2012 Pendleton AAUW
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because **equity** is still an **issue**

PRESIDENT'S CORNER for May

By Jill Heffner

PENDLETON BRANCH ROCKS!

Thank you for all the work and hours you all put in to make the AAUW of Oregon Convention 2012 a success!

The convention garnered lots of kudos! Everyone was generous in their praise of the Pendleton Branch—your friendliness, helpfulness, and organizational skills. The attendees appreciated the ease of registration and the entire silent auction process. There was praise also for the facility and its staff. And, wow, even the weather came through for us!

In short, my “fellow” branch members, Pendleton—once again—put on a TERRIFIC convention!

You're the greatest!

STEP UP!

Pendleton Branch needs a Communications Vice-President. Are you willing to step forward and volunteer for this elected position? Being Communications VP entails making the newspaper and the Chamber of Commerce aware of our meetings and activities. Actually, the best part of this job is that you can do it on your own time, so you can be Communications VP and still travel ☺ You can also do it and work a full-time job; just ask Karen King! You also bond with an awesome group of women—your board of officers—and make new friends.

Ask not what the branch can do for you, but ask how you can help your branch. Think about it. Can you step up?

If you can, call Karen King at 541-278-2151 or Marty King at 541-276-8210.



Thank You!

I join Jill in thanking all our members who helped at convention. All of us working together made it a special and memorable convention.

—Susan Doyle



From Jill and Susan

Our branch put on a wonderful convention. We appreciate all your help. We couldn't have done it without you! So, thank you . . .

Michele Bradford
Jan Bruning
Alerita Burns
Mary Davis
Kate Ely
Hope Fischer
Dori Frison
Janet Groat
Becca Harrold
Rebecca Hiers
Diane Herrington
Harriet Isom
Deb Jones
Roberta Jones
Teresa Jones
Karen King
Marty King
Mary Kinsch
Betty Klepper
Marlene Krout
Kate Mace
Barbara McCanne
Gail Plute
Beth Read
Micshelle Sitz
Sue Waldman
Kathy Ward
June Whitten
Melissa Woodbury
Connie Umphred-Marier

AAUW Convention 2012



Kathy Ward, Karen King, Marty King, and Barbara McCanne.



Jill Heffner and Pat Hines.



Kathy Ward, Becca Harrold, Marty King, Karen King, Sue Waldman, and Diane Herrington.

Jill Heffner Honored by Baker Branch at Convention

At the AAUW Funds Celebration Banquet on Saturday evening, Jill Heffner, a member of both the Pendleton and Baker branches, was honored by the Baker Branch for “her commitment and contributions to AAUW.” She has been a member of the Baker Branch for six years and the Pendleton Branch for eleven years, and served as Northeast District Director for four of those years. This year she was a Convention Local Arrangements Committee Co-chair with Susan Doyle.

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

May General Meeting: The slate of officers for next year will be voted on at the May meeting. Dinner before the meeting will be at Mazatlan at 5:30.

May Board Meeting: The May board meeting will be Thursday, May 17, at 7:00 p.m. at Marty King's home, 3315 SW Marshall Ave.



Slate of Officers (to be voted on at the May meeting)

Co-Presidents: Karen King and Marty King

Communications Vice-President: still needed

Membership Vice-President: Susan Doyle

Program Co-Vice-Presidents: Jill Heffner and Mary Kinsch (Mary for 2012–13)



IT'S ANNUAL DUES TIME

The AAUW membership year begins July 1, and collection of membership dues begins in May each year. The membership form is on the last page of this newsletter, and copies will be available at the May meeting. The convention delegates voted to increase the state dues by \$5.00, so the total dues will be \$74.00—unless you are a new member or a second year member, in which case you may take advantage of reduced dues as explained on the membership form.

Please pay your dues at the May or June meetings or mail your check, along with the filled-out membership form by June 30. We need the form to fulfill state and national requirements, and it also provides the information needed for the membership directory that is printed in the fall.

Please renew as soon as possible

Note: Michele Bradford, Diane Herrington, Beth Read, Connie Umphred-Marier, and Sharon Vincent will be second year members and pay the reduced rate of \$37.00.

Life members (Kate Mace, Julianne Sawyer, and Sue Waldman) pay only state and branch dues, or \$25.00.

Honorary Life members (Alerita Burns, Hope Fischer, and Andrea Timmermann) pay no dues at all.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN
AAUW of OREGON – PENDLETON BRANCH
OREGON NEWS Subscription Form — July 2012–June 2013**

Association Dues \$ 49

State Dues* \$ 16

Branch Dues \$ 9
Full Year = \$74

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The Future allows **new members**
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dues reducing the total to **\$49.50**.*

*Also, if you are a second year
member and have not used the
second year scholarship you may
do so, which is half dues for each
category: **\$37.00**.*

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____

Phone (H) _____ (W) _____

Email _____

Signature _____

*(\$1.00 of State Dues pays for a subscription to the
State's quarterly publication ***Oregon News.***)

**New Members only
need to fill this in:**

College/University _____ Date _____

(Add additional degrees below) Degree & Date earned _____ Major _____

Mail form and check to AAUW to: Gail Plute, 15 SE Emigrant Ave. #202, Pendleton, OR 97801

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