

Lombard Area, IL AAUW

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Branch Program—Weds, March 11 She Didn't? Oh YES She Did!

PROGRAM

Weds,
Mar. 11

Women in History 6:45pm

First Church of Lombard

AAUW advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.

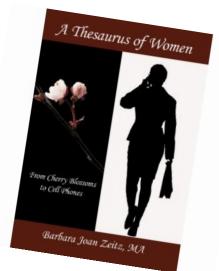
AAUW Funds is the world's largest source of funding exclusively for graduate women. The Funds also work to combat sex discrimination in higher education and the workplace.

Illinois AAUW member Barbara Joan Zeitz has written a book A Thesaurus of Women: From Cherry Blossoms to Cell Phones, and is hard at work on a second book. Introduced without hesitation or apology are bold, brave, often foolhardy, women who have been there and done that which you know, by women you may not know, until NOW.

Barbara writes a fascinating column about women's achievements—read CountHerHistory on the AAUW-IL web site at

http://aauw-il.aauw.net/counther/

Join us on March 11 at 6:45pm at First Church to meet Barbara and learn more about women and their actions!



Welcome New AAUW Board Members

Here are the new officers elected at our Feb 14 program. These women will be sworn in at our May meeting.

President: Barb Kozi

VP Programs: Karla Bullett Treasurer: Danielle Byron

Karla welcomes your programming ideas. Reach her at wikabull@att.net.

Branch Officers

President:

Barb Kozi

Co VPs/Program:

Sandra Henry & Heidi Koberstine

Co VPs/Membership:

Mary Schlacks & Judy Sidiqqui

Secretary:

Ellen Dassow

Director of Finance:

Carol Hester

Newsletter & Web Site:

Leslie Sulla

AAUW Scholarships—Due April I

The Lombard Area Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) is offering one "Return to Learning" scholarship to be used for the 2015-16 academic year. This scholarship is available to qualified women residents of Lombard, Villa Park, Oakbrook Terrace, Wheaton, Addison, Glendale Heights, and Glen Ellyn.

The scholarship will be awarded to a qualified woman completing an undergraduate or master's degree, or a certification program, not including a doctoral degree. This award is offered as a community service and as an expression of the purpose of AAUW, which is to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research.

The scholarship amount is determined by the success of our annual Used Book Sale held in August. This year's scholarship will be given in the amount of \$1300. **Applications are due by April 1, 2015.**

More information and the application is available at our branch website, lombard-il.aauw.net/.

Please contact me if you have any questions about the scholarship.

Laurie Driscoll, Chair AAUW Funds and Local Scholarships

Share this information with friends and family!

AAUW Funds — Career Development Grant Recipients

More information

Our branch:

lombard-il.aauw.net

State:

aauw-il.aauw.net

National:

www.aauw.org

AAUW Member Help: 800/821-4364 connect@aauw.org

These are the recipients of our Branch completed AAUW Endowments. Both women have received Career Development Grants for 2014-15.

Scarlett Swerdlow is pursuing a master's degree in public policy at the University of Chicago. She is passionate about public finance and aspires to serve as the chief financial officer of a major city. Before returning to school, Swerdlow spent ten years advocating for public policy change on issues ranging from drug policy reform to arts and culture.

Jillian Sajdak is honored to receive a career development grant. She is pursing a master's degree in predictive analytics at Northwestern University and works full-time as a senior planning analyst at Moffitt Cancer Center, the leading comprehensive cancer center designated by the National Cancer Institute. Her post-graduation goal is to become a respected leader in her field who facilitates growth and positive change

Laurie Driscoll, Chair AAUW Funds and Local Scholarships

Branch Calendar—March 2015		
Mon, March 9	Lit Wits	Anyways Restaurant
7 pm	The Invention of Wings by Sue Monk Kidd	5 E Roosevelt, Oakbrook Terrace
Wed, March 11	General Program—	First Church of Lombard
6:45 pm	She Didn't? Oh Yes She Did!	
Mon, March 16	Board Meeting	COP Center—Yorktown
7 pm		
Tues, March 17	Life Writing	Lexington Square
1 pm		555 Foxworth, Lombard
Fri, March 20	Literature	Nancy H's
1 pm	The Light Between Oceans by M. L. Stedman	
Thurs, March 26	Mystery Buffs	Mary Ann S's
7 pm	Books by Kerry Greenwood (1st book: <u>Cocaine Blues</u>)	







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