



Ripples

CITRUS HEIGHTS-AMERICAN RIVER BRANCH

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November Monthly Meeting— November 19th, 10:00 AM to 1:30 PM
Studio Movie Grill, 5140 Commons Dr., Rocklin
CHAR Jazz Day for ARC Scholarships!

Have fun while raising money for the ARC Endowment honoring Margaret Radsloff and CHAR. Listen to great jazz and watch the movie *All That Jazz*! Order lunch from the menu (go to studiomoviegrill.com for menu choices.) Get in on the raffle for gift baskets!



The American River Jazz Ensemble and *All That Jazz*

We have a limited number of seats--53. When they are gone we are sold out. The meal is not included in the \$25 suggested donation. Donations are 100% tax deductible. Checks should be made out to: ARC Foundation (with Margaret Radsloff CHAR/AAUW Endowment on memo line.)

For tickets: contact
Lee Battershell-Baird

For ride sharing: contact
Mary Duval

Guests Welcome

Save the Date: Sat., December 10th, 10:00 AM. Annual Holiday Social
Christ Community Church, 5025 Manzanita Ave., Carmichael, CA



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE - PJ Missman

Hello to All my CHAR friends and fellow members.

I hope you enjoyed our Membership Luncheon and signed up for some new interest groups. We have a wonderful group of women providing great learning opportunities for us. Ways to learn more about our own area, ways to learn more about the world, and ways to learn more about each other.

I also hope you attended the Public Policy program. Thank you to Mary Toutonghi for putting together an AAUW award winning program!

One of the topics that we discussed at the August Planning Meeting was how to diversify our membership and how to attract younger members. Here's a quote from AAUW National's Christy Jones: "According to the Pew Research Center the United States is on its way to becoming a majority minority country. Additionally, more women are earning associate, bachelor's, and postgraduate degrees.

These demographic changes provide opportunities for AAUW to grow and expand with new and diverse audiences..." AAUW is "embracing technology to engage more members in new ways. We currently have 12 online AAUW branches and several on the horizon to help members connect. In today's society, it's critical to meet members where they are." Let's all think about what our own CHAR branch can do.

Remember to VOTE and to Change the Climate for Women and Girls! PJ

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November Title IX Moment

Not Just Athletics - Remember when you weren't allowed to take Shop Classes?

Title IX affects all areas of education, including:

- recruitment, admissions and housing;
- career and technical education;
- pregnant, parenting, and/or married students;
- science, technology, engineering, and math education;
- sexual harassment and assault;
- comparable facilities and access to course offerings;
- financial assistance;
- student health services and insurance benefits;
- harassment based on gender identity; and
- athletics.



Reminder of CHAR Board Meeting
Nov. 14th, 10:00 AM
Raley's Meeting Room
San Juan at Sunset

DEADLINE FOR DEC. RIPPLES

Saturday, Nov. 12th

Esther Leal
emleal@comcast.net

BOOK CORNER



3rd Thursday Book Group

Date: Thurs., Nov. 17, 2016

Time: 1:00 PM

Hostess: Jean Bronner

Book: *The Girl on the Train*,
by Paula Hawkins

Discussion Leader: Jean Bronner

More Than Books

Date: Wed., Nov. 16, 2016

Book Topic: Music and Musicians

Hostess: Mary Duval

Whodunits

Date: Tues., Nov. 8, 2016

Time: 1:00 PM

Place: Carmichael Library

Briefly share mystery books read with other members. Call Coby Bonner with questions. CHAR/AAUW members can purchase books at The Bookworm, 4949 Ste. J, Marconi Avenue and Walnut. Just mention the Whodunits account.

LET'S EAT!

Lunch Bunch

Date: Wed., Nov. 9, 2016

Time: 12:00 Noon

Place: Rey Azteca, 6400 Fair Oaks Blvd.
(corner of Fair Oaks Blvd. and Marconi)

Rey Azteca is located in the former Indian Restaurant. They are only open for breakfast and lunch, and offer a wide selection of salads and sandwiches, plus a few Mexican items.

Reservations: E-mail Virginia Dunstan or call Clydene Leslie
by Friday, Nov. 4th.

Hungry Ladies Eating Out

Date: Thurs., Nov. 3, 2016

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: Fair Oaks Bistro

Hostess: Pam Bone

Hungry Ladies is open to all CHAR members, single or married. However, you must make a reservation with the monthly hostess. For more information, please call Corrine Laing,

California Issues

There will be a planning program November 28th at 10:15 AM. Contact Mary Duval for information.



EXPANDING OUR HORIZONS

Bird Watching

Date: Tues., Nov. 1, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM

Place: Isenberg Sandhill Crane Reserve off Interstate 5 and Woodbridge Road and the Consumnes River Preserve. This trip is about an hour drive one way.

Carpool: Meet at Calico Corners in Quail Pointe Shopping Center at Sunrise and Madison.

Pouring rain cancels the event. Dress in layers. *Bring your binoculars and field guide.*

If you need binoculars or have questions, call Charlene Eberwine. **Let me know if you are willing to drive.**

Tuesday morning of the 1st, call Charlene's cell if you need to cancel.

Movie Mavens



Date: Wed., Nov. 2, 2016

The movie group meets the first Wednesday of the month for lunch and a movie. Contact Lois Wren for the movie selection.

World Country

Study Group

Date: Wed., Dec. 14, 2016

Time: 10:15 AM to 12 Noon

Place: Carmichael Regional Library meeting room, 5605 Marconi Ave, Carmichael, CA 95608

Note: This is a combined Nov. and Dec. Meeting. Date change is due to the holidays.



Our combined November and December meeting will be on Dec. 14 and Carol Stieger will be presenting on the History from the Romans to the Collapse of the Austro-Hungarian Empire in 1918.

If you would RSVP to Janice it would be appreciated.

Please send me an email, if you think you might like to come to any of our meetings. That way I can add you to my email distribution list and keep you up-to-date on latest information.

Gadabouts

Date: Thursday, December 8, 2016

Time: 10:15 to carpool

Event: Crocker Art Museum, 216 O Street, Sacramento

RSVP: By November 23rd to Linda Marren or Carolynn Michaels

Lunch: Crocker Café

Carpool: From Carolynn Michaels' house at 10:15 AM
Drivers will be needed.



Mah Jong A new group is starting on Nov. 10th to learn Mah Jong.

Place: Shirley Chang,

Time: 1-4 p.m.

RSVP: Elaine Bemis



September Luncheon Highlights

Pictured below are members who were presented with their anniversary pins, a new program begun by AAUW to commemorate and celebrate our members. AAUW stated that "these pins are our way of saying thank you to members for their years of membership in AAUW and for their dedication to our shared mission on behalf of women and girls." Left to right are: Jean Bronner 30 years, Jean Gordon 10 years, Mary Fenner 5 years, Noreen Rademacher 30 years, Travis Latham 5 years, Pat Carper 10 years, and Esther Leal 5 years.

Five year members not present are: Virginia Sturdevant, Lainie Case, Pam Bone, Carolyn Stewart, Aggie Vawter, Dixie Robinson, and Lorene Freuer. **Twenty year members** are Margaret Lawston and Patricia Arthur. **Thirty year members** are Elizabeth Poulin, Ardith Lenneville and Jean Chapman.



Members listening to our Tech Trek speaker with a slide show presentation of behind the scenes at Tech Trek camp this summer.





The October monthly meeting

featured the McGeorge School of Law students, analyzing the propositions on the upcoming November ballot. This is the 3rd time CHAR has invited the students and it has proven to be a very popular event. Two years ago, CA AAUW recognized our branch for this outstanding program.



Save the Date!

Wine Tasting and Poker Run*, benefiting Tech Trek

Saturday, February 4th, 2017

\$50 includes transportation, gift bag and a day of fun!

In order to reserve the correct number of vans, please be prepared to sign up with your donation at the December meeting. Twelve people have already made reservations and we would love to have YOU join us! Friends and family members are welcome!

*You will receive a playing card at each winery, and at the end we will reveal our hands!



Au Revoir Harriett

Harriett Orchard was a member of AAUW for more than 50 years and fervently believed and worked for women's rights. Her mother was among those marching in picket lines advocating the right of women to vote—that led to passage of the 19th Amendment in 1926. As a result of people like Harriett's mother and people like Harriett, we women can vote November 8. Harriett was CHAR President from 1982 to 1983. She was also a Kindergarten teacher who not only molded her young students but also hosted exchange students with whom she counseled and helped throughout their lives. Whatever Harriett was part of, the people felt her loving and disciplined presence. She was also a prominent and much revered member of the California Retired Teachers Association helping to direct their future. She will be greatly missed.

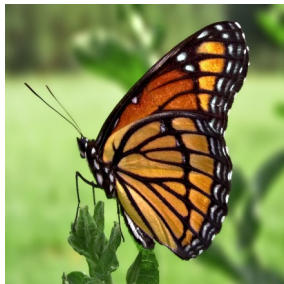
Submitted by Lee Battershell-Baird



Happy Thanksgiving

Welcome New Members!

Margaret MacKenzie



Linda Rockett



Gift basket items needed

If you have an item to donate for our raffle at the Jazz fundraiser party, contact Mary Duval.

Suggestions: wine, tea, coffee, books, gourmet goodies, next to new items, large baskets.

Deadline for donations is Nov. 12th.



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Deadline for Dec. Ripples

Nov. 12th

website: <http://citrusheights-ca.aauw.net>

Facebook: AAUW: Citrus Heights American
River—CHAR

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November 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Bird Watchers	2 Movie Mavens	3 Hungry Ladies	4	5
6	7	8 Who Dunits	9 Lunch Bunch	10	11	12
13	14	15	16 More Than Bks	17 3rd Thurs. Bks	18	19 Nov. Fundraiser
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	A graphic for Thanksgiving featuring a pumpkin, wheat stalks, and the words 'Happy Thanksgiving' in a cursive script. <div data-bbox="841 1543 1161 1690">Happy Thanksgiving</div>		

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