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The Anacortes Agent

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Annual Meeting

Salad Potluck Dinner

Thursday Night, May 9, 6:30 P.M.

Westminster Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall

Members are invited to bring a potluck salad to share for a dinner gathering prior to our annual meeting. Back by popular demand, lemon cake will be served for dessert. The meeting agenda will include election of officers. This is a great time to meet and get to know the members that have joined recently. The slate of officers is published on page two of the newsletter and you can find the board approved budget for 2013-2014 on page three. Don't miss the April board highlights to keep abreast of what's happening.



Rosette Dawson attended the AAUW Annual Business meeting in Pasco. In her words, "It was an interesting meeting. The speaker from National had some interesting stories on how bills are passed (House and Senate) - quite a process. Tech Trek was big on the agenda also. There will be an all member summer conference on August 24, in Ellensburg. The 2014 convention will be a co-convention with Oregon and held in Portland. Sounds like fun!"

Scholarship News!!! Scholarship News!!! Scholarship News!!! Scholarship News!!!

Our Scholarship Tea has been declared a great success. Money is still being collected, but it appears we will have \$3,000 to apply toward scholarships. This event was well attended by the public and it is estimated that more than one hundred people heard our wonderful speaker and enjoyed the buffet of sweets and savories. Approximately 30 books were distributed for World Book Night U.S. Many thanks go to tea chair, Réanne, and all who collaborated with her to maximize our fundraising efforts.



Slate of Nominated Officers for 2013-2014

CO-PRESIDENTS: Linda Hendrick and Rosette Dawson

VICE-PRES – PROGRAM CO-CHAIRS: Jamie Cromack and Andrea Doll

VICE-PRES – MEMBERSHIP CO-CHAIRS: Laura Jane Viverette, Cordelia Hightower, Vildan Kirby

SECRETARY: Teresa Fulton NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Ora Jonasson, Leslie Lukasik, Robin Pestarino



Happy Birthday!

Pat Bell (5/2) Kim Hall (5/7) Gina Van Hess (5/16) Maureen Scheetz (5/17) Judy Higgins (5/18) Gail Cortelyou (5/23) Ginny Kluth (5/25) Barbara Post (5/26)
Cecilia Weldon (5/27)

On a recent field trip to the Chihuly Glass and Gardens, members enjoyed lunch at the “Collections Café.” Thirty six of Dale Chihuly’s drawings are located on the wall of the café which are shown on the left. ”



April Board Meeting Highlights

- The board discussed creating a mentor system for new members
- Coffee gatherings will be continued this summer
- Tesoro is funding a second student for Trek Camp
- **Anyone interested in attending the AMS Moving Up Ceremony to present awards should contact Rosette Dawson (293-6599)**
- Arrangements were finalized for the field trip to Chihuly Gardens
- There will be a summer board retreat in June
- Holly Giles has suggested a scholarship for nursing students in memory of Ann Nord
- There will be a salad potluck at the May meeting and Meredith will bring lemon cake
- A new TLC chair is needed
- Scholarship applications will be reviewed on April 22, with interviews on May 4
- The next Writers’ Forum will feature cookbook authors
- A Grant/Donation policy was presented for discussion

The next Board meeting will be held on Monday, May 6, at 7 p.m. at the home of Bunny Heiner, 804 K Ave., 293-4120

Anacortes AAUW FY 2013-2014 ADOPTED BUDGET (April 8, 2013)

INCOME	FY 2011/2012 Actual	FY 2011/2012 Actual	FY 2013/2014
Directory Ads	\$ 100.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 175.00
Donations to Branch	193.35	199.00	200.00
Dues Collected (Branch Net)	620.00	656.50	656.50
Interest Income	22.00	21.74	25.00
Other Income	265.00	100.00	150.00
Spring Tea	2,337.00	2,385.00	2,400.00
S.T.E.M.- Donations	50.00	11.00	15.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$3,587.35	\$3,548.24	\$3,621.50
EXPENSES			
Box Rental	\$ 70.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 75.00
Community Promotion - Depot Art	64.43	-	-
Conference Expenses	145.00	-	150.00
Donations	150.00	-	-
Directory Expenses	77.25	150.00	80.00
Facilities Rental	100.00	100.00	100.00
Hospitality	10.00	10.00	50.00
Liability Insurance	278.00	278.00	278.00
Scholarships - transfer to ASF	2,530.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Speaker Stipends	150.00	100.00	100.00
Spring Tea - rental, speaker, supplies	222.00	250.00	330.00
STEM supplies		100.00	100.00
Supplies - cards, postage, supplies	-	25.00	25.00
Writers' Forum - (speaker & supplies	156.64	285.00	285.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 3953.32	\$ 3,368.00	\$ 3,573.00
INCOME OVER(UNDER) EXPENSES	\$ (365.97)	\$ 180.24	\$ 48.50
Ending Fiscal Year Balance	\$ 1,548.76	\$ 1,729.00	\$ 1,777.50