



January 2018 Newsletter

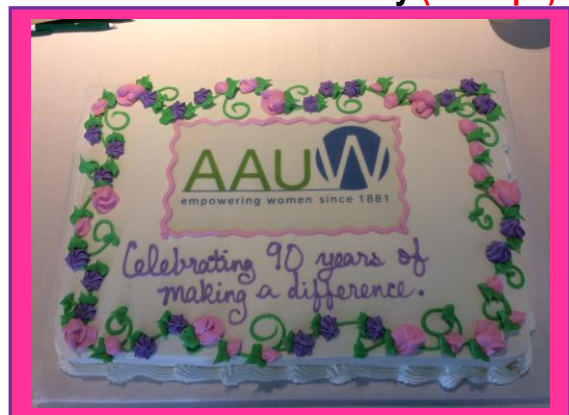
President Message: The Christmas Birthday Bash, December 9th, was fun, and the "goodies bags" were wonderful. Thanks to Annie Huckabee for the thoughtful gift bags to commemorate the Branch's 90th birthday. Many thanks goes to Kelly Gonzalez as she deserves lots of credit for arranging, managing, getting the supplies and setting up for our birthday bash at Hester's; Also Thank You Kelly for all time and work to take care of the beautiful cake and create the certificates. Appreciation for all who provided auction items.

The Board will meet, Saturday, January 20th at 11AM. If you have suggestions or items you would like addressed, please let me know so I can place them on the agenda.

Best wishes for a peaceful and happy new year. Let our New Year's resolution be this: *We will be there for one another as fellow members of humanity, in the finest sense of the word.* (Goran Persson) Carla



AAUW December 90th Birthday (con't p3)



No January AAUW Branch Meeting.
See you at the February Branch meeting.
Board Members Meeting
Saturday, January 20th at 11AM
at YWCA, 4639 Corona.



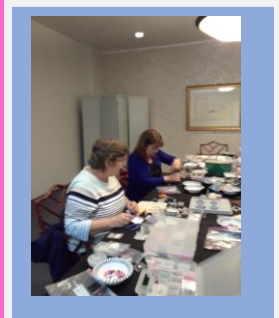
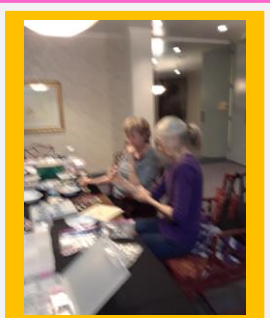
Message from Annie Hamilton Huckabee

Ann and I would like to thank the AAUW members for their many other has been difficult, but it is comforting to know there are so many who support us.

We would like to let you know of some important dates as we honor James Hamilton. All events will be held at the Art Center of Corpus Christi.

-Wednesday, January 10, 2018 from 5-7: Opening of the One Man Show in the Kucera Gallery; the Show will run through February 24, 2018

-Saturday, January 13, 2018 at 1: Celebration of Life in the upstairs meeting room. We hope to see all of our dear friends in AAUW.



Catherine Cox's invites AAUW volunteers to help out with Jewelry Making Project for patients undergoing cancer treatments.
(This is Catherine's 3rd year of giving jewelry to cancer victims. Leftovers will go to the Women's Shelter.)

Interest Groups

Book Finders Chair - Betty Maroney
Every Tues. @ 1:30, Neyland Library.

Bridge Chair- Joanna Huckabee

Next Meeting : Friday, January 26th; Irene O'Connor

Classics Book Group – Chair: Irene O'Connor,

Next Meeting: Wednesday, January 31st at 6PM at Katz 21. *The Poisonwood Bible* (1998) by Barbara Kingsolver

Community Outreach – Chair- Kelly Gonzalez;
Next

Meeting: Monday, January 8th, at YWCA on Corona at 6:00PM

I want to say Thank you to all who came to help at the Holiday Shopping event. For those who could not make it you were missed. We were able to brighten the day for 50 YW Teens. It was a great day for all of us.
Kelly

The YWTeens had a wonderful afternoon being treated as such special girls! They enjoyed shopping & loved learning to curl ribbon & make tissue paper fluff! It's impossible to say what a lifetime of paying it forward today will bring! Thanks to each of you who made this day happen!
Nancy

Evening Contemporary Literature Chair
Nancy Horsley

or Judy Sykes

. Next Meeting: January 29th, at . co-hosted by Dottie Ewing &

Audrey Jones. Presenter: Janis Wood (*On Monday, January 29th, I will be reviewing John Grisham's novel, THE ROOSTER BAR, for the AAUW Contemporary Literature group. This #1 New York Times bestseller takes us inside*

a law firm that's on shaky ground. This is an early notice so you have time to read this work of fiction before we discuss it. See you at Dottie Ewing's home on the last Monday of January. Janis Wood)

Out-to-Lunch Bunch – Chair: Margaret DeVille,

. Contact Margaret for restaurant information. Next Meeting: Friday, January 19th at 11:30AM.

PLAYgoers – Chair: Michelle Balis, TBA by email or newsletter.

(Playgoers picture at Christmas Carol at the Harbor Playhouse)



Poetry Appreciation – Chair: Pam Davis, or Dennie Tillman

Next

Meeting: Wednesday, January 10th ; Glass Pavilion, Omni Bayfront; winter poems

Reader's Round Table - Chairs: Dottie Ewing- & Betty Maroney
No January Meeting

Wine & Cheese- Chair: Agnes Hamilton,

Next

Meeting: January 14th; Alice Hartlaub & Sharon Amaya at

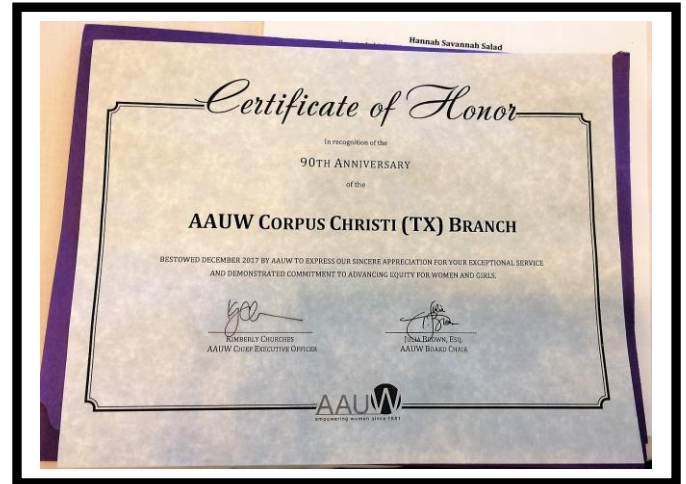
AAUW Friendship Committee- Please contact Audrey Jones at when you know of an AAUW member who is sick or hurt, in the hospital, or has suffered a loss of a loved one.

Updates on:

Jane Bachman- Has a therapist coming to the house. In Jane's own words "I'm back to driving and almost rehabilitated".

Vera Wendl- Continues to strengthen herself with a walker and a therapist who comes to the house.

Our thoughts and prayers are with them as they continue to recover.



90th Birthday Bash continued: Our branch was recognized by AAUW National with a certificate and letter. (Letter & Certificate attached). Thirty plus AAUW CC Branch members attended the birthday luncheon with Birthday Cake, silent auction, and Community Outreach raffle at Hester's at the Art Museum. Our members of 20 years or more were recognized with a certificate.

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