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# Capital News!

AAUW Capital Branch (NV) Summer 2017

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## President's Message

by Caroline PUNCHES

The AAUW Capital (NV) Branch is beginning its summer break. This email notice is being sent to remind you of some key activities that are taking place and to encourage your participation! Our regular newsletter will resume in July!

**TUESDAY, JUNE 6TH** – You are invited to attend the “AAUW National Election” discussion at 5:30PM at the Sheriff’s office in Carson City. Please bring your AAUW Outlook magazine with you! This has your member ID as well as your voter Pin number. We will be discussing the proposed bylaws changes, proposed public policy changes and reviewing the candidate profiles. Even if you have already voted, we would love to have your participation as we discuss the pros and cons of the various issues. You will have the opportunity to cast your ballot that evening! We will not be having a catered dinner that evening, but feel free to bring some snacks if you would like. Please RSVP to Louise Seidel as always...[elseidel@gmail.com](mailto:elseidel@gmail.com) or 775-885-0269.

**PLEASE VOTE!** AAUW policies and national leaders are decided by **YOU**, the member. It is extremely important that your voice be heard! Even if you cannot attend the June 6th meeting, it is important that you cast your vote by June 15th at 9 PM ET.

**SURVEY MONKEY** – Please share **YOUR** opinions! A Survey Monkey is being sent via email (or by regular mail to those without email) to obtain your thoughts about speakers, meeting locations and volunteer opportunities. The survey results will be used by the branch leadership in their planning meeting in June – **so please complete this as soon as possible!**

**SAVE THE DATE** – September 9, 2017 – Membership Brunch will be at the Governor’s Mansion. More details and YOUR Evite will be coming later this summer.

## INTEREST GROUPS

**Gourmet Group:** On June 25th at 5:30, Iris and Jim Blaisdell will host Gourmet Group at their home in Gardnerville. For more information/or if interested in joining, please contact Carolyn Kellogg, [cnflakes@ymail.com](mailto:cnflakes@ymail.com) or call 775-461-3320.

**Evening Book Group:** On June 8th at 6:30 PM, the group will meet at Jane Johnson's home to discuss 2016 Pulitzer Prize winner for fiction *The Sympathizer*, by Viet Thanh Nguyen. For additional information, please contact Diane Koditek [dgk@mchsi.com](mailto:dgk@mchsi.com) or call 661-304-8743.

**Great Decisions:** No meeting is scheduled for June. Topic for discussion in July: US foreign policy and petroleum.

**Daytime Book Group:** June meeting date pending. For additional information, please contact JoAnn Carpenter, [jac78x@gmail.com](mailto:jac78x@gmail.com) or call 775-297-3889. Current group members will receive an email with meeting details once determined.

**Informal Luncheon:** No luncheon scheduled in June. We hope that you can join us on July 13th for our next scheduled luncheon. Please contact Diane Koditek [dgk@mchsi.com](mailto:dgk@mchsi.com) or call 661-304-8743 for details.

- June 6 Nat'l Elections Review 5:30
- June 8 Evening Book Group 6:30
- June 15 Last day to vote in AAUW election
- June 25 Gourmet Group 5:30

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 Reminder: Any AAUW member may suggest a community event that she believes would be interesting to participate in. Please email suggestions for the coming month to Diane Koditek, [dgk@mchsi.com](mailto:dgk@mchsi.com). Suggested activities will be posted in the newsletter in the Bulletin Board section.

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